

**Philanthropic
Work**

- Interviewer with the Go For Broke Educational Foundation; Torrance, CA
- Lead gallery educator at the Japanese American National Museum (JANM); 2002-Present; Los Angeles, CA
- Facilitated a high school internship program, JANM; Los Angeles, CA
- Instructed Industrial Design course to "at-risk youth" through the non-profit, Citizen Schools in 2001; Boston, MA
- Guest instructor in Industrial Design at Massachusetts College of Art (MCA) from 1998-2000; Boston, MA
- Presented demonstrations on Blue Foam modeling techniques at MCA 1998-1999; Boston, MA
- Mentor to students at the MCA from 1994-2001; Boston, MA

Achievements

- 03-04- Work shown in traveling exhibition: Los Angeles, San Francisco, Boston, NYC, DC
- 03-04- Work shown at Self-Help Graphics annual "Dia de los Muertos" exhibition, Los Angeles, CA
- 03- Self published a comic book about the 442 Regimental Combat Team
- 01- Work was shown at "DESIGNmassachusetts" exhibit, IDSA National Conference, Boston, MA
- 00-01- Vice Chair of Boston Chapter, IDSA
- 97- Good Design Award, Osaka Institute of Design-Osaka, Japan
- 95- Bronze IDEA Award, IDSA
- 95- Honorable Mention: City of Boston "Revitalizing City Hall" Competition
- 95- Design Excellence Award, Appliance Manufacturer
- 94- Key member in organizing IDSA Northeast District Conference
- 94- Design Excellence Award, Appliance Manufacturer
- 93- IDSA Student Merit Award, Northeast District
- 92- Design Scholarship to International Design Conference in Aspen, CO