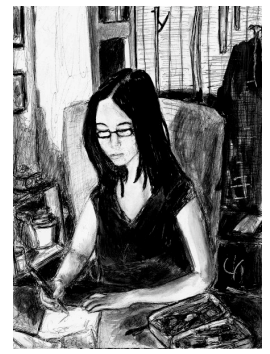


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Emerging artist with over fifteen years of illustration and painting experience, skilled in video & sound composition with the use of Final Cut Pro and Pro Tools, self-publisher, and self-taught in html web design; Lovingly crafts handmade cards & artist books as gifts with the use of bookbinding techniques.

## **BORN**

1979 Warren, MI

## **EDUCATION**

1998-2004 **The School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Bachelor of Fine Arts, Chicago, IL**

1995-1998 **Center for Advanced Studies and the Arts, Oak Park, MI**

## **AWARDS**

2007 **2007 Arts Tour Poster Graphic Winner, ArtWalkRavenswood, Chicago, IL**

2005 **Shifting Gears Award, VSA Arts & Volkswagen of America, Inc., Washington D.C.**

1996, 1997, 1998 **Scholastic Art Awards, Michigan Regional Competition**

1996, 1997 **Congressional Arts Award, Congressman Sander Levin, Madison Heights, MI**

## **SOLO EXHIBITIONS**

2009 ***Illustrated Works*, The Woods Gallery, Huntington Woods, MI**

## **GROUP EXHIBITIONS**

2008, 2006 ***Reach for the Stars...Transform A Life, Artist and Celebrity Plate Auction***

***Benefiting Survivors of Domestic Violence*, Waltham Westin Hotel, Waltham, MA**

2008 ***American Academy of Orthopedic Surgeons' eMotion Pictures: An Exhibition of***

***Orthopedics*, Moscone Convention Center, San Francisco, CA /Chicago Cultural Center, Chicago, IL**

2007 ***ArtWalkRavenswood's 2007 October Tour of Arts and Industry*, Feed the Beast Restaurant, Chicago, IL**

2006 ***Navigation/Negotiation Juried Exhibition*, Gene Siskel Film Center, Chicago, IL**

- 2005-2008            ***Shifting Gears Touring Exhibit***, The Smithsonian International Gallery,  
Washington D.C.
- 2001                    ***Around the Coyote Art Festival***, Studio 1437, Chicago, IL

**COMMISSIONED ARTWORK**

- 2009                    ***Sean Flannery Unlimited***, Chicago, IL  
Illustrated animation created for multimedia one-man show comedy performance at  
Chicago Underground Comedy.
- 2008                    **Community Legal Resources**, Detroit, MI  
Created art prints in honor of Community Legal Resources 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, awarded  
to the law firms and lawyers who volunteered their services to make a better Detroit.
- 2007                    **Vittum Theater/Adventure Stage Chicago**, Chicago, IL  
Created lobby display artwork for theater’s production of Timberlake Wertenbaker’s  
“*The Ash Girl*.”
- 2005                    **Lupus Now Magazine**, Washington D.C.  
Illustrated comic story for Lupus Now Magazine.

**PUBLICATIONS**

- Present                ***Geli Girl***, Self-published comic book series
- 2008                    ***eMotion Pictures: An Exhibition of Orthopedics in Art***  
Featured artist in publication by the American Academy of Orthopedic Surgeons
- 2007                    ***Physical Disabilities: The Ultimate Teen Guide, It Happened to Me Series***  
Illustrator and interviewee for publication by Denise Thorton, Scarecrow Press, Inc
- 2002-2004            ***Morning Star: Comics and Stuff***, Self-published comic book series

**RELATED WORK EXPERIENCE**

- 2008                    **After School Matters Fine Arts and Multimedia Book Design Program**,  
Chicago, IL
- Assisted high school students in learning bookbinding, drawing, and painting skills.
  - Put together end of the program video presentation and art exhibit.
- 2007-2008            **Asian Human Services LEAF Program**, Chicago, IL
- Designed flyers, postcards, & brochures for various LEAF programs.

- Created mural-sized posters for AHS’s AmeriCorps Global Youth Service Day.
- Compiled and skillfully edited footage to create videos for end of the year celebration events for the after school & day care program.
- Created murals designed as teaching aides for daycare program.
- Developed and implemented art activities for daycare, after school, high school, & adult classrooms.

2004-2005

**Northwestern University Settlement House, Chicago, IL**

- Collaborated in the design and construction of a room-sized fairytale castle for Halloween event geared towards ages 2-6.
- Built backdrops and created stage props for a play in children’s summer program.
- Developed and implemented art activities for both after school and Head Start programs.
- Created various artistic teaching aides for Head Start and after school program.

2004-2005

**CCT Gallery, Chicago, IL**

- Assisted with hanging artwork and preparations for gallery art receptions.

2001-2002

**The School of the Art Institute of Chicago’s First Year Program, Chicago, IL**

- Collected submissions for First Year Program Art Bash 2002.
- Created archive for slides of student artwork and recordings of the FYP Colloquium Series.

2000

**Bucktown Pictures/Maestro-Matic, Chicago, IL**

- Assisted with film production of “*Siam in Light.*”
- Edited and duplicated videos.
- Conducted sound library research for Big Idea Production’s “*3-2-1 Penguins!*”

**AFFILIATIONS**

2000-present

**Day2alliance Artist Collective, Member**

2000-present

**International Arts Movement, Member**

2000-2002

**Arts & Culture Ministry, Group Leader, Covenant Presbyterian Church of Chicago, Chicago, IL**