

STEVE GARST

Artist & Instructor
Curriculum Vitae

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Education

- 2011-2014** **MFA: Studio Art, Printmaking**
Miami University, Oxford, OH
- 2008-2009** **MA: Studio Art: Focus in Printmaking**
Ball State University, Muncie, IN
- 2003-2007** **BFA: Printmaking**
Ball State University, Muncie, IN

Teaching

- 2018-current** **Associate Adjunct Faculty - University of Indianapolis, Indianapolis, IN**
Courses taught: First Year Seminar: Avant Garde to Pop (FYS 172, 3 courses)
Community Immersion in the Arts (ART 104, 1 course)
Art Appreciation (ART 110, 6 courses)
- 2018** **Adjunct Faculty - University of Indianapolis, Indianapolis, IN**
Courses taught: Art Experience: Drawing (ART 105, 1 course)
Art Experience: Color and Design (ART 105, 2 courses)
- 2014-2017** **Lecturer - University of Wisconsin- Oshkosh, Oshkosh, WI**
Courses taught: Understanding the Arts (ART 105, 2 courses)
Drawing I (ART 111)
Introduction to Digital Art (ART 142, 2 courses)
Figure Drawing (ART 234, 334, & 434, 2 courses)
Intaglio I, II, & III (ART 260 & 360, & 460, 2 courses)
Relief I, II, & III (ART 261, 361 & 461)
Serigraphy I, II, & III (ART 262, 362, & 462, 2 courses)
Commercial Illustration (ART 336)
Advanced Illustration (ART 436)
- 2016** **Lecturer - University of Wisconsin- Stevens Point, Stevens Point, WI**
Courses taught: Printmaking Survey II: Monotype and Lithography (ART 222)
- 2011-2014** **Instructor of Record - Miami University, Oxford, OH**
Courses taught: Drawing (ART 155)
Drawing II (ART 122)
Printmaking I (ART 241)
Hand Media: Letterpress (ART 450, 3 courses)
Bookbinding (ART 499C A)

2011-2014 Graduate Teaching Assistant - Miami University, Oxford, OH

Courses assisted: Printmaking I (ART 241)

Advanced Printmaking (ART 341, 342, 441, 442, 5 courses)

2009-2011 Contract Faculty - Ball State University, Muncie, IN

Courses taught: Drawing 1 (AFA 101, 7 courses)

Art Appreciation (AED 200L, 3 courses)

2D Foundations (AED 101, 2 courses)

3D Foundations (AED 102, 2 courses)

Professional Experience**2005-current Owner/ Operator - Happy Camper Press, Fortville, IN**

- Print and sell fine prints, books, and ephemera.
- Maintain six printing presses (Wright, Kluge, Nolan, Potter #2, 5x8 Kelsey, Sigwalt #11).
- Refurbish printing presses (Vandercook #3, Reliance iron hand press, many proof presses).

2017-2018 Exhibitions and Studio Technician - Indianapolis Art Center, Indianapolis, IN

- Installed and coordinated exhibitions in Nuvo awarded best gallery in Indianapolis.
- Built gallery furniture and restored artwork in permanent collection.
- Coordinated models and maintained studios for adult classes.
- Provided support for education programs.

2015-2017 Wood Shop Supervisor - University of Wisconsin- Oshkosh, Oshkosh, WI

- Repaired and maintained woodworking tools in an art studio wood shop.
- Hired, trained, and supervised student technicians.
- Led workshops and assisted students with projects.

2011-2014 Hiestand Gallery Graduate Assistant - Miami University, Oxford, OH

- Installed/uninstalled over 20 exhibitions per year.
- Helped coordinate national and international shipping/receiving of art.
- Assisted gallery director in day-to-day gallery operations.

2011-2014 Printmaking Shop Technician - Miami University, Oxford, OH

- Maintained facilities and presses in printmaking studio.
- Built 22x30 rosin box for intaglio studio.
- Assisted students with all technical aspects of printing.

2009-2011 Director/Curator - Living Room Gallery, Muncie, IN

- Proposed, designed, and installed new gallery space exhibiting local and regional artists.
- Planned annual exhibition schedule; juried and curated exhibitions.

2008-2009 Atrium Gallery Graduate Assistant - Ball State University, Muncie, IN

- Installed average of 12 group and solo exhibits annually in a multi-gallery space.
- Designed fliers and postcards for upcoming exhibits.
- Coordinated national and international shipping/receiving of art and acted as liaison between the gallery and exhibiting artists.

2008-2009 Printmaking Shop Technician – Ball State University, Muncie, IN

- Maintained facilities and presses in printmaking studio.
- Gave letterpress demonstrations whenever necessary.
- Assisted students with all technical aspects of printing.

Workshops & Presentations

- 2019 Steam Roller Print Event – Workshop Assistant (forthcoming)**
Indianapolis Art Center, Indianapolis, IN
- 2019 Making Replacement Wood Type with a Laser Cutter – Workshop Instructor**
University of Indianapolis, Indianapolis, IN
- 2018 Charting the Un/Familiar: The preservation of letterpress through community – Presenter**
College Book Arts Association Conference, Philadelphia, PA
- 2016 Letterpress Workshop – Visiting Artist**
University of Wisconsin- Stevens Point, Stevens Point, WI
- 2015 Pressure Printing Greeting Card Workshop – Instructor**
University of Wisconsin- Oshkosh, Oshkosh, WI
- 2013 Bookbinding Workshop – Visiting Artist**
Wright State University, Dayton, OH
- 2012 AIGA Screen printing fall Workshop- Instructor**
Miami University, Oxford, OH
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Miami University, Oxford, OH
- 2011 AIGA Screen printing spring Workshop- Instructor**
Miami University, Oxford, OH
- 2008 AIGA Christmas Card Letterpress Workshop- Instructor**
Ball State University, Muncie, IN

Solo & Two Person Exhibitions

- 2018 The Dutch Elm Suite**
Hancock County Library, Greenfield, IN
- 2016 The Dutch Elm Suite**
Polk Library, University of Wisconsin- Oshkosh, Oshkosh, WI

- 2015** **A Lack of Clear Direction**
 Priebe Gallery, University of Wisconsin- Oshkosh, Oshkosh, WI
Wander
 Becket's, Oshkosh, WI
- 2014** **Retention and Erosion, MFA Thesis Exhibition**
 Hiestand Galleries, Miami University, Oxford, OH
- 2011** **New Work**
 Atrium Gallery, Ball State University, Muncie, IN
- 2010** **Discovering the Narrative**
 Kennedy Library, Muncie, IN
- 2009** **Recent Work**
 Living Room Gallery, Muncie, IN
The Hunt for Asparagus: an exhibition of artist book
 Bracken Library, Ball State University, Muncie, IN
Intertwining Myth and Narrative, MA Thesis Exhibition
 Atrium Gallery, Ball State University, Muncie, IN

Group and Juried Exhibitions

- 2019** **39th National Print Exhibition,**
 Artlink Gallery, Fort Wayne, IN
Biennial Faculty Exhibition
 University of Indianapolis, Indianapolis, IN
- 2018** **60 Square Inches**
 Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN
2nd Annual IAC Print Exchange Exhibition
 Indianapolis Art Center, Indianapolis, IN
38th National Print Exhibition,
 Artlink Gallery, Fort Wayne, IN
- 2017** **David and Sarjini Johnson Legacy Exhibit**
 Gordy's Fine Art and Framing Gallery, Muncie, IN
Mish Mash,
 Indianapolis Art Center, Indianapolis, IN
37th National Print Exhibition,
 Artlink Gallery, Fort Wayne, IN
- 2016** **Biennial Faculty Exhibition**
 University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh, Oshkosh, WI
Nexus
 Mid American Printmakers Council Conference, Louisville, KY
Annual Faculty Exhibition
 University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point, Stevens Point, WI
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 Hiestand Galleries, Miami University, Oxford, OH

- 2015** **New Impressions in American Letterpress**
Hamilton Wood Type Museum, Two Rivers, WI
Art & Paper
Arterie Fine Arts, Naperville, IL
35th National Print Exhibition,
Artlink Gallery, Fort Wayne, IN
24th Parkside National Small Print Exhibition,
University of Wisconsin-Parkside, Kenosha, WI
2nd Annual Invitation Exhibit,
Gordy's Fine Art and Framing Gallery, Muncie, IN
- 2014** **Less is More,**
Signal Return Gallery, Detroit, MI
Biennial Faculty Exhibition,
Priebe Gallery, University of Wisconsin- Oshkosh, Oshkosh, WI
- 2013** **Graduate Open Forum,**
Hiestand Galleries, Miami University, Oxford, OH
Slow Read,
Venue 222 Gallery, Cincinnati, OH
Student International Small Print Show,
Cairo, Egypt
- 2012** **Greendoor International Print Exchange,**
Derbyshire, UK
For a Better World, Art for Change,
Cincinnati, OH
Hand-Pulled: Ohio Printmakers,
ArtSpace, Lima, OH
Graduate Open Forum,
Hiestand Galleries, Miami University, Oxford, OH
- 2011** **31st National Print Exhibition,**
Artlink Gallery, Fort Wayne, IN
- 2010** **Works on Paper,**
Gordy's Fine Art and Framing Gallery, Muncie, IN
Ball State Faculty Exhibition,
Atrium Gallery, Ball State University, Muncie, IN
- 2009** **Red Tail Conservancy Traveling Juried Exhibition,**
Multiple locations in Indiana
Grabhorn Fellows Exhibition,
Arion Press Gallery, San Francisco, CA
Ball State Student Show,
Owsley Museum of Art, Muncie, IN
29th National Print Exhibition,
Artlink Gallery, Fort Wayne, IN

20/20 Vision,
Fire House Gallery, Atlanta, GA
Heart and Hands: Artists Book Exhibition,
Multiple locations in Nebraska

2008 **Parkside National Small Print Exhibition,**
University of Wisconsin-Parkside, Kenosha, WI
Dog-Eared,
Purdue University Galleries, West Lafayette, IN
Minnetrista Annual Juried Exhibition,
Minnetrista Cultural Center Gallery, Muncie, IN
28th National Print Exhibition,
Artlink Gallery, Fort Wayne, IN
Gordy's Print Exhibition,
Gordy's Fine Art and Framing Gallery, Muncie, IN

2007 **Minnetrista Annual Juried Exhibition,**
Minnetrista Cultural Center Gallery, Muncie, IN
Six Printmakers,
Artworks Gallery, Muncie, IN
27th National Print Exhibition,
Artlink Gallery, Fort Wayne, IN
Worked: Senior Thesis Exhibition,
Atrium Gallery, Ball State University, Muncie, IN

2006 **Ball State Student Show,**
Owsley Museum of Art, Muncie, IN
StArt Gallery Invitational Exhibition,
StArt Gallery, Ball State University, Muncie, IN
Minnetrista Annual Juried Exhibition,
Minnetrista Cultural Center Gallery, Muncie, IN

2005 **Ball State Student Show,**
Owsley Museum of Art, Muncie, IN
Works on Paper,
StArt Gallery, Ball State University, Muncie, IN

2004 **Ball State Student Show,**
Owsley Museum of Art, Muncie, IN

Awards

2017 **National Travel Grant, College Book Arts Association**
Philadelphia, PA

2014 **New Technology Grant, Miami University**
Oxford, OH (\$12,000 funding for photopolymer plate maker)

2012 **Graduate Achievement Award, Miami University,**
Oxford, OH

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Oxford, OH
Miami University Graduate Assistantship,
Oxford, OH
- 2009** **Ball State University Graduate Assistantship,**
Muncie, IN
Women's Art League Award, Ball State Student Show,
Muncie IN
Grabhorn Fellowship Award,
San Francisco, CA
- 2008** **Merit Award, Minnetrista Annual Juried Exhibition,**
Muncie, IN
- 2007** **Juror's Award, Artlink National Juried Exhibition,**
Fort Wayne, IN

Permanent Collections

Miami University, Oxford, OH
Ball State University, Muncie, IN
El Minia University, Cairo, Egypt
Hamilton Wood Type Museum, Two Rivers, WI

Professional Affiliations

Southern Graphics Council International- 2005-Current
Mid American Print Council- 2006-Current
College Book Arts Association- 2008-Current
Hamilton Wood Type Museum- 2011-Current