# PERSONAL

Born 6/17/72 in Goirle, the Netherlands

#### EDUCATION

The Ohio State University, Columbus OH Master of Fine Arts Major: Media Arts Graduated June 1997

Akademie voor Beeldende Vorming, Academy of Fine Arts and Art Education, Tilburg, The Netherlands Bachelor of Fine Arts (five year program)

Major: Sculpture and Textiles

Graduated Cum Laude June 1995

*Courses: sculpture, textiles, drawing, painting, photography, video, ceramics, product design, graphic design, typography, art & design history and theory, psychology and philosophy* 

## **RELATED EMPLOYMENT, EXPERIENCE AND ACHIEVEMENTS**

The Ohio State University / Urban Art Space and Hopkins Hall Gallery, Columbus OH •Position: Director

July 2018 – present •Position: Interim Director September 2017 – June 2108

Responsibilities: oversee staff of 4 full-time employees and 15-20 students; provide leadership affecting mission/vision and strategic planning for exhibitions, programming and events schedules at OSU's downtown Urban Arts Space and Hopkins Hall Gallery on campus; seek out town & gown partnerships that connect OSU and serve the community through arts and culture.

#### The Ohio State University / Urban Arts Space and Hopkins Hall Gallery, Columbus OH

•Position: Deputy Director of Exhibitions and Curatorial Practice

July 2013 - August 2017

Responsibilities: curating/coordinating exhibitions and working directly with preparators; providing artistic direction for exhibitions and managing a team of 15-20 undergraduate and graduate students and interns; coordinating educational programming; working with university communications staff, external curators, funding agencies, donors, collectors, and community and national organizations to promote the Arts Initiative; developed and executed strategies for print, website, and social media to promote exhibitions and programming; working closely with OSU departments to organize and oversee faculty and student exhibitions; collaborating with academic programs across campus providing consultation and teaching expertise; preparing annual report, meeting reports, and various grants; collaborating with director on the advancement of university partnerships.

# The Ohio State University / Arts and Sciences Honors program, Columbus OH

Position: Assistant Dean and Director

December 2006 – June 2013

Responsibilities: lead and administer the Arts and Sciences (ASC) Honors program; work with faculty on curricular enhancements for the program; oversee the work of the ASC Honors Committee and its subcommittees; coordinate orientation sessions for new honors students in ASC; work with departments on issues related to honors courses, curricula, and advising; provide support for departmental faculty advising; and oversee the daily operations of the ASC Honors office including hiring, training, supervising, and evaluating the performance of academic counselors, and develop programming in concert with university goals.

### The Ohio State University / Arts and Sciences Advising and Academic Services, Columbus OH

•Position: Associate Director of Academic Services

April 2005 – November 2006

Responsibilities: manage all Freshmen, transfer and international orientations for Arts and Sciences academic advising office; develop and manage grades review and appeal process and databases; manage academic reinstatement process and various other petitions processes; respond to/resolve petitions related inquiries and complaints; respond to policy questions; monitor ASC course enrollments; research/analyze and prepare reports; assist students, faculty and staff; supervise staff; participate in college and administrative committees

# •Position: Academic Advisor and Staff Assistant

June 2004 - March 2005

Responsibilities: provide academic counseling to students who require assistance related to academic warning, probation, dismissal or reinstatement; coordinate International Studies academic advising; assist Sr. Assistant Dean in academic services related tasks; participate in recruitment, orientation and survey courses

### University of Florida / School of Art and Art History, Gainesville FL

•Position: Assistant Professor in Sculpture and Electronic Inter Media (EIM) August 2001- June 2004

Responsibilities: teach 3 courses per semester; supervise graduate students and TA's, committee work, service to the university and outreach trough my activities as an artist

#### University of Florida, Gainesville FL (cont.)

•Position: Faculty Advisor for incoming freshmen

May 2003 – June 2004

Responsibilities: advise new college freshmen during first official visit to campus in both lecture format as well as individual advising sessions; responsible for proper registration and answering all questions related to life on campus

•Position: Sculpture Area Coordinator

August 2001 – May 2002

Responsibilities: area representative in committees; recruitment of new students; portfolio reviews; correspondence with students and parents; administer area budget

### Denison University, Granville OH

•Position: Gallery Director

July 1998 – July 2001

Responsibilities: create vision; oversee student workers, organize, curate and install exhibitions; website creation and management; collections management; collection research; community outreach; responsible for gallery budget; communication with donors and university trustees

-Successfully implemented art from the collection on campus program

-Reorganized and improved gallery exhibition spaces

-Designed and maintained gallery website

-Awarded three different grants for collection and gallery programs

-Established guidelines and implemented community outreach programs

-Increased gallery attendance

Position: Assistant Gallery Director January 1998 – June 1998
Position: Lecturer in Sculpture July 1998 – June 2000

Responsibility: teach three courses in sculpture; sculpture area coordinator; maintenance of sculpture shop

#### The Ohio State University/Department of Art, Columbus OH

Position: Lecturer
 Art 4950: Senior Seminar (August 2016 – December 2016)
 Art 5108: Career Preparation in Art (January 2016 – May 2016)
 Art 570.02: Life Drawing Studio (January 2012 – March 2012)
 Art 372: Color (September 2010 – December 2010 and September 2009 – December 2009)
 Studio Art Foundation, three dimensional design (September 2000 – December 2000)

# Rector and Associates, Columbus OH

•Position: Collections Management Assistant, May 2000 – September 2000 Responsibilities: catalog artwork and maintain computer database; handle artwork; ship artwork; research and implementation of conservation techniques

### Ann Hamilton, Columbus OH

•Position: Studio Assistant, September 1997 – October 1998 Responsibilities: assist in labor intensive art projects; assist in research; create models; answer telephone calls

## Cua's of Columbus, Columbus OH

•Position: Floral Designer, June 1997 – January 1998 Responsibilities: design and sales of flower arrangements, from single compositions to large jobs for weddings and funerals

### Beelden in Fort Vuren, Vuren, The Netherlands

•Position: Executive Co-Director

January 1995 - September 1995

Responsibilities: concept development; preparation of venue; curate, design and production of catalog; community outreach; manage budget; contact and instruct artists; collaborate with curators Project: an exhibition of sculptures "Beelden in Fort Vuren" in Fort Vuren, The Netherlands July 15 – August 13, 1995

### LANGUAGE SKILLS

Dutch (native), German, French, Latin and beginning level Spanish

# SHORT EXHIBITIONS AND PROJECTS RÉSUMÉ available upon request

PROFESSIONAL REFERENCES available upon request