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Education

- 1996 -Certificate Award: The New York Botanical Garden; Botanical Illustration
- 1984 -MA: Kean University, Studio Arts/Art Education, Full tuition paid by Graduate Assistantship
- 1982 -BFA: Studio Arts; Magna Cum Laude, Kean University, Union, NJ

Teaching

- 2014- University of Florida- Introduction to Scientific Illustration
- 2013- Present UF- Plant Camp
- 1986-1990 Adjunct Professor in Fine Art at Kean University
- 1999 - Present Artistic Adventure Tours - Owner ; Leads trips to Central America & Europe
- 1993 - 2011 New York Botanical Garden - Coordinator of the Botanical Art Illustration Certification Program. Designed, wrote, and taught the curriculum for the Natural Science Illustration Certification in 2004.

Solo Shows

- 2012 - "Nature's Wonders" Alamance Art Alliance Gallery, Graham, NC
- 2010-2011 "Symbiosis" Florida Museum of Natural History, Gainesville, FL
- 2009 "Directions" Watchung Art Center, Watchung, NJ
- 2007 - "Nature's Bounty," Park Avenue Club Gallery, Florham Park, NJ
- 2006 - "Butterflies: Anatomy & Grace," Thomas Center Mezzanine Gallery, Gainesville, FL
- 2005 - "Current Works," Frelinghuysen Arboretum, Morristown, NJ
- 2000 - "Insecta," Cyanamid Corporation Gallery, Princeton, NJ
- 1999 - "Bugs, Beasts & Botanicals," Greenwich Audubon Society, Greenwich, CT
- 1997 - "Tropical Beauties," New York Botanical Garden Gallery, Bronx, NY

Juried & Invitational Group Shows

- 2012 -Focus on Nature- Albany State Museum
- 2011 -Blossoms II - Art of Flowers - Susan Kathleen Black Foundation, Naples Museum of Art, Naples, FL
- 2010 -Song Birds of North America - Guild of Natural Science Illustrators Traveling exhibit; Highstead Arboretum, CT, Peabody Museum, CT

- 2009 Raptors of North America – Guild of Natural Science Illustrators Traveling exhibit; Highstead Arboretum, CT, Peabody Museum, CT
- 2008 -Focus on Nature; Albany State Museum
 -Amphibians of the East Coast – Guild of Natural Science Illustrators Traveling exhibit; Highstead Arboretum, CT, Peabody Museum, CT
 -"Butterflies, Moths, & Pollinating Insects of the East Coast," GNSI Guild of Natural Science Illustrators Traveling exhibit; Highstead Arboretum, CT, Peabody Museum, CT
 Curator: Mindy Lighthipe
 -26th Annual Wildlife Art Show," Environmental Education Center, Basking Ridge, NJ -
- 2006 -8th Annual Botanical Art Exhibition," Filoli Gardens, Woodside, CA -Juried
 -"McMansion Show," New Art Group, Barron Arts Center, Woodbridge, NJ -
 -"Wings Take Flight," Powel Butterfly Festival, Powel, Kansas -Invitational
 -25th Annual Wildlife Art Show," Environmental Education Center, Basking Ridge, NJ -
 Juried
- 2005 -"Spring Blooms," Reeves-Reed Arboretum, Summit, NJ Curator: Mindy Lighthipe
- 2004 -"Focus on Nature," Albany State Museum, Albany, NY -Juried
 -"6th Annual ASBA," Horticultural Society of NY, NYC, NY -Juried
- 2003 -"GNSI Annual Exhibition," Denver Museum of Natural History, Denver, CO -Juried
- 2001 -"ASBA Show," Denver Botanical Garden, Denver, CO -Juried
 -"Bugs, Beasts & Botanicals," Mindy Lighthipe & Student Exhibit of Costa Rica:
 Greenwich Nature Center, Greenwich, CT
- 1999 -"Botanical Beauties," Watchung Art Center, Watchung, NJ -Invitational
- 1998 -"Wings of Summer," Bruce Museum, Greenwich, CT -Invitational

Public, Corporate, Private Collections and Commissions

- 2013- 2014 -Capstone Corporate Collection- Michael Mouron, Birmingham, AL
- 2013 - Bowman's Wildflower Preserve- New Hope, PA.
- 2004 & 2012 -Albany State Museum Collection
- 2007 -Environmental Education Center, Basking Ridge, NJ
 -Joan Anderson, Lake Forest IL
- 2005 - The North Carolina Aquarium, Kure Beach, NC
- 2004 -Jane Guttman, Scarsdale, NY

Awards & Honors

- 2013 Salmagundi Club- President's Award- Floral Exhibit, Honorable Mention – Mono Print Exhibit, Honorable Mention Watercolor Exhibit.
- 2012 Salmagundi Club- Honorable Mention in Drawing Exhibit & John N. Lewis Memorial Award the Annual Members Exhibition
- 2012 Out Standing 1st Year Artist – Thornebrook Art Festival- Gainesville Fine Art Association
- 2009 Silver Medal- Royal Horticultural Society in London England.
- 2007 -1st Place in Watercolor: "26th Annual Wildlife Art Show": Environmental Education Center, Basking Ridge, NJ