

DENISE KEIM

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As an educator, visual narrator, and photographer, my vision and experience photographing the human landscape has led to work in academic, corporate, editorial, and design arenas.

SKILLS

Expert in positive communication, project management, data management, and team building. Highly motivated, adaptable, dependable, and resilient. Excellent problem solver and upbeat people person with diverse extensive experience in education, management, art, and travel. Digital and traditional master printer, website developer, social content creator and digital illustrator.

EDUCATION

Pennsylvania State University, MFA in Photography
Study Abroad - Puebla, Mexico

University of Dayton, BA in Photography
Study Abroad - Florence, Italy

Fulbright Scholar, Krakow, Poland

The Fulbright Program is the flagship international educational exchange program sponsored by the United States government. It is designed to increase mutual understanding between the people of the United States and the people of other countries.

Documented for a year the life and people of Poland. Lectured at The Academy of Fine Arts (Akademia Sztuk Pięknych) and exhibited photographs from the United States.

Internship with Mary Ellen Mark, New York, NY

Assisted an American photographer known for her photojournalism, documentary photography, portraiture, and advertising photography.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Freelance Photographer, New York, Chicago, Erie, PA, New Orleans (1995-2019)

Photographer and videographer of people, places, and things with an extensive portfolio of portraits and documentary photography. Nearly 25 years of archived photographs published in newspapers, magazines, and books. Exhibitions in international and national galleries and museums. This body of work is used for educational purposes and storytelling, editorial content, sold to private collectors and museum collections, and donated for community fundraisers and community services.

Adjunct Full-time Professor, Edinboro University of Pennsylvania, Edinboro, PA (2010-2018)

Created curriculum and taught beginning, intermediate, and advanced traditional and digital photography classes. Organized student exhibitions, field trips, and guest speakers; participated in several academic committees; maintained the facilities.

Educator, Erie Art Museum, Erie, PA (2013-2018)

Developed, organized, and taught photography workshops for youth and adults.

Artist in Residence, Erie V Gallery, Erie, PA (2016-2017)

Created and developed the artistic vision of the gallery and managed its day-to-day operations. Collected, curated, installed, and exhibited artwork by regional artists for the art community and the public.

Educator, Mercyhurst Preparatory School, Erie, PA (2018)

Taught international and regional high-school students how to create images with film cameras, develop film, and make darkroom prints.

Director, Bruce Gallery, Edinboro University of Pennsylvania, Edinboro, PA (2012-2013)

Ensured the installation of the works of art in the exhibition space; arranged transport and storage; managed permanent collection, PR and communication; updated the gallery website and social media accounts; managed volunteers; staffed the gallery. Solicited and chose artists for upcoming shows.

Program Director, Chicago Photography Center, Chicago, IL (2009-2010)

Managed instructors and volunteers; broadened CPC's curriculum; prepared exhibitions and openings; organized community events; taught classes; maintained the facility for the not-for-profit 501(c)3 photography community center.

Adjunct Professor, Harrington College of Design, Chicago, IL (2006-2010)

Created curriculum and taught digital photojournalism and portrait/wedding photography.

Knowledge Worker, Capgemini Consulting (Ernst & Young), Chicago, IL (2000-2004)

Accelerated Solutions Environment (ASE), the innovative way to resolve complex issues

Facilitated workshops that utilized patented decision-making processes and creative workspaces enabling Fortune 500 Companies to make more efficient and effective business decisions.

EXHIBITS

2018 The State Museum of Pennsylvania, "Art of the State", The 50th Annual Juried Exhibition, Harrisburg, PA

2017 Erie V Gallery, "Hell Yes, A Photographic Journey", Erie, PA

2017 Erie V Gallery, "Local Remix of Regional Photographers", Erie, PA

2017 Erie Art Museum, "Spring Show", Erie, PA

2016 Erie Art Museum, "Spring Show", Juror's Award, Erie, PA

2016 Artlore Studio, "Apple of my eye", Featured Artist, Erie, PA

2015 NPAA Biennial, "Under the Clock" Group Show, Erie, PA

2014 Erie Art Museum "EXPOSED: Recent Gifts to the Photography Collection", Erie, PA

2014 Erie Art Museum, "Spring Show", juried group show, Erie, PA

2013 "The Friends of Mercyhurst Art Show", Mercyhurst University, Erie, PA

2013 Performing Arts Center & Theater, "Ode to Fran the Art Man" group show, Erie PA

2013 Cummings Art Gallery, "A Second Look" group show, Mercyhurst University, Erie, PA

2011 Black Cloud Gallery, "Beginnings" juried group show, Chicago, IL

2011 Erie Art Museum, Art of Yoga Studio, "I Am That", Erie, PA

2011 Erie Art Museum, "Spring Show", juried group show, Erie, PA

2010-2018 Bruce Gallery, "Faculty Show", Edinboro University of Pennsylvania, Edinboro, PA

2010 MDT architecture interiors, Chicago, "Illinois Arts at Large", Chicago, IL

2009 "Bilateral Photographic Exhibition", Chicago, IL

2008 Portland Art Museum, "New on the Wall", Recent Photography Acquisitions, Portland, OR

2007 Blue Sky Gallery "27 photographs", Portland, OR

2007 The Bucktown Arts Fest, Chicago, IL

2006 Carbon County Cultural Project, Jim Thorpe, PA

2006 The Bucktown Arts Fest, Chicago, IL

2006 The John Galt Gallery, Chicago, IL

2005 The 4th Street Photo Gallery "The Return of Malcolm X", New York, NY

2005 The Bucktown Arts Fest, Chicago, IL

2003 Camp Heartland An Art Auction Benefit for children with AIDS, Chicago, IL

2001 Here Gallery "smile", New York, NY

2001 The 4th Street Photo Gallery "Universal Bliss" New York, NY

1998 Avenue A Gallery "The Fourth Show" New York, NY

1998 Saba Gallery "The Catalog for Giving" Photo Auction, New York, NY

1997 The 4th Street Photo Gallery "Poland and Vicinity", New York, NY

1996 Barnes and Noble "Recent Work in Eastern Europe", Erie, PA

1996 Erie Art Museum "Personal Visions: Photos from Eastern Europe", Erie, PA

1995 Union of Polish Photographers Gallery "An American Eye", Krakow, Poland

1995 The Renkin Galeria, Krakow, Poland

1994 The 4th Street Photo Gallery "New Work", New York, NY

ARTIST LECTURES

2014 Pecha Kucha 20/20 Presentation, Edinboro University of Pennsylvania, Edinboro, PA

2012 "Street Photography", Erie Photography Club, Erie, PA

2011 "Meditation on the Human Condition", Erie Art Museum, Erie, PA

2007 Blue Sky Gallery, Portland, OR

2005 Chicago Photography Center, Chicago, IL

2002 Editor/Lecturer at El Taller Para Las Americas, University of Miami, Miami, FL

1999 Christine Callahan's Photo Lecture Series, New York Empire State College, New York, NY

1998 Mercyhurst College, Erie, Pennsylvania

PUBLICATIONS

The Washington Post, Los Angeles Times Magazine, The New York Times Magazine, The Village Voice, MS. Magazine, Nieman Reports by Harvard, The Dayton Magazine, The Chicago Reader, TimeOut Chicago, *Illinois*

24/7 (America 24/7 State Book Series), Kiplinger's Personal Finance, *LeapFrog! The Ribbiting Tale*, The Erie Art Museum Book, *GoFish! The Offishial Tale*, The Erie Art Museum Book, Contact Sheet, American Photo, Erie Daily Times, Erie Reader, Edinboro University Spectator