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Currently:

Since august 2007, I live and work in Istanbul as an art teacher.

And before:

For 2 years, I traveled along the Silk Road in Turkey, Japan, China, Vietnam, Laos, Cambodia and Thailand researching textile art traditions.

Education

- Fall 2008 attending a sculpture (clay) course, Turkey.
- March 2008 attending MYP ART workshop, Dubai, U.A.E.
- 2001-2006 attending workshop: shadow puppets in Cambodia, creative writing for Puppetry in France and storytelling in France.
- 1999-2001 working toward and receiving masters degree in fine arts from *école des beaux-arts*. Marseille, France.
Painting, Ceramic, Photography and Bookmaking.
- Fall 2000 exchange student in California College of Arts and Crafts. Oakland/ San Francisco, CA.
- 1996-1999 working toward and receiving bachelor's degree in fine arts from *école des beaux-arts*. Marseille, France.
Sculpture, Textile.
- 1994-1996 working toward and receiving bachelor degree in textile from *école supérieure des arts appliqués Duppéré*. Paris, France.
Textile design; Embroidery, tapestry and weaving.
- 1993/1994 working toward an associate's degree in art education from *école supérieure des arts appliqués Duppéré*. Paris, France.
- 1993 graduated from *Lycée technique Diderot*; art High school. Marseille, France.

Art (selected)

- April 2003 collective exhibition "it can change" Kassel Germany.
- 2002 solo exhibition, ceramic, San Francisco, CA.
- 2000 Solo exhibition, *la fiesta des suds*. Marseille, France.

Professional experience:

Teaching

- 2008-2009 Textile teacher at Yeditepe university. Istanbul, Turkey.
- 2007-2009 Art teacher at the ISTEK School. Pre-K -10. Istanbul, Turkey.
- 2006 volunteer in a refugee's camp in Thailand: shadow puppet workshop for teenagers.
- 2003-2005 Art teacher at *the French American international school*. Middle School (MYP)/ High School (IB dip.). San Francisco CA
printmaking, textile, land art, photography workshop.
- 2002-2003 French teacher at *The Freeman school* K-8. San Francisco CA
- 2002-April 2003 teaching art workshops for all ages. Oakland CA
- 1998 Mentor in a primary school. Marseille, France.
- 1998 Teaching art to college engineering students. Marseille, France.

Theatre (selected)

- 2008 *journée de la lutte contre les violences faites aux femmes*, set designer. Aubagne, France.
- 2007 *festimome*, circus and street theater festival; set designer. Aubagne, France.
- 2005 large scale 17th century puppet opera production designer; puppetry and costume
- 2002 Berkeley repertory theatre, *nine clouds* production designer; props. Berkeley, CA.
- 2000 Berkeley repertory theatre, *the Alchemist* production designer; costumes and accessories. Berkeley, CA.
- 1997 *Ilotopie, L'allée vers la mer*, costumes and large-scale machine building for a monumental outdoor show. Port St. Louis du Rhone, France.
- 1997 *La Fiesta des suds*, development and production design of art and music festival. Marseille, France.

Languages

Native language: French, Fluently English, school level in Spanish, beginner in mandarin and Turkish.

Additional activities

Rock climbing, horse riding, diving.