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## PUBLICLY PRESENTED WORKS

- 2023 CHASHAMA GALA, Venus Rx Astro-Oracle, NYC
- 2021 Grace Exhibition Space, *Victory to the Mother!* socially-engaged community ritual [hip hop yoga puja], Franklin Furnace Fund, NYC
- 2017 Open Source Gallery, *Blood Magik/ Birth Herstories: A Rebirth Ritual, Speak-out & Soundscape* "Reimagining Tradition" series East River Park Labyrinth, NYC
- 2016 True Nature Festival, *Hip Hop Yoga Playground*, workshop led by ULTRACULTURAL OTHERS, Koh Phangan, Thailand
- 2015 International House of Tokyo, PRAY WILD, workshop and parade with Go! Push collective, Roppongi Art Night, Tokyo, Japan
- 2014 Alexandra Park Pavilion, HOLY CREATRiXXX, socially-engaged womxn's workshop series and performance ritual, Go! Push Pops collective, Alexandra Arts, "Pankhurst in the Park" Manchester, UK
- 2014 Whitney Museum of American Art, *The Clitney Perennial*, feminist performance protest during the Biennial, organized by Go! Push Pops & friends
- 2013 Bronx Museum, QUEEN\$ DOMiN8TiN performance, Go! Push Pops feat. Untitled Queen, *First Fridays!* Bronx, NY
- 2013 Brooklyn Museum, BAD BITCHES, performance by Go! Push Pops animating sculptural sound-system by Luis Gispert, *Brooklyn Artists Ball*, Brooklyn, NY

## GRANTS & Special Honors

- 2023 Erotica Film Festival, Official Selection (SOLARA Saturnalia)
- 2022 Creatives Rebuild New York, *Guaranteed Income for Artists*
- 2021 Franklin Furnace Fund Award for Performance Art
- 2015 J.U.S.F.C. Fellow (U.S. Japan Friendship Commission) funded by National Endowment for the Arts, Tokyo, Japan
- 2016 Creative Capital Summer Intensive (CCSI), BAM Fisher, Brooklyn
- 2016 MASSMoca, Artist-in-Residence, Assets for Artists Program, North Adams, MA
- 2016 VOLTA, Panelist, *Why Art Collectives Now?* Volta Salon sponsored by ArtNet, Moderated by Ben Davis, New York, NY

- 2015 Media Arts Fellow, BRIC Arts Media, Brooklyn, NY
- 2014 Alexandra Arts, *Pankhurst in the Park AIR* with Go! Push Pops, an 8-week residency in Manchester, England
- 2014 Fellowship for Utopian Practice, *CulturePush*, for Go! Push Pops Diamond Tribe
- 2013 Grantee, Brooklyn Arts Council, *Community Arts Fund*, for Go! Push Pops Warrior Goddess Workshop
- 2013 Nominee, Rema Hort Mann Visual Arts Grant for Go! Push Pops
- 2013 Aljira Emerge 11 Fellow, Aljira Center for Contemporary Art, Newark, NJ
- 2013 AIM Program, Bronx Museum, New York, NY
- 2012 Nominee, College Art Association *Committee on Women in the Arts*
- 2012 Scholarship Recipient, Women & Power Conference, The Omega Institute, Rhinebeck, NY
- 2012 Artist in Residence, Soho20, New York, NY
- 2012 CAA Annual Conference, Panelist, *Necessary Positions: Intergenerational collaboration in feminist art and activism*, chaired by Maria Elena Buszek Ph.D.

## CURATORIAL

- 2023 Head Curator, West Chelsea Festival of Art, featuring over 100 local and international artists, NYC
- 2019 Local Project, QUEER WEAVERS, Long Island City, NYC
- 2018 EMINENT DOMAIN: 3-Day flash Intersectional Feminist Art Exhibition, former Robert Miller Space, Chelsea, NYC
- 2018 KARST, I AM MY OWN PRIMAL PARENT, Plymouth, UK
- 2013 MOMENTA Art, *Nu Age Hustle*, Brooklyn, NYC
- 2013 CUE Art Foundation, *Goddess Clap Back: Hip Hop Feminism in Art*, NYC
- 2012 Cuchifritos Gallery, *Butter Digger*, NYC
- 2010 NurtureArt Gallery, *Duck and Decorated Shed*, Brooklyn, NY

## SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2024 The Myth NYC, "The Myth" Group show curated by Marcus Glitteris, NYC
- 2023 West Chelsea Festival of Art, Pop-up Exhibition/performance, NYC
- 2023 MFTA, *Masked Marvelous Gala*, Site-specific performance, L.I.C.
- 2023 LMCC, *Take Care Series*, performance with Ronit Levin Delgado, Governor's Island, NYC
- 2023 Brooklyn Wildlife Fest, GAMBA Forrest, Brooklyn, NY
- 2023 Art Gowanus, *Together We Will*, Old Stone House, Washington Park, New York City
- 2023 CHASHAMA Gala, Venus Rx installation, New York City
- 2023 Starta Arta "Alternate Side Parking," performance, New York, NY
- 2023 Clio Art Fair, Performance, VIP reception, New York, NY

2023 Know Thy Self, live performance, Salomon Arts Gallery, NYC

2023 MonstaHouseUniverse, "FEM CON" group show, Bushwick, BK

2023 Stay Home Gallery, "Together/Alone" group show, Paris, TN

2023 TNC Gallery, "Creatures of the Night" curated by Marcus Glitteris

2023 LaMama Galleria, "The Family Show" closing performance, NYC

2022 Brooklyn Wildlife Festival, performance, GAMBA, Brooklyn, NY

2022 GOSPEL, *Dream Dinner Party* hosted by Leiti Hsu, Soho, New York

2022 El Barrio Art Space, The Herb Garden, *Uplifting, Connecting Rising* curated by Bibi Flores, 1922 Gallery, East Harlem, NY

2022 Collar Works, *Night Painting*, curated by Jude Braun, Troy, NY

2022 POPPED, *Year of the Tigress*, curated by METAGASM, NYC

2022 Carter Burden Gallery, performance during *VOTIVES: Sculptures by Nancy Azara* exhibition, NYC

2022 TNC Gallery, performance at *April Fools Not for School*, NYC

2022 Pittsburgh Cultural Trust, performance at Fran Flaherty's DEAF BROWN AMERICAN MOM, Pittsburgh, PA

2021 1922 Gallery, *Voices of Women in Art = Inside and Out*, curated by Bibi Flores, performance at Diana Ross Playground, Central Park

2021 TNC Gallery, *RESURRECTION*, East Village, NY

2021 PHOTOVILLE, "These Years" Pier 3 Brooklyn Bridge Park

2021 Metaxu Studio, *InReal-Time 07 - Ipsa Magia* (virtual) London, UK

2021 Superchief Gallery, EVERY WOMAN BIENNIAL NYC/NFT

2021 Copeland Gallery, EVERY WOMAN BIENNIAL LONDON

2021 Untitled Space, *UNRAVELED: Confronting The Fabric of Fiber Art* curated by Indira Cesarine, Soho, NYC

2021 Village Works Gallery, *HOMEGROWN*, curated by Marcus Glitterus, NYC

2020 Pop-up, CORONA CATS, curated by Marcus Glitterus, NYC

2020 ArtServe, (DIS)OBEDIENT: *Redefining Feminism in a Fractured Reality*, Fort Lauderdale, Florida

2020 WomensWork.Art, *MOTHER/FATHER*, Poughkeepsie, NY

2020 Wall Street Art Space, *Victory of Light*, curated by Apelles Zhou & Lena Liu, New York, NY

2020 TNC Gallery, *Decadence, A Decade of Art Fairs*, NYC

2019 ARTI3160, SPHERICAL SYMMETRY, Adi Shakti Remix, curated by Claire Zakiewicz, during the La Biennale di Venezia, Venice, Italy

2019 Park Church Co-Op, *Altars, Portals, Grottos*, curated by Jana Astanov, Winter Solstice

2019 Park Church Co-Op, *Noumena: Music of the Spheres*, curated by Jana Astanov, Fall Equinox

2019 Essex Flowers, *EAT BLOODY PUSSY*, curated by Fitch Ball NYC

2019 LaMama Galleria, *Every Woman Biennial*, NYC

2018 Plaxall Gallery, *Noumena: Initiation*, performance series about magic & shamanism curated by Jana Astanov, L.I.C., NY

2018 Flux Factory, *Utopia School* (Hip Hop Yoga Cypher) ULTRACULTURAL OTHERS, L.I.C., NY

- 2017 Changjiang Museum of Contemporary Art, *Start from Scratch: 2<sup>nd</sup> Changjiang International Photography and Video Biennale*, Chongqing, China
- 2017 Cantinca Tabacaru Gallery, TRANS-ville, ULTRACULTURAL OTHERS performance, Lower East Side, NYC
- 2017 Spring Break Art Fair, *Psychic Dream Girls*, Times Square, NYC
- 2017 Franklin St. Works, LOVE ART ACTION LOUNGE, curated by Terri. C. Smith, Stamford, CT
- 2016 Czech Center New York, *Youth Explosion: The New Bohemians*, curated by Marie Tomanova, NYC
- 2016 Dallas Contemporary, *Black Sheep Feminism: The Art of Sexual Politics features 2nd wavers*, curated by Alison M. Gingera, Solara Saturnalia opens for *The F-Word*, Dallas, TX
- 2016 Bethnal Green Working Men's Club, *Deep Trash Outer Space*, curated by CUNTemporary, London, UK
- 2016 Cinemala, Solara Saturnalia opens for *F-Word*, Belgrade, Serbia
- 2016 Center for Performance Research, BEAVER, curated by Kristen Korvette and Naomi Elena Ramirez, Brooklyn, NY
- 2016 Art Cinema OFFoff, SELFIELAND: *Visuele Retoriek in een Post-feministisch Tijdperk*, Gent, Belgium
- 2016 Minneapolis College of Art and Design, *Guerilla Girls Twin Cities Takeover*, Solara Saturnalia opens for *F-Word*, Minneapolis, MN
- 2016 Superchief Gallery, *F-Word Immersive*, Soho, NYC
- 2016 SVA Theater, SOLARA Saturnalia screened as part of *F-Word* Premier, Chelsea, NY
- 2015 Satellite Art Fair, *Extra Teats*, feminist video salon curated by Rebecca Goyette, South Beach, Miami, FL
- 2015 FIU Campus Art + Art History Department, *Interior Form*, Miami, FL
- 2015 BRIC Media Arts, *Media Arts Fellowship Screening*, Brooklyn, NYC
- 2015 Woodstock Byrdcliffe Guild, *Hand/Made*, Curated by Nancy Azara, Woodstock, NY
- 2014 SELECT Art Fair, Gallery Sensei group exhibition, Miami Beach, FL
- 2014 CUNTemporary's *Deep Trash Italia*, performance with Go! Push Pops, Bethnal Working Men's Club, London, UK
- 2014 Gitana Rosa Gallery, THE NEW BITCH, curated by Michel Basora, NYC
- 2014 Aljira Center for Contemporary Art, *EMERGE 11 Exhibition*, Curated by Jorge Rojas, Newark, NJ
- 2014 Sensei Gallery, *Milk and Night*, NYC
- 2014 Embassy Gallery, *Ribofunk*, group show, Edinburgh, Scotland
- 2014 Microscope Gallery, *Myth Mash: Videos by Katie Cercone*, Evening length screening of my video works, Brooklyn, NY
- 2014 Bruce High Quality Foundation, *The Last Brucennial*, Group Exhibition and additional programming by Go! Push Pops: *Sacred Nipples: A Feminist Video Screening*, NYC
- 2014 Kunsthalle Galapagos, *First Annual Invitational*, Brooklyn, NY
- 2014 Sunset Park raw space, "Pyramid Scheme" Brooklyn
- 2014 Vertigo Art Space, *Soft Subversions*, Denver, Colorado

- 2013 DCKT Contemporary, *Acid Summer*, curated by Matt Craven, New York, NY
- 2013 Queens Hall Gallery, Film Festival at Oriel Q, Wales, UK
- 2013 Bronx Museum, *Bronx Calling: The 2<sup>nd</sup> AIM Biennial*, Bronx, NY
- 2013 Kunsthalle Galapagos, *On-Looking*, curated by Daniel Kingery, Brooklyn, NY
- 2013 CatchFire, *Movement*, Queer Film Screening, Berlin, Germany
- 2012 C24 Gallery, *Campaign*, curated by Amy Smith-Stewart, NYC
- 2012 DODGEgallery, *Twisted Sisters*, curated by Kristen Dodge & Janet Phelps, NYC
- 2012 A.I.R. Gallery, *Righteous Perpetrators*, curated by Jennifer Wroblewski, Brooklyn, NY

## PUBLICATIONS

- 2024 White Hot Magazine “Karen Gunderson: Everything the Light Touches” March
- 2024 *Beauty News NYC*, “Feeding Your Mars” January
- 2024 *Beauty News NYC*, “3 Things Every Radical Mom Should Know”
- 2024 *Beauty News NYC*, “Self-Care by Venus Sign” January
- 2022 *Votives: Sculptures*, “*Nancy Azara: A Female Language of Divinity, Empathy and Loss*” Nancy Azara, self-published monograph
- 2022 Elephant Journal, *How to Beat Fuckbois At Their Own Game*
- 2021 Creatrix Magazine, TRILLITH: *Reclaiming the Disavowed Feminine* (Creatrix Codex Digest Series)
- 2021 Creatrix Magazine, *What is Made Visible: In the Studio with Nancy Azara*
- 2019 Creatrix Magazine, ASS CLAP THERAPY: *A Whoreful Encounter with Labanna Babalon*
- 2019 Creatrix Magazine, *When God was Not Only Female But Black*
- 2018 Art 511, *Aliens, Empathy & The Vine of the Soul: Katie Cercone Interviews Melanie Bonajo*, Women’s Day Edition [funded by Arts Council England] & Alexandra Arts
- 2018 Art 511, Sacred Sadism, *Gaia’s Cord & The New Matriarchy: The Eco-Fetishist Art of Genevieve Belleveau*
- 2018 Art 511, *Adehla Lee: Post Medium with Grandmother’s Dark Chi*
- 2017 HYSTERIA, “Race, Gender, Excess Chi: The Greem Jellyfish Dance Colony Experience” *THE POWER ISSUE #8*
- 2017 Art 511 Magazine, “UNIVERSE. NATURALLY. DELIVERS. The Ecstatic Birth of Kali Xion
- 2016 *WhiteHot Magazine*, “An Oracle for Climate Change Anxiety?”
- 2015 POSTURE Magazine, *Go! Push Pops interview FlucT*
- 2014 Brooklyn Rail, *10 Divinations on Hip Hop As Sacred Medicine: Blood Time, Sex Rituals & Ancestral Communion of the Mother Tongue*
- 2014 Posture Magazine, *Lorraine O’Grady & Narcissister Do Future Feminism at the Hole*

- 2014 Hysteria, *In the Realm of the BossBitch*, issue #3
- 2014 ART PAPERS, *Eye Candy is Dandy: Rashaad Newsome's Hip Hop Heraldry and the New Black Swag*, ArtxHipHop Issue 38.01
- 2013 Posture Magazine, *CUNT MAFIA NEW WORLD ORDER: Katie Cercone Interviews Brooklyn's Reigning CUNT King of the Underground*
- 2013 REVOLT, *Swagilish Salomon & the ILLUZION*, Issue 4
- 2013 REVOLT, *2 Tha Beat Y'all: When Hip Hop Pedagogy Goes Boom!* Issue 4
- 2013 REVOLT, *Aesthetic of Funk: An intergenerational Dialogue Spotighting Fiber Artist + Cultural Activist Xenobia Bailey*, Issue 3
- 2012 REVOLT, *Dread Scott's POSTCODE CRIMINALS Exhibition at Rush Arts*, Vol. 1, Issue 3
- 2011 Public Art Dialogue, *Suzanne Lacy Book Review*, Vol. 1, Issue 2, Routledge
- 2011 *The New York Feminist Art Institute* in *Entering the Picture*, ed. Jill Fields, Routledge
- 2010 N.Paradoxa, *Aesthetics of Addiction: Marilyn Minter and the Legacy of Female Consumer Pathos*
- 2010 Women's Art Journal of Rutgers's University, *The Healing Art of Nancy Azara*
- 2008 N.Paradoxa, *New York Feminist Art Institute*
- 2006 Utne Reader, *Fulla Flattery* (reprinted from Bitch), Fall issue
- 2006 Bitch Magazine, *Fulla Flattery*, Winter issue

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- 2023 Beauty News, "[West Chelsea Festival of Art](#)" Isis Swaby, November
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- 2021 The Village Sun, "[ChaShaMa to the rescue for small business start-ups and storefronts](#)", November 21st
- 2021 Curated by Girls, "[UNRAVELED: Confronting The Fabric Of Fiber Art.](#)" Laetitia Duveau, April
- 2021 360 Magazine, "[UNRAVELED: CONFRONTING THE FABRIC OF FIBER ART](#)" April
- 2019 Creatrix Mag, "[Yogis on the Road Interviews Katie Cercone](#)" Nov
- 2019 The Know Culture, "[ULTRACULTURAL OTHERS.](#)" (The Know Desk) May 28th
- 2019 DEMENTED GODDESS "[Three Mothers on A New York Island:](#)

- [Jana Astanov, Katie Cercone & Laura Weyl](#)” March 13th
- 2018      OUTFRONT, “[Queer Sex-Positive Activism with NYC’s Go! Push Pops](#),” Kate Dooley, Dec 4th
- 2018      Women CineMakers, “[Interview with Katie Cercone maker of Solara Saturnalia \(Kawaii Kali REDUX\)](#),” special edition, July
- 2017      QUIET LUNCH, “[NSFW. TRANS-VILLE. CANTINCA TABACARU GALLERY](#)” Visual Arts, November 17<sup>th</sup>
- 2017      3:AM MAGAZINE, “[Reclaiming Female Sexual Power](#)” by Jana Astanov, June 16
- 2017      Filthy Dreams, “[Politics Of Hanging Out: ‘Love Action Art Lounge’ At Franklin Street Works](#),” By Osman Can Yerebakan, May 5
- 2017      Art Pow Wow, “[Behind the Wow: Katie Cercone](#)” Mothers of AP Series, April 30<sup>th</sup>
- 2017      The Observer, “[A Times Square Show for a New Generation](#)” by Cait Munro, March 2
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- 2016      Interview Magazine, “[The Opening Night of Youth Explosion: The New Bohemia](#),” Tess Mayer, July 8
- 2016      i-D VICE, “[Exploring identity, sexuality, and censorship with nyc’s most exciting young artists](#),” CULTURE, Hannah Ongley, July 7<sup>th</sup>
- 2016      NAKID Magazine, “[Youth Explosion: The New Bohemia](#),” Dustin Hollywood, July 7
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- 2016      Flavorpill “[Art Economy](#)” by Kaitlyn Hamilton, January
- 2015      She/Folk “[Interview with the Push Pop Collective](#)” by Arianne Keegan, December

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- 2014 Posture Magazine "[When Popping Your Cherry. Be Careful Not to Choke on the Stem,](#)" Rachel Hodin, Sep 20
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