

## RESUME

# Libby Modern

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## EMPLOYMENT

### **Modern Art, Founder ~ 2013 to present**

Graphic Design for the socially conscious, socially-engaged art, and a studio for you to explore.

**CLIENTS INCLUDE:** Lancaster Conservancy, Pennsylvania College of Art & Design, Franklin & Marshall College, City of Lancaster, PA, Choose Clean Water Coalition, Clare House, Power Packs Project, National Fish and Wildlife Foundation

**COMMUNITY PROJECTS:** ArtBike, The Phonotel, The Green Spaceship, Tiny Modern Concerts, Truth or Drawer, The To-Do List Exchange, Museum of the Living Worker, Art Peep Show, Page Match, The Haiku Machine, The Space Machine Found on the Moon

### **Half-full Design, Co-founder & Creative Director ~ 2000 to 2013**

Design and communications dedicated to the social good.

**CLIENTS:** The Jane Goodall Foundation, Defenders of Wildlife, Greenpeace USA, 23andMe, Center for Story Based Strategy, WITNESS, Rainforest Action Network, The Goldman Environmental Prize, Haverford College

## EDUCATION

The Creative Circus, *Certificate in Graphic Design and Art Direction*, 1998

Princeton University, *BA, cum laude, History*, 1995

## LECTURES/WORKSHOPS

Pennsylvania College of Art & Design, *Creative Community Engagement* Co-keynote speaker, August 2019

Pennsylvania College of Art & Design Fall Faculty Colloquium, *Community Engaged Art*, Moderator, August 2019

Collaborative Painting Workshop for Youth Refugees, Church World Services, July 2018

School District of Lancaster, Artbike Workshops, 2017-2018

Mix at Arbor Place, Art and Change/Painting in the Wild Workshops, 2017

Philadelphia Alumni Writers House, Franklin & Marshall College, *"The 10,000 Ways that Won't Work: A Talk on Creativity and Failure"* February 2015

Choose Clean Water Coalition Annual Meeting *"Effective Stormwater Communication"* May 2013

Philadelphia Art League, *"Artist Talk: A Curious Combination of Glee and Regret,"* December 2006

## GRANTS/RESIDENCIES/AWARDS

Project Stream Grant, *Museum of the Living Worker* and *Art Peep Show*, Pennsylvania Partners in the Arts, 2019

Lancaster Public Art, Sound Map Grant, 2017

Invoking the Pause Grant, *The Super Power Magic Motion Machine*, 2011

Invoking the Pause Grant, *The Village Green(er)*, 2010

Environmental Leadership Program, Regional Fellow, 2007-2009

## EXHIBITIONS/INSTALLATIONS

"A Curious Account..." Barney Ewell Plaza Construction Fencing, Lancaster, PA, 2020

Pennsylvania College of Art & Design, "&", and "Art Garden: Signs of the Times", October, 2018

Zoetropolis, “Modern Paintings”, Lancaster, PA, April-May, 2019 (solo)  
Dogstar, Libby Modern: Really Neat Paintings, Lancaster, PA, September 2007 (solo)  
Femina—Other Mother, Ware Center, Lancaster, PA, March 2020 (group)  
Silent Night, Lancaster Museum of Art, December, 2018 (group)  
Alice Drum Women’s Center, Franklin & Marshall College, Lancaster, PA, September 2015/2016 (group)  
Function Follows Form, Volume 1, Lancaster, PA, May 2011 (group)  
Three Artists, Rock Paper Scissors Gallery, Asbury Park, NJ, 2008 (group)  
“Puppies Are Biodegradable: an exhibition to shed light on Lancaster County’s puppy mills.”  
F.U.E.L. Collection, Philadelphia, PA, 2007 (group)  
Collaborative 21, 3rd Street Gallery, Philadelphia, PA 2005 (group)

**SERVICE**

Lancaster Public Library Board, Trustee, 2018-present  
Art Family, Steering Committee, 2018-present  
Franklin & Marshall College, Design Thinking Community Partner, 2017, 2019  
Reynolds Middle School, PTO, 2017-2020  
Wharton Elementary School, PTO, 2013-2020  
Lancaster Public Art Advisory Board, Member, 2010-2015  
Lancaster Bikes! Coalition, member, 2014-2016  
Lancaster Tot Spot, Founding Board Member, 2008-2011

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