

FDUCATION

2012 MFA Visual Studies (Studio Art), University at Buffalo, SUNY, Buffalo, NY **2009** BA Liberal Arts, St. John's College, Santa Fe, NM

GRANTS & AWARDS

- 2020 National Endowment for the Arts Artworks Grant With the Burchfield Penney
- 2019 NYSCA REDC Grant for Exhibition with the Burchfield Penney Art Center Artist of the Year Finalist, Art Services Initiative
- 2018 NYSCA/NYFA Artist Fellowship in Fiction
 Betsy Brown Award for Excellence in Teaching (Humanities Faculty)
- 2012 GSEU Professional Development to Support MFA Thesis show
- 2009 Teaching Assistantship, stipend and full tuition waiver, University at Buffalo (2009-2012)

SFLECTED ARTIST RESIDENCIES

- 2021 Fellowship, Women's International Study Center, Santa Fe, NM
- 2019 Art-in-Education Residency (Etching), Women's Studio Workshop, Kingston, NY
- 2016 Artist Residency and Fellowship, Byrdcliffe Arts Colony, Woodstock, NY
- 2015 Artist Fellow, I-Park, East Haddam, CT
- 2012 Intaglio Residency, Frans Masereel Centrum, Kasterlee, Belgium

PARTIAL CLIENT LIST

The New Yorker, Abrams Books, Gucci, BBDO, The Nib, The Intercept Brasil, The Lily, Kappan Magazine, The Public, The Chicago Reader, St. John's College, Buffalo Bike Tours

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS (solo shows denoted with *)

- 2021 Tag: A Poeta Project, group show, The Burchfield Penney Art Center, Buffalo, NY
- 2020 *Women's Work: Suffrage Movements 1848-1965, The Burchfield Penney Art Center, Buffalo, NY
- 2019 *The Postal Constituent: A Ten Year Study, Western New York Book Arts Center, Buffalo, NY
- 2018 *Myths and Maxims, solo show, Argus Gallery, Buffalo, NY Fast, Cheap, Easy: The Copy Art Revolution curated by Robert Hirsch, CEPA Gallery, Buffalo, NY Anthropocene, group show, Ann Street Gallery, Newburgh, NY Shhh, group show curated by Peter Kursel, Art and Literature Laboratory, Madison, WI No Soil Better: Art and the Living Legacy of Frederick Douglas, Rochester Contemporary, NY
- **2017** *Graphic Nature: Comic Art of Western New York*, group show, Sugar City, Buffalo, NY *Fresh AiR*, group show, Kleinert/ James Center for the Arts, Woodstock, NY
- 2016 Artists United, juried show, Charles Krause/ Reporting Fine Art, Washington, DC Amid/ In Western New York, group show, Hallwalls Contemporary Art Center, Buffalo, NY

- *Rathbun Builds Buffalo, solo show, The Fargo House, Buffalo, NY Re:Res, group show, University at Buffalo Art Gallery, Buffalo, NY *Rathbun Builds Buffalo, solo show, Buffalo Place Storefront, Buffalo, NY
- 2014 Cultural Commodities, Phase 1: Prototyping Barge, Burchfield Penney Art Center, Buffalo, NY Something In Me Has to Die, Collaboration with Marc Tomko, Squeaky Wheel, Buffalo, NY Mirrored: Artists' Self Portraits from the Gerald Mead Collection, Daemen College, Amherst NY *The Museum of Failure, solo show, Hartnett Gallery, Rochester, NY
- 2013 The Museum of Failure: In the Subway, part of a subway-wide show, Buffalo, NY *Towers, solo show, Olean Public Library sponsored by NYSCA, Olean, NY This is Not a Museum: Portable and Lurking, Corcoran College of Art, Washington, DC Art-of-Fact, traveling exhibit, Niagara Falls History Museum, Niagara Falls, Canada
- 2012 Fresh Impressions, juried printmaking show, Projects Gallery, Philadelphia, PA
 *The Museum of Failure, solo show, MFA exhibition, Karpeles Manuscript Museum, Buffalo, NY
- 2011 Underground, juried show focusing on zines and comics, Woman Made Gallery, Chicago, IL Seriously Funny, juried show, Woman Made Gallery, Chicago, IL An Alphabet of Reasoned Failure. Toronto Subway monitors, Art For Commuters, Toronto Emergency Index 2011, Launch party and performance showcase, The Kitchen, New York, NY Beijing Buffalo Translation, group show, Print Center at the Today Art Museum, Beijing, China
- **2010** Pages: Book as Medium, Catalyst and Venue, group show, Paragraph Gallery, Kansas City, MO Attn: Art Goers, group show, Artspace Buffalo, Buffalo, NY

SFLECTED PUBLICATIONS

ONGOING The Great Moments in Western Civilization Postal Constituent. Self-published comics. Monthly from 2009-2012, Bi-Monthly from 2013-present.

- **2020** *Women's Work: Suffrage Movements 1848-1965*, graphic novel/ exhibition catalog, Burchfield Penney Art Center, 2020
 - "On watching moths fly into a campfire..." The Lily, 11/1/2020
 - "What bother's me the most..." cartoon, The New Yorker, 9/14/2020
 - "Some Causes of Pandemic Related Video Conflict" Comic, The New Yorker, 4/28/2020
- 2019 "I can't give up now." cartoon, The New Yorker. 12/9/2019
 - "What I Learned When Revisiting a History Textbook" Comic, The Lily, 10/2/2019
 - "Sleep" Cartoon. The New Yorker 9/23/2019
 - "Surprise Bogs." Comic, Drawing Power, Abrams Books, 9/2019
 - "Social Strategies for Art Openings." Comic, The New Yorker, 5/1/2019
 - "Just let me finish this drink..." Cartoon. The New Yorker, 4/29/2019
 - "You said you'd be home by half a candle." Cartoon. The New Yorker. 2/18/2019
 - "Buffalo Snow Day." Cover Illustration. The Public 1/31/19
- 2018 "Leaving the hall of stuff we paid too much For..." Cartoon. *The New Yorker.* 8/27/2018 "The Tear" Cover Illustration. *The Public.*
 - "Capitalismo e cristianismo: uma combinação 'Made in America'" The Intercept Brasil 12/25/2018
- **2017** "There's a Consensus on Climate Change." Explainer Comic, *The Nib*, 11/6/2017 "Capitalism and Christianity: A Match Made in America", Explainer Comic. *The Nib*, 5/31/17

- 2016 "Effie Stevens", Series of 5 centerfold comics. The Public. 4/16 to 5/16
- "Rathbun Feeds His Monster". Centerfold Comic. The Public. 2/4/15
 "Rathbun Keeps Building." Centerfold Comic. The Public. 5/6/15
 "Rathbun's Ruins." Centerfold Comic. The Public. 6/17/15
- 2014 "Chicago's Illustrious Beginning." Full-page Comic. *The Chicago Reader*, Vol 43 No 23, 2/27/14 "The Rise and Fall of Benjamin Rathbun." Centerfold Comic. *The Public*. 1/11/14 "Rathbun Takes Niagara Falls". Centerfold Comic. *The Public*. 12/214
- **2013** The G.M.I.W.C.C. In The Beginning: Comics from the First Five Years, collected mini-comics, self-published, 2013.
- 2012 "Build Your Own History". Full Page Comic, Artvoice. 3/15/2012
 "Tabula Emphaticus or The Artist finds an Excuse to Talk to People She Normally Would Not Talk To About Things..." Emergency Index. Ugly Duckling Press, 2012.

SELECTED TEACHING

2021-Present Assistant Professor of Studio Art, Illustration and Time Based Media, University of Nebraska Omaha, Omaha, NE

2013-2021 Art Faculty, Buffalo Seminary, Buffalo, NY

2020-2021 Teaching Artist at Just Buffalo Literary Center, Buffalo, NY

2020 Virtual Workshop Instructor, Mount Holyoke, South Hadley, MA

2019 Intaglio Workshop Instructor at Women's Studio Workshop, Kingston, NY

2018 Comic Workshop Visiting Artist, Rochester Institute of Technology, Rochester, NY

2013 Workshop instructor, Burchfield Penney Art Center, Buffalo, NY

2012 Animation and Computer Art Teacher, NYSSSA, Oswego, NY

2009-2012 Instructor of Record (Screen-print and Drawing) SUNY Buffalo

2009-2012 T.A. for Visual Studies Speaker Series and Intro to Visual Studies, SUNY Buffalo

2007-2009 Lab Assistant in History of Science courses, St. John's College, Santa Fe, NM

SFLECTED PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES/ SERVICE

New York Foundation for the Arts City Corps Grants Panelist

2016-2021 Drawing Rally Artist, Hallwalls Contemporary Art Center

2013-2021 Colby Visiting Artist Selection Panelist and Facilitator

New York Foundation for the Arts Fellowship Selection Panelist (Nonfiction Literature)

COLLECTIONS/ ARCHIVES

Burchfield Penney Art Center, Buffalo, NY Columbia University, Butler Library,, New York, NY Women's Studio Workshop, Kingston, NY

The University of Chicago Library Chicago

The University of Chicago Library, Chicago, IL

The Buffalo Seminary, Buffalo, NY

Colorado College Tutt Library, Colorado Springs, CO

Buffalo and Erie County Public Library, Buffalo, NY

The Library of Congress, Small Press Expo Collection, Washington, DC

Frans Masereel Centrum, Kasterlee, Belgium

JURIED COMIC FESTIVALS

Toronto Comic Art Festival, Toronto, Ontario- 2011, 2013, 2015. 2017, 2019

Museum of Comics and Cartoon Art Festival, New York, NY 2010, 2018

Chicago Alternative Comics Expo, Chicago, IL- 2014, 2015, 2018

Cartoon Crossroads Columbus, Columbus, OH- 2018, 2020

Buffalo Book Fest, Buffalo, NY 2016-2019

Buffalo Small Press Fair, Buffalo, NY 2010-2016

Visual Studies Workshop Pub Fair, Rochester NY- 2018

SELECTED ARTIST TALKS

- **2020** Burchfield Penney Art Center, Buffalo, NY Mount Holyoke College, Virtual Visiting Artist Talk
- 2019 Women's Studio Workshop, Kingston, NY St. John's College, Santa Fe, NM Western New York Book Arts Center, Buffalo, NY
- 2018 Rochester Institute of Technology, Rochester, NY
- 2017 Hallwalls Contemporary Art Center, Buffalo, NY
- 2016 Pecha Kucha Buffalo, Ashbury Hall, Buffalo, NY