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## EDUCATION

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Eastern University, Philadelphia, PA <b>M.A. in Urban Studies</b> <i>Concentration in Community Arts</i> Thesis: "The Books of the Street: Arts-based Evaluation"	<b>2011-2013</b>
McMaster University, Hamilton, ON <b>B.A. Honours</b> <i>Combined Majors: Studio Arts &amp; Peace Studies</i> Honors Thesis: "We may not agree but I've got the brush"	<b>2007-2011</b>

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## AWARDS

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• Graduate Scholarship, Eastern University	<b>2012</b>
• Mills Memorial Library Commission, McMaster University	<b>2010</b>
• The Alec John Royston MacMillan Memorial Awards for community contribution	<b>2009</b>
• Dean's Honour List	<b>2008-2009</b>

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## EXHIBITIONS

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2015	forty below: De Facto Gallery at Mulberry, Hamilton ON [ <i>Solo</i> ]
2014	Soft Spoken Storm: James North Studio, Hamilton ON [ <i>Two-person show</i> ]
2013	SWARM: Members' Show: Hamilton Artists, INC., Hamilton ON
2013	Right to Left: James North Studio, Hamilton ON
2012	Compilation: Pearl Company, Hamilton ON
2012	MOVE: an upwards journey: New City Gallery, Hamilton ON
2011	City Beautiful: New City Gallery, Hamilton ON
2011	Loose Ends: Pearl Company, Hamilton ON
2011	Encounters: Summa 2011: McMaster Museum of Art, Hamilton ON
2011	Juried Exhibition: My Dog Joe, Hamilton ON
2009	Divergence: McMaster University, Hamilton ON [ <i>Four-person show</i> ]
2009	Print Making collective: Mixed Media, Hamilton ON

## ARTS- RELATED EMPLOYMENT

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Art Forms Youth Art Studio, Hamilton ON <b>Project Coordinator</b>	2012- present
Art Forms Youth Art Studio, Hamilton ON <b>Program Assistant &amp; Youth Engagement Support</b>	2011- 2012
<i>Self-Employed</i> , Hamilton ON <b>Piano Instructor</b>	2008- present
Grand River Music, Grand Valley ON <b>Piano Instructor</b>	2006-2007
Grand Valley Public Library, Grand Valley ON <b>Summer Arts Program Coordinator</b>	2006

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## VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

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BuildaBridge International, Philadelphia, PA <b>Board Member</b>	September 2015- present
BuildaBridge International, Philadelphia, PA <b>Music Instructor in Bogota, Colombia</b>	August 2012
Micah House, Hamilton ON <b>Arts Camp Co-Founder &amp; Instructor</b>	2012
Dreamlight Studio, Hamilton ON <b>Coordinator &amp; Art Instructor</b>	2010
Roots Team, Ontario <b>Advertising &amp; Graphic Artist</b>	2008-2011

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## MEMBERSHIPS

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- Hamilton Arts Council
- Hamilton Artists Inc.
- Canada Arts Connect
- The Royal Conservatory of Music