

ISRAEL SOLOMON

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EDUCATION

Ball State University

Bachelor of Science: Visual Art Education 2003

Marian University

Master of Arts in Teaching 2019

AWARDS

Ball State University Student Art Show- Nominated for Student of the Year 2002

Ball State University Student Art Show- Winner of Drawing of the Year 2002

AmeriCorps Education Award 2018

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

KIPP Indianapolis College Prep Middle School

Art Teacher/Instructor 2017-Current

Developed curriculum that focuses on drawing and the foundations of visual art. Students are also exposed to a wide variety of creative forms of expression including dance, song, and art history.

Currently instructs grades 6-8. Leads an art club where students assist with painting murals and ceiling tiles within the school

Worked with Marian University Professor Nancy Meyer-Brown, demonstrating to students regarding classroom environment, and effective instructional techniques.

EXHIBITOR EXPERIENCE

Exhibitor 2015-Current

Exhibited, and discussed artwork in a variety of locations around Indiana. Taught individuals of all ages about artistic process, personal history as a creator, and motivation during various exhibitions. Recent Indianapolis exhibitions include...

Monster Drawing Rally- 2016, 2017, 2018

Gallery 924- "Tiny Exhibition" Participant 2016, 2017

RAW Indy Exhibition- 2017

Art Bank Gallery- 2017, 2018

Indianapolis Arts Gallery Solo Exhibit- 2018

Garfield Parks Arts Center- "Black History Month Exhibition" 2019

Indianapolis Zoo- "Naturally Inspired Paint Out" Participant 2019

Indiana Black Expo- Artist Exhibitor- 2019

MEMBERSHIPS

Indianapolis Teaching Fellows 2017 Cohort

EDUCATIONAL REFERENCES

Professor Dina Stephens- dstephens@marian.edu, 317-557-6288

Professor Nancy Meyer-Brown- nmeyer-brown@marian.edu, 317-698-8161

Casey McLeod (KIPP Indy College Prep School Leader)- cmcleod@kippindy.org, 317-775-4454

Jennifer Marble (Former Marian University Professor)- jenniferemarble@gmail.com, 317-410-3797