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Education

Master's degree in photojournalism, University of Montana, May 2007.

Art history major at the University of Massachusetts at Amherst, September 1997- May 2001.
Graduated cum laude with a 3.9 GPA.

Exchange student, the Amercian University in Cairo, January to June 2000.

Professional Experience

Freelance Journalist, New York City, September 2007 - present. Frequent contributor to the Associated Press and the *New York Daily News*.

Staff photographer, *Beaver (Pa.) County Times*, September 2002 - July 2005.

Teaching assistant, University of Montana, August 2005 - May 2007.

Associated Press stringer, Missoula, Montana, October 2005 - May 2007.

Photography intern, *Chattanooga (Tenn.) Times Free Press*, January - June 2002.

Awards

NPPA National Clips: 1st place, Multimedia Project, June 2007

Outstanding Graduate Career Award: University of Montana, April 2007

NPPA Region 3 Clips: 1st place, Feature Multiple, May 2005
1st place, Sports, May 2005
2nd place, Sports, February 2005
2nd place, Feature Multiple, January 2004
2nd place, Spot News, October 2003
1st place, Feature Multiple, August 2003

Keystone Press Association: 2nd Place, Feature Single, 2004
2nd Place, Feature Multiple, 2003
1st Place, Sports, 2002

AP Photo of the Month: Tennessee, May 2002

References

Keith Briscoe, executive editor, Beaver County Times, 724-775-3200

Michael Downs, professor of journalism and creative writing, University of Montana and Towson University, 406-531-1484

Teresa Tamura, professor of journalism, University of Montana, 509-522-0384

Online

www.brianmcdermott.net (portfolio) and www.montanalove.net (multimedia)