

Education

- 2006 M.F.A. Art, California State University, Long Beach
2001 B.F.A. Art, California State University, Long Beach
Area of specialization: Illustration

Solo Exhibitions

- 2022 *Field Notes* Kirks Grocery, Billings, MT
2017 *Drawn In*, Visible Vault, Yellowstone Art Museum, Billings, Montana
2006 *Drawings*, Gatov Gallery East, Long Beach, California
MFA Thesis Exhibition
2003 *Released*, Merlino Gallery, Long Beach, California

Selected Group and Juried Exhibitions

- 2022 *Bakers Dozen*, MIXX Collective, 4ZERO7 Gallery, Billings, Montana
2017-18 Consignment Gallery, Yellowstone Art Museum, Billings, Montana
2017-18 Stillwater Society, Carbon County Arts Guild & Depot, Red Lodge, MT
2017 *Art Auction 49*, Yellowstone Art Museum, Billings, Montana (*juried)
2016 *Changing Moment*, Radius Gallery, Missoula, Montana (*juried)
2016-18 Faculty Show, Ryniker-Morrison Gallery, Rocky Mountain College, Montana
2016 Stillwater Society, Ryniker-Morrison Gallery, Rocky Mountain College, MT
2015 *Art Auction 48*, Yellowstone Art Museum, Billings, Montana (*juried)
2013 *Kuennen Presents Buffalo Art Press*, Ryniker-Morrison Gallery, Montana
2013 *Printmaking*, Phoenix Gallery, Butte, Montana
2007 *Annual Juried Exhibition*, University Art Museum, Long Beach California
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Professional Activities

- 2018 Quick Draw, Art Auction 50, Yellowstone Art Museum, Billings, MT
2017 Artist Talk and Demonstration, Painting I, Montana State University, Billings
2016-17 Artist Talk and Workshop, Yellowstone Art Museum, Billings Montana
2011 Hybrid Printmaking Workshop, Yellowstone Art Museum, Billings Montana
2008-14 Freelance Illustration/ Design
Select clients: Spin Magazine, Hollywood Park Casino, Visionary Artware
2003-18 Owner/Operator, Inlawn Maintenance, Billings, Montana
2001-02 Advertising Assistant, Spin Magazine, Miller Publishing Group, California

Professional Experience

- 2021 - Present **Interim Director**, Northcutt Steele Gallery, Montana State University Billings
Manage and execute a schedule of exhibits and related programming, administer all gallery activities including funding.
- 2021 - Present **Adjunct Professor**, Montana State University Billings
Courses taught include:
Printmaking 1: A survey of printmaking practices covering intaglio, collagraph, drypoint, linoleum block, lithography, and monotype
Painting 1: Covers basic painting techniques in oil and builds to conceptual content in projects
Visual Language Drawing: Foundation drawing skills and practices
- 2015-19 **Adjunct Professor**, Rocky Mountain College
Courses taught include:
Drawing 1: Foundation drawing skills and practices
Painting 1: Covers basic painting techniques in acrylic or watercolor and builds to conceptual content in projects
Painting 3: Conceptual project-based course that utilizes various media exploration and portfolio development
- 2008-16 **Owner/ Operator**, Buffalo Art Press, Billings, Montana
Fine art studio specializing in printmaking and a Billings Art Class affiliate. Taught classes in drawing and printmaking, coordinated workshops with guest artists, administer all marketing/outreach and financial
- 2006 **Teaching Assistant**, California State University, Long Beach
Illustration 1, Illustration 2
- 2002-04 **Lecturer**, Orange County Museum of Art, Newport Beach, California
- 2002-04 **Teaching Aid**, Millikan High School, Art Department, California

Special Projects

- 2016-17 Artist in Residence, Visible Vault, Yellowstone Art Museum, Billings
- 2009 Mural Design, Miller Children's Hospital, Long Beach Memorial Hospital, CA

Awards and Honors

- 2018 Artist of the Year, President's Award, Yellowstone Art Museum, Billings, MT
- 2016 Jury Favorite, Radius Gallery, Missoula, Montana
- 2014-16 Selected Member, Society of Animal Artist
- 2007 Bronze Medal, Annual Illustration Showcase, Three by Three Magazine

2006 John Lincoln Life Drawing Scholarship, California State University, Long Beach

Public Collections

2014 Downtown Billings Association, Traffic Signal Box Project, Billings, Montana

2014 Riverstone Health Foundation, Chalk Mural, Billings, Montana

2006 Art Department, California State University, Long Beach

Publications and Press

2016 Webb, Jaci, *Sharing Observational Spirit, Visible Vault's New Resident Earles Welcomes Curious Minds*, Billings Gazette, Enjoy, Nov. 25, 2016

2014 Healy, Donna, *Steve Kuennen and Robin Earles Unassuming Genius*, Magic Magazine, February Issue, p20-21

2013 White, Jane, *Rocky Hosts Record-Breaking Show*, The Outpost, Volume 16, Issue 49

2007 Three by Three Illustration Annual, No3, p13