

EDUCATION

- 2005 MFA Combined Media, Hunter College, City University of New York, NY, USA
- 2001 BA (Honors) Fine Art, University of the Creative Arts, Canterbury, UK
- 1998 BTEC Foundation in Art & Design, Thurrock College, Thurrock UK

GRANT / AWARDS / RESIDENCIES

- 2024 Artist in Resident at Mount Sinai West Hospital / The Creative Center (resident artist since 2016 with hiatus 2020-2022 due to covid pandemic)
- 2019 New York Foundation for the Arts Mentor Immigrant Artist Program (also in: 2013-2018)
- 2017 Artist Residency The Studios at Mass MoCA, North Adams, MA
- 2016 Artist in Residence Jane Philips Award, Mission Gallery, Wales UK/Residency Unlimited NY
- 2013 Collaboration of Design + Art Awards International Selected Top 100 Public Art Projects
- 2013 Artist In Residence, Caldera Arts Organization, Sisters, OR
- 2011 Hot Pick, Smack Mellon, Brooklyn NY
- 2010 SIM International Artist Residency Reykjavik Iceland
- 2010 Re:Construction, Public Art Commission awarded by the Downtown Alliance of New York
- 2008 International Artist Residency Red Gate Gallery, Beijing, China
- 2006 Art Residency, Maidstone Library Gallery, Kent UK
- 2003-4 Resident Photography Fellow, International House, NYC
- 2000 International Artist Residency Cyprus College of Art, Lempa, Cyprus

PUBLIC ART / SITE-SPECIFIC INSTALLATIONS

- 2012 Tiffany & Co. Unique commissions for artwork for new stores opening worldwide. Drawing the Line - Site-specific installation drawing, Praxis International Art, NY
- 2011 *Light Drawings* Public art installation presented by the DUMBO Arts Festival, NY *Projected Drawings* Site-specific public art installation, The LAB Gallery, NY
- 2010 *Rendering Leonard* Public art commissioned for the Downtown Alliance of NYC A 230ft long installation located at 56 Leonard Street for the duration of 12 months.
- 2010 Unabridged Public art presented by No Longer Empty for DUMBO Arts Festival Merge at The TriBro Bridge - No Longer Empty at the Tapestry Building, Harlem NY

ARTWORK IN COLLECTIONS

Avon Inc., New York NY

Caldera Arts Organization, Portland OR Education First Ltd., Boston MA Gotham West Developments, New York NY INK Block, Boston MA National Development Co., Boston MA Sendroff & Baruch LLP, New York, NY Tiffany & Co., various locations: New York / San Francisco / Cincinnati, Prague (Czech Republic) Watermark Seaport, Boston MA

AFFILIATIONS / FLAT-FILES

Boston Art Inc, Boston College Art Association, member since 2003 International House NYC - Alumni Committee Irving Sandler Artist Registry

FILM CREDITS / artwork featured in:

2015 Warner Bros. Pictures: *The Intern* 2015 NBC Universal: *Trainwreck* 2013 Paramount: *Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles* 2013 Fox Production: *Paranoia*

ARTIST DEVELOPMENT FELLOWSHIPS

- 2016 Assets4Artists Mass MoCA, NYC Artist Grantee Art Business / Financial Development
- 2015 Creative Capital / Lower Manhattan Cultural Council Summer Institute Governors Island NY
- 2014 Arts in Healthcare and Creative Aging The Creative Center Training Institute, NY
- 2008 Creative Capital Strategic Planning Fellow Aljira Center for Contemporary Art, NJ
- 2003 Art Curation Summer School, Central St. Martins School of Art & Design, London

LECTURES & ARTIST TALKS / PANELS

- 2024 Panel discussion & presentation: Training Institute for Arts-In-Healthcare & Creative Aging, NYC
- 2016 Visiting Artist Lecture Swansea College of Art, Wales, UK
- 2014 Visiting Artist Lecture LABA Libera Accademia Belle Arti, Brescia, Italy
- 2013 Visiting Artist Lecture Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, NY
 Artists Talk / Lecture at Caldera Arts Organization, OR
 Alternative Photography Artist lead workshop, Caldera Arts Organization, OR
- 2010 Absence, panel discussion, Queens Museum of Art, NY
 A-Lab Forum, presentations by 5 artists & panel discussion, curator Juan Hinojosa,
 Queens Media Arts Development Programs, NY
 (IN)TANGIBLE, artists talk, Taller Boricua Galleries, NY
- 2006 Panel discussion: Process & Product University of the Creative Arts, Canterbury UK

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS

- 2024 (forthcoming) The Other Art Fair, Brooklyn NY
- 2023 Art on Paper, Marloe Gallery New York, NY Seattle Art Fair, Marloe Gallery, Seattle WA The Other Art Fair, Brooklyn NY
- 2022 Art on Paper, Marloe Gallery New York, NY Seattle Art Fair, Marloe Gallery, Seattle WA Art Market San Francisco, Marloe Gallery, San Francisco CA
- 2021 Art on Paper, Marloe Gallery New York, NY Artist yn y Byd / An Artist in the World; Jane Philips Award Exhibition, Mission Gallery, Wales UK
- 2020 Art on Paper, Marloe Gallery, New York, NY
- 2019 Aqua Group Exhibition, Marloe Gallery, Aqua Miami Beach FL Aspen Art Fair, Group Exhibition, Marloe Gallery, Aspen CO Seattle Art Fair, Marloe Gallery, Seattle WA Houston Contemporary Group Exhibition / Art Fair, Marloe Gallery, Houston TX StartUp Art Fair, San Francisco CA *Featured Artist, Strong Rope Brewery, Brooklyn NY
- 2017 *Ephemeral Coast, The Arts Council of Wales & Elysium Gallery, Swansea, Wales UK
- 2016 First International Invited Exhibition of Emei Contemporary Art, EmeiShan, ChengDu China [...Space], Protect Exhibition Space, Mission Gallery, Swansea, Wales UK
- 2015 Unveiled Cities, collaboration with composer Jorge Sosa, Gallery MC, NY
- 2014 Visual Music, collaboration with composer Jorge Sosa presented by Spectrum NYC
- 2013 Fine Lines, Rhombus Space Gallery, Brooklyn NY Re:Construction Book Launch Exhibition, Downtown Alliance NYC, World Trade Center NY Pangea, New York Foundation for the Arts Gallery, Brooklyn NY Artists in Residence Exhibition - Caldera Arts, Sisters OR
- 2012 Site-specific installation drawing, Praxis International Art Gallery NY
- 2011 Island: 22 Artists on Iceland, presented by Eastern Michigan University MI Can't Hear the Revolution, Kunsthalle Galapagos, Brooklyn NY MomentaArt 2011 Benefit, Loretta Howard Gallery, NY Outer Space, Exit Art Benefit Auction, Exit Art, NY (dis)located, Art For Change Gallery, Harlem NY

- 2010 Absence, Queens Museum of Art: Partnership Gallery (curator Hector Canonge) *Helen Dennis at JodiArnoldNYC, 56 University Place, NY NurtureArt Benefit 2010 (juried exhibition), Zieher Smith Gallery NY Re:From Schools, a Let's REDU project (invitation to exhibit) Mott Street, New York Watch This Space - Public art installation presented by No Longer Empty for DUMBO Arts Festival Import/Export, SÍM Húsinu Hafnarstræti 16, Reykjavík Iceland Weaving In & Out, Tapestry Building, East Harlem, NY, curator No Longer Empty Site/Line, Add-Art supported by Eyebeam (curator Joanna Montoya) 25th Anniversary Salon, Lehman College Art Gallery, Bronx NY Repetition, A-Lab Forum, Crossing Art Gallery (curator Juan Hinojosa) 2009 (IN)TANGIBLE, Exhibition & Artists Talk, Taller Boricua Gallery, NY (curator Christine Licata) Get the Led Out, Sho Gallery, Brooklyn NY (curator Erik Hougen, Ingrisano & Julie McKim) Mixing It Up: Recent Hunter MFAs Working in Combined Media, Berhta & Karl Leubsdorf NY (curator Tracy L. Adler, Mara Hoberman and Julia Moreno) H.O.A.S.T. artHARLEM, EmcArts New York 2008 Nurture Art Benefit Night (juried exhibition) - James Cohen Gallery, NY Neighbors - exhibition and artists talk, Floor 4 Art, Harlem NY Newark Arts Council's Open Doors 08, Aljira Center for Contemporary Art, Newark NJ H.O.A.S.T. artHARLEM, Studio Tour Emerge 9, Aljira Center for Contemporary Art, Newark NJ (curator Christopher Lew) Resident Artists - Exhibition & Artists Talk, Red Gate Gallery, Beijing China At Arms Length, Nurture Art, Brooklyn NY (curator Lauren Dickens and Julie McKim) Project Diversity Queens, Rockaway Artists Alliance, Queens NY 2007 H.O.A.S.T. artHARLEM, Hamilton Landmark Galleries, NY
- Crane Street Studio Exhibition, Crane Street, Queens NY
 2006 *Process & Product, Maidstone Library Gallery, Maidstone, Kent UK artHARLEM (juried competition), Macys Gallery, NY

PUBLICATIONS / REVIEWS

- 2021 Rhian Wye Stone "Artist yn y Byd / An Artist in the World" catalogue, Mission Gallery, Wales UK
- 2019 Anne Trouillet Rogers & Lisa Talia Moretti "Is Seeing Believing?" SciArt Magazine & Center sciartmagazine.com February 2019
- 2013 Downtown Alliance of New York "Re:Construction" survey of public artwork, NY, 2013
 Kelly Haight "Bushwich Open Studio Returns" The Brooklyn Paper, May 2013
 Allison Galgiani "Sexy #NoBSBOS Guide: The Hottest Artists" Bushwick Daily, May 2013
- 2012 Josh Dzieza "The Regulars" The Paris Review, March 2012
- 2010 Feature profile "English Woman in New York" UCA Alumni Magazine, Nov. 10 issue 04, Josefina Hellsten "Rendering Leonard: A Montage of Lower Manhattan" Shared Discovery Silvia Barnett "El vacío se llena de arte en NY" Impresiones Latinas, June 2010 Arts Review "Leonard's New Look" Downtown Express, 2010
- 2009 "Mixing It Up: Recent Hunter MFAs Working in Combined Media" Hunter College CUNY
- 2008 Benjamin Genocchio "Beguiled by Fresh Talent" The New York Times, art review August Dan Bischoff "Newark Art Exhibition is Part Swank, Part Cutting Edge" The Star Ledger, Aug. Christopher Lew "Emerge 9 exhibition catalogue" Aljira Center for Contemporary Art, NJ Lauren Dickens and Julie McKim "At Arms Length" catalogue, Nurture Art, Brooklyn NY
- 2007 Susan Hartenstein "From the Artists Studio" The Wave, Rockaway Newspaper, September
- 2006 J.J. Charlesworth "Process & Product" exhibition catalogue/essay, Maidstone Council UK
- 2005 Vanessa Rocco "Curating Silence" Afterimage, Visual Studies Workshop volume 32, no.6,
- 2004 Edited by Marta Rupert "Artscape" The Angel Orensanz Foundation USA, Spring 20042001 "Arts Today" Kent and Sussex, Sept. 2001
- Joyce Walters "Between Black and White" BBC Kent Online, Sept. 2001 editorial covering