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EDUCATION:

2016-Present **Master of Arts in Teaching (MAT)** – Concordia University, Portland, OR
Endorsement: Secondary Art Education
Anticipated completion date: Spring 2018

1999-2004 **Bachelor of Fine Arts** – University of Idaho, Moscow, ID
Emphasis in Printmaking

EDUCATION EXPERIENCE:

2016-Present **K-8 Art Teacher**
Charter School: Drawing, Painting, Printmaking, Art History, Book Making, Clay Sculpture and Clay firing
The Cottonwood School of Science and Civics, Portland, OR

- Create and implement all art lesson plans for kindergarten through eighth grade classes
- Order all supplies for art lessons
- Help coordinate art shows and events throughout the school year

2011-Present **Youth, Teen and Adult Art Instructor**
Arts Center: Drawing, Painting, Printmaking, Book Making and Sculpture
Multnomah Arts Center, Portland, OR

- Create and implement lesson plans for art classes
- Instruct two-dimensional and three-dimensional art class and camps for youth and teens
- Created Letterpress program and instruct Letterpress, Lithography and Drawing classes for teens and adults
- Work as Printmaking Studio Technician during open studio hours

2015 **Teen and Adult Letterpress and Poster-press Instructor**
Arts Center: Letterpress
Independent Publishing Resource Center, Portland, OR

- Implemented IPRC's lesson plans for letterpress and poster-press class
- Instruct and assist students on proper printmaking techniques
- Encourage creative thinking and problem solving regarding the creation of student's prints

2015 **Teen and Adult Drawing and Lithography Instructor**
Arts Center: Drawing and Lithography
Sitka Center for Art and Ecology, Otis, OR

- Created and Taught curriculum for beginning as well as advanced artists
- Instructed and assisted students on the fundamentals of drawing and the basics of lithography
- Worked with students to create an edition of lithograph prints

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INTERESTS

- Interests: Drawing and Printmaking
- Interests: Book making, Zine making
- Interests: Northwest history and Portland music history
- Interests: Bicycle touring and bicycle maintenance

REFERENCES:

- **Amanda McAdoo**
 - Director: The Cottonwood School of Science and Civics
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