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Education:

2021 MFA in Sculpture, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, IL

2012 BA in Fine Arts Magna Cum Laude with a minor in Gender and Women's Studies, Northeastern Illinois University, Chicago IL

Solo Exhibitions:

2023 *Tranifestations*, NEIU Fine Arts Center Gallery, Chicago IL

2022 *Transbirthdays*, High Cross Art Gallery, Urbana IL

2021 *Fat Folds and Holds*, Dankcave Gallery, Cornhole IL

2020 *Domestic Cathexis*, Black Light Box Gallery, Urbana IL

2014 *Hanging Sacks*, Frankenstone Gallery, Chicago IL

2013 *The Baby is 87. The Mommy is 28.* NEIU student Gallery, Chicago IL

2013 *The Exchange*, A Performance, studio 210, Chicago IL

2012 *Sporadic Art and Activism*, NEIU Student Union, Chicago IL

2012 *Airing Out My Dirty Laundry*, Pilsen Public Show Pods, Chicago IL

2012 *Naked Pours*, A Performance, studio 205, Chicago IL

2011 *Sporadic Art and Activism*, NEIU Student Union, Chicago IL

2011 *The Start of Something*, The Hollywood, Chicago IL

2007 *Untitled Works*, Gallery Cabaret, Chicago IL

Group Exhibitions:

2021 *Verdant*, Ohio University, Athens OH

2021 *Dykesthetics: Another Dankcave*, Krannert Art Museum, Urbana IL

2021 *Prairie Land*, Monaco Gallery, St Louis IL

2020 *Chairvoyant*, Art in Place CNL Projects, Chicago IL

2019-18 *Exigent*, Ivy House Gallery, Champaign IL

2019 *Boneyard*, Rogards Building, Champaign IL

2017 *Juried Alumni Showcase*, Northeastern Fine Arts Gallery, Chicago IL

2017 *The Sew Show*, Plus Gallery, Chicago IL

2016 *Queerbook*, Ribcage Gallery, Chicago IL

2016 *Evolution*, Studio O Gallery, Chicago IL

2015 *Juried Alumni Showcase*, Northeastern Fine Arts Gallery, Chicago IL

2015 *Exquisite Mail*, Husart Gallery, Chicago IL

2011 *Number 7*, El Centro Cultural Gallery, Chicago IL

Relevant Experience:

2022 Guest Curator for Blair Ebony Smith, Black on Black on Black, Krannert Art Museum

2022 Central High School Art Juror for the 5th Annual Art showcase

2018-2021 Graduate Teaching Assistantship: ART 101, ART 102, Junior/Senior Studio

2019 Artist Assistant for Elizabeth Demaray's Install of the Nike Missile Cozy at the Krannert Art Museum

2019 Instructor of Record: The Art of Making and Meaning, 200 level studio course

2013-2018 Commission based Embroidery Artist

2010-2013 Northeastern Illinois University Gallery Assistant

2012-2013 Leader of Alternative Spring Break: El Paso Texas and Ciudad Juarez Mexico
2012 Presenter at the NEIU Women Worth Conference
2011 Leader of Alternative Spring Break Southside Art Program Chicago IL
2011 Presenter at the Illinois State Conference Sixteenth Annual Gender Studies Symposium
2011-2012 WZRD 88.3FM PSA Director
2011-2013 Founder and Arts Editor Seeds Literary Art Journal
2011-2013 Creator and Organizer of Black and White Night
2005-2009 Art Director of Harand Summer Camp

Residencies:

2021 Bat Camp #2, Green Lake Wisconsin
2020 Bat Camp, Green Lake Wisconsin
2019 Clay intensive dig and pit fire with Nancy Klehm, Pachamanka, IL
2015 Salt Fire with Jay Strommen, Galena IL

Awards:

2018-19 UIUC Travel Grant
2013 Fritzman-Hallberg Art Award
2013 Barbara Scott Women's and Gender Studies Distinguished Student Award
2013 Renny Golden Student Activist Award
2012 Art Merit Award