

Jessie Rose Novik

Muralist, Teaching Artist, Creative Arts Therapist, ATR-BC, LCAT

EDUCATION AND ACHIEVEMENTS

- Dec. 2018 **LCAT:** Licensed Creative Arts Therapist, NY State Education Department
- Nov., 2017 **ATR-BC:** Registered and Board Certified by the Art Therapy Credentials Board (ATCB)
- May, 2014 **PRATT INSTITUTE:** MPS Art Therapy. *Brooklyn, NY*
- Graduated with High Distinction
 - Earned Pratt Circle Award (for graduate students who complete their program with at least a 3.85 GPA)
 - Awarded Graduate Scholarship 2012-2014
 - Attended Pratt In Venice- painting intensive summer abroad, 2014
- May, 2009 **ALFRED UNIVERSITY, COLLEGE OF CERAMICS:** BFA. *Alfred, NY*
- Concentrations in Painting and Sculpture
 - Awarded Statutory Dean's Scholarship 2005-2009

CORE COMPETENCIES

Conversant in Spanish, group facilitator/leader, individual counseling, planning with interdisciplinary treatment teams, behavioral contracts, client/student assessments, progress notes, attunement to non-verbal communication, awareness of psychodynamic/group theory, beautification projects, technical expertise with a large variety of artistic materials

ARTISTIC SKILLS

- Digital:** Apple and PC proficient, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Premiere Pro, Adobe InDesign, Blender 3D, Final Cut Pro, 3ds Max, Autodesk Mudbox, Wacom Tablet, 3D Printing
- Painting :** mural painting, acrylics, spray paint, house paint, color theory, gridding, projection, masking, rendering, faux finishes, trompe l'oeil, oil painting, glazing, grisaille underpainting, chiaroscuro, impasto, metal-leaf gilding, watercolors, ink, silk painting, building/stretching/preparing canvas, resin application
- Sculpture:** ceramic wheel throwing; hand building; glazing; clay mixing; glaze mixing; firing electric, gas, salt, soda and wood kilns; furnace glassblowing; kiln casting; slumping and fusing; glass cutting; basic woodworking; lost wax casting technique; modeling with plaster, wire, papier-mâché, and additional clay bodies

RELEVANT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Jan 2017-Aug 2020 **THE ANIMATION PROJECT** Art Therapist. *NYC*
- Collaborated with professional animators to facilitate workforce development Art Therapy groups for NYC youth centered around technical skill building, social and emotional awareness, collaborative storytelling, and character design
 - Worksites included: Rikers Island, Horizon Juvenile Detention Center, Crossroads Juvenile Detention Center, Brooklyn Public Schools, and NeON virtual sessions
- Feb 2020-Present **HEARTSHARE ST. VINCENT'S SERVICES** Art Therapist/Mural Lead. *Brooklyn, NY*
- Ran therapeutic mural project with Surfside Cornerstone Program in Coney Island
 - Program was cut short due to COVID-19 lockdown
- Jan 2019-Present **PRATT INSTITUTE** Visiting Professor, Creative Arts Therapy Dept. *Brooklyn, NY*
- Teach graduate level course on mural painting and art therapy

- Sept 2012-Present **BROOKLYN MARTIAL ARTS** Self-defense Instructor. *Brooklyn, NY*
- Children's self-defense instruction, ages 4-13
 - Provide one-on-one services to children with cognitive/emotional delays
 - Teach adult kickboxing, women's self-defense, and Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu as needed
- Jun 2017-Jan 2018 **MT. SINAI KRAVIS CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL**
- Commissioned by the anesthesiology dept. to paint 6th and 7th floor waiting rooms and hallways to ease children's experiences before and after surgery
- Jul 2014-Aug 2018 **CREATIVE ART WORKS (CAW)** Arts Education Nonprofit. *NYC*
- Jul 2014-Aug 2018 • **Mural Teaching Artist** (worksites listed below)
- May-Aug 2015 • **Summer Youth Employment Coordinator**
- Oversaw the planning, progress, and culmination of six different mural worksites located across Manhattan, employing over 100 young people
- Sept 2014-Mar 2015 • **Program Coordinator**
- Handled over 20 art programs in education, youth employment, and community projects within schools, libraries, and other institutions
- Nov 2014- May 2015 • **In School/Integrated Teaching Artist**, Hamilton Grange. *West Harlem NY*
- Designed and implemented original art curriculum to compliment 6th grade humanities studies at Hamilton Grange Middle School
- Oct. 2016-Jun 2017 **BROOKLYN COMMUNITY SERVICES (BCS)** Art Therapist. *Brooklyn NY*
- Provided individual and group art therapy services to students ages 16-21 at the Brooklyn High School for Leadership and Community Service
- Oct. 2016-Jan 2017 **RIKERS ISLAND/GROUNDSWELL COMMUNITY MURAL PROJECT** *NYC*
- Assisted mural artist Christopher Cardinale painting a large scale interior mural in the OBCC facility celebrating the termination of solitary confinement for inmates under 22
- Sept 2016-Jun 2017 **URBAN ARTS PARTNERSHIP (UAP)** Arts Education Nonprofit. *NYC*
- Math/Visual Arts Integration Teaching Artist at JHS218, East New York. *Brooklyn, NY*
 - Applied original arts integration curriculum in alignment with Common Core Standards to 6th grade classes, including one self-contained special education classroom
- May 2016 **MARBLE HOUSE PROJECT ART THERAPY RESIDENCY** *Dorset, Vermont*
- Led mural project with middle schoolers at the Long Trail School
- Sept 2013-May 2014 **LUTHERAN MEDICAL CENTER** Art Therapy intern, inpatient psych. *Brooklyn, NY*
- Facilitated group/individual sessions with adult patients from populations including: psychiatric disorders, substance dependency, and developmental disabilities
 - Implemented first-time Expressive Arts Therapy pilot program in the Psychiatric E.R.
- Sept 2012-May 2013 **LEAGUE SCHOOL & TREATMENT CENTER** Art Therapy Intern, *Brooklyn, NY*
- Provided individual/group counseling to children ages 5-21 with psychiatric disorders
 - Conferred with multidisciplinary treatment team (e.g. psychiatrists, psychologists, occupational therapists) about the goals and objectives for each client
- 2009-2010 **SILVER HILL ATELIER** Decorative art for hotels, casinos and homes. *Ridgefield, CT*
- Produced wallpaper for Four Seasons Resort in Macau, China
 - Responsibilities: Silver Leaf Gilding, Glazing, Silk Painting, Material Prep., frame and furniture restoration, home repair, decorative finishing, and architectural rendering

ADDITIONAL TRAINING AND ACHIEVEMENTS

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| Jan 2020 | Mandated Reporter Training |
| May 2019 | Brooklyn Martial Arts , Renzo Gracie affiliate school <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Earned Brown Belt in Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu |
| Feb 2016 | The Kilimanjaro Initiative (KI) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Summited Mt. Kilimanjaro as a participant mentor and CAW ambassador with youth development NGO which sponsors selected inner city young people on a yearly climb up Africa's tallest mountain to help promote self empowerment |
| Oct 2016 | PREA Training <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Completed Prison Rape Elimination Training for work at Rikers Island |
| Dec 2014-Mar 2015 | Culture at The Core, Lincoln Center Education Common Core State Standards Forum <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Selected by CAW as teaching artist representative to attend monthly training sessions to align integrated arts curricula with Common Core State Standards |
| Oct 2014 | Trading Day for Kids, NASDAQ MarketSite <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Chaperoned CAW's Business of Art and Art of Business workshop's participation in the NASDAQ closing bell ceremony |
| Jun 2011 | Fred Villari's Studio of Self Defense <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Awarded 3rd degree Black Belt in Shaolin Kempo Karate |

PUBLIC ART PROJECTS (click names to view)

- 2019
 - **Pratt Institute:** Led interior mural project as visiting graduate professor. *NYC*
 - **Welling Court Mural Project:** Painted exterior mural as part of neighborhood art collective. *NYC*
 - **Time Studio Inc.:** Live window painting for the Fulton Area Business Alliance Art360 event. *NYC*
- 2018
 - **Mt. Sinai Kravis Children's Hospital:** Independent mural commission. *NYC*
 - **Jacob Schiff Park:** Lead Teaching Artist with Creative Art Works (CAW) for Audubon Society. *NYC*
 - **PS137:** Lead Teaching Artist for DOHMH Active Design in Schools Project with CAW. *NYC*
- 2017
 - **NYC Family Court:** Lead Teaching Artist on interior mural project with CAW. *NYC*
 - **Farragut Housing Projects:** Lead artist on mural with Brooklyn Community Services. *NYC*
 - **72 & Sunny, Ad. Agency:** Teaching Artist in collaboration with Mike Perry and CAW. *NYC*
- 2016
 - **Rikers Island:** Interior Mural Project Assistant to Christopher Cardinale with Groundswell. *NYC*
 - **Horizon Juvenile Center:** Lead Teaching Artist on exterior mural project with CAW. *NYC*
 - **Manhattan College:** Lead Teaching Artist on exterior mural project with CAW. *NYC*
 - **Long Trail School:** Lead Muralist with Marble House Project, Art Therapy Residency. *VT*
 - **PS/IS 278:** Lead Teaching Artist on interior mural project with CAW. *NYC*
- 2015
 - **Brooklyn Zoo:** Indoor mural commission with Michael J Clocks at Parkour Gym. *NYC*
 - **Harlem RBI:** Lead Teaching Artist on interior mural project with CAW. *NYC*
- 2014
 - **Downtown BPT Arts Fest:** Collaboration with Michael J Clocks, Gelator, and ERA. *CT*
 - **Rockefeller Center:** Interior Mural Artist Assistant to Gera Lozano with CAW. *NYC*