

# Evan Barbour

## Curriculum Vitae

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## Education

- M.F.A. – Studio Art | MILLS COLLEGE, 2013  
*Concentration in painting, with courses in photography and sculpture.*
- Credential – Science Illustration | UC SANTA CRUZ, 2003  
*Specialized in bird and insect illustration.*
- BA – Psychology | REED COLLEGE, 1999  
*Thesis on the variability of animal play behavior.*

## Teaching Experience

- Drawing 101 Instructor and Facilities Support, ROOT DIVISION. San Francisco, 2013 – present  
*Instruct adults in drawing fundamentals. Assist with installation of exhibitions.*
- Blau-Gold Teaching Fellow, ROOT DIVISION. San Francisco, 2013 – 2014  
*Developed curricula and instruct drawing and painting classes for adolescents.*
- Teaching Assistant, MILLS COLLEGE. Oakland, 2012 – 2013  
*Assisted instruction of advanced painting and sculpture classes for undergraduate students.*
- Private Art Educator. Oakland, 2009 – 2011  
*Provided small-group lessons on drawing fundamentals to adolescents.*
- Marital Arts Instructor, STUDIO NAGA. Oakland, 2006 – 2012  
*Instructed self-defense to adults and adolescents (second-degree black belt).*
- Art Instructor, CAMP 510. Oakland, 2012  
*Developed and instructed classes on murals, book making and habitat sculpture.*
- Museum Educator, CALIFORNIA ACADEMY OF SCIENCES. San Francisco, 2008 – 2011  
*Developed curriculum and delivered life science lessons to 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade students.*
- Teaching Assistant. UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SANTA CRUZ, 2003  
*Assisted advanced illustration class. Managed exhibit at Santa Cruz Natural History Museum.*
- Field Science Educator, HEADLANDS INSTITUTE. Sausalito, 2001 – 03  
*Taught terrestrial and marine science to visiting school groups.*

## Awards/Honors

- Blau-Gold Teaching Fellow, ROOT DIVISION, San Francisco, July, 2013
- Board of Directors, REDWOOD PLANET MEDIA, Arcata, CA, July, 2013
- Herringer MFA Prize for Excellence in Art, MILLS COLLEGE, Oakland, May, 2012
- Resident illustrator, CORNELL LAB OF ORNITHOLOGY, Ithaca, NY 2004 – 2005

## Exhibition Record

- ODC THEATER. *Populations*. San Francisco, January–February, 2015 \*
- TERMINUS GALLERY. *Terminus Presents*. Oakland, February–March, 2014
- ROOT DIVISION. *The Tools*. San Francisco, January, 2014
- MILLS COLLEGE ART MUSEUM. *MFA Show - Compound Vision*. Oakland, May, 2013
- ARC STUDIOS & GALLERY. *Futures*. San Francisco, February, 2013
- INCLINE GALLERY. *Ascent*. San Francisco, December, 2012
- PAXTON GATE'S CURIOSITIES FOR KIDS. San Francisco, August, 2012 \*
- INCLUSIONS GALLERY. *Locals*. San Francisco, September, 2011
- THE BONE ROOM. Berkeley, August, 2010\*
- THE FORTHRITE GALLERY. Oakland, February, 2010\*
- CORNELL LAB OF ORNITHOLOGY. Ithaca, NY, May, 2005\*
- SANTA CRUZ NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM. *Illustrating Nature*. Santa Cruz, June, 2003

\* solo or two-person shows

## Science Illustration and Graphic Design

- Freelance Illustrator and Designer, 2003 – present  
*Commissions of animal illustrations for individuals and institutions.*
- Contracted Illustrator, CALIFORNIA ACADEMY OF SCIENCE. San Francisco, 2009 – 2010  
*Illustrated and designed family science guide, coral reef identification guide, brochures.*
- Graphic Designer, STUDIO NAGA. Oakland, 2006 – 2012  
*Designed website and promotional materials including postcards, brochures and posters.*
- Field Journal Manager, HEADLANDS INSTITUTE. Sausalito, 2005  
*Designed, illustrated and edited inquiry-based nature journals for thousands of students.*
- Graphic Designer and Illustrator, CORNELL LAB OF ORNITHOLOGY. Ithaca, NY, 2004 – 2005  
*Managed production of print and internet media under chief designer.  
Created bird illustrations for guides, textbooks, newsletters and web reference.*

## Publications

- Wells, Jeffrey V. and Wells, Allison Childs. *Maine's Favorite Birds*. Illus. Evan Barbour. Gardiner, ME: Tilbury House Publishers, 2012
- Du Pont, John E. *South Pacific Birds*. Illus. Evan Barbour and George Sandstrom. Ottawa, IL: Jameson Books Inc., 2010
- Chu, Miyoko. *Songbird Journeys*. Illus. Evan Barbour. New York, NY: Walker & Co, 2007
- Wells, Jeffrey V. and Wells, Allison Childs. *The Birds of Sapsucker Woods*. Illus. Evan Barbour. Ithaca, NY: Cornell Lab of Ornithology, 2005

## Websites and Blog

- [evanbarbour.com](http://evanbarbour.com)
- [weegargantua.com](http://weegargantua.com)