KATHLEEN BRANDT

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EDUCATION

Master of Fine Arts: Electronic Arts, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, NY May 1999

Bachelor of Science: Studio Arts, Northeastern University, Boston, MA May 1987

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY, SYRACUSE, NY

School of Education

Teaching and Leadership Department

Research Assistant Professor Spring 2016-current

S.I. Newhouse School of Public Communication

Communications@Syracuse M.S. Program

Faculty Lead Fall 2015-current

College of Visual and Performing Arts

Industrial and Interaction Design Program

Assistant Professor Fall 2010 - Spring 2015

School of Information Studies

Adjunct Professor Fall 2012

CARLETON UNIVERSITY, OTTAWA, ONTARIO, CANADA

School of Industrial Design

Lecturer Fall 2005, Spring 2006, Summer 2007

HUDSON VALLEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE (SUNY), TROY, NY

Fine Art Department

Adjunct Professor Spring 2004, Spring 2005

PARSONS SCHOOL OF DESIGN, NEW YORK, NY

Design and Technology Department

Artist-in-Residence, with Brian Lonsway Spring 2003

RENSSELAER POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE, TROY, NY

Electronic Media, Arts and Communication Department: EMAC

LecturerFall 1999 - Spring 2003Adjunct ProfessorFall 1998 - Spring 1999

STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK (SUNY), ALBANY, NY

Art Department

Lecturer Summer 2000, Summer 2001

SIENA COLLEGE, LOUDONVILLE, NY

Art Department

Adjunct Professor Fall 1998

RESEARCH

PUBLICATIONS

Book Chapter

Brandt, Kathleen and Brian Lonsway. "Bean Bags and Microscopes." *Laboratory Lifestyle: the Construction of Scientific Fictions.* MIT Press, forthcoming, 2018.

Conference Proceedings (Full Papers)

Brandt, Kathleen and Brian Lonsway and Steve Masiclat. "Augmented Co-creation: Using Artificial Intelligence and Neural Network Algorithms to Support Design Collaboration." Inflection Point: Design Research Meets Design Practice, Proceedings of the 20th DMI: Academic Design Management Conference. Boston, USA, 22-29 July 2016

Brandt, Kathleen and Brian Lonsway "Feeding the Media City." *MediaCities: Proceedings*. Jordan Geiger, Mark Shepard, Omar Khan (eds). URL: http://storify.com/kblstudio/feeding-the-media-city. Buffalo NY: University of Buffalo, 2014.

Conference Proceedings (Abstracts)

Brandt, Kathleen and Brian Lonsway. "The Spectacle of Food." *Proceedings of the International Society for Visual Sociology Annual Meeting*. Goldsmiths College, London, England, 2013

Brandt, Kathleen and Brian Lonsway "Food Systems as Networks of Complex Situations Formed by a Multitude of Actors, Agencies, and Operations." *Proceedings of the Agriculture, Food and Human Values Society National Conference*. East Lansing Michigan, 2013

Brandt, Kathleen, and Brian Lonsway. "Domestic Systems." *Global Gateways and Local Connections: Cities, Agriculture, and the Future of Food Systems.* New York NY, 2012

Brandt, Kathleen, and Brian Lonsway. "Domestic Economies," STIR Symposium. Ohio State University, 2011

GRANTS AND SPONSORED PROJECTS

The National Institute on Disability, Independent Living, and Rehabilitation Research Community4All (C4A)

Project Director, Center for Human Policy at Syracuse University

2015 - 2016

National Endowment for the Humanities Digital Humanities Start-up grant Onondaga Lake: Finding a Restorative Center in Digital Space

Rachel May, Jane Read, Principal Investigators

Design and Research Consultant

2015 - 2016

J. P. Morgan Chase, sponsored research project Technology for Social Good Web Portal

Principal Investigator

2014 - 2015

with Co-Investigators Steve Masiclat and Brian Lonsway

Syracuse University College of Visual and Performing Arts Faculty Research Grants

Summer 2011, Fall 2011

Imagining America
IA Journal Collaboratory

Co-Investigator with Brian Lonsway

2010 - 2011

Imagining America Curriculum Development Awards

Co-Investigator

with Brian Lonsway and Matt Potteiger

Spring 2010, Spring 2011

PRESENTATIONS, WORKSHOPS, AND LECTURES

Journey Mapping: Design Thinking Methods

Panel and Workshop

Evaluation + Design: American Evaluation Association Annual Conference Atlanta GA November 2016

Workshop: Submitting for Public: A Journal of Imagining America

Presenter and panel participant, with Brian Lonsway Imagining America National Conference Milwaukee, WI

October 2016

Facilitative Leadership / Collaborative Research workshop

Invited Panelist, "Responding to RFPs"

SUNY Research Foundation - Networks of Excellence Program

Syracuse, NY February 2015

Designing Counter-Disciplinary Digital Publication

Presenter and panel participant, with Brian Lonsway

American Studies Association Annual Meeting, Los Angeles, CA

November 2014

Workshop: Submissions for Public: A Journal of Imagining America

Presenter and panel participant

Imagining America Annual Meeting Atlanta GA October 2014

Participatory Design and Data Collection

Seminar and workshop, with Brian Lonsway

Agriculture, Food and Human Values Society National Conference, Burlington, VT October 2014

Designing Counter-Disciplinary Digital Publication

Presenter and panel participant, with Brian Lonsway

Cultural Studies Association Annual Meeting Salt Lake City, UT May 2014

PUBLIC: Imagining America Journal for Engagement in the Arts, Design and Humanities

Plenary Session, with Jan Cohen-Cruz and Brian Lonsway

Imagining America Annual Conference, Syracuse, NY October 2013

PUBLIC: Imagining America Journal for Engagement in the Arts, Design and Humanities

Panel leader, with Jan Cohen-Cruz and Brian Lonsway

Imagining America Annual Conference, New York, NY October 2012

Innovative Design Thinking in Urban Planning

Invited Lecturer

Shanghai Program on Urban Planning and Public Administration

Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs (SU), Syracuse, NY

June 2012

Sustaining Sustenance: Engaging Food in Community Design Collaboration

Seminar leader, with Brian Lonsway and Matt Potteiger

Imagining America Annual Conference, Minneapolis, MN October 2011

fast:slow food

Symposium Speaker

Transdisciplinary Media Studio Symposium, Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY January 2009

Prudent Avoidance

Lecture, with Brian Lonsway

Jihui Salon, co-sponsored by the Netart Initiative and Intelligent Agent,

Center for New Technologies, Parsons School of Design, New York, NY May 2003

DATA: a critical symposium on information technology, architecture and space.

Panel Moderator

Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, NY March 2000

RESEARCH AND TRAINING CERTIFICATIONS

Data on Purpose: Creating Social Change with Data, Intensive Workshops Stanford University Social Innovation Review

June 2015

National Science Foundation Grants Conference

March 2013

National Science Foundation Conference, Washington, D.C.

10th Biennial Systems Thinking and Dynamic Modeling Training Workshop/Conference Critical Thinking: Using Systems Thinking and System Dynamics to address Common Core and STEM standards

June 2012

Practitioner Foundations Seminar and Sensemaker Certification Cognitive Edge

March 2012

Systems Thinking Intensive

October 2011

iSee Systems, with Steve Peterson, Principal Consultant, Lexidyne, LLC Principal Consultant, Lexidyne, LLC. Boston

PRACTICE

DESIGN AND COMMUNICATION PROJECTS

PUBLIC: Arts, Design, Humanities - A Journal of Imagining America

2011- present

Co-Founder, Design Editor, and Designer of national peer-reviewed journal. Publisher: SU Unbound. First issue: October 2013; published bi-annually.

Thinklab 2011- present

Designer with partner Brian Lonsway (KBL Studio), of interactive learning and collaboration support system / lab (integrating tools, methodologies, and physical environments) at Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY.

Design Institute: Community4AII (C4A)

completed, September 2015

Collaboration of Thinklab and the Center on Human Policy Sponsored by The National Institute on Disability, Independent Living, and Rehabilitation Research (NIDILRR)

Einhorn Next Generation Studio

completed, 2014

Designer with partner Brian Lonsway (KBL Studio) of graduate student studio in the Syracuse University Architecture School.

Prudent Avoidance prototype developed, 2005

Designer with partner Brian Lonsway (KBL Studio) on integrated wearable computer, website and database as critical design project, measures exposure to electro-magnetic frequencies.

Synthetic Space Environment

in operation, 2002 - 2004

Designer with partner Brian Lonsway (KBL Studio) on visually immersive remote collaboration environments at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, NY.

Antonio Muntadas' Media Architecture Installations CDROM

completed, 1999

Project Co-developer of integrated CDROM and Web site, published as anarchive1 by Centre Georges Pompidou, Paris, France

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SELECT EXHIBITIONS

Special Opportunity Stipend (SOS)

New York Foundation for the Arts, New York, NY

Festival of Ideas for the New City: Street Fair May 2011 with Brian Lonsway and Matt Potteiger The New Museum, New York, NY Tech-No-Tech January - March 2009 Martin-Mullen Gallery, Oneonta, NY **Precious Little** March 2005 - January 2006 Albany International Airport Gallery, Albany, NY MoMA / PS1 2001 Young Architects Program Finalists (Materialab) June - Sept 2001 Museum of Modern Art, New York, NY **BOOK/ENDS: Visual Text Exhibition** August - October 1999 Albany Center Galleries, Albany, NY SIGGRAPH 2000 Art Gallery August 1999 27th International Conference on Computer Graphics and Interactive Techniques, New Orleans, LA iEAR at The Kitchen March 1998 The Kitchen, New York, NY New York International Independent Video and Film Festival June 1997 Jacob K. Javits Convention Center, New York, NY **A**WARDS Professional Notable award for Einhorn 21st Century Studio, an Educational Initiative 2014 with Brian Lonsway Core77 2014 Design Awards Professional Notable award for Thinklab, an Educational Initiative 2013 with Brian Lonsway Core77 2013 Design Awards Individual Artists: Film, Media and New Technology with Brian Lonsway 2003 New York State Council for the Arts, New York, NY The Future of the Present 2002 2001 with Brian Lonsway Franklin Furnace, New York, NY

2003, 1999

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CITATIONS AND REVIEWS

- Ayers, Robert. The Body of the Net: Martha Wilson, Franklin Furnace, and the Physical and the Digital in Contemporary Live Art. Performance/Technologies: a User's Guide. London: Total Theatre Magazine/User's Guide Publications 2005.
- Bolter, Jay David and Gromala, Diane. "Transparency and Reflectivity: Digital Art and the Aesthetics of Interface Design." Paul Fishwick, ed. *Aesthetic Computing*. Cambridge: Leonardo / MIT Press 2008.
- Bolter, Jay David and Gromala, Diane. Windows and Mirrors: Interaction Design, Digital Art, and the Myth of Transparency. Cambridge: MIT Press 2003.
- David Brickman. "Small Wonder." Metroland, Vol. 28, #14.
- Cahill, Timothy. "Art Explores Chaos and Gobbles Up Time." Times Union. Sunday, Oct 8, 2000 Sec I.
- Chochinov, Allan, Ludlum, Eric, eds. *Designing Here/Now: A Global Selection of Objects, Concepts and Spaces for the Future.* New York: Thames and Hudson, 2014.
- Galloway, Anne. "Informatics and Architecture, Parts I and II. Online Source: http://www.purselipsquarejaw.org/2004/09/architecture-space-and-informatics-pt_21.php.
- Meredith, Michael., "Complex/MoMA PS1: young architects." *Praxis: journal of writing + building*, no. 7, pp. 66-77, 2005.
- Saint, Toni. Franklin Furnace and the Spirit of the Avant-Garde: A History of the Future. Chicago: The University of Chicago Press, 2011.

ART AND DESIGN JURY EXPERIENCE

Panelist 1998, 2000, 2004 - 2006

Individual Artists: Film, Media and New Technology Program

New York State Council on the Arts, New York, NY

Panelist 1994 - 1997

Electronic Media and Film Department

New York State Council on the Arts, New York, NY

Council Member Jan 1990-Sep 1991

Somerville Arts Council, Somerville, MA

Panelist Aug 1990-Mar 1991

Satellite Broadcast Festival

Seventh Annual International Women's Day Video Festival Cambridge Community Television, Cambridge, MI

Courses Taught

SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY, SYRACUSE, NY

Communications@Syracuse Masters Program, S.I. Newhouse School of Public Communication

Capstone: Digital Communications Strategy and Entrepreneurship

Collaborative Design M.F.A., College of Visual and Performing Arts

Design Research: semester one (theory/studio) Design Research: semester two (theory/studio)

Industrial and Interaction Design Program B.I.D., College of Visual and Performing Arts

Semiotics and Symbology in Design Primary and Secondary Research Philosophy and Ethics in Design Thesis Project

Thesis Project
Thesis Research

Industrial and Interaction Design Interface

Eating Things: Syracuse Food System Community Project

School of Information Studies, Masters Program

What's the Big Idea: Innovations in Technology

CARLETON UNIVERSITY, SCHOOL OF INDUSTRIAL DESIGN, OTTAWA, ONTARIO, CANADA

Major Projects: Thesis Studio Minor Projects: Topics Studio

RENSSELAER POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE, TROY, NY

Electronic Media Arts and Communication Department

Capstone: Senior Thesis Seminar Computer Art Graphics Advanced Topics in Video Intermediate Video Documentary Video Art, Technology and Society Video Art and Installation

Digital Imaging and Interactivity

Media Art Studio

HUDSON VALLEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE (SUNY), ART DEPARTMENT, TROY, NY

Introduction to Electronic Art

STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK (SUNY), ART DEPARTMENT, ALBANY, NY

Introduction to Digital Imaging

SIENA COLLEGE, ART DEPARTMENT, LOUDONVILLE, NY

History of Video Art