

Brytton Bjorngaard

EDUCATION

Iowa State University, Ames, Iowa, Fall 2007 to Summer 2010

Masters of Fine Arts, Graphic Design, GPA: 3.79

Thesis: Enhancing patient experience through environmental design in healthcare: A case study of privacy at Thielen Student Health Center and McFarland Clinic in Ames, Iowa

Saint Mary's University of Minnesota, Winona, Minnesota, Fall 2003 to Spring 2007

Bachelor of Arts, Graphic Design, Summa Cum Laude

Art Club President 2005–2007

Studied Abroad in Florence, Italy, Spring 2006

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Communication, interaction Design, & Automation; Environmental Graphics; Healthcare Design; Typography: Digital, Drawn, & Letterpress; Alternative Photography.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Adobe CC: Photoshop, Lightroom, Bridge, Illustrator, InDesign, Muse, Dreamweaver, Premiere, After Effects, Flash, Fireworks Acrobat

HTML5, CSS3, Javascript Integration

Digital Cameras, Film Cameras, Studio Lighting, Darkroom Processing

Vinyl Cutter, Laser Cutter, Laser, Inkjet, & Wide Format Printers

Screenprinting, Lithography, Letterpress, Bookmaking

Word, Powerpoint, Excel

Proficient on Mac & PC Platforms

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Assistant Professor, Fall 2013 to Present

Art, Music, and Theatre Department, University of Illinois Springfield

Introduction to Digital Media; Web; Typography; Print; Animation; Advanced Digital Studio; Photo I; Photo II

Visiting Assistant Professor, Fall 2012 to Spring 2013

Art Department, Whitworth University

Intro to Photoshop; Digital Photography 1; Typography 1 & 2; Digital Imaging 1 & 2; Web Design 1 & 2

Lecturer, Fall 2010 to Spring 2012

Art Department, Whitworth University

Intro to Photoshop; Digital Photography 1; Typography 1 & 2; Digital Imaging 1 & 2; Web Design 1 & 2

Graduate Teaching Assistant, Fall 2008 to Spring 2010

College of Design, Iowa State University

Graphic Design 275: Design Technology I; Graphic Design 276: Design Technology II

Graduate Assistant, Fall 2007 to Spring 2008

College of Design, Iowa State University

Art History 280: Prehistoric to Gothic; Art History 281: Renaissance to Modern

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Graduate Research Assistant, Summer 2008 to Spring 2010

Design Information Research Group (DIRG), Iowa State University

Research Assistant, Spring 2009 to Spring 2010

Hablamos Juntos, Iowa State University

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Freelance Graphic Designer, Ongoing

Brytton Bjorngaard · Illinois, Washington, Minnesota, Iowa

Enos Park Residency, 2016 to Present · Website

Compass for Kids, 2016 · Logo

Megan Hoeft, 2016 · Poster

Springfield Art Association, 2015 to Present · Advertisement, Website, Logo

Amy Smith-Harris Counseling, 2015 · Photography, Logo, Website

JJ Build, 2015 · Logo

The Guilty Goose, 2015 · Logo

Pandora Grey, 2015 · Photography

UIS Visual Arts Gallery, 2014 to Present · Logo, Postcards, Brochure, Catalog, HTML e-mails

Carufel Henna, 2014 · Consultancy, Business Card

D'Lisa McKee, 2014 · Digital Illustration

Phenomenal Woman & Phenomenally Yours Consignment Shop, 2013 to 2015 · Consultancy

Carrie Switzer, 2013 to 2015 · Photography Restorations

UIS Department of Art, Music, & Theatre, 2013 to Present · Advertisements, Flyers, Website, Logo

Nicole Sheets, 2013 · Wedding Invitation

Fred Johnson, 2013 · Consultancy

Mary Kleiman, 2013 · Photography

Kathleen Hoeft, 2013 · Photography Restorations

Lindsay Johnson, 2012 · Wedding Invitation

Junction B Studios, 2010 · Logo

Jennifer Carpenter, 2010 · Wedding Invitation

Cindy Reding, 2009 to 2010 · Photo Video Compilation

Zumbrota Community Band, 2009 to 2010 · Promotional Posters

Iowa State University Veterinary Medicine Student Group, 2009 · Logo, T-shirt Design

Gibbons Optical, 2008 to Present · Website Maintenance, Brochures, Internal Documents

Gallery Co-Director, 2014 to Present

DEMO Project · Springfield, Illinois

Instructor for Wheel Throwing, Preschool & Multimedia Camps, 2003 to 2006

Crossings Studios · Zumbrota, Minnesota

Photography Lab Assistant, 2004 to 2005

Ritz Camera · Rochester, Minnesota

SCHOLARSHIP: PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS & PRESENTATIONS

Living Out Loud: An Introduction to LGBTQ History, Society, and Culture

Routledge - Taylor and Francis · releasing Fall 2017

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...but how can you teach if you can't see the whites of their eyes? A discussion of emergent studio practice when graphic design education implements online delivery.

Nimble: UCDA Design Education Summit · Union, New Jersey, May 2016

Co-Presented with Lisa Hammershaimb, Athabasca University; Shannon McCarthy, Shepherd University; Sean Pace, Independence University; Justin Gagne, Montserrat College of Art.

Case Study: The Evolution of a University Literary Journal in an Interdisciplinary Design Course

Nimble: UCDA Design Education Summit · Union, New Jersey, May 2016

Universal Symbols in Health Care: Symbol Design Report for University Led Symbols Research

Designing for Social Change, Usability Professional's Association · Atlanta, Georgia, June 2011

Lisa Fontaine, Oscar Fernández, David Middleton, Kathryn McCormick using Hablamos Juntos research.

A Study on Design Careers and the Impact of Gender

Design Research Society International Conference 2010 · Montreal, Canada, July 2010

Coauthored with Debra Satterfield, Sung Kang, Nora Ladjahasan, and Andrea Quam.

WAND: Walk Around Navigational Device for Children with Autism Spectrum Disorders

SIGCHI Design Competition · Computer Human Interaction Conference · Atlanta, Georgia, April 2010

Coauthored with Mariam Melkumyan, Mikako Matsunga, Haiqiong Che, and Jeritt Tucker.

Diagnosis & Treatment of Environmental Wayfinding Difficulties: A Case Study of a University Health Center

IASDR 2009 · Seoul, Korea, October 2009

Coauthored with Fred Malven.

Medical Decision Aides: An Evaluation Methodology for Information Design

IASDR 2009 · Seoul, Korea, October 2009

Coauthored with Debra Satterfield, Sung Kang, Fred Malven, Paul Bruski, and Nora Ladjahasan.

SCHOLARSHIP: CONFERENCES ATTENDED

University & College Design Association (UCDA) Design Education Summit

Union, New Jersey, May 2016

University & College Design Association (UCDA) Design Education Summit

Brookings, South Dakota, May 2015

University & College Design Association (UCDA) Design Education Summit

Madison, Wisconsin, May 2014

American Institute of Graphic Arts (AIGA) Connecting Dots: Research, Education & Practice

Cincinnati, Ohio, March 2014

College Art Association (CAA) 98th Annual Conference

Chicago, Illinois, February 2010

28th Annual Computer Human Interaction (CHI) Conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems

Atlanta, Georgia, April 2010

Transform: A Collaborative Symposium on Innovations in Health Care Experience and Delivery

Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minnesota, September 2009

International Association of Societies of Design Research (IASDR) 2009

Seoul, Korea, October 2009

Edward Tufte: Presenting Data and Information

Albuquerque, New Mexico, February 2009

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PEER REVIEWER / JUDGE

Decatur Area Arts Council and Gallery 51

Arts in Central Park · Decatur, Illinois, September 2016

University & College Design Association (UCDA)

Design Education Summit · Madison, Wisconsin, May 2014

Decatur Area Arts Council and Gallery 51

Arts in Central Park · Decatur, Illinois, September 2013

ACADEMIC SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Academic Technology Committee · University of Illinois Springfield

Committee Chair · Fall 2015 to Present

CLAS Curriculum Committee · University of Illinois Springfield

Committee Member · Fall 2015 to Present

Retail and Merchandising · University of Illinois Springfield

Guest Lecturer · Fall 2015

Art, Music, and Theatre Department Strategic Plan Committee · University of Illinois Springfield

Committee Member · Spring 2014 to Present

Daymon Kiliman Graduate Thesis Committee · University of Illinois Springfield

Committee Member · Fall 2013 to Spring 2014

Communication Search Committee · University of Illinois Springfield

Committee Member · Fall 2013

Art, Music, and Theatre Personnel Committee · University of Illinois Springfield

Committee Member · Fall 2013 to Present

Honors English Design Rhetoric · Whitworth University

Guest Lecturer · Spring 2013

Lecturer Search Committee · Whitworth University

Committee Member · Spring 2012

Visual Communications Degree BFA Show · Eastern Washington University

Guest Reviewer · Spring 2011

Introduction to Life Skills Through the Arts · Spokane Falls Community College

Guest Lecturer · Fall 2010

Industrial Design Chair Search Committee · Iowa State University

Committee Member · Spring 2010

Graphic Design 672 Web Design · Iowa State University

Guest Reviewer · Fall 2009

Graphic Design 370 Integrated Marketing · Iowa State University

Guest Reviewer · Fall 2008

Design Studies 102 Design Studio · Iowa State University

Guest Reviewer · Spring 2008

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EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

University of Illinois Springfield Theatre Production · Distracted

Graphics Designer and Projectionist · Fall 2015 - Spring 2016

Board of Directors · Springfield Art Association

Summer 2015 - Present

University of Illinois Springfield Theatre Production · How I Learned to Drive

Graphics Designer and Projectionist · Fall 2013 - Spring 2014

Whitworth University Christmas Choir Concert · Laud to the Nativity

Background Set Designer and Projectionist · Fall 2012

Whitworth University Theme House Advisor · The Simple Things

10315 College Drive · Fall 2011 to Spring 2012

Spokane Community Theater · Wisdom: Making Dollars and Sense

Background Set Designer · Spring 2012

Whitworth University Christmas Choir Concert · Arise, Shine

Background Set Designer and Projectionist · Fall 2011

AWARDS & HONORS

- 2016** UIS Theatre Outstanding Faculty Award, University of Illinois Springfield
- 2014** UIS Theatre Outstanding Faculty Award, University of Illinois Springfield
CLAS Student-Faculty Activity Award, University of Illinois Springfield
- 2009** Phillis Rogers Baer Scholarship for academic and teaching excellence, Iowa State

EXHIBITIONS

- 2016** ~~Otto-Cricket Hits!~~, James S. Murrary Gallery, Lincoln Land Community College, Springfield, IL
- 2015** Gifted, Demo Project, Springfield, IL
Visual Arts Gallery Auction & Benefit, UIS Visual Arts Gallery, Springfield, IL
Let The Words Fall Out, UIS Visual Arts Gallery, Springfield, IL
- 2014** Visual Arts Gallery Auction & Benefit, UIS Visual Arts Gallery, Springfield, IL
Trigger: New Work by UIS Art Faculty, Springfield Art Association, Springfield, IL
- 2013** Visual Arts Gallery Auction & Benefit, UIS Visual Arts Gallery, Springfield, IL
- 2012** Saranac Supports: Art for Radio, Saranac Art Projects, Spokane, WA
- 2011** Smoke & Mirrors Faculty Show, Bryan Oliver Gallery, Spokane, WA
- 2007** Emergence Senior Exhibition, Lillian Davis Hogan Galleries, Winona, MN
- 2006** Undergraduate Show, Lillian Davis Hogan Galleries, Winona, MN
- 2005** First Place, Undergraduate Show, Lillian Davis Hogan Galleries, Winona, MN
- 2004** Box Juried Exhibition, Crossings Studio, Zumbrota, MN
Second Place, Undergraduate Show, Lillian Davis Hogan Galleries, Winona, MN
- 2003** Undergraduate Show, Lillian Davis Hogan Galleries, Winona, MN

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COLLECTIONS

Whitworth University Permanent Art Collection, Spokane, WA

Saint Mary's University Saint Teresa Leadership & Service Institute for Women, Winona, MN

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Institute of Graphic Arts

College Art Association

Design Research Society

Society for Environmental Graphic Design

Special Interest Group Computer Human interaction

Association for Computing Machinery · Women in Computing

Springfield Art Association