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Designer - Artist

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RECOGNITIONS

Sustainability Research Award

2018

(\$1 200)

ADIQ Price for Joy

2015

Carolyn and Richard Renaud

In-Course Bursary

2013

(\$1 000)

Desjardins Scholarship

2011

(\$1 000)

EDUCATION

Master of Design (M.Des.)

2023

Concordia University, Montreal.

Specialization: textile design and sustainability.

Bachelor in Design

2015

Concordia University, Montreal.

CERTIFICATIONS

Graduate Seminar in University Teaching Fine Arts

2017

Concordia University, Montreal.

Concordia Undergraduate Student Research Award

2014

Concordia University, Montreal.

Research study on various raw materials used in interior and exterior design.

SKILLS

- French, English
- Use and adjustment of various sewing machines
- Pattern Design
- Wet and needle felting techniques
- Drawing
- Painting on a variety of surfaces
- Airbrush
- Modelling and casting
- Upholstery
- Woodworking techniques
- Microsoft Office Suite
- Photoshop
- Illustrator
- InDesign
- Rhino

WORK EXPERIENCE

Creative workshop facilitator

2023-...

La Clé, County of Simcoe, Ontario.

- Upcycling introductory workshops with students from elementary and secondary schools.

Substitute Teacher in Art

2018-...

École secondaire Marcellin-Champagnat, Saint-Jean-sur-Richelieu, Centre de services scolaire des Grandes-Seigneuries.

- Maintenance of the ongoing art projects, student support from secondary 1 to 5

Teacher in Felting Techniques

2015-...

Various schools, Montérégie

- Workshops with students and teachers from high schools and universities.

Lab coordinator and Technician

2014-2022

Department of Design and Computation Arts, Concordia University, Montreal.

- Teaching of pattern, sewing, and felting techniques;
- Student support.

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2013-...

Personal Studio, St-Isidore-de-Laprairie

- Customized design of daily life objects, luminaires, and furniture made from local and reclaimed materials.

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ACHIEVEMENTS

Panelist

Engineers Without Borders

2019

McGill University, Montreal

Speaker

Montreal Mini Maker Faire

2018

Concordia University, Montreal

Speaker

Sustainability Across Disciplines

2018

Concordia University, Montreal

Research Assistant

Alice Jarry, Montreal.

- Research and data collection in related fields of design and sustainability.

Collaborator for ***DUST_AGITATOR_01 et 02***

Alice Jarry, Montreal.

- Customized hand made felt;
- Exhibition set up.

Collaborator - SAS Conference 2018

Concordia University, Montreal.

- Design and exhibition coordination;
- French translation and communication.

Collaborator Designer - The Bacchanale

A.I.M.E./ Adrien Orlowski, Montreal.

- Interior design;
- Building of various structures;
- Set up.

2018-2019

2018

2017-2018

2012

INTERESTS

Rock climbing

Beach volleyball

Interior Design

Object Design

Lighting Design

Visual Art

Landscaping

Plant dyes

Music

Personal development

Exhibitions

Off-Cuts: When waste reveals its potential

Synopsis

Concordia University, Montreal.

The Book of Fabrics

Synapses

Concordia University, Montreal.

Joy

Forward Slash

Concordia University, Montreal.

Spug

Correlate

PHI Center, Montreal.

Music, Pink and Blue II - Interpretation

Concordia University, Montreal.

Paint Drop Table

The Tactility of Objects: A Retrospective

Les Territoires, Belgo Building, Montreal.

One Over 20 Dress

Concordia University, Montreal.

2018

2017

2015

2014

2013-2014

2013

2012-2013