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SELECTED AWARDS / RECOGNITIONS / RESIDENCIES

2025	Individual Award of Excellence in Visual Art (2D), Ohio Arts Council
2020	Artist in Residence, Akron Soul Train
2018	Research Fellowship, Nagel Institute for the Study of World Christianity, Calvin University
2017	Artist in Residence, McCanna House, North Dakota Museum of Art
	Publication, RISD XYZ, Winter 2017, RISD Alumni Magazine
2016	Artist in Residence, Open Wabi
2015	Full Merit Scholarship, The Glen West, St. John's College
2014	Award of Distinction in Drawing, University of North Carolina – Asheville
2011/13	Graduate Fellowship, Rhode Island School of Design
2009/11	Graduate Fellowship and Full Tuition Waiver, Bucknell University
2009	Dr. Carlson R. Chambliss Academic Achievement Award in Visual Art, Kutztown University
2008	SU Purchase Award - SU Permanent Collection, Shippensburg University
2007	Commission Award for Drawing, Jamestown Community College

SELECTED SOLO / TWO PERSON* EXHIBITIONS

- 2025 June 13th, McDonough Museum of Art, Youngstown State University, Youngtown, OH
- 2023 Five Easy Pieces, Coburn Gallery, Ashland University, Ashland, OH 61 mph, Divisible Projects, Dayton, OH
- 2021 Rotating Tires, Nizhny Tagil Museum of Fine Arts, Nizhny Tagil, Russia Rotating Tires, SPACE PLACE, Nizhny Tagil, Russia Divergent Deliveries*, Akron Soul Train, Akron, OH
- 2020 A Pattern in the Sky*, Metcalf Gallery, Taylor University, Upland, IN Familiar Shapes, Schnormeier Gallery, Mount Vernon Nazarene University, Mount Vernon, OH
- 2019 Looking at Things Directly*, Carlson Tower Gallery, North Park University, Chicago, IL
- 2018 How to Live with Stones, Dadian Gallery, Wesley Theological Seminary, Washington, D.C.
- 2016 Stalking the Snow Leopard, North Dakota Museum of Art, Grand Forks, ND
- 2012 (Voice of Rational Being)*, UnSmoke Artspace, Braddock, PA

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2025 Book, Beeler Gallery, Columbus College of Art and Design, Columbus, OH
- 2021 Ohio Biennial, Riffe Gallery, Columbus, OH
- 2020 Matter and Spirit, Center Art Gallery, Calvin University, Grand Rapids, MI (traveling exhibition)
- 2019 Are We There Yet?, Johnson Gallery, Bethel University, St. Paul, MN

 Visual Thinking, Ronald Barr Gallery, Indiana University Southeast, New Albany, IN

 Our Words Will Still Be Heard, Jubilee Arts and MICA Place, Baltimore, MD

 Five Years of Flat Tail Press, Northwest Arts Center, Minot State University, Minot, ND

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS (continued)

- 2018 System Processing, GVSU Sustainable Agriculture Project, Jenison, MI
- 2017 Since Then, Kamloops Art Gallery, Kamloops, British Columbia, Canada Brand National, Brand Art Center, Glendale, CA Making Now, Duke Art Gallery, Azusa Pacific University, Azusa, CA
- 2016 Between Two Points, (SCENE) Metrospace, East Lansing, MI Since Then, Marvin Francis Media Gallery, Urban Shaman, Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada
- 2015 Autumn Art Invitational, North Dakota Museum of Art, Grand Forks, ND
 Far & Away, The Weeks Gallery, Jamestown, NY
 Bradley International, Heuser Art Center, Bradley University, Peoria, IL
 Thirteen Ways of Looking at a Black Bird, Chazan Gallery, Providence, RI
- 2014 Northern National, Nicolet College Art Gallery, Rhinelander, WI Pinnacle, Foster-Tanner Art Gallery, Florida A & M University, Tallahassee, FL Drawing Discourse, S. Tucker Cooke Gallery, University of North Carolina, Asheville, NC
- 2013 Spring Chickens: Free Range, David Krut Projects, New York, NY Out of Print, Sol Koffler Gallery, Providence, RI
- 2012 ART//SHOW, Cohen Gallery, Granoff Center, Brown University, Providence, RI From This Point Forward, Gelman Gallery, RISD Museum of Art, Providence, RI Boston Young Contemporaries, 808 Gallery, Boston, MA Global Vision, Gallery Fleur, Kyoto Seika University, Iwakura, Kyoto, Japan Collective Intelligence, IHC Platform Gallery, University of California, Santa Barbara, CA
- 2010 Dark Visions in Print, Sacred Gallery, New York, NY
 Great Lakes Drawing Biennial, University Gallery, Eastern Michigan University, Ypsilanti, MI

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

- 2024 Visiting Artist, Bowling Green State University, School of Art, Bowling Green, OH
- 2019 Visiting Artist, Belmont University, Department of Art, Nashville, TN
- 2017 Guest Critic, Kenyon College, Department of Studio Art, Gambier, OH
- 2016 Visiting Artist, Minot State University, Department of Art, Minot, ND
- 2014 The Glen West, St. John's College, Santa Fe, NM

EDUCATION

- 2013 Master of Fine Arts, Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI
- 2011 Post-Baccalaureate Study and Graduate Assistantship, Bucknell University, Lewisburg, PA
- 2009 Bachelor of Fine Arts, Kutztown University, Kutztown, PA
- 2007 Associate in Science, SUNY Jamestown Community College, Jamestown, NY