# Julia F. Taylor

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**EDUCATION** 

2008 Master of Fine Arts, Printmaking

University of Wisconsin-Madison, Art Department, Graphics Area, Madison, WI

2004 - 2005 Independent study, Digital Photography & Inkjet Digital Output, and Lithograph

University of Wisconsin, Art Department, Graphics area, Madison, WI

2003 **Diploma of Master** (equivalent Master of Arts degree in the U.S.), **Specialty: Fine, Decorative** 

and Applied Arts; Specialization: Graphics, Printmaking

The National Academy of Fine Arts and Architecture, Kiev, Ukraine

1999 Diploma of Specialist, Specialty: Graphic Artist

The National Academy of Fine Arts and Architecture, Kiev, Ukraine

**SCHOLARSHIP & AWARD** 

2007 Vilas Travel Grant Award

2007 Eugene F. Dana Graduate Art Student Scholarship

**VISITING ARTIST** 

2009 University of Wisconsin-Madison

Work presentation & lecture; advanced etching class

2008 Milwaukee Institute of Art and Design

Work presentation. Printmaking demonstration: photosensitive plates

2008 University of Wisconsin-Marathon County

Exhibition & slide lecture

PROFFESIONAL EXPERIENCE

2009 - 2010 Lithography Assistant

University of Wisconsin-Madison, Art Department

Assisted professor Jack Damer with 316 Beginning Lithography class. Printing techniques demonstration. Advised and assisted undergraduate and graduate students with advanced printing. Participated in class discussions and critiques. Managed lab equipment and supplies.

2008 Lithography Lecturer

University of Wisconsin-Madison, Art Department

Devised a structural course for 316 Beginning Lithography class. Emphasized exploration and blending of traditional and modern techniques and approaches. Created and prepared lesson plans; integrated demonstrations and student projects with lecture material; directed class

discussions and in-depth critiques; coordinated field trips.

2007 - present Art Instructor

University of Wisconsin Continuing Education, Madison, WI

Designed and instructed own art fundamentals and introduction to printmaking courses; developed and implemented lesson plans; topical projects; in-class visual presentations; material and technique demonstration; facilitated group critiques and discussions.

#### 2006 - 2007 Teaching Assistant Position

University of Wisconsin-Madison, Art Department, Madison, WI

Taught 2-D design classes of non-art and art major undergraduate students.

Developed artistic and writing projects and syllabus design; planned lesson and field trips; facilitated group and individual critiques. Course focused on art elements and design principles implementation, including Color theory. Evaluated student work and assigned final grades. Assisted students with their portfolio and art show presentations.

#### 2005 - 2007 Gallery Coordinator

Overture Center for the Arts, Madison, WI

Worked with Dane County artists and art organizations to prepare exhibitions at the Overture Galleries. Organized and worked with the Exhibit Selection Committee to review art proposals for display. Scheduled and assisted the mounting and dismantling of the galleries' quarterly shows. Wrote press releases, assembled media packets, and corresponded with the media. Edited and disseminated advertising and communication including posters, web site information, brochures, and flyers.

#### 2004 Art Instructor

Allis Elementary School, Madison, WI

Created and organized an art and nature program for children in grades 1 - 3. Developed instruction program to use natural and found materials with artistic projects.

#### 2000 - 2001 Professor's Assistant

The National Academy of Fine Arts and Architecture, Kiev, Ukraine

Designed and implemented a program of instruction for students. Taught undergraduate students composition and drawing fundamentals, and use of printmaking techniques, such as linoleum cutting and etching. Assisted with organizing and advertising the students' work exhibitions. Organized and arranged local and international gallery exhibitions and presentations. Taught private art classes for students of different ages and artistic backgrounds.

# **RELATED PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

#### 2000 - 2001 Computer Artist

Boston Animation, Kiev, Ukraine

Created images for several computer games for US company. Designed and painted textures for models and interiors for PC/Mac playstation. Developed and designed graphics for business and education web site for youth and adults to help develop their memory and visual skills. Advised 3D designers on game layout and composition. Developed extensive experience using PC systems including using Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, PowerPoint, and scanning images. Organized and managed expansive company library.

#### 1993 - present Freelance Work

Developed and designed private studio art lessons for adult students. Illustrated books for children and adults. Designed and created images for magazines; invitations; posters; brochures; logos; and pamphlets, using watercolor, colored pencils, gouache, pen and ink, collage, Adobe Photoshop, and traditional printmaking techniques. Organized and curated print exchanges between national and international emerging and established artists.

Organized and scheduled all aspects of art shows including exhibit proposal submission, show installation, and advertisement; presented works at numerous local and international gallery exhibitions.

#### **RELATED SKILLS**

# **Printmaking Processes & Techniques**

- LithographyIntaglioSerigraphy
- Relief
- Monotype, Monoprint
- Chine CollèCollograph

# **Computer Skills**

- Adobe Photoshop
- •Microsoft Office / Word, Excel, PowerPoint
- •Inkjet Digital Output

# **SOLO EXHIBITIONS**

# \* indicates juried exhibit

2008	*"Private Investigations", ARTspace, Madison Municipal building, Madison, WI
2008	"Private Investigations", Master of Fine Arts exhibit, 7 <sup>th</sup> Floor Gallery, Madison, WI
2006	"Retrospective Show", Women's' Studies Research Center, Madison, WI
2003	"Master of Arts Exhibition", the National Academy of Fine Arts and Architecture Gallery, Kiev,

# Ukraine

# **SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS**

2010	*23 <sup>rd</sup> Annual McNeese National Works on Paper Exhibition", juror: Peter Frank, Abercrombie Gallery, Lake Charles, LA
2010	*"Home Sweet Home" and "Let Me Introduce Myself", ARTspace, Madison Municipal Building, Madison, WI
2010	"Home Sweet Home" & "Let Me Introduce Myself" print exchanges, The Jackie Macaulay Gallery, Madison, WI
2010	* "Home Sweet Home", Overture Center for the Arts, Madison, WI
2009 2009 2009	* "Women in REDzine", Red Gym Gallery, Madison, WI, organizer & curator: Darsel Christenson "Danger", Print Exchange, Art House Gallery, Atlanta, GA *"Home Sweet Home", Theater Gallery, Wisconsin Union Galleries, Madison, WI
2008 2008 2008 2008	*"80-th Student Art Show", Wisconsin Union Galleries, Madison, WI "A Map of the World", International Print Exchange, organizer: Waverly Liu *"Stacey Heim & Julia Taylor: Recent Works", UWMC Gallery, Wausau, WI "Command Print", Member Exchange Portfolio for the 2008 Southern Graphics Conference, Richmond, VA
2007 2007	"Printed: Graphics Area Exhibit", 7 <sup>th</sup> Floor Gallery, Madison, WI "Dreams", 35 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary, Invitational, Fanny Garver Gallery, Madison, WI

2007 2007 2007	"Third Year MFA Graduate Review Exhibit", 7 <sup>th</sup> Floor Gallery, Madison, WI "All Media MFA Show", Oshkosh, WI "Graphics Area Show", 7 <sup>th</sup> Floor Gallery, Madison, WI
2007	*"QUIETloud", Overture Center for the Arts, Madison, WI
2006	"Intimate Transmission", Print Exchange, Cape Town, South Africa and Madison, Wisconsin, organizer: John Hitchcock, Associate Professor of Art, Printmaking, University of Wisconsin-Madison
2006	"A Gathering of Printmakers: 53 Artists from Across the United States and Abroad", Print Exchange, Gorman Museum, University of California at Davis: Davis, CA and Pao Hall Gallery, Purdue University: West Lafayette, IN. Curated by Melanie Yazzie, Associate Professor of Printmaking, University of Colorado at Boulder
2006	"Print Zero Studios", Print Exchange 4, organizers: Jeremy Cody & Brian Lane
2006	"Print Zero Studios", Print Exchange 4, Old Inlet Pritnmakers Co-Op, Homer, AK
2006	"Print Zero Studios", Print Exchange 4, Basil Hallward Gallery, Portland, OR
2006	"Print Zero Studios", Print Exchange 4, Sev Shoon Arts Center, Seattle, WA
2006	"Print Zero Studios", Print Exchange 4, Rainbow Building Gallery, Gables, FL
2006	*"Fresh Hot Press", ARTspace, Madison Municipal Building, Madison, WI
2006	*"Fresh Hot Press", Overture Center for the Arts, Madison, WI
2006	"First Base: First Year Graduate Review Exhibit", 7th Floor Gallery, Madison, WI
2006	"B.A.T. Right to Print: Graphics Area Show", 7 <sup>th</sup> Floor Gallery, Madison, WI
2006	"90-th Anniversary of The National Academy of Fine Arts and Architecture: Best Graduate Student Works", Invitational, Gallery of National Academy of Fine Arts and Architecture, Kiev, Ukraine
2006	"Crosspollinations", Print Exchange, organized for the Southern Graphics Council Conference, organizer: Joseph Velasquez
2005	"60-th Anniversary of Dean: Best Students' Works", Gallery of The National Academy of Fine Arts and Architecture, Kiev, Ukraine
2005	"The Art of Printmaking", Invitational, Fanny Garver Gallery, Madison, WI
2004	"Hueless", HUE Gallery, Madison, WI, Invitational
2004	"National Academy of Fine Arts and Architecture: Students' Works", Krakow, Poland
2003	"Eurografik 2003/2005, Integration Bridge of European Culture", Invitational, Municipal Gallery Lavra, Kiev, Ukraine
1999	"Rhapsody of Symbols", Gallery Irena, Kiev, Ukraine
1999	"Fall Salon", Artists' Union Gallery, Painting, Graphic Art, Kiev, Ukraine
1998	"Exhibition of Ukrainian Artists", 60 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Artists' Union, Artists' Union Gallery, Kiev, Ukraine
1998	"Closed in a Circle", Gallery of Young Artists, Kiev, Ukraine
1998	"Mini-Print International", Graphic Art, Japan
1998	"Great Ukrainian Women Artists" - Lavra Municipal Gallery, Kiev, Ukraine
1998	"Mini Print International", 18-th Biennial of Mini Graphic Art, Barcelona, Spain
1998	"Boys & Girls", Artists' Union Gallery, Kiev, Ukraine
1997	"Ex-Libris International Contest", Buenos Aires, Argentina
1997	"Fairy Tales", International Ex-libris, 18 <sup>th</sup> Graphic Art Biennial, Museumcomplex Zwijgershoek, Sint-Niklaas, Belgium
1997	"Mini Print International", 17 <sup>th</sup> Biennial of Mini Graphic Art, Barcelona, Spain

1997 "Young Artists Chose Art", Gallery of Young Artists, Kiev, Ukraine

1997 "Harmony", Gallery 36, Kiev, Ukraine

1996 - 97 "Havana – Kiev: Poster and Graphic Art", Tadzio Gallery, Kiev, Ukraine, Trinidad, Pinar Del Rio,

Havana

1996 \*"Mini- print", Ex-Libris exhibition, Gallery 36, Kiev, Ukraine

1996 "Youth Exhibition", Yalta, Ukraine

#### **EXHIBITIONS & PRINT EXCHANGE ORGANIZED & CURATED**

2010 "Opposition". International Print Exchange

2010 "Home Sweet Home" & "Let Me Introduce Myself", print exchanges, ARTspace, Madison

Municipal Building, Madison, WI

2010 "Home Sweet Home" & "Let Me Introduce Myself" print exchanges, The Jackie Macaulay

Gallery, Madison, WI

2010 "Home Sweet Home", Overture Center for the Arts, Madison, WI

2009 "Let Me Introduce Myself", International Print Exchange

2009 "Home Sweet Home", Theater Gallery, Wisconsin Union Galleries, Madison, WI

2008 "Home Sweet Home", National Print Exchange

2008 "Fresh Hot Press", Overture Center for the Arts, Madison, WI

2007 "Art a la Carte: Art is so Good You Can Taste It", 734 Gallery, Madison, WI

2007 "QUIETIoud", Overture Center for the Arts, Madison, WI

2006 "Two Sides of One Story", CommonWealth Gallery, Madison, WI

2000 "3+2", Exhibition of Young Artists, Gallery of Young Artists Kiev, Ukraine

1999 "Rhapsody of Symbols", Gallery Irena, Kiev, Ukraine

#### **CONFERENCES**

2001 International Conference of Young Artists from six East European countries, Invitational,

Didimotehon, Greece

1997 "International Conference of Young Artists", Invitational, Crimea, Ukraine

#### PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATION MEMBERSHIP

2007 - present2007 - presentCollege Art Association

2005 - 2008 Fresh Hot Press, University of Wisconsin - Madison Print Club

1996 - present Young Artists Union, Kiev, Ukraine

#### **COLLECTIONS, CATALOGS & PRESS**

National Academy of Fine Arts and Architecture, Kiev, Ukraine

University of Colorado, Bolder, CO

Southern Graphics Council Archives at the University of Mississippi

Virginia Commonwealth Printmaking Archives

Private collections: Poland, Denmark, Austria, Serbia, USA, Canada

"50/50, A Survey of Contemporary Printmaking", Catalog, feature four images, pages: 158-159,

2009. Organizer & curator: Jeremy Cody

"Women in REDzine", Magazine, Campus Women's Center Publication, Volume 3,

Edition1, feature two images: cover & page 18, 2009, Madison, WI

Eurografik, European Culture Integration Bridge. Catalog, feature image, 2003, page: 49, Kiev, Ukraine

"Great Ukrainian Women Artists' 98", Catalog, feature image, 1998, page: 29, Kiev, Ukraine

<sup>&</sup>quot;quietLoud speaks volumes at the Overture Center", exhibit review by Emily Semmelman, The Daily Cardinal, March 11, 2007, Madison, WI

<sup>&</sup>quot;The Phase of the Moon and Wunderkind's Suffering", exhibit review by Oksana Lamonova, "Dyehn", newspaper, page: 7, December 1<sup>st</sup>, 1999, Kiev, Ukraine