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OBJECTIVE

Inspired, global minded, artist-teacher, seeking to broaden the minds of young people in today's communities.

Education

Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore, MD

Master of Arts in Teaching, Art Education, Magna Cum Laude

May 2011

Bachelor of Fine Arts, General Fine Arts, Cum Laude

May 2010

Universidad Politécnica de Valencia, Valencia, Spain

Semester Abroad

Fall 2008

National Gallery of Art, Washington D.C.

High School Seminar

2004-2005

Experiences

TEACHING

Painting with a Twist, 2821 S MacDill Ave, Tampa, FL

Art Instructor/Assistant, collaborate to make painting fun and enjoyable for novices.

May '14 – Present

Hillsborough County Public Schools, Tampa, FL

Art Specialist, Full time, Oak Park Elementary School, grades K-5

Oct '13 – Present

Substitute Teacher, Temporary Certified Teacher - Art (Grades K-12)

Sept '13 – Oct '13

JET Program, Daisen City Board of Education, Akita, Japan

Aug '11 – Aug '13

Team-taught English to grades K-9, at 2 Junior High Schools, 4 Elementary Schools, and 3 Kindergartens.

Parkville Middle School and Center for Technology, Baltimore, MD

Mar '11 – May '11

Last student teaching placement, designed and taught three units for 6th- 8th grade, with differentiation for both Art Elective and Art Magnet students, accommodated inclusive settings for IEPs and a blind student.

Skills

LANGUAGES

- Spanish, English: bilingual proficiency, and Japanese: elementary proficiency

FINE ART

- Depth of study in fibers: machine sewing, quilting, and screen-printing.
- Breadth of study in: Drawing, Painting, Ceramics, Photography, and Printmaking.

TECHNOLOGY

- Proficient with Mac and PC platforms, SMART board, Elmo projectors, & Camera and Video equipment.
iMovie, Adobe Photoshop, Microsoft: Office, Power Point, Excel, & Publisher

REFERENCES

Marlou Bates, Principal, Oak Park Elementary School (813) 740-7733 marlou.bates@sdhc.k12.fl.us

Dr. Shyla Jacksonrao, Director of MAT, Maryland Institute College of Art (410) 370-5242 srao@mica.edu

Kathryn Knight, Art Dept. Chair, Parkville Middle Center for Technology (410) 435-6514 kknight@bcps.org