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*education* 2003–2006 **UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA** Gainesville, FL  
College of Fine Arts, School of Art and Art History  
Master of Fine Arts: Concentration in Painting and Drawing

1999–2003 **EAST CAROLINA UNIVERSITY** Greenville, NC  
College of Fine Arts, School of Art and Design  
Bachelor of Fine Arts: Concentration in Painting and Drawing

*selected solo exhibitions* 2006 **a real real worrier warrior** Lump Gallery, Raleigh, NC  
**MFA Exhibition I: NINCOMPOOP** The University Gallery, Gainesville, FL  
2004 **shush!!!! ArtSpace: Gallery 2** Selected "Emerging Artist," Raleigh, NC

*selected group exhibitions* 2007 **HOME/AWAY** Space Gallery, Pittsburgh, PA  
2006 **NINCOMPOOP & DWARFBABY** The Dead End Gallery, Brooklyn, NY  
**The Baltimore Book Festival** Baltimore, MD  
2005 **33rd Annual Toys Designed by Artists** Arkansas Arts Center Little Rock, AR  
**Semasiological Zoo** Carrera Gallery, St. Augustine, FL  
**College Art Association Regional MFA Exhibition** Lowe Gallery, Atlanta, GA  
**The Real Florida** Focus Gallery, Gainesville, FL  
2004 **Gaspirilla Festival** Selected "Emerging Artist" Tampa, FL  
2003 **Etching & Woodcut Print Show** Whichard Productions, Washington, NC

*scholarships + awards* 2007 **Women's Studio Workshop** Fellowship and Residency, Rosendale, NY  
2004 **Emerging Artist Award** ArtSpace: Gallery 2 Exhibition, Raleigh, NC  
**Emerging Artist Award** Gaspirilla Festival, Tampa, FL  
2003 **National Dean's List** East Carolina University, School of Art, Greenville, NC  
**Outstanding Senior** Student Government Association, East Carolina University, School of Art, Greenville, NC  
2002 **Tran and Marilyn Gordley Scholarship** East Carolina University, School of Art, Greenville, NC  
2001 **Ed Reep Painting Scholarship** East Carolina University, School of Art, Greenville, NC

*press* 2006 **Juxtapoz Art and Culture Magazine** Featured artist and write up on show at Lump Gallery  
**Get Underground** Featured Visual Artist for December, www.getunderground.com  
**Titanium and Plastic** Featured Visual Artist Issue Two, Gainesville, FL  
2004 **Art Notes** The Independent weekly: arts and entertainment (August 25), Birgit Schuette, Raleigh, NC  
**MOSAIC** an online arts zine/women's collaborative, featured artist for August issue  
**ArtSpace in Raleigh, NC** Carolina Arts (August), North Charleston, SC

*professional experience* 2006 **Exit Art** Intern, New York, NY  
2005–2006 **Graduate Coordinator** Student Arts Juried Exhibition  
University Gallery, University of Florida, College of Fine Arts, School of Art and Art History, Gainesville, FL.  
2004 **Graduate Teaching Assistantship** Painting and Drawing, Perceptual Drawing  
University of Florida, College of Fine Arts, School of Art and Art History, Gainesville, FL.

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