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## EDUCATION

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- 2005 - 2008 Southern Illinois University at Carbondale Carbondale, IL  
*Masters of Fine Arts in Glass*
- 1994 -1998 Columbus College of Art and Design Columbus, OH  
*Bachelors of Fine Arts in Glass & Painting*

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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- 2008 – Present Nomadic Arts Bowling Green, OH  
*Co-Owner & Operator*
- Glass product designer, production manager.
  - Portable glass studio operation, maintenance, and demonstrator.
  - Web designer, [www.nomadicglass.com](http://www.nomadicglass.com).
- 2007 - 2008 Quigley Multimedia Technology Lab, Southern Illinois University at Carbondale Carbondale, IL  
*Lab Assistant*
- Maintain Mac lab with thirty work stations, active network, and multiple printers and plotters.
  - Software/hardware support for students.
- 2007 University Museum, Southern Illinois University at Carbondale Carbondale, IL  
*Wood Shop Assistant*
- Responsible for the construction of pedestals and a front desk for the museum.
- 2005 - 2007 Glass Department, Southern Illinois University at Carbondale Carbondale, IL  
*Studio Technician, Glass Studios*
- Glass equipment building, repair, and maintenance, including hot, cold and casting areas.
  - Overseeing glass melting process for quality assurance.
  - Responsible for ordering supplies and materials.
- 2004 Gold Dust Re-cycled Glass Block Project, Commissioned by Home W.O.R.D. Missoula, MT
- Creation of two hundred cast glass blocks for a public work of art.
- 2003 - 2005 Missoula School of Hot Glass Missoula, MT  
*Co-Owner, Operator, Instructor*
- Glass product designer and production manager of glass for retail and wholesale markets.
  - Glass flameworking instructor.
  - Glass equipment building, repair, and maintenance.
  - Other duties included marketing, advertising, web design, and accounting.
- 2000 - 2003 Cloud Cap Glass Florence, MT  
*Co-Owner, Operator, Instructor*
- Glass product designer and production manager of glass for retail and wholesale markets.
  - Glass blowing/sculpting instructor.
  - Glass equipment building, repair, and maintenance.
  - Other duties included marketing, advertising, and accounting.

1999	Cedar Point Amusement Park <i>Glassblowing Demonstrator/Assistant Shop Technician</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Responsible for providing informative and entertaining glass blowing demonstrations to park goers.</li> <li>General studio maintenance and repair.</li> </ul>	Sandusky, OH
1997 - 1998	Daniel Schreiber, Professional Glass Artist <i>Studio Assistant</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Assisted with the production of glass for retail and wholesale markets.</li> </ul>	Columbus, OH
1997	Joshua Cohen, Professional Glass Artist <i>Studio Assistant</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Assisted with the production of glass for retail and wholesale markets.</li> </ul>	Columbus, OH
1996	Curtis Benzle, Professional Porcelain Artist <i>Studio Assistant</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Assisted with the production of porcelain wares for retail and wholesale markets.</li> </ul>	Hilliard, OH

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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2008	Glass Axis <i>Flameworking Instructor</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Creating and conducting lessons and demos for classes of up to six students studying beginning and advanced glass lampworking.</li> </ul>	Columbus, OH
2008	Southern Illinois University at Carbondale <i>Teaching Assistant, Fusing and Slumping</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Assisted faculty in carrying out lesson plans.</li> <li>Prepared and delivered mold making demonstrations.</li> <li>Aided students during work time.</li> </ul>	Carbondale, IL
2008	Southern Illinois University at Carbondale <i>Teaching Assistant for Eddie Bernard, Gloryhole Building Workshop</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Assistant manager of a class of undergraduate students during the construction of two gloryholes.</li> </ul>	Carbondale, IL
2007 - 2008	Southern Illinois University at Carbondale <i>Instructor of Record, Intro to Computer Graphics</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conducted an intro level course for undergraduate students in digital art, focusing on: Photoshop, Illustrator, In Design, Flash and Dreamweaver.</li> <li>Responsible for preparing syllabi, lectures, demonstrations, conducting critiques and grading student work for a class of thirty.</li> </ul>	Carbondale, IL
2007	Southern Illinois University at Carbondale <i>Teaching Assistant, Furnace Building</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Responsible for preparing and delivering a slide lectures on glass furnace design, refractory materials, and combustion.</li> <li>Primary manager of a class of undergraduate students during the construction of an invested pot glass furnace.</li> </ul>	Carbondale, IL
2006 - 2007	Southern Illinois University at Carbondale <i>Instructor of Record, Glass Survey</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conducted an intro level course for undergraduate students in glass working techniques including: fusing, cutting, laminating, grinding, polishing, kiln casting and sandblasting.</li> <li>Responsible for preparing syllabi, lectures, demonstrations, conducting critiques and grading student work for a class of twenty.</li> </ul>	Carbondale, IL

2006	Southern Illinois University at Carbondale <i>Teaching Assistant, Kiln Building Workshop</i>	Carbondale, IL
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Assisted in managing a class of undergraduate students during the construction of five casting and four annealing kilns.</li> <li>• Collaborated on the design of the kilns.</li> </ul>	
2006	Southern Illinois University at Carbondale <i>Teaching Assistant for David Levi, International Pre-Conference Workshop</i>	Carbondale, IL
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Glassblowing assistant during demonstrations.</li> <li>• Aided students during work time.</li> </ul>	
2006	Southern Illinois University at Carbondale <i>Teaching Assistant for Mark Gibeau, Furnace Building Workshop</i>	Carbondale, IL
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Assistant manager of a class of undergraduate students during the construction of an invested pot glass furnace.</li> </ul>	
2005 - 2006	Southern Illinois University at Carbondale <i>Teaching Assistant (Demonstrator), Advanced Glass</i>	Carbondale, IL
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Responsible for preparing and delivering weekly demonstrations of various glassblowing and color applications techniques to the advanced undergraduate class.</li> </ul>	
2003 - 2005	Missoula School of Hot Glass <i>Instructor</i>	Missoula, MT
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Creating and conducting lessons and demos for classes of six students studying beginning and advanced glass flameworking.</li> </ul>	
2000 - 2003	Cloud Cap Glass <i>Instructor</i>	Florence, MT
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Creating and conducting lessons and demos for classes of six students studying beginning and advanced glassblowing and sculpting.</li> </ul>	

## EXHIBITIONS *(solo shows marked by \*)*

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2009	*Collective Unconscious, Third Degree Glass Factory	St. Louis, MO
	How is this Glass?, co-curators: Yuka Otani, Anjali Srinivasan	Corning, NY
	*Where the Wild Things Are, Componere	St. Louis, MO
	64th Annual May Show, Mansfield Art Center	Mansfield, OH
	2009 Hocking College Glass Invitational, Hocking College Art Gallery	Nelsonville, OH
	Friends of Firenation, Danforth Gallery	Toledo, OH
	* <i>Inner Spaces</i> , Chop Chop Gallery	Columbus, OH
2008	<i>Hot Glass Toledo 2008</i> , Edison Building Atrium	Toledo, OH
	* <i>Several Species of Small Furry Animals</i> , Glass Axis	Columbus, OH
	<i>Glassaholics Anonymous</i> , Third Degree Glass Factory	St. Louis, MO
	* <i>Robin Rogers: Recent Work</i> , Third Degree Glass Factory	St. Louis, MO

	<i>*Experiential Relativity</i> , MFA thesis, Surplus Gallery at the Glove Factory	Carbondale, IL
	<i>New Works from SGW</i> , Componere	St. Louis, MO
2007	<i>Art Over Easy III</i> , Surplus Gallery at the Glove Factory	Carbondale, IL
	<i>M.F.A. Preview Show</i> , University Museum, Southern Illinois University	Carbondale, IL
	<i>Some Assembly Required</i> , Schumacher Gallery, Capital University	Columbus, OH
	<i>* In My Experience</i> , Vergette Gallery, Southern Illinois University	Carbondale, IL
	<i>Purchase Awards Exhibition</i> , Southern Illinois University	Carbondale, IL
	<i>Title Withheld</i> , Surplus Gallery	Carbondale, IL
	<i>Process, Performance, Projection 5</i> , Surplus Gallery	Carbondale, IL
	<i>C4 Juried Exhibition</i> , Surplus Gallery	Carbondale, IL
	<i>Silica: Do Not Eat</i> , Surplus Gallery	Carbondale, IL
2006	<i>Art Over Easy II</i> , Surplus Gallery at the Glove Factory	Carbondale, IL
	<i>Springboard: Emerging Glass Artists</i> , Schumacher Gallery, Capital University	Columbus, OH
	<i>4 at 3</i> , Three Sinks Gallery	St. Louis, MO
	<i>Process, Performance, Projection 4</i> , Surplus Gallery	Carbondale, IL
	<i>Purchase Awards Exhibition</i> , Southern Illinois University	Carbondale, IL
	<i>New Works from SGW</i> , Componere	St. Louis, MO
	<i>New Kids on the Block: First Year Graduate Show</i> , Surplus Gallery	Carbondale, IL
2004	<i>Our Work, Our Life: Robin and Julia</i> , Art Missoula	Missoula, MT
	<i>Reflections</i> , Danforth Gallery	Livingston, MT
2003	<i>Robin Rogers, Julia Boriss</i> , 1888 Gallery	Stevensville, MT
	<i>Cloud Cap Glass Show</i> , Art Missoula	Missoula, MT
1998	<i>* Mandala</i> , BFA Thesis, Columbus College of Art Design	Columbus, OH

## VISITING ARTIST APPEARANCES

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2009	Firenation Glass Studio, Open House <i>Demo: Flameworking</i>	Holland, OH
	Toledo Museum of Art, Glass Pavilion <i>Demo: Glass Sculpting</i>	Toledo, OH
2008	Firenation Glass Studio, Open House <i>Demo: Glass Sculpting</i>	Holland, OH

	Glass Axis <i>Demo: Glass Sculpting</i>	Columbus, OH
	Black Swamp Arts Fest, Nomadic Arts' mobile glass studio <i>Demo: Glass Blowing/Sculpting</i>	Belleville, IL
	Belleville Art Fair, Southern Illinois University's mobile studio (Aunt Gladys II) <i>Demo: Glass Blowing/Sculpting</i>	Belleville, IL
	Third Friday Opening, Third Degree Glass Factory <i>Demo: Glass Sculpting</i>	St. Louis, MO
2006	Artique Gallery, Missoula School of Hot Glass' mobile studio <i>Demo: Glass Blowing/Sculpting</i>	Lexington, KY
	Belleville Art Fair, Southern Illinois University's mobile studio (Aunt Gladys II) <i>Demo: Glass Blowing/Sculpting</i>	Belleville, IL
2005	Artique Gallery, Missoula School of Hot Glass' mobile studio <i>Demo: Glass Blowing/Sculpting</i>	Lexington, KY
	St. Louis Art Fair, Southern Illinois University's mobile studio (Aunt Gladys II) <i>Demo: Glass Blowing/Sculpting</i>	Clayton, MO
2004	Glass Blow Out, Art Missoula, <i>Missoula School of Hot Glass'</i> mobile studio <i>Demo: Glass Blowing/Sculpting</i>	Missoula, MT
2003	Bellevue Art Museum Festival <i>Demo: Lampworking</i>	Bellevue, WA
1998	Heisey Glass Museum <i>Demo: Glass Blowing/Sculpting</i>	Newark, OH

## AWARDS, SCHOLARSHIPS, AND PUBLICATIONS

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2009	New Glass Review, #30, published by the Corning Museum of Glass	Corning, NY
2009	Penland School of Craft <i>Work/Study Scholarship</i>	Penland, NC
2007	C4 Juried Exhibition, Southern Illinois University at Carbondale <i>3<sup>d</sup> Place Prize for outstanding work</i> , awarded by Juror: Mel Watkin, director of the Photography Project, University of Missouri, St. Louis, MO.	Carbondale, IL
2005 - 2008	Southern Illinois University at Carbondale <i>Graduate Assistantship Recipient</i> (tuition waiver, stipend, benefits)	Carbondale, IL
2006	Pittsburgh Glass Center <i>Student Scholarship</i>	Pittsburgh, PA
1999	Pilchuck Glass School <i>Candidate for Corning Scholarship Award</i>	Stanwood, WA

1994 - 1998 Columbus College of Art and Design Columbus, OH  
*Tuition Scholarship*

## WORKSHOPS

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2009 Haystack Mountain School Deer Isle, ME  
*Glass Sculpting*, with Pino Signoretto

Penland School of Craft Penland, NC  
*Flameworking*, with Sally Prasch

2006 Pittsburgh Glass Center Pittsburgh, PA  
*Glass Sculpting*, with Scott Darlington

1999 Pilchuck Glass School Stanwood, WA  
*Glass Sculpting*, with Ferdinand Theriot

Glass Axis Columbus, OH  
*Glass Sculpting*, with Ferdinand Theriot

## LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE

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2007 - 2008 Southern Glass Works, RSO, Southern Illinois University at Carbondale Carbondale, IL  
*President*

2006 - 2007 Southern Glass Works, RSO, Southern Illinois University at Carbondale Carbondale, IL  
*Treasurer*

2005 - 2006 Southern Illinois University at Carbondale Carbondale, IL  
*BFA Thesis Committee Member*

2001 - 2003 *Glass Instructor* for At-risk Teens, Missoula Flagship Program Missoula, MT

2001 - 2003 *Mentor* to High School Seniors, for final Senior Projects Missoula, MT

## PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

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College Art Association

Glass Art Society