



## Education

University of Connecticut, Storrs, CT

Bachelor of Fine Arts, Major: Illustration, December 2010, *summa cum laude*

Concentration in Creative Writing

Cumulative GPA: 3.885

## Experience

*Photographer, Lifetouch*, Cranston, RI, August 2011-November 2011

- Photographed students in school environment for IDs, yearbooks, and prints

*Modeling Contractor, Kongsberg Maritime Simulation*, Mystic, CT, January 2011-present

- Modeled and textured accurate low-poly ships for use in simulations
- Conducted visual research

*Intern, XVIVO Scientific Animation*, Rocky Hill, CT, May 2011 - June 2011

- Modeled microbes and human anatomy for use in animations
- Conducted visual research
- Prepared equipment for video photography
- Proofread internal documents for accuracy and consistency
- Participated in voiceover recording sessions

*Artist, Lead Writer, and Production Director, BIOGames*, Internet-based, January 2009-October 2010

- Designed and organized production of a small videogame project
- Created concept art for characters, environments, props, and puzzles
- Served as lead writer and created digital art assets for additional projects

*Staff Artist and Fiction Panelist, Long River Review*, Storrs, CT, January 2010-May 2010

- Edited fiction submissions
- Created publicity illustrations
- Conducted photography, including portraiture
- Designed and typeset supplementary materials

*Intern, Barbara McClintock and David Johnson*, Windham, CT, August 2009-February 2010

- Conducted factual and visual research
- Organized and prepared artwork for archival storage
- Provided tutoring in web design and graphics

*Illustrator/Designer, Freelance work*, July 2005-present

- Created custom artwork including illustrations, websites, and logos
- Used both traditional and digital media to realize work in a variety of styles

## Honors and Awards

- Solo photography show at The Cage Gallery, Storrs, CT, 2010
- UConn School of Fine Arts Dean's Purchase Award, 2010
- The Gloriana Gill Art Award in Photography, 2010
- The Edward R. and Frances Schrieber Collins Literary Prize, 2010
- The Raab Prize in Writing for Children, 2009

## Additional Work Experience

- *Cartoonist, Daily Campus*, Storrs, CT, September-December 2009 and 2010

- *Library Page*, **Mansfield Public Library**, Mansfield, CT, June 2005-February 2010
- *Moderator*, **BlenderArtists.org**, Internet-based, June 2007-present

### **Computer Skills**

- Common graphics packages including Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, Dreamweaver, After Effects
- CGI packages including Blender and Softimage
- Open source graphics packages including The GIMP, Inkscape, FontForge
- Languages HTML, CSS, Python, BASH
- Linux/UNIX, Windows, Macintosh