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Education:

Pacific Lutheran University, Rainier Writing Workshop
Master of Fine Arts awarded August 2009, concentration poetry

Cornell University, College of Arts and Sciences
Bachelor of Arts awarded May 1988, concentration writing

Publication:

Books:

Pause, Traveler. Los Angeles: Boreal Books, 2013. Print.

Fire on Her Tongue (anthology), edited by Kelli Russell Agodon and Annette Spaulding-Covey. Seattle: Two Sylvias Press, 2012. Digital.

Letters to the World (anthology), edited by Moira Richards, Rosemary Starace, and Lesley Wheeler. Los Angeles: Red Hen Press, 2008. Print.

Recent Literary Journals:

Prairie Schooner (2014) forthcoming: "Backward as well as forward sluing"

Red Wheelbarrow (2013): "Raising Voices"

Border Crossing (2013): "Brother Song" and "Brother in Red Fur"

Permafrost (2013): "I also say it is good to fall", "Love-root, silk-thread, crotch and vine" and "The living sleep for their time"

Lindenwood Review (2012): "Black Hat"

Thrush Poetry Journal (2012): "Playground"

Poetry Quarterly (2012): "Bucket" and "Windfall"

IthacaLit (2012): "Beyond 90" and "Boundary"

Sugar House Review (2011): "Stung Song"

Cirque (2011): "Fortune"

Terrain.org (2010): "Cusp" and "Receding"

Blue Earth Review (2009): "Offices of the Sea," "Lineage," "Prairie Dog Town," "Corn Palace," and "Circus World Museum"

Crab Creek Review (2009): "Canal Street" and "Spring"

Alaska Quarterly Review (2009): "Rot"

Honors, Appointments and Awards

- 2014 – Alaska Literary Award
- 2014 – Willapa Artist in Residency Fellowship
- 2013 – Rasmuson Foundation Fellowship
- 2013 – Connie Boochever Fellowship
- 2013 – Vermont Studio Center Writer Grant
- 2013 – Write Young Alaska Poetry Contest Judge
- 2011 – Poems in Place Statewide Committee Member
- 2010 – Rona Jaffe Scholarship winner for the Bread Loaf Writers' Conference
- 2008-2012 – Alaska State Literary Arts Panel (appointed)
- 2006 – Commissioned by the University of Alaska Southeast to write a play in poems, *Bedsheets*, for the Southeast Alaska Humanities Forum
- 2006 – Alaska State Poetry Out Loud Judge

Recent Public Readings/Presentations

- 2015 – Reading with Jim Reese in Fairbanks, AK
- 2014 – Faculty Reading for the Kachemak Bay Writers' Conference in Homer, AK
- 2014 – 61 Local in Brooklyn with Anne Coray, Melina Draper, Susanna Mischler, Nicole Stellon O'Donnell, and Peggy Shumaker
- 2014 – Avenue 50 Studio in Los Angeles with Melina Draper, Susanna Mischler, Nicole Stellon O'Donnell, and Peggy Shumaker
- 2014 – "Writing the Midnight Sun" panel at the Association of Writers & Writing Program Conference in Seattle, Washington (February)
- 2013 – Garfield Book Company in Tacoma, Washington
- 2013 – The Bear Gallery in Fairbanks, Alaska, with Peggy Shumaker, Mei Mei Evans, Carolyn Kremers, and Sara Loewen
- 2013 – University of Alaska Anchorage with Peggy Shumaker, Mei Mei Evans, Carolyn Kremers, and Sara Loewen
- 2013 – Ruskin Art Club in Los Angeles with Eva Saulitis, Ilya Kaminsky, and Katie Farris
- 2012 – Poems in Place at the Ketchikan Area Arts and Humanities Council
- 2012 – Poems in Place at Bunnell Street Arts Center with Eva Saulitis and Wendy Erd
- 2011 – Poetry reading at Bunnell Street Arts Center with Linda Martin

Teaching

- 2015 – Writing in the Dark: Fairbanks Arts Association Annual Writing Retreat
- 2011 – current
Coordinator and faculty for the Kachemak Bay Writers' Conference
- 2012 – current
Adjunct professor for the Kenai Peninsula College, Kachemak Bay Campus
- 2006 – 2011
Secondary English teacher for the Cordova City School District