

## Curriculum Vitae Melissa Eidson



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### EDUCATION

CUNY: Hunter, New York, NY  
Master of Arts: English Literature, December 2000  
Thesis: *Willa Cather and the Musicality of Her Verse*

The University of Houston; Houston, Texas  
Master's program, Directing Theatre, May 1996

Midsummer in Oxford at Baliol College, Oxford University; Oxford, England  
(a British American Drama Academy & Yale University program; Master Classes  
with Vanessa Redgrave, Derek Jacobi, Dame Peggy Ashcroft) June-July 1993

Southern Methodist University, Dallas, TX  
BBA: Marketing, May 1990

### EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

2017-present

Visiting Assistant Professor, Pratt, Brooklyn Campus, New York, NY  
Writing Across the Curriculum, Creative Writing for Art and Design, Master's  
Thesis Writing for Photography, Thesis Writing for Interior Design, Writing as  
Visual Art, Screenwriting, The Documentary Image, HMS101A & 201A Critical  
and Literary Studies

2012-present CTU Online **Communication** and Literature

2005-present

Producer/Director  
*Slow Fashion Film* ([www.slowfashionfilm.com](http://www.slowfashionfilm.com))

*Aura* (aurathefilm.com)

*El Barrio, No Son Invisibles: Maya Women and Microfinance* featuring Nobel Peace Prize winner Muhammad Yunus (University library collections at Harvard, Vassar, Stanford, University of Washington, UT, TCU, SMU)

Spring 2004

Instructor of English at Universidad de Las Americas, Mexico City

Spring 2001-BMCC at Hunter College, English 101, Adjunct Professor, ENG 101

Fall 2000 - 2001

Instructor at Pratt, Brooklyn Campus, New York, New York

English 101, Freshman Writing, Identity, Art History, Writing Content Online

### **PUBLICATIONS**

*Poems in French Polynesia* (Eme Eidson)

Activism & Documentary Film: "No Son Invisibles: Maya Women and Microfinance" featuring Muhammad Yunus (IMDB), "El Barrio"(amazon.com), "Slow Fashion" (slowfashionfilm.com)

Narrative Film: [www.aurathefilm.com](http://www.aurathefilm.com)

### **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

American Association of Adjunct Education

Art Student's League, New York City

### **SKILLS / INTERESTS**

Poetry, Sculpture & Drawing, Filmmaking, traveling