

# SEDER BURNS

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## EDUCATION:

**Master of Fine Arts:** Digital Arts, 2009  
Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, OH

**Master of Education:** Career and Technology Education, 2006  
Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, OH

**Bachelor of Arts:** Visual Culture, 1998  
University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

**University of Toledo, Toledo, OH**  
Lecturer of New Media 08/11-present  
Visiting Assistant Professor of New Media 08/09-08/11  
Teach courses in darkroom and digital photography, web, interactive art, and 2D digital art including illustration, painting, collage, and photo manipulation.

**Art Institute of Pittsburgh Online Division** 01/10-08/11  
Adjunct Professor: Teach courses in digital photography, image management, color management, and photo manipulation.

**University of Findlay, Findlay, OH** 01/09-05/09  
Adjunct Associate Professor: Taught digital photography.

**Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, OH** 08/08-05/09  
Instructor of Record, School of Art, Digital Arts Department:  
Taught Intermediate Digital 2D Imaging and Intermediate Interactive Media.

**Owens Community College, Toledo, OH** 9/01-7/07  
Adjunct Instructor: Taught and developed courses in photography and digital new media.

**Toledo Museum of Art, Toledo, OH** 7/02-12/07  
Photography & New Media Education, Department Head: Developed and taught courses in Photography and New Media.

**Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, OH** 1/03-5/03  
Graduate Assistant, College of Technology's Visual Communications and Technology Department:  
Taught the lab portion of a commercially oriented digital photography course.

**Washtenaw Community College, Ann Arbor, MI** 6/00-7/03  
Part-time instructor: Developed and taught non-credit courses in digital photography.

## CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT:

- Developed the curriculum for a Digital Arts Foundations course for the University of Toledo. Also developed two online versions of the course. They were first online courses offered within the art department.

- Developed an entire Photography and New Media education department for the Toledo Museum of Art School of Art and Design. Wrote curriculum & course descriptions, selected equipment, designed a traditional and digital

darkroom, recruited and trained other instructors. Handled the budget and fiscal matters. Procured special funding of \$15,000 to expand the digital photography program.

- Developed a program of eight non-credit courses on digital photography for Washtenaw Community College. Wrote all course descriptions, syllabi, and handouts. Selected appropriate software and hardware.

- At Owens Community College, wrote the course descriptions for numerous classes. Developed and wrote the curriculum for all their digital photography courses. Served on the committee that developed two new *Associate of Arts in Photography* degree programs.

## SERVICE

**College of the Visual and Performing Arts Council Member** 08/11-present  
Secretary: Record and distribute minutes for the group. Serve as active council member.

**Toledo Federation of Art Societies**, Toledo, OH 08/10-08/11  
Recording Secretary: Record and distribute minutes for the group. Serve on the Membership Sub-Committee.

**Artomatic 419!**, Toledo, OH 11/11-Present  
Visual and Logistics Sub-Committee Member: Helped coordinate the participation and setup of artists.

## RELATED PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

**Freelance photographer:** 1997-present  
Shoot aerial, architectural, commercial, special event, and art reproduction photography.

**Digital Imaging, Printing, and Color Management Consulting:** 2004-present  
On-site consulting for companies and private individuals in matters of digital capture, digital editing, color management, and digital printing. Implement technologies and workflows to enable companies to meet their technical goals as quickly and efficiently as possible. Setup and configurations of printers, software, LANs, WLANs, and data management and storage solutions. Clients include Sauder Woodworking, American Frame, and Great Lakes Aerial.

**Motophoto**, Holland, OH 8/01-7/02  
General Manager: Supervised all operations of a digital portrait studio and commercial photo-finishing lab. Performed digital image editing and restoration. Recruited and trained staff. Configured and maintained all equipment. Determined and maintained inventory and performed all accounting functions.

**Huron Camera**, Dexter, MI 12/98-12/99  
General Manager: Directed the operations of a chain of five photo-finishing and photographic equipment stores. Supervised 25 employees including four store managers. Ensured excellent customer service and appropriate product and service selection at each store. Recruited, trained, and resolved human resource problems as needed. Set up a computer workstation to demonstrate digital still and video technologies and equipment. Occasionally lectured on photographic topics. Served as technical expert in all matters pertaining to photography and video.

## EXHIBITION RECORD:

### Solo exhibitions

2009 **Three Minutes**, Women's Commission Gallery, Defiance College, Defiance, OH, September 19-October 30

2009 **Three Minutes**, Virginia B. Gardner Gallery, Findlay, OH, July 13-August 14

- 2009 **Three Minutes**, Southern Light Gallery, Amarillo College, Amarillo, TX  
June 1-June 28
- 2009 **Three Minutes**, MFA Thesis Exhibition, Dorothy Uber Bryan Gallery, Bowling Green, OH  
April 24-May 3
- 2004 **Same destination: different paths**, Toledo Museum of Art Community Gallery, Toledo, OH
- 2004 **Weekend in the Upper Peninsula**, Downtown Latte Coffeehouse, Toledo, OH

**Juried & Invitational Exhibitions:** (Juried exhibitions indicated by \*)

- 2011 **93<sup>rd</sup> Toledo Area Artists Exhibit\***, Toledo Museum of Art, Canaday Gallery, Toledo, OH, August 26-September 25 (catalog)
- 2011 **The Mix Vertical**, Arts Commission of Greater Toledo Annual Fundraiser Exhibition, One SeaGate, Toledo, OH, February 17-March 19
- 2011 **Fort Wayne Photographers**, Artlink Contemporary Gallery, Fort Wayne, IN, January 21- February 23
- 2010 **100@100 BGSU Distinguished Alumni Show**, Dorothy Uber Bryan Gallery, Bowling Green, OH, October 1 – November 15
- 2010 **Art Institute of Pittsburgh Faculty Show\***, AIP Gallery, Pittsburgh, PA, March 1-April 30
- 2010 **The Mix Twenty 10 exhibition**, Arts Commission of Greater Toledo Annual Fundraiser Exhibition, Secor Gallery, Toledo, OH
- 2009 **SIGGRAPH SpaceTime student Print exhibition \***, 36<sup>th</sup> SIGGRAPH International Annual Conference and Exhibition of Computer Graphics and Interactive Techniques, New Orleans, LA, August 3-7 (catalog)
- 2009 **Ohio State Fair Fine Arts Exhibition \***, Ohio State Fair Cox Fine Arts Building, Columbus, OH, July 29 - August 9 (catalog)
- 2009 **Pixel Fusion \***, Rajabhat Pibulsongkram Universities, Phitsanulok, Thailand, June 30- July 11 (catalog)
- 2009 **GREEN \***, Artlink Contemporary Gallery, Fort Wayne, IN, May 29- July 8
- 2009 **29th Annual National Print Exhibition \***, Artlink Contemporary Gallery, Fort Wayne, IN, April 17 - May 20
- 2009 **Make Believe: Virtual Truths in Digital Forms \***, Jacksonville University Camera Click Gallery, Jacksonville, FL, April 2-May 1  
Studio Arts Center, South Bend, IN, October 9-November 6, 2008
- 2008 **Fort Wayne Photographers**, Artlink Contemporary Gallery, Fort Wayne, IN, December 12- January 14, 2009
- 2008 **International Digital Media and Arts Association (iDMAa), IDEAS08: Continuum; Digital Media Arts Tomorrow Through Visions of Yesterday and Today \***, Savannah, GA, November 6-8 (catalog)
- 2008 **Perfect with Pixel**, Dorothy Uber Bryan Gallery, Bowling Green, OH, September 9-October 5 (catalog)

**Group exhibitions**

- 2011 **Post Apocalypse Exhibit**, Gallery Project, Ann Arbor, MI, December 14-January 22

- 2011 **Faculty Now!**, CVA Gallery, Toledo, OH, November 7, – December 11, 2012
- 2011 **Salon Des Refusee Exhibition**, Parkwood Gallery, Toledo, OH, August 26- September 25
- 2011 **The Glass City Landscape: 10 Area Artists Interpret the Urban Landscape of Toledo**, Parkwood Gallery, Toledo, OH, January 18-February 25. I curated this exhibition of work that was produced during an advanced photography course that I taught at The University of Toledo. The exhibition was sponsored by the Arts Commission of Greater Toledo and the Ohio Arts Council.
- 2011 **University of Toledo Light and Landscape Faculty Show**, CVA Gallery, Toledo, OH, January 18 - February 13
- 2010 **Burns, Donahue, Foote, & Vanden Eynden**, Parkwood Gallery, Toledo, OH  
October 12-November 19
- 2010 **University of Toledo Artists and Authors exhibition**, Carlson Library Gallery, Toledo, OH  
March 29-April 30
- 2010 **Burns and Russ**, two person group exhibit, Downtown Latte Coffeehouse, Toledo, OH,  
February 6-March 5
- 2010 **“Just Desserts” Exhibit**, Artlink Contemporary Gallery, Fort Wayne, IN, January 22-February 13
- 2009 **University of Toledo Light and Mass Faculty Show**, CVA Gallery, Toledo, OH, August 30-October 4
- 2009 **The Lake Exhibit**, Artlink Contemporary Gallery, Fort Wayne, IN, August 21-September 29
- 2009 **2nd Annual Northwest Ohio Open Summer Art Show**, Dorothy Uber Bryan Gallery, Bowling Green, OH, July 18-August 1
- 2008-9 **Members Show**, Artlink Contemporary Gallery, Fort Wayne, IN
- 2009 **Quantum Uncertainty**, Downtown Latte Coffeehouse, Toledo, OH, April 4-April 30
- 2009 **University of Findlay Faculty Show**, Virginia B. Gardner Gallery, Findlay, OH, January 5-30
- 2008 **The Guitar Show**, Artlink Contemporary Gallery, Fort Wayne, IN, August 22-October 8
- 2008 **Graduate Arts Student Organization Beat Show**, six person group fundraiser show, The Beat Club, Bowling Green, OH, November 14-November 16
- 2008 **Works in Progress**, three person group exhibit, BGSU Student Union, Bowling Green, OH, June 7-July 17
- 2008 **Bowling Green Digital Arts Student Exhibit**, Second Life,  
<http://slurl.com/secondlife/BGSU%20Creation/46/94/72>
- 2003-07 **Owens Community College Annual Faculty Show**, Walter E. Terhune Gallery, Perrysburg, OH
- 2006 **Digital Black and White Photography**, instructor and student exhibit, Downtown Latte Coffeehouse, Toledo, OH
- 2004 **Toledo Museum of Art, School of Art and Design Faculty Show**, Toledo, OH

## **Exhibitions Juried**

- 2010 **Celebrating Nature through Photography Exhibition**, International Center for Nature Photography, Toledo, OH
- 2010 **University of Findlay Student Art Exhibit**, Findlay, OH
- 2010 **Ninth Congressional District Invitational Art Exhibition**, Toledo, OH
- 2008 **Henry County Fair Photograph Competition**, Napoleon, OH
- 2006/7 **Crosby Gardens Annual Festival of the Arts**, Toledo, OH
- 2005 **Get Your Camera On!** Kohne Camera and Photo Annual photography contest

## **Grants and Awards**

- 2011 *Israel Abramofsky Award of the Temple-Congregation Shomer Emunim* at the 93<sup>rd</sup> Toledo Area Artist Exhibit
- 2011 University of Toledo Distance Learning Course Development Grant
- 2011 *2<sup>nd</sup> Place Award* at the Salon Des Refusee Exhibition
- 2010 University of Toledo Distance Learning Course Development Grant
- 2009 *Arts Council Lake Erie West Award* at the Ohio State Fair Fine Arts Exhibition
- 2009 2nd prize in the SIGGRAPH SpaceTime International juried student Print exhibition
- 2008 College Arts Association Graduate Student Travel Grant
- 2007 Student Budget Council Funding for Graduate Arts Student Organization, BGSU

## **RELATED COLLEGE EXPERIENCE:**

### **Bowling Green State University**

**Graduate Assistant**, School of Art Digital, Arts Department: 08/07-05/08  
Designed, setup, and ran a digital print lab to service the School of Art.

8/02-5/03

**Graduate Assistant**, Center for Applied Technology's Large Format and Digital Imaging Lab:  
Researched digital photography, wrote product reviews, and researched digital color management.

Graduate Arts Student Organization, BGSU, Bowling Green, OH 08/07-05/09

**President**. Oversaw the planning and direction of the organization. Served as Treasurer the first year. Responsible for the budget and administration of funds. Wrote and presented a successful request for funds to the Student Budget Committee.