

Debra Kayes DESIGNER • TEACHER • ARTIST

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Education

Columbia College Post-Bachelor Certificate of Major in Graphic Design, 2009
University of Wisconsin-Madison Master of Fine Arts, Painting and Sculpture, 2003
Skidmore College Bachelor of Science, Fine Arts major and minor in Art History, 2000
Studio Art Centers International Study Abroad Program, Florence, Italy, 1998

Web Design Experience

Foundry Art Tiles Back-end coding, <http://www.lowitzandcompany.com/foundryart/index.html>, 2009
Lowitz & Company Back-end coding, <http://www.lowitzandcompany.com/>, 2009
Stephanie Adams Art Content Management System, www.debrakayes.com/cmstest, 2009
Sticky Worldwide Internship, web site design, 2009
One Month Web Site Design and back end coding www.onemonthproject/, 2008

Print Design Experience

Chicago Danz Theater Kids Project, logo, 2009
Organa Photography Logo and business card design, sticker packaging, 2009
Sticky Worldwide Internship, illustration and logo design, 2009
Jo Minaxe Photography Book layout of *After the Flood*, business card, logo, gallery display signs, 2009
Simpson Academy For Young Women Poster and pamphlet layout for school play, 2009
Chicago Alliance Against Sexual Exploitation Flyer for *The Price of Sex; a Film About the Sex Trade*, layout of *Media Action Toolkit*
Layout of *Demand Deterrence Strategies*, 2008

Teaching Experience

Columbia College Part-time Faculty, Two Dimensional Design, 2007-date, Design Lab 2009-date
Hastings College Assistant Professor of Art and Art History, and Art Gallery Director, Two Dimensional Design, Painting, Color and Composition, Art History, Modernism Through Now, 2003-2007
University of Wisconsin-Madison Teacher's Assistant, Instructor of Record, Two Dimensional Design, Drawing Level II, 2001-2003

Selected Grants/Honors

Internet Publication and Promotions Award Backstreet Gallery Santa Monica, CA, 2004
Albert K. Murray Fine Arts Educational Grant 2002 and 2003

Selected Art and Design Exhibitions

Gimme Baby Robots Various locations including Chicago and San Francisco, 2008 and 2009
Illustrated Anthology of Short Stories Vespine Gallery, Chicago, IL, 2008
New American Paintings No. 72, Open Studios Press, 2007
Miniatures and Multiples Around the Coyote Gallery, Chicago, IL, 2006
NOVA Young Art Fair Chicago, IL, 2005
The Stray Show Chicago, IL, 2004
think small Illinois State Museum, Chicago, Lockport, Rend Lake, Springfield, IL, 2004

Skills

Adobe Suite, XHTML, CSS Very comfortable
Flash Basic knowledge

Memberships

AIGA 2008 to date
National Education Association 2007 to date
College Art Association 2003 to 2007