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EXPERIENCE

Freelance Photojournalist

January 2009 to the present

Philadelphia Daily News, Philadelphia, PA

Staff Photographer, May 2004 to January 2009

Contact: Michael Mercanti, Director of Photography. mercanti@phillynews.com

Philadelphia Weekly Newspaper, Philadelphia, PA

Staff Photographer, March 2000 to May 2004

Contact: Liz Spikol, Executive Editor. lspikol@philadelphiaweekly.com

Associated Press, Philadelphia, PA

Freelance Photographer, August 2002 to May 2004

Contact: Jackie Larma, Photography Editor. jlarma@ap.org

Drexel University, Philadelphia, PA

Adjunct Professor, September 2001 to January 2009

Contact: Paul Runyon, Head of the Photography Department. paul.runyon@drexel.edu

Philadelphia Orchestra, Philadelphia, PA

Resident Photographer, September 2002 to 2007

Contact: Kathryn Blodgett, Director of Public Relations. kblodgett@philorch.org

AWARDS

Associated Press Managing Editors Awards

2007 Paul Vathis Memorial Photography Portfolio Award

Pennsylvania Society of Journalism Keystone Awards,

2007 First Place Photo Story

2007 Second Place News Photograph

2005 Second Place Feature Photograph

2003 Second Place Photo Essay

2002 Second Place News Photography

2001 First Place News Photography

Society of Professional Journalism Awards, Phila. Chapter,

2004 First Place Sports Photography

2004 Second Place Photo Essay

2002 Second Place News Photography

Photo Review 2001 Photography Competition, Finalist

EDUCATION

Pennsylvania State University, State College, PA

1996 Bachelor's Degree in History.

Philadelphia Community College

1996 to 1998 Photography Course Work

Tyler School of Art, Elkins Park, PA

1996-1997 Photography Course Work

The Athens Center, Athens, Greece

1995 Six Month Intensive Program Studying Classics