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## **Education**

B.A., Art, with emphasis in Photography, Montana State University-Billings, May 2005.

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## **Grants/Awards**

Most Original Interpretation of Theme, Icons of the West, Missoula, MT, 2012  
Best of Show, Rock Creek Wild Juried Art Show, Sheridan WY, 2008  
1st Place "Figurative", Deerfield Gallery Christmas Juried Show, Buffalo WY, 2005  
Anita Kruger Award, Outstanding Senior Art Student, MSU-Billings, 2005  
Art Fee Waiver, MSU-B, Billings, 2004.  
Beardsly Scholarship, MSU-B, Billings 2004.  
Outstanding Member of a Student Organization, ASMSUB, Billings, 2004.  
Honorable Mention Student Independent Show, MSU-Billings, 2004.  
Second Place, The Rook Art Contest, Billings, 2004.

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## **Exhibitions**

Honoring Women's Rights: Visual Voices Together, National Steinbeck Center Museum, Salinas, CA, 2012  
"BOUND" Women's Caucus, Catalogue Acceptance, Phoenix Gallery, New York, NY, 2012  
Dana Gallery, Icons of the West, Missoula, MT, 2012  
Missoula Art Museum, Benefit Art Auction, Missoula, MT, 2012  
Yellowstone Art Museum Annual Art Auction, Billings, Montana, 2011, 2012, 2013  
A.I.R. Gallery, Wish You Were Here 10, Brooklyn, New York, 2011, 2012  
Hotel Hadley Studios, 'Energy', Siler City, North Carolina, 2011  
Magnet Open Art Project, WCA-NH, Concord, NH, 2011.  
Toucan Gallery, two person show, Billings, Montana 2010.  
Ava Center, one person show, Gillette, Wyoming, 2009.  
Selected Participating Artist, Landfill Art Project, Pennsylvania, 2009.  
Rock Creek Wild Art Show, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011.  
One person show, Deerfield Gallery, Buffalo, 2007, 2008.  
Junky to Funky, Deerfield Gallery, Buffalo 2008.  
Powder River Western Art Show, Deke Latham Memorial Rodeo, Kaycee Wy, 2008.  
NABO Basque Festival Painted Sheep, Outdoor exhibit, Buffalo, 2006, 2011.  
Art Students League, Ahead of our Time, Billings, 2005.  
Pre-Show ASL Auction, Eleven Café, 2005.  
Student Independent Show, MSU-B, Billings, 2005.  
Postcard Show, Toucan Gallery, 2005, 2008, 2010.  
Annual Christmas Show, Deerfield Gallery, Buffalo, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008.  
Big Horn Magic, Outdoor exhibit. Billings, 2005.  
One Person Show, Hearth Bakery, Billings, 2005.  
Winter Preview, Jailhouse Gallery, Hardin, 2004.  
Dead School Show, Art Space, Billings, 2004.  
Art Walk, Depot Gallery, Billings, 2004.  
Pre-Show ASL Auction, Eleven Café, 2004.  
Art Student League, Deaconess Hospital, Billings, 2004.  
Student Independent Show, MSU-B, Billings, 2004.  
Garrison Show, Mayflower Church, Billings, 2004.

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Salon, Artspace, Billings, 2004.  
Student Independent Show, MSU-B, Billings, 2003.  
End of the Semester Show, MSU-B, Billings, 2003.  
Post Card Show, Toucan Gallery, Billings, 2003, 2012  
Post Card Show, Dana Gallery, Missoula, 2003.

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**Professional Experience**

Dark Room Proctor, MSU-B, Billings 2003-2004.  
Teachers Assistant, MSU-B Photography, Billings, 2004.  
Secretary, Art Students League, MSU-B, Billings, 2003-2004.  
Volunteer, Yellowstone Art Museum, Billings, 2003-2004.  
Member, Cody Country Art League, Cody, 2006-2007.  
Donating artist, Big Horn Equestrian Center annual fundraiser, Big Horn, 2007, 2008, 2010.  
Donating artist, National Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation annual fundraiser, Missoula, 2008.  
Donating artist, Art For a Cure, Cheyenne, Wyoming, 2009.

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**Publications**

Cover Image, R-Calf U.S.A., Billings, 2003 Fall ed, 2003 Winter es.  
Cover Image, Montana Angus News, Billings, 2003 Spring ed.  
Cover Image, "In Her Box", The Rook, Billings, 2004.  
Featured Article, Wyoming Elements Magazine, 2011.  
'What Do You Do? When a Bully is After You', author/illustrator, published by Vinspire Publishing, 2011.

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**Gallery Representation**

Hitching Post Gallery, Buffalo, Wyoming.  
Toucan Gallery, Billings, Montana.