

THAD RUSSELL PHOTO

curriculum vitae

Education

2006	Master of Fine Arts	Rhode Island School of Design Photography (with honors)
	Teaching Certificate	Brown University Sheridan Center for Teaching & Learning
1987	Bachelor of Arts	Stanford University International Relations

Teaching Experience

2007-15	Critic	Rhode Island School of Design Business of Art; Color Photography; Introduction to Photography; Large Format Photography; Photo 1 for Majors; Photo Intensive; Sophomore Studio (Fall & Spring)
2008	Critic	Providence College Photo 1
2006	Critic	University of Massachusetts, Amherst Photo III: Advanced Color Photography

Professional Experience

2000-15	Freelance Photographer	Shoot assignments for academic, commercial and editorial clients including the <i>London Observer</i> , <i>Los Angeles Times Magazine</i> , <i>New York Magazine</i> , the National Park Service, Southwest and United Airlines. License images via Getty Images.
1994-2004	Advertising Art Director	Los Angeles and New York. Conceived and designed television and print advertisements for BBDO, DDB, and Ogilvy & Mather and corporate clients that included Apple Computer, Blue Cross, IBM, and Starbucks. Hired & directed commercial photographers.

Grants, Fellowships, and Awards

2009	Boston Hatch Awards	Silver Bowl for Advertising Campaign
2008	Graham Foundation	\$15,000 Grant for <i>As Modern As Tomorrow</i> Book Project (with RISD Prof. John Caserta)
2007	Photo District News	Photography Annual
2004-06	RISD	Graduate Fellowship
1995-7	Addy, Belding & Clio	Awards Finalist (for advertising work)

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Exhibition Record

2015	Flash Forward Festival Faculty Biennial	Griffin Museum of Photo, Winchester, MA RISD Museum, Providence, RI
2014	Kinsey Institute Juried Show	Grunwald Gallery of Art, Bloomington, IN
2013	Promised Land (solo show) Plymouth & Plimoth Faculty Biennial	Garner Center for Photo, Boston, MA Johnson & Wales Univ., Providence, RI RISD Museum, Providence, RI
2012	HCP Print Auction Plymouth & Plimoth	Houston Center for Photo, Houston, TX Lund Gallery, PCD, E. Providence, RI
2011	Skewed Demographic Yes! Whose History Show Faculty Biennial	Queens Museum, Queens, NY Buonaccorsi+Agniel Gallery, Providence, RI Pilgrim Hall Museum, Plymouth, MA RISD Museum, Providence, RI
2009	The Portrait Show	Vermont Center for Photo, Brattleboro, VT
2008	New England Survey New England Survey	Fruitlands Museum Harvard, MA Photographic Resource Center, Boston, MA
2007	13th Annual Juried Show (photographs #2) Show	Griffin Museum of Photo, Winchester, MA Chicago Arts District, Chicago, IL
2006	MFA Thesis Show	The Space at Alice, Providence, RI
2005	The Fall Photo Dept. Triennial	Sol Koffler Gallery, Providence, RI Woods-Gerry Gallery, Providence, RI
2004	(photographs) Show	Worcester Gallery, Worcester, MA
2003	Conversazione	Nicole Dentiman Gallery, Los Angeles, CA

Clients & Publications

1998-2015	Apartment Therapy, Beacon Institute, Boston Harbor Island Alliance, <i>Edible Rhody</i> Magazine, GMAC Realtors, Hill Holliday Advertising, Holiday Inn Express, <i>Inc</i> Magazine, <i>London Observer</i> , <i>Los Angeles Magazine</i> , <i>Los Angeles Times Magazine</i> , Massachusetts Department of Conservation & Recreation, <i>Money</i> Magazine, Moses Brown School, National Park Service, <i>New York Magazine</i> , Rhode Island School of Design, Rubin Postaer & Associates, <i>Rutgers</i> Magazine, Slaughter Hanson Design, Southwest Airlines, <i>Stanford</i> Magazine, The Trustees of Reservations, Turner Construction, United Airlines, Utile Design
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Competencies & Skills

All aspects of Analog Photography using B&W and Color Film, including Color Theory, Darkroom Management, and Large Format Photography; All aspects of Digital Photography, including Image Capture, Scanning, Raw Processing, Color Correction, Advanced Workflow and Printing Techniques using Adobe Camera Raw, Lightroom 3, Photoshop CC, Image Print, Lightjet and Inkjet outputs; Graphic Design and Digital Typography with Quark and In-Design; Advertising, Marketing & Small Business Management; Public Speaking; Listening; Spelling.

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