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Education

M.F.A. (Creative Writing, Poetry) Brown University, Providence RI, 1998
B.A. (Philosophy and Mathematics) St. John's College, Annapolis MD, 1991

Teaching Experience

Term Professor (2018-2023), University of Florida
Associate Professor (2014-present), Creative Writing Program, Department of English, University of Florida
Bread Loaf Writers' Conference (2018), Poetry Faculty
Assistant Professor (2010-14), Creative Writing Program, Department of English, University of Houston

Courses Developed and Taught

Rhetorical Tropes (graduate seminar)
The Long Poem (graduate seminar)
Modernism and Ancient Greek Poetry (graduate seminar)
Poetry Workshop (graduate workshop)
Master Workshop (graduate workshop)
Advanced Poetry Workshop (undergraduate workshop)
Poetic Forms (undergraduate workshop)
Poetry Projects (undergraduate workshop)

Awards

Guggenheim Fellowship, 2014-15
Frederick Bock Prize, Poetry magazine, 2012
Randall Jarrell Award for Criticism, Poetry Foundation, 2009
Editor's Prize for Reviewing, Poetry magazine, 2008
National Poetry Series, 2004
Publishers Weekly Best Books of 1999
The Fund for Poetry, 1996 and 2006

Starred Wire was one of two finalists for the James Laughlin Award in 2005.
Shoulder Season was a finalist for the William Carlos Williams Award from the Poetry Society of America in 2010, and a finalist for a PEN Center USA award.
Marvelous Things Overheard was named a "best book of poetry" on year-end lists in the *New Yorker* and *The Boston Globe* in 2013.

Publications

Books

DISTANT MANDATE, Farrar, Straus and Giroux, 2017
MARVELOUS THINGS OVERHEARD, Farrar, Straus and Giroux, 2013
SHOULDER SEASON, Coffee House Press, 2010
STARRED WIRE, Coffee House Press, 2005
MATINEES, Zoland Books, 1999

Poems in Journals and Anthologies

"Don Giovanni" and "La Casa del Diavolo" in Poetry, September 2018
"Ducks" in The London Review of Books, 30 August 2018
"Miniature Horses in Florida" and "Palm" in The Southern Review, Spring 2018
"Sleepwalking in Venice" in Paris Review, Spring 2018
"Amor" and "Barding" in Paris Review, Fall 2017
"A Horse Does Not Want to Be Fedexed" in The London Review of Books, 5/2017
"Borrowed Bio," "Two Hangings from Ovid," and "What to Read This Summer" in Poetry, 4/2017
"On Balance" in *Symmetries: Three Years of Art and Poetry at Dominique Lévy*, 2016
"On Balance" in *Joel Shapiro*, Lévy-Gorvy Publications, 2016
Poem from "Epic" in The London Review of Books, 12/2016
"Captivity" in The Nation, 09/2016
"Nights Are Short but Evenings Come Twice" and "Cooked in Their Own Ink" in The Southern Review, spring, 2016.
"Gelsenkirchen" in the London Review of Books, 5 May 2016.
"Cottonmouth" and "The Fort" in Poetry, February, 2016.
"Supercell" in The New Yorker, November 3, 2015.
"Travesty" in Granta, fall 2015.
"Trobairitz" and "Breeze Blocks in the Wild Hollyhocks" in the Paris Review, fall 2015.
"Three Données" in The American Scholar, Summer 2015.
"They That Dally Nicely with Words May Quickly Make Them Wanton" in Poetry, February 2015.
"Marriage As Baroque Music" in Literary Imagination (forthcoming).
7 poems in Little Star, 2015.
"Bolivar" and "Wind Farm, Texas" in the Paris Review, summer 2014.
"Poodle" in The New Criterion, June 2014.
"Escape Architecture" in Poetry Review UK, Summer 2014.
"Epic" and "Escape Architecture" in Poetry, January 2014.
"Revelations" in Granta, Autumn 2013.
"Terminal Moderne" in London Review of Books, July 18, 2013.
"Argon" and "Seasonal Disorder" in Poetry Review (U.K.), Summer 2013.
"Knot Garden" and "Chagrin" in Parnassus 33:1&2.
"Civilization" in London Review of Books, April 25, 2013.
"Wingandecoia" in Paris Review, Spring 2013.
"The Heliopolitan" and "Chitchat" in Southern Review 48:4, Fall 2012.
"It Was a Bison Frise's Life..." in The Open Door: 100 Poems 100 Years of Poetry Magazine (ed. Don Share and Christian Wiman), University of Chicago, 2012.
"The Grind," in Poetry, September 2012.
"Intercoastal," "Roundness," and "Dream Thales" in Denver Quarterly 46:4, 2012.
"Azure" and "Cicadas" in The Nation 294:15, April 2012.
"Cantata for Lynette Roberts" in Poetry, October 2011.
"From the Lamiyya" and "Alexander's Naming of Winds" in Paris Review (Issue 199, 2011)
"Squall: Arethusa" in Port U.K. (June 2011)
"Stabile" and "Symphonic Expanse" in Poetry (February 2011)
"Squill" in Boston Review (35:1, January 2010)
"Bliss Street" in The New Yorker (October 18, 2010)
"Art Hotels and the Global Cafe" in Black Clock (No. 13, Fall/Winter 2010)
"Treatment" in The New Yorker (May 4, 2009)

"Shoulder Season," "Thalassotherapy," and "Corporate Abstraction" in *Critical Quarterly* (51:3, October 2009)
 "Granularity" and "The Devil's Pollard" in *Colorado Review* (36:2, Summer 2009)
 "This Is the Latest" in *Poetry* (July/August 2009)
 "Belated Treatment," "Stet Stet Stet" and "The Eros of Nothing" in *London Review of Books* (31:14, 23 July 2009)
 "Discretion," "Schilderachtig," and "One Thinks of Due Diligence" in *Chicago Review* (54:3), 2009)
 "The Leaves Are Falling," "Securitization," "Year Round" in *Poetry* (December 2008)
 "A Not Unruffled Surface" and "It Was a Bison Frise's Life..." in *Poetry* (June 2008)
 "Gallimaufry," "Classical Apples," and "Urushiol" in *Poetry* (June 2007)
 "The Docent of Evening" in *19 Lines: A Drawing Center Writing Anthology*, edited by Lytle Shaw (The Drawing Center/Roof Books), 2007
 "Classical Music" in *Bowery Women: Poems* edited by Bob Holman and Marjorie Tesser (New York: Bowery Arts & Sciences, Ltd.), 2006
 "Bon Nuit, Bunny" in *Village Voice* (50:45, November 2005)
 "Just Dump Me on the Palace Steps" in *Isn't It Romantic: 100 Love Poems by Younger American Poets* edited by Brett Fletcher Lauer & Aimee Kelley (Amherst: Verse Press), 2004
 "Keys and Scales," "Fire Is a Hostile Crowd" and "Destruction Is the New Construction" in *Conjunctions* (Issue 40, 2003)
 "The North End," "Sullivan Square," and "Anniversary" in *Grand Street* (14:4, June 1996)

Essays and Reviews

"A Smile Like the Sun (on Joan Murray), *Poetry*, November 2018
 "On Sinéad Morrissey," *London Review of Books*, forthcoming
 "On Maureen McLane," *London Review of Books*, 5/10/2018
 "Willing to Be Reckless" (On Marianne Moore), *Poetry*, December 2017
 "Whole Earth Troubadour" (on W.S. Merwin), *New York Review of Books*, 12/7/2017
 "On Fanny Howe," *London Review of Books*, 10/5/2017
 "In Coleridge's Bed," *The London Review of Books*, 4/2017
 "Delmore Schwartz vs. Delmore Schwartz," *Poetry*, 12/2016
 "A Plain Bright Mystery: On Denise Riley," *The Nation*, 10/2016
 "How Poems Think," *The Nation*, 06/06/2016
 "Nothing Is Single: James Merrill's Life and Art," *The Nation*, 12/7/2015
 "Prospero's Books: Jorie Graham's *From the New World: Poems*," *The Nation*, 11/16/2015
 "The Dolemen and the Nabmen: On Tom Pickard," *Poetry*, October 2015
 "The Dreamlife of Desire," *The Nation*, 4/6/2015
 "Poem Guide: William Butler Yeats' 'Easter 1916,'" poetryfoundation.org
 "Poem Guide: James Merrill's 'The Victor Dog,'" poetryfoundation.org
 "Ghazals, Guitars, and Dumb Blocks: On *Dirty Baby*," *Parnassus*, 2015
 "Seamus Heaney: 'In Memoriam: Robert Fitzgerald'" in *Poetry Ireland Review* No. 113, Fall 2014
 "A Thousand Labyrinths: Peter Gizzi" in *Boston Review*, July 2014
 "Walking on Knives: Denise Levertov" in *Poetry*, June 2014
 "Infamy or Urn" (on Dickinson's manuscript poems) in *The Nation*, January 27, 2014
 "The Banquet: Kenneth Koch" in *Poetry*, January 2014
 "Shelf Life" (on Denise Levertov's biography) in *The Nation*, November 11, 2013
 "The Lyric Project" (on Tracy K. Smith and Cathy Park Hong) in *Parnassus*, 33-1&2
 "Shelf Life" (on Norton's *Postmodern Poetry*, 2nd Edition), *The Nation*, April 15, 2013
 "Exchange: Gwyneth Lewis, Michael Lista, Ange Mlinko" for *Poetry*, 04/2013
 "Off Center" (on Lynette Roberts) for *Poetry*, 02/2013
 "Diagram This: On Adrienne Rich" for *The Nation*, February 18, 2013
 "Seeing and Saying" (on *Mute Poetry, Speaking Pictures* by Leonard Barkan), *Los Angeles Review of Books*, March 15, 2013

"Geoffrey Hill: On Reading Crowds and Power," Poetry Foundation website (poetryfoundation.org), March 2013

"Safer Than Ambien" (on Elizabeth Bishop) for Poetry, 01/2013

"The Unconquered Flame" (on Robert Duncan) for The Nation, October 8, 2012

"The Scholar's Art" (on Susan Stewart) in Los Angeles Review of Books, January 19, 2012

Review of Valery's Graveyard (McGrath/Comenetz) in Romance Quarterly, 59:3

Review of Wildfire (Andrea Brady) in Chicago Review, 56:4

"Why Write, If Not to Align Yourself with Time and Space?" (interview) in American Poetry Review, March-April 2012

Review of David Trinidad's Dear Prudence for Bookforum, December/January 2012

"A Few Leaves of Salted Rocket," Poetry, 08/2011

"The Other Ange Mlinko," London Review of Books blog, August 4, 2011

"Hard Against Time" (on Roy Fisher) in The Nation, August 15/22, 2011

"Lingo: The Canting Crew," in The Nation, June 14, 2011

"Lingo: Out of the Mouths of Birds," in The Nation, March 22, 2011

"Duncan's Divagations" (on Robert Duncan) in The Nation, February 21, 2011

"Lingo: Languaging" in The Nation, January 21, 2011

"Letter from Beirut" in Poetry, July/August 2010

"This Is Your Brain on Poetry" (exchange with Iain McGilchrist) in Poetry, October 2010

"Little Philadelphias" (on Imagism) in London Review of Books, March 25, 2010

Reading Guide (Anne Finch, Countess of Winchelsea's "The Answer") at Poetryfoundation.org, June 2010

"Scoured Light" (on James Schuyler) for The Nation, May 7, 2010

"Gramophones" (on Graham Foust) for The Nation, April 16, 2010

"Lingo: Pleasures of the Tixte" for The Nation, October 7, 2010

"Lingo: Bluer Rather Than Pinker" for The Nation, September 7, 2010

"Lingo: The Everyday Oblique" for The Nation, June 22, 2010

"Lingo: Prolixities Docked" for The Nation, May 27, 2010

"Lingo: Reading on the Brain" for The Nation, April 5, 2010

"Lingo: Superfluity and Bounty" for The Nation, March 23, 2010

"Lingo: Borrower's Remorse?" for The Nation, January 19, 2010

"Introduction" for Up Above the World by Paul Bowles, Penguin UK, 2010

"Words As Amulets" (on Barbara Guest) in London Review of Books, December 3, 2009

"As If Nature Talked Back to Me: A Notebook" in Poetry, September 2009

"Lingo: To Sleep, Perchance to Sleep + Think" in The Nation, September 1, 2009

"The God Couple," (on Susan Wheeler and Robert Polito) for Bookforum, June/July/August 2009

"Angels to Radios" (on Rilke) in The Nation, November 24, 2009

"A Nameless Vocation" (on Fanny Howe) in The Nation, March 18, 2009

"Comfort and Agony" (on Jennifer Moxley) in The Nation, June 8, 2009

"With Mercy for the Greedy" (on Frederick Seidel) in The Nation, June 29, 2009

"Lingo: Popcorn" in The Nation, June 16, 2009

"Lingo: Linguistic Currency" in The Nation, November 3, 2009

"Lingo: And Then Some" in The Nation, April 14, 2009

"Lingo: What Child Is This?" in The Nation, March 17, 2009

Reading Guide: Gerard Manley Hopkins's "The Windhover" at Poetryfoundation.org, January 2009

"If Only Analogues..." (on Allen Ginsberg) in London Review of Books, November 20, 2008

"Her Nature Was Future" (on Emily Dickinson) in The Nation, November 19, 2008

"Lullabye" (on Susan Stewart) in The Nation, October 29, 2008

"Pleasantly False Deja Vu: The Obscure Vaudeville Charms of Bree Benton" for The Believer, July/August 2008

"A Nurse of Enchantment" (on Helen Adam) in The Nation, April 14, 2008

"Clamor and Quiet" (on Robert Pinsky and Mary Kinzie) in Poetry, January 2008

"Information, Thy Name Is Reverie" (on Devin Johnston and Linda Gregg) in Poetry, November 2008

"Loss Lieder" (on National Poetry Month) in The Nation, April 8, 2008

"Dreamlife without Angels" (on John Ashbery) in The Nation, December 17, 2007

"Six Takes" (Omnibus review) for Poetry, October 2007

“Charles North’s Adventures in Poetry” in *Don’t Ever Get Famous: Essays on New York Writing after the New York School*, ed. Daniel Kane, Dalkey Archive Scholarly Series, 2006

Selected and Upcoming Poetry Readings

University of North Florida, November 2018
University of Houston, October 2018
The Hammer Museum (UCLA), Los Angeles, CA, April 2018
Association of Writers & Writing Programs, March 2018
The Hammer Museum (UCLA), Los Angeles, CA, January 2013
The New School for Social Research, New York, NY, February 2011
Lone Star Community College, Montgomery, TX, April 2011
Pace University, New York, NY, December 2010
Villanova University, Villanova, PA, April 2010
St. John's College, Annapolis, MD, January 2007
Williams College, Williamstown, MA, September 2007
The Poetry Project, NY, NY, May 2005
KGB Bar, NY, NY, May 2005
St. John's University, Staten Island, NY, October 2001
Naropa University, Boulder, CO, June 2001
Caius College, Cambridge, U.K., September 1999
Massachusetts Institute of Technology, April 1999

Selected Lectures and Panel Discussions

“The Revival of Aphrodite’s Daughter: Rhetoric in Contemporary Poetry,” a panel at the Association of Writers & Writing Programs conference, March 8, 2018.
“Shakespeare and Twenty-First Century Poetics,” working group at the Shakespeare Association of America, March 29, 2018.
“Poetry at Sea,” an invited lecture given at the Hugo House in Seattle as part of the Bagley-Wright lecture series sponsored by Wave Books, September 8, 2016.
“Poetry at Sea,” an invited talk given at the Poetry by the Sea conference in Madison, CT, May 26, 2016.
“Creative Responses to the New York School,” American Literature Association, May 25, 2014.
Symposium on Evaluative Criticism, Claremont McKenna College, Claremont, CA, February 2014.
Talk with Christian Wiman and Rae Armantrout, Inprint Reading Series, Alley Theater, Houston, February 2012
Talk with Kay Ryan, Inprint Reading Series, Alley Theater, Houston, April 11, 2011
Panel on Emily Dickinson, Lone Star Community College, December 16, 2010
Panel on contemporary poetry, sponsored by the Poetry Society of America at the University of Texas, Austin, November 11, 2010
Panel on Poetry magazine, Associated Writing Programs Conference, Chicago, IL, February 2009

Podcasts

Bookworm with Michael Silverblatt:
http://www.kcrw.com/etc/programs/bw/bw130124ange_mlinko_shoulder#

Professional Activity and Service

Judge, Poetry Society of America Chapbook Fellowship, 2018

Poetry Editor, Subtropics, 2016-
Poetry Editor, The Nation, 2013-2016
Judge, William Carlos Williams Award for the Poetry Society of America, 2015
Co-Founder, Rice University/University of Houston Reading Series, 2010-2014
Judge, National Poetry Series, 2011
Editor, The Poetry Project Newsletter, 2000-2002
Visiting Writer, Naropa University Summer Writing Program, 2001
Coordinator, The Writing Center, Al-Akhawayn University, Morocco: Fall 1999
Teaching Assistant, Program in Creative Writing, Brown University, 1997-98
Assistant Editor, PWS Publishing: 1995-1996