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Education

Master of Fine Art: Sculpture **May 2024**
Pennsylvania State University | State College, PA

Bachelor of Art: Visual Arts **May 2020**
Keystone College | La Plume, PA
summa cum laude

Selected Solo Exhibitions

2024:
Safe Harbors, Gallery 1406 at the Wayne County Community Library, Honesdale PA
Safekeeping, Zoller Gallery at Pennsylvania State University, State College PA

2023:
Coralscapes, Gallery 1406 at Wayne County Community Library, Honesdale PA

2022:
Featured Artist, Helene M. Whitaker Gallery, Bethlehem, PA

2021:
Currents, Abington Community Library, Abington, PA

Selected Juried Exhibitions

2024:
Grounded, Martha Gault Art Gallery, Slippery Rock, PA, Currated by the art faulty of Slippery Rock University

2023:
Little Sculpture Show, International Sculpture Center, 5th Edition of Art Fair 14C, Jersey City, NJ

2023 Graduate Exhibition, The HUB-Robeson Galleries, State College, PA
Landmade, Mais Uno + 1, Lisbon, Portugal

2022:
Telling Stories, ShoeboxProjects, Virtual, Currated by Michelle Robinson
Certain, AFA Gallery, Scranton, PA
Fragile, Hamilton Street Gallery, Bound Brook, NJ
Environmental Art Show, The Weinberg Memorial Library, University of Scranton, Scranton PA

Undercurrents, Ely Center of Contemporary Art, New Haven, CT, Currated by Kristina Newman-Scott

"It's the Process...", Eclipse Center for Creative Community, Lansdale, PA

2021:
Featured Artist, Ely Center of Contemporary Art, Virtual
2nd Annual Creep Up !, Up Arts Incubator, Lansdale, PA

2020:
All Things Bright and Beautiful, Up Arts Incubator, Lansdale, PA
Women in Art, Las Laguna Art Gallery, Laguna Beach, CA

2019:

Strange Figurations, Limner Gallery, Hudson, NY

Keystone College Juried Student Show-Fall Semester, Linder Gallery- Keystone College, La Plume, PA

2019 Northeast Regional Honors Council Conference Art Show, Baltimore, MD

2018:

Keystone College Juried Student Show-Fall Semester, Linder Gallery Keystone College, La Plume, PA

Keystone College Juried Student Show-Spring Semester, Linder Gallery Keystone College, La Plume, PA

2017:

Strange Figurations, Limner Gallery, Hudson, NY

2016:

Keystone College Juried Student Show-Fall Semester, Linder Gallery Keystone College, La Plume, PA

Keystone College Juried Student Show-Spring Semester, Linder Gallery Keystone College, La Plume, PA

Selected Group Exhibitions**2024:**

Gazpacho, Zoller Gallery at Pennsylvania State University, State College, PA

2023:

Post Card Pop Up Show, Temp Agency on Third, Pennsylvania State University, State College, PA

Rendezvous, Zoller Gallery at Pennsylvania State University, State College, PA

Influx, Zoller Gallery at Pennsylvania State University, State College, PA

2022:

Liminality, Patterson Gallery at Pennsylvania State University, State College, PA

Press

Brooke Williams, "Artist's exhibition at Abington library a natural fit," The Times Tribune, Abington Township, PA, January 10, 2022, Local A3.

Visiting Artist Lectures

2022| University of Scranton, Scranton, PA| Public Artist Lecture

2021| Abington Community Library, PA| Public Artist Lecture

Residencies

Serde| Aizpute, Latvia

August 2019

Arquetopia| Urubamba, Peru

June-July 2019

Awards and Grants

2020 | Tersteeg Annual Senior Show Award

Keystone College | La Plume, PA

2019 | Keystone College National Alumni Association Board Grant

Keystone College | La Plume, PA

2018 | Keystone College National Alumni Association Board Grant

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Professional Experience

International Sculpture Center, Membership and Publishing Assistant May 2024 – Present

International Sculpture Center | Hamilton, NJ

- Identify new advertising prospects
- Assist with newsletters, e-blasts, social media, and digital magazine
- Update website pages

Instructor of record, Intro to Sculpture

June 2023 - Present

Penn State University | State College, PA

- Taught the introduction sculpture class to a diverse population across the university that meets the General Education (ART) requirement
- Combined design thinking with technical art processes to help students visualize ideas
- Developed a multi-tiered syllabus and lesson plans that prioritized accessibility and creative agency for multiple majors

International Sculpture Center, Administrative Assistant

June 2023 – May 2024

International Sculpture Center | Hamilton, NJ

- Researched potential advertisers based upon the contents of sculpturemagazine.art
- Updated membership online features including opportunities page
- Update website pages and newsletters

Shop Assistant

August 2022 - May 2023

Penn State University | State College, PA

- Maintained safety practices within the shop
- Assisted students with various projects
- Managed clean working environment

International Sculpture Center Intern

March 2021 – May 2022

International Sculpture Center | Hamilton, NJ

- Researched potential advertisers
- Assisted with e-marketing
- Updated blogs and website pages with current information

Gallery Attendant and Gift Shop Clerk

February 2019 – July 2021

The Everhart Museum | Scranton, PA

- Watched over the visitors, staff and museum assets and equipment
- Provided crowd control and security for museum events
- Assisted patrons with purchases

Student Promotion Coordinator

November 2016 – March 2019

Sodexo at Keystone College | La Plume, PA

- Managed the company's digital presence on social media websites
- Created marketing tools including, posters, menus, and various promotional materials
- Assisted on catering and event planning as needed