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## Education

- **Ph.D. Media Studies**  
University of Oregon, School of Journalism and Communication, 2013  
*Kappa Tau Alpha Honor Society*
  - **M.A. Folklore**  
University of Oregon, English Department, 2006
  - **B.A. Anthropology**  
University of Oregon, College of Arts and Sciences, 2002  
*Cum Laude, Phi Beta Kappa, Dean's List*
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## Teaching Experience

- **Colorado Mesa University, Grand Junction, CO**  
*Instructor, Mass Communication (2020–Present)*
  - **Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR**  
*Instructor, New Media Department (2015)*
  - **University of Oregon, Eugene, OR**  
*Instructor, School of Journalism and Communication (2008–2014)*
  - **Additional Roles**  
*Various instructional and tutoring positions, including Project My Voice and The Learning Center, Eugene, OR (2002–2013)*
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## Professional Experience

- **Mickey Stellavato Photography and Scenic Route Productions**  
*Photographer, Oral Historian, Documentarian (2002–Present)*
- **CMU Photo Club**  
*Student Advisor and Photographer (2022–Present)*
- **Tomlinson Library, Colorado Mesa University**  
*Voices Seen: Portraits of Diversity Exhibit, Project Co-Manager (2022–Present)*
- **University of Oregon, Division of Equity and Inclusion**  
*Photographer, Documentarian, and Oral Historian (2012–2020)*
- **Trauma Healing Project**  
*Digital Storytelling Workshop Facilitator (2009–2015)*
- **Oregon State Hospital Museum of Mental Health**  
*Project Manager (2014)*
- **Additional Experience**
  - **Museums of the West, Grand Junction, CO** – *Photographer and Oral Historian for St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Elder Stories, 2022*

- **Grand Junction High School Advisory Board**, *Photography Advisor*, 2022-Present
- **Numerous other photography, oral history, and multimedia roles spanning academic and community organizations**

## Selected Publications & Exhibitions

### Exhibitions and Features

- **Voices Seen: Portraits of Diversity on Campus** – Exhibit at Colorado Mesa University, April 2022 & 2023
- **Visit Grand Junction** – “Old Spanish Trail,” November 2021
- **Women in Journalism Magazine** – Cover photo and additional images, July 2020
- **Petapixel** – Featured photographs for “This New Community of Black Women Photographers,” July 2020
- **Black and White** – 2018 Exhibition, Black Box Online Annex and Catalogue
- **Sekhmet: Transformation in the Belly of the Goddess** – Bear & Company, 2017
- **Be Campaign**—City of Eugene Equity and Community Consortium, 2015
- **Diversity Career Symposium** – Documentary for University of Oregon, 2013
- **TEDxUOregon** – Event photography, 2014, 2013
- **UO TESTIFY** – Photo essay, 2014
- **Many Faces, Many Voices: One Oregon** – Portrait series, University of Oregon, 2011
- **Additional Published Photos and Features** – Appearances in Oregon Quarterly, Around the O, The Tab, Eugene Weekly, Hip Mama, and more

### Film & Multimedia Productions

- *Oregon Country Fair Elder Stories*—Oral Histories, 2015-2018
- *Runaway Days: A Week in the Life of Laurie McCallister* – Selected for the Cottage Grove Film Festival, 2008
- *Synchrony* – Independent film, cinematography by Mickey Stellavato, 2007

### Selected Academic Presentations

- **inVISIBLE Nano Festival** – *Panel on Arts Inclusion and Disabilities*, 2015
- **Western States Folklore Society** – *Experiential Story Worlds Panel*, 2012
- **VisComm24** – *Collaborative Photography-Based Research*, 2010
- **Console-ing Passions** – *Local Activism and Global Networks*, 2010
- **Western States Folklore Society**—*Like Our Ancestors: The Choice of Homebirth in a Modern World*, 2005

## Selected Honors & Awards

- Graduate Teaching Fellowship, University of Oregon (2008–2013)
- University Scholarships (2008–2013)
- Kappa Tau Alpha Honor Society, Journalism and Communication (2010)
- *Road Scholars* Grant, Center for the Study of Women in Society, University of Oregon, 2009

- Phi Beta Kappa (2002)
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### **Selected Volunteer Work and Trainings**

- Mental Health First Aid – National Council for Mental Wellbeing, 2021
  - CMU E-campus Trainings for Educators, 2020
  - Board of Directors, Zahra Handworks Foundation, 2015–2016
  - NAACP Academic, Cultural, Technological, Scientific Olympics, 2015
  - UO Coalition to End Sexual Violence – Volunteer, 2014
  - South Eugene High School Librarian, 2014–2015
  - Facilitator Intensive Training, Center for Digital Storytelling, 2011
  - Basic Digital Storytelling Workshop, Center for Digital Storytelling, 2010
  - Digital Storytelling Co-Facilitator, Trauma Healing Project, 2009–2015
  - Brehm Communications Better Newspaper Contest: Photography Judge, 2008
  - Power of Peers Program, Edison Elementary School, 2006–2007
  - Director, Women’s History Play, Edison Elementary School, 2006–2008
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### **Professional & Technical Skills**

- **Software:** Adobe Lightroom, Photoshop, Premiere Pro, Microsoft Office Suite
  - **Languages:** Fluent in Swedish, moderate comprehension of Norwegian and Danish, working knowledge of Spanish, French, and German
  - **Other Skills:** Proficient with multimedia production equipment and digital storytelling techniques
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### **Professional Links**

- **Website:** [mstellavato.com](http://mstellavato.com)
- **LinkedIn:** [linkedin.com/in/mickeystellavato](https://www.linkedin.com/in/mickeystellavato)
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