

Curriculum Vitae

Ramon Riley

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Education

Indiana University of Pennsylvania Indiana, PA
M.A. In studio art, 2013

Indiana University of Pennsylvania Indiana, PA,
Bachelor of Science in Art Education, Magna Cum Laude, 1997

Experience

1998 - PINE-RICHLAND HIGH SCHOOL, Gibsonia, PA, *Art Teacher*
Advanced Placement Studio Art, Drawing, Painting, Photography and
Illustration, Introduction to Art

2015- RADIANT HALL NOVA PLACE, Pittsburgh, PA, *Studio Director*

2014 - 2016 INDIANA UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA, Indiana, PA, *Instructor*

2004 - 2015 IN TUNE WITH THE ARTS, Gibsonia, PA, *Art Teacher*
Private Lessons in Drawing, Painting, Sculpture; Art Camps

Exhibitions

2017 BOXHEART GALLERY, *LOVENEVERENDING (solo)*, Pittsburgh, PA

2016 BOTTLEWORKS GALLERY, *Connections (duo)*, Johnstown, PA

2016 MATTRESS FACTORY, *Urban Garden Party Gala Bid*, Pittsburgh, PA

2016 HARLAN GALLERY, *City Sourcing*, Greensburg, PA

2016 OAK CLIFF CULTURAL CENTER GALLERY, *Collective*, Dallas, TX

2016 BOXHEART GALLERY, *Inter/National Exhibition*, Pittsburgh, PA

2015 FRICK FINE ARTS MUSEUM, *Exposure: Black Voices In The Arts*, Pittsburgh, PA

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- 2015 SPACE GALLERY, *Wall Paint Wall Paintings*, Pittsburgh, PA
- 2015 BRADDOCK CARNEGIE LIBRARY, *BRADDOCK Coming Home (solo)*, Pittsburgh, PA
- 2015 UNSMOKE SYSTEMS ARTSPACE, *BRADDOCK Coming Home (solo)*, Pittsburgh, PA
- 2015 THREE RIVERS ARTS FESTIVAL, *PPG Winter Garden*, Pittsburgh, PA
- 2014 THE MINE FACTORY, *Living The Artist Life*, Pittsburgh, PA
- 2013 KIPP GALLERY, *Braddock: Rooftop (solo)*, Indiana, PA
- 2012 HILL HOUSE ASSOCIATION, *Author's Showcase*, Pittsburgh, PA
- 2008 WILKINS PRIMARY SCHOOL, *Mahogany and Blue showcase*, Churchill, PA

Awards and Grants

- 2016, 2014 ABAP Advancing Black Arts Pittsburgh Grant, The Pittsburgh Foundation and The Heinz Endowments, Pittsburgh, PA
- 2014, 2013 PROF Grant, Pine Richland Opportunities Fund, Gibsonia, PA
- 2012-2017 Outstanding Art Educator, Scholastic Art & Writing Awards, New York, NY
- 2009, 2001 Outstanding Educator, Educational Leadership Initiative, Pittsburgh, PA
- 2007-2008 Outstanding Educator, Educational Leadership Initiative, Pittsburgh, PA
- 2007 Outstanding Art Educator, Maryland Institute College of Art, Baltimore, MD
- 2001 Commencement Speaker, Pine Richland High School Graduation, Gibsonia, PA

Service

- 2018 Featured Artist, Keynote Speaker, THE ELLIS ALL-SCHOOL COMMUNITY DAY, Pittsburgh, PA (May 25)
- 2014 Program creator and organizer, WHERE I AM FROM, Braddock, PA
- 2013 Consultant of A.P Studio Art Program, FOX CHAPEL HIGH SCHOOL
- 1999-2009 Founder, Artist and Performer, COCOA DAY, MR.RILEY PRESENTS STORIES AND ART Gibsonia, PA
- 2008, 2004 Storyteller, WOODLAND HILLS SCHOOL DISTRICT READING NIGHT, Churchill, PA
- 2007 Art Director and Mural Coordinator, GIBSONIA POST OFFICE MURAL, VETERAN'S DAY CEREMONY, Gibsonia, PA
- 2006 Presenter, COUNTY-WIDE PROFESSIONAL IN-SERVICE, COLLABORATIVE MURAL, Allegheny County, PA