Education

Hobart and William Smith Colleges Geneva, NY

Bachelor of Arts in Architectural Studies + Studio Art Minor in Environmental Studies GPA 3.92 | May 2012 Summa Cum Laude Phi Beta Kappa Honors in Studio Art

Danish Institute for Study Abroad Copenhagen, Denmark

Furniture Design Studio + Workshop: 7 week immersion in Scandinavian Furniture Design; completed a molded veneer chair prototype | June - August 2011

Center for Furniture Craftsmanship Rockport, ME *Chair Making with Michael Fortune*: 2 week immersion in chair making; focused on steam bending, curves, and vacuum laminations | July 2010

Senior Prize in Architecture May 2012



Experience

The Arthur Dove Award May 2012
Annual prize given to a senior art student, accompanied by an offer to purchase a piece of work for the permanent collection at Hobart and William Smith Colleges
Faculty Scholarship August 2008 - May 2012
Dean's List Fall 2008 - December 2011

Powermatic Student Workshop Scholar Summer 2010 Annual grant given by The Furniture Society to six students nationwide to attend one of six craft schools

Owner Patrick Kana | Designer Maker Easton, MD | October 2012 - Present Worked as self-employed furniture maker completing work on commission and speculation for private clients

Apprentice Vicco von Voss Furniture Design and Timber Frame, LLC

Centreville, MD December 2012 - Present Worked as primary assistant on commissioned furniture pieces as well as sculptural furniture on speculation; Learned small-scale logging techniques, strategic bandsaw mill operation, as well as safe Alaskan-mill operation; Provided consultation on business expansion through social media

Assistantship Center for Furniture Craftsmanship

Rockport, ME | July - September 2012 Selected to assist instructors with a range of summer workshops, as well as maintain the school's daily functions

Studio Assistant Penland School of Crafts

Penland, NC | June 2012 Invited by furniture maker Yoav Liberman to help teach the course Modern Campaign Furniture



Student Representative HWS Architecture Search Committee

Geneva, NY | Fall 2011 - Spring 2012 Aided in the evaluation and selection of future faculty members

Woodshop Assistant HWS Art + Architecture Department

Geneva, NY | August 2010 - May 2012 Maintained woodshop and machinery; taught woodshop certification program

Apprentice Sam Castner, IronVine Studios

Dundee, NY | June 2010 Learned basic metal fabrication and forging; assisted with completion of hand-forged commissioned sculptures

Apprentice Peter Dudley, Dudley Studios

Easton, MD | 2007 - 2010 Assisted with completion of hand-made electric guitars, as well as furniture pieces built on speculation and commission

Intern McMartin + Beggins Furniture Makers St. Michaels, MD | May 2008 + June 2009 Independently built a Federal-Style bookcase for owners' office

Exhibitions

The Geneva Chair The Davis Gallery Geneva, NY | April 2012



Annette and Michael Morrill | Stamford, CT William Frece | New York, NY Posey and William Boicourt | Trappe, MD Hobart & William Smith Colleges | Geneva, NY Elena Ciletti | Romulus, NY Michael Tinkler | Geneva, NY



Hand Drafting

Advanced Woodworking | Hand + Machine-Cut Joinery, Vacuum Forming, Turning, Advanced Finishing Techniques Woodshop Maintenance | Tuning, Blade + Knife Changing, Machinery Repair and Restoration Hand Tool Sharpening | Chisels + Plane Blades, Gouges, Cabinet Scrapers Metal Fabrication | MIG + TIG Welding Bronze Casting | Investment Casting

