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Education

MFA	**2012**	Multi-Disciplinary	The Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts
PB	**2010**	Painting	Maryland Institute College of Art
BA	**2002**	Studio Art (Photo)	Lycoming College (cum laude)

Selected Exhibition Record

2013

All Along The Watchtower, Pterodactyl (Philadelphia)

Curators: Jon F Allen, Mary Coyle, David E Williams and Brian James Spies

ArtPrize 2013, DeVos Place Convention Center (Grand Rapids, MI)

Philli Found NYC, Yes Gallery (Brooklyn)

Curator: Lesley Doukhowetzky

2012

It's Your Funeral, Pterodactyl (Philadelphia)

Curators: K. Malcolm Richards, Jon Allen

Thesis Exhibit (Annual Student Exhibition)

The Pennsylvania Academy of The Fine Arts

Can't Find My Way Home, The Hex Factory (Philadelphia)*

Curators: K. Malcolm Richards, Jon Allen

2011

In Out In, MBN Studios (Philadelphia)

Curators: Michael Moore, Paul Hamanaka

Contamination Policy, Pterodactyl (Philadelphia)

Curators: K. Malcolm Richards, Jon Allen

2010

Commencement Show, Maryland Institute College of Art

Momentum (Post-Bac Show), Maryland Institute College of Art

2005

The First Annual Art Parade, Deitch Projects New York, New York

TRASHed: The Art of Recycling, Coachella Arts & Music Festival Indio, California

* Solo Show

Lectures

2012 Art @ Lunch, The Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts

PafA: After Dark, The Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts

Honors

2012 MFA Faculty Award, The Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts

2010 Student Leader Award*, The Maryland Institute College of Art

2002 Graduated Cum Laude, Lycoming College

* Nominated

Press

Ben Meyer, "Can't Find My Way Home: Brian Spies on fracking at the Hex Factory" *theartblog.org,* April 30th, 2012. http://www.theartblog.org/2012/04/cant-find-my-way-home-brian-spies-on-fracking-at-the-hex-factory/

Jason Seyler, "Around The Factory: Local abstract artist heads back to school," *The Williamsport Sun-Gazette,* June 29th, 2009.

http://www.sungazette.com/page/content.detail/id/528693.html

Commercial Activities

Designer: Cover Photograph for Justice League of Adversaries: All Our Yesterdays

http://justiceleagueofadversaries.bandcamp.com/album/all-our-yesterdays

Designer: Album Artwork for ▲▲▲: Fall Rush

http://trianglz.bandcamp.com

Professional Activities

2013 – Present: Host / Producer: The Art Party, WXPI Radio 88.5 FM