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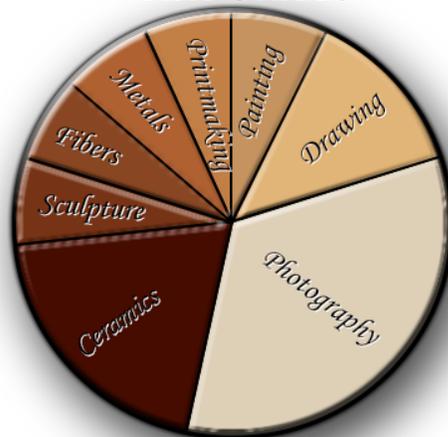
PERSONAL SUMMARY

Amanda is an energetic, determined person who is excited about teaching art to young adults, as well as pursuing her own artistic goals. Through a BFA, she is well rounded in numerous art mediums, and also has a minor in art history. She has worked in the art field and education. She has a strong classroom presence, as well as a captivating enthusiasm while teaching.

QUALIFICATION SUMMARY

- ◆ Five years experience teaching art in two high schools
- ◆ Extensive background in working with students
- ◆ Dedicated to providing high quality education to all students
- ◆ Excellent communication and interpersonal skills
- ◆ Thorough understanding of visual arts and different ways of relaying that knowledge
- ◆ Skilled in various technology (Microsoft suite, Adobe Suite)
- ◆ Flexible approach to teaching
- ◆ Very organized

ART SKILLS



EDUCATION

Masters of Arts in Teaching	Missouri State University	Dec. 2012
<i>Emphasis: Art</i>	<i>Certification: (IPC) Art K-12</i>	GPA: 4.00
<i>Student Teaching: Nixa High School, Pleasant View Middle School, Truman Elementary</i>		
Bachelor of Fine Arts	Missouri State University	Dec. 2010
<i>Minor: Art History</i>		GPA: 3.61

WORK EXPERIENCE

High School Art Teacher	<i>Sam Barlow High School</i>	<i>Jun. '15-present</i>	<i>Gresham, OR</i>
◆ Created and implemented curriculum for Art 1, drawing, painting, graphic and sculpture classes			
◆ Lessons focused on building skills related to art as well as developing students creativity.			
◆ Organized, and ordered all supplies			
Supply Teacher	<i>Career Teachers</i>	<i>Jan. '15 - May '15</i>	<i>London, UK</i>
◆ Managed a wide range of secondary schools in London			
◆ Assisted students in understanding assignments, and implemented own lessons when needed.			
High School Art Teacher	<i>Independence School District</i>	<i>Jun. '13-Jun. 14</i>	<i>Independence, MO</i>
◆ Taught six separate classes each day, four preps each semester.			
◆ Created a curriculum with numerous lessons that related to prior knowledge and challenged each student.			
◆ Lessons focused on building skills for art production as well as units on art history and aesthetics.			
◆ As the department head, organized, and ordered supplies for the art department			
Instructor	<i>Kansas City Art Institute-Firehouse</i>	<i>Jun. - Jul. 2013</i>	<i>Kearney, MO</i>
◆ Taught digital photography to a youth class, covering camera settings, framing, flash and Photoshop techniques			
◆ Created a curriculum, lesson plans, supply list and schedule.			
Substitute Teacher	<i>Independence, Liberty and Nixa</i>		<i>MO</i>
◆ Managed a wide range of middle and high school classes,			
◆ Assisted students in understanding assignments, and implemented own lessons when necessary			

OTHER WORK EXPERIENCE

- ◆ Author and illustrator of children's book: *Tony Toad* (published March 2015)
- ◆ Graphic Design Specialist - GA at Missouri State Univeristiy
- ◆ Photographer-Photography For Memories (owner)
- ◆ Resident Assistant-Missouri State University
- ◆ Trek Instructor-WYMAN Teen Leadership Camp

ACTIVITIES AND AWARDS

- ◆ Classes taken at the National Gallery in London
- ◆ Character Trait of the Month Award Recipient - Perseverance (2013-2014)
- ◆ Art Club Sponsor
- ◆ Project Grad Committee (2013-2014)
- ◆ Mental Health Committee (2013-2014)
- ◆ Member of National Art Education Association (NAEA) (2009-present)
- ◆ Member of National Residence Hall Honorary (NRHH) (2008-2010)
- ◆ Community Development Award (2009)

EXHIBITIONS

- ◆ Springfield Conservation Center (May 2012)
- ◆ Bachelor's of Fine Art Exhibition (2010)
- ◆ Missouri Fine Arts Faculty and Staff Exhibition (2010)
- ◆ Foundation Classes Exhibition (2008-2009)

REFERENCES

Julie Pettis	Sam Barlow High School	pettis@gresham.k12.or.us
Patrick Layden	Van Horn High School Principle	Patrick_Layden@ISDschoools.org
Debbie Cox	VHS Science Teacher	Debbie_Cox@ISDschoools.org
Riann Lubinski	Nixa High School Cooperating Teacher	RiannLubinski@nixaschoools.net
Dawn Carpenter	Truman Elem. Cooperating Teacher	DCarpenter1@SPSmail.org
Justin Poindexter	MSU Kentwood Hall Director	JPoindext@Coastal.edu

"Creativity is intelligence having fun"
~Albert Einstein

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