

## EDUCATION

**Virginia Commonwealth University | Richmond, VA**  
(Fall 2014–Present)

Master of Art Education + Licensure  
Post-Graduate Professional License, State of Virginia  
GPA 4.0

**Old Dominion University | Norfolk, VA**  
(Fall 2010–Spring 2014)

Bachelor of Fine Arts with a concentration in Graphic Design  
Minor in Marketing  
GPA 3.92 · Summa Cum Laude

## HONORS & AWARDS

**Virginia Commonwealth University | Richmond, VA**  
State Council of Higher Education for Virginia Award

**Old Dominion University | Norfolk, VA**  
Monarch Scholarship  
ODU Academic Honors Scholarship  
ODU University Dean's List  
ODU Honors College

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**Virginia Commonwealth University | Richmond, VA**  
Graduate Assistant (05/15–present)

Assisted VCU Art Education professor with research including designing marketing materials, data collection, and other teaching needs.

**Virginia Commonwealth University | Richmond, VA**  
Office Assistant (01/15–present)

Provided excellent customer service for the Art Education department as the front desk point of contact for students, faculty, staff, and visitors. Assisted faculty and staff with special projects as requested.

**d'Art Center | Norfolk, VA**  
Summer Camp Art Instructor (05/13–08/14)

Developed and executed lesson plans for children's art classes. Worked with children with special needs. Worked with a variety of ages of children 5 through 14. In addition, acted as camp director for one week.

**Potts N Paints Pottery Studio | Chesapeake, VA**  
Associate (06/11–01/12)

Executed daily operations including running kilns. Assisted with art projects for children's day cares, adult special needs groups, and birthday parties. Lead Girl Scouts through ceramic lessons to obtain ceramics and clay badges. Taught and assisted art camps for ages 4–14.

## EXTRACURRICULAR EXPERIENCE

**Virginia Commonwealth University Art of Nursing | Richmond, VA**  
Facilitator (01/15–Present)

Worked with beginning nursing students at the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts to enhance their clinical reasoning skills through art discussion and self-reflection. Prepared three museum experiences to engage the students in art dialogue that related back to their clinical experiences.

**National Art Educators Association | Virginia Commonwealth University**  
Member (08/12–Present)

Participated in events for the student chapter of the National Art Educators Association (NAEA). Attended the Virginia Art Educators Association (VAEA) 2014 Conference.

**Student Advisory Board | Virginia Commonwealth University**  
Board Member (01/15–Present)

Helped to determine issues including the distribution of student fees, improvements to the program, and fun events specific to undergraduate and graduate VCU Art Education students.

**Maymont Elementary School | Richmond, VA**  
Preservice Teaching Experience (Spring 2015)

Co-planned and co-taught adaptive art lessons for students enrolled in a "PDD (Pervasive Developmental Disorder) classroom" in an urban public preschool as a part of an Art for Exceptional Learners class.

**d'Art Center | Norfolk, VA**  
Graphic Design & Marketing Intern (Spring 2013)

Worked alongside the director of marketing to create print materials and advertisements for the d'ART Center. Helped manage social media and ConstantContact accounts. Redesigned business cards. Assisted with exhibit openings and special events hosted by the d'ART Center.

**d'Art Center | Norfolk, VA**  
Volunteer Camp Assistant (06/12–08/12)

Assisted art instructors. Supported campers during art projects and supervised campers during restroom breaks, snack, and lunchtime. Helped with the preparation of art materials, room set up and clean up.

**Honors College Peer Mentor Program | Old Dominion University**  
Peer Mentor (Fall 2011–Spring 2012)

Mentored incoming freshman pursuing a major in Fine Arts. Assisted with goal-setting and coursework planning. Provided comments and assistance for BFA continuance portfolio review.

**Student Art League | Old Dominion University**  
Secretary (Fall 2011–Spring 2012)

Recorded meeting minutes and managed club e-mails. Participated in Student Art League workshops, charity events, and exhibitions.