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**PERSONAL**

Married to James D. Borchardt, no children  
Born April 9, 1981 in Iowa City, IA, Citizen of the United States of America

**EDUCATION**

**University of Iowa College of Engineering, Iowa City, IA**  
B.S. in Industrial Engineering, May 2004  
Certificate in Technological Entrepreneurship, May 2004

**EMPLOYMENT**

**Amanda Johnson Dressage LLC**

Manager, Owner

2003 – Present

- Trainer, teacher, rider, clinician, sales

March 2008 – Present

- Training business based out of Silverwood Farm in Camp Lake, WI

2003 – Aug. 2007

- Managed private 9 stall stable, owned by Barb Putnam, in North Liberty, IA

**USDF Graduate Young Rider Program**

2004 – Present

Committee member

**Tempel Lipizzans, Wadsworth, IL**

Assistant Trainer to Jochen Hippenstiel, Farm Manager Larry Leffingwell

Aug. 2007 – Feb. 2008

- Managed and trained up to 5 Lipizzans, starting young stallions under saddle, riding in performances, basic training for airs horses

**USDF Awards Council**

2005 – 2006

Representative for Region 4

**Eastern Iowa Dressage and Eventing Association**

2004 – 2006

GMO President

**USDF Junior Executive Board**

1998 – 2001

Representative for Region 4

**Gypsy Woods Farm**

Working Student for George Williams

June 2001 – Aug. 2001

- Grooming, stable management, riding

**Tempel Lipizzans, Wadsworth, IL**

- May 2000 – July 2000 Working Student for George Williams
- Grooming, stable management, riding young stallions, performances
- June 1999 – Aug. 1999
- Grooming, stable management, riding young stallions, performances

**Free Rein Farm, North Liberty, IA**

1997 – 1998 Beginning riding instructor for Joy Baker

**DRESSAGE TRAINING**

- 1997 – Present Conrad Schumacher clinics
- 2007 – Present Lars Petersen clinics
- 2007 – Present Susanne Von Dietze clinics
- 2009 Gary Rockwell clinics
- Sept. 2008 George Williams coaching at Dressage at Devon
- Winter 2008 Mette Rosencranz clinics
- Winter 2008 Christine Traurig clinics
- Oct. 2007 IDCTA clinic with Robert Dover, rider
- 2005 – 2007 Colonel Christian Carde clinics
- 2006 – 2007 Volker Brommann clinics
- 2006 USDF National Symposium with Ingrid Klimke demonstration rider
- 2006 USEF Judges Forum, Lexington, KY demonstration rider 3<sup>rd</sup> level and equitation
- 2006 All American Freestyle Symposium demonstration rider
- 1997, 2004 – 2006 Gerhard Politz clinics
- 2005 Young Dressage Horse Trainers Symposium participant
- 2005 On the cover of Aug. USDF Connection magazine, article *A Career in Dressage*
- 2004 – 2005 USDF Graduate Young Rider Program participant
- 2001 – 2005 Cindy Ishoy and Neil Ishoy clinics
- 2003 WDCTA clinic with Steffen Peters
- 2003 Equine Affaire, Columbus, OH clinic with Steffen Peters
- 2003 Demonstration rider for Pfizer Fantasia at Equine Affaire, Columbus, OH
- 2002 – 2003 Walter Zettl clinics, 2003 USDF Region 4 Adult Clinic Series rider participant
- 2002 USDF European Young Rider Training Education Program Trip participant, (the Dressage Foundation's Olympic Dream Program). Visited the training barns of Jan Bemmelman, Lisa Wilcox, Ernst Hoyos, Klaus Balkenhol, Judy DeWinter and the 2002 WEG Spanish team including Rafeal Soto.
- 1999 – 2003 George Williams, training and clinics
- 1996 – 1998 Heather Bender clinics
- 1996 – 1998 Mette Rosencranz clinics
- 1995 – 1998 Gwen Stockebrand clinics

**SHOWS AND AWARDS**

- 2009 5<sup>th</sup> Place USEF National I-I Championship Ranking, 65.584% average (updated 11/14/08)

2008

**Dressage at Devon CDI\*\*\***

64.25% PSG 11<sup>th</sup> place; 66.917% I-1 2<sup>nd</sup> place (tied for 1<sup>st</sup>); 69.6% I-1 Freestyle 3<sup>rd</sup> place

**Dressage at Lamplight CDI\*\*\***

65.917% PSG 4<sup>th</sup> place; 68.3% I-1 1<sup>st</sup> place; 68.85% I-1 Freestyle 1<sup>st</sup> place

4<sup>th</sup> Place I-1 American Hanoverian Society, 67.25% median

1<sup>st</sup> Place I-1 Musical Freestyle American Hanoverian Society, 69.55% median

6<sup>th</sup> Place PSG American Hanoverian Society, 66.167% median

20<sup>th</sup> Place I-1 USDF Horse of the Year, 67.25% median

1<sup>st</sup> Place IDCTA Award FEI Freestyle Open 75.361% average

1<sup>st</sup> Place IDCTA Award Prix St. George Open 70.375% average

3<sup>rd</sup> Place IDCTA Award Intermediaire I Open 70.033% average

4<sup>th</sup> Place IDCTA Award Training Level Open 73.160% average

5<sup>th</sup> Place IDCTA Award First Level Open 64.909% average

Winner of Silverwood Dressage Championships at Training Level, PSG, I-1, and I-1 Freestyle

2007

**Dressage at Devon CDI\*\*\***

65.167% PSG 8<sup>th</sup> place; 64.167% I-1 9<sup>th</sup> place; 64.1% I-1 Freestyle 8<sup>th</sup> place

**Paxton Farm CDI\*\*\***

63.75% PSG 12<sup>th</sup> place; 64.75% I-1 6<sup>th</sup> place; 63.35% I-1 Freestyle 10<sup>th</sup> place

NDA Cornhusker Classic - High Point Training Level 70.4%

2006

5<sup>th</sup> Place Fourth Level Musical Freestyle American Hanoverian Society, 64.896% median

Great American/USDF Region 4 PSG Champion, 66.125%

Great American/USDF Region 4 4<sup>th</sup> Place 4<sup>th</sup> Level Musical Freestyle, 60 %

Multiple High Point and Reserve High Point Awards at Lamplight, Mason City and Tempel Farms shows, First, Second and PSG Levels

2005

13<sup>th</sup> Place Third level USDF Horse of the Year Award, 69% median

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Third level Musical Freestyle Award, 71.198% median

4<sup>th</sup> Place Third level American Hanoverian Society, 69% median

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Fourth level American Hanoverian Society, 65.465% median

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Third level Musical Freestyle American Hanoverian Society, 71.7198%

11<sup>th</sup> Place First level USDF Horse of the Year Award, 72.5% median

9<sup>th</sup> Place Second level USDF Horse of the Year Award, 68.824% median

2<sup>nd</sup> Place First level Westfalen Horse Association, 72.5% median

1<sup>st</sup> Place Second level Westfalen Horse Association, 68.824% median

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Training level Westfalen Horse Association, 67.692% median

3<sup>rd</sup> Place First level Westfalen Horse Association, 65% median

GAIG/USDF Region 4 First level Champion, 71.806%

GAIG/USDF Region 4 Second level Reserve Champion, 68.824%

GAIG/USDF Region 4 Third level Musical Freestyle Champion, 71.042%

GAIG/USDF Region 4 Fourth level Reserve Champion, 63.261%

- 2004 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Friesian Horse Assoc. of NA First Level, 67% median  
Multiple High Point and Reserve High Point Awards at Lamplight, Mason City, and St. Louis Area Dressage Society shows, First through Second Levels
- 2003 **Dressage at Tempel Farms**  
60% USET GP "A" 1<sup>st</sup> Place; 65.375% USET Grand Prix Freestyle 1<sup>st</sup> place  
**Dressage at Lamplight**  
58.264% USET GP "A" 2<sup>nd</sup> place; 58.133% USET Grand Special 1<sup>st</sup> place  
3<sup>rd</sup> Place Grand Prix Westfalen Horse Association, 62.7% median  
1<sup>st</sup> Place Training Level Westfalen Horse Association, 68.7% median  
GAIG/USDF Region 4 Grand Prix Freestyle Champion, 66%
- 2002 **USDF Gold Medal Winner** (second youngest person to receive it at the time)  
**United States FEI Young Horse Championship Dressage at Lamplight**  
5 Year Old Division, 5.8  
1<sup>st</sup> Place Intermediare II USDF Junior/Young Rider Award, 63% median  
1<sup>st</sup> Place Grand Prix USDF Junior/Young Rider Award, 61% median  
11<sup>th</sup> Place Intermediare II USDF Horse of the Year Award, 63% median  
1<sup>st</sup> Place Intermediare II Westfalen Horse Association, 63% median  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place Grand Prix Westfalen Horse Association, 61% median  
ABIC/USDF Region 4 Intermediare II Champion, 63%  
ABIC/USDF Region 4 Grand Prix Champion, 61%
- 2001 **Dressage at Lamplight CDI\*\*\***  
68.241% PSG Freestyle 1<sup>st</sup> Place  
**USET Festival of Champions, Gladstone, NJ**  
3<sup>rd</sup> Place FEI Young Riders Individual Test  
**North American Young Riders Championship**  
61.72% NAYRC Consolation Test 1<sup>st</sup> Place  
4<sup>th</sup> Place Westfalen Horse Association PSG, 64.5% median  
Member of the USDF Region 4 NAYRC Team, 64.417% qualifying average  
Competed in First Grand Prix, Columbus, OH
- 2000 1<sup>st</sup> Place Intermediare I USDF Junior/Young Rider Award, 68% median  
3<sup>rd</sup> Place Intermediare I USDF Horse of the Year Award, 68% median  
1<sup>st</sup> Place PSG Westfalen Horse Association, 64.3% median  
1<sup>st</sup> Place Intermediare I Westfalen Horse Association, 68% median  
ABIC/USDF Region 4 PSG Champion, 65%  
ABIC/USDF Region 4 Intermediare I Champion, 67.5%  
Member of the USDF Region 4 NAYRC Team
- 1999 2<sup>nd</sup> Place PSG Westfalen Horse Association  
Member of the USDF Region 4 NAYRC Team

1998

**USDF Silver Medal Winner**

6<sup>th</sup> Place Fourth Level USDF Junior/Young Rider Award

1997

**USDF Bronze Medal Winner**

3<sup>rd</sup> Place Third Level USDF Junior/Young Rider Award, 63% median