

Education

Rochester Institute of Technology Rochester, New York
School for American Crafts
Master of Fine Arts in Furniture Design
August 2015

Hobart and William Smith Colleges Geneva, NY
Bachelor of Arts in Architectural Studies + Studio Art
Minor in Environmental Studies
May 2012
Summa Cum Laude
Phi Beta Kappa
Honors in Studio Art

Danish Institute for Study Abroad Copenhagen, Denmark
Furniture Design Studio + Workshop | June - August 2011

Center for Furniture Craftsmanship Rockport, ME
Chair Making with Michael Fortune | July 2010

Academic
Honors

Selectee, Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society, RIT March 2014

Selectee, Sigma Alpha Pi Honor Society, RIT September 2014
National Society of Leadership and Success

Senior Prize in Architecture, HWS Colleges May 2012

The Arthur Dove Award, HWS Colleges May 2012

Powermatic Student Scholar, The Furniture Society 2010

Experience

Owner Kana Studios LLC

Geneva, NY | May 2016 - Current

Furniture and sculpture studio for private creative practice; also functions as a co-op style woodworking studio supporting 4 independent businesses

Maker Space Manager

Northeastern University, College of Arts, Media and Design

Boston, Massachusetts | September 2018 - Present

Manage woodshops and digital fabrication facilities; coordinate 30 student staff, and 1 full-time co-op. Conduct all safety and instructional training, and advise course integration of fabrication methods.

Visiting Lecturer

Massachusetts College of Art and Design, Fine Arts 3D

Boston, Massachusetts | January 2020 - Present

Courses Taught: *Wood Carving*

Adjunct Faculty

Northeastern University, College of Arts, Media, and Design

Boston, Massachusetts | August 2019 - Present

Courses Taught: *3D Tools*: (7 sections taught annually)

Courses Proposed: *Advanced Wood Fabrication*

Mentor, Low-Residency MFA Program

Massachusetts College of Art and Design

Boston, Massachusetts | Spring 2018

Visiting Assistant Professor

HWS Colleges, Art & Architecture

Geneva, NY | January 2015 - May 2018

Courses Taught: *Process and Design: Furniture*
Three-Dimensional Design

Studio Technician

HWS Colleges, Art & Architecture

Geneva, NY | August 2015 - May 2018

Adjunct Instructor Furniture Design Program, RIT

Rochester, NY | September 2014 - May 2015

Courses Taught: *Furniture Design Elective*

Teaching Assistant Furniture Design Program, RIT

Rochester, NY | September 2013 - December 2014

Graduate Assistant Furniture Design Program, RIT

Rochester, NY | September 2013 - May 2015

Owner Patrick Kana | Designer Maker

Easton, MD | October 2012 - May 2016

Self-employed furniture maker working on commission

Apprentice Vicco von Voss Furniture Design and Timber Frame, LLC

Centreville, MD | December 2012 - August 2013

Assistantship Center for Furniture Craftsmanship

Rockport, ME | July - September 2012

Studio Assistant Penland School of Crafts

Penland, NC | June 2012

Course: *Modern Campaign Furniture*

Instructor: *Yoav Liberman*

Student Representative Faculty Search Committee

HWS Art & Architecture Department

Geneva, NY | Fall 2011 - Spring 2012

Woodshop Assistant HWS Art + Architecture Department

Geneva, NY | August 2010 - May 2012

Apprentice Sam Castner, Ironvine Studios

Dundee, NY | June 2010

Apprentice Peter Dudley, Dudley Studios

Easton, MD | 2007 - 2010

Intern McMartin + Beggins Furniture Makers

St. Michaels, MD | May 2008 + June 2009

Solo
Shows

Recent Works: 2012 - 2015 Solarium Gallery, HWS Colleges
Geneva, NY | September 2015

Forma Naturalis Main St. Arts Gallery
Clifton Springs, NY | June 2015

Forma Naturalis Bevier Gallery, RIT
MFA Thesis Show
Rochester, NY | April 2015

The Geneva Chair Davis Gallery, HWS Colleges
Honors Exhibition
Geneva, NY | April 2012

Group
Exhibitions

CULTIVATE Main St. Arts Gallery
Clifton Springs, NY | April 2018 - May 2018

Wood Transformed VIEW Arts Center
Old Forge, NY | November 2017 - March 2018

On the Edge of Your Seat: Chairs for the 21st Century
Center for Art in Wood
Philadelphia, PA | May 2016

Branches, Brambles, and Roots VIEW Arts Center
Old Forge, NY | June 2016

Lasting Impressions Rochester Contemporary Art Center
Rochester, NY | April 2015

Graduate Research and Creativity Symposium
University Gallery, RIT
Top MFA Presentation
Rochester, NY | February 2015

Great Expectations Gallery r
Rochester, NY | November 2014

FLORA Main St. Arts Gallery
Best in Show
Clifton Springs, NY | May 2014

Convergence University Gallery, RIT
Juried Exhibition for 3rd Annual Graduate Research Symposium
Rochester, NY | April 2014

Relevant Influence Gallery r
Rochester, NY | February 2014

