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Solo and 2-Person Exhibitions

2025 M/Other, (Working Title), Filter Space, Chicago, IL

2024 Lacuna, Jack Fischer Gallery, San Francisco, CA

- The Meaning of Gravity, Anglim Trimble Gallery, San Francisco, CA
- 2022 Each One of Us was Fastened to the Other, Center for Photographic Art, Carmel, CA
- 2020 Vestiges, Vanessa Woods and Josh Smith, Jack Fischer Gallery, San Francisco, CA
- 2018 Somewhere Between Here and There, Collages by Vanessa Woods, Jack Fischer Gallery, San Francisco, CA
- 2017 Echo Poems, Collages by Catie O'Leary and Vanessa Woods, Jack Fischer Gallery, San Francisco, CA
- 2016 Emic/Etic: Collage by Vanessa Woods, a.Muse Gallery, San Francisco, CA
- 2013 The Back of Beyond: Works by Vanessa Woods, Pool Art Center Gallery, Drury University, Springfield, MO
- 2011 Mythologies, Galley Visio, University of Missouri-Saint Louis, Saint Louis, MO
- 2009 USA Meets Regensburg: Films, Photography and Live Music, Kino Akademiesalon, Regensburg, Germany
- 2004 The Altered Lens: Photographic Works, Lerner Gallery, Columbia University, New York, NY

Group Exhibitions

- 2024 Forecast, SF Camerawork, San Francisco, CA One Last Round, Round Weather Gallery, Oakland, CA Folds, ARTspace, New York, NY Invisible Labor, 120710 Gallery, Berkeley, CA
- 2023 Pyramid Scheme, Bass and Reiner Gallery, SF, CA
- 2022 Un/Familiar, Book and Job Gallery, SF, CA The Works, Round Weather Gallery, Oakland, CA Did you Make This, How Long Did it Take, Jack Fischer Gallery, San Francisco, CA
- 2021 Creative Reverence, Round Weather Gallery, Oakland, CA
- 2020 Bay Area Visual Artist Production Relief Grant Exhibition, Ever Gold Projects and The Internet Archive, San Francisco, CA Slumber with A Key, Jack Fischer Gallery, San Francisco, CA Ineligible, Museu Internacional Escultura Contemporânea, Santo Tirso, Portugal
- 2019 Hot Love/Cold Facts, Berkeley Art Center, Berkeley, CA Elemental Construction, Colorado Photographic Arts Center, Denver, CO
- 2018 Light and Metal: Unique Photographs and Objects, photo-eye Gallery, Santa Fe, NM Paper Cuts: Large Scale Collage, Palo Alto Art Center, Palo Alto, CA Works on Paper Revisited, Lehr Contemporary Art, Berlin, Germany No Rhyme or Reason, Jack Fischer Gallery, San Francisco, CA Face Forward, Image and Self Worth, Richmond Art Center, Richmond, CA
- 2017 *Circus*, SF Camerawork, San Francisco, CA *Alt Left: Local Treasures*, Berkeley Art Center, Berkeley CA *Manualaust An International Exhibition of Callage*, Sebastonal Com
- Marvelous! An International Exhibition of Collage, Sebastopol Center for the Arts, Sebastopol, CA 2016 Metamorphic: Collage in the Dada/Surrealist Tradition, Stanford Art Spaces, Stanford University, Stanford, CA Hybrid, Morris Graves Museum of Art, Eureka, CA

2015	Collagistas, Taabya Art Space, Thessalonki, Greece
	Hybrid, a.Muse gallery, San Francisco, CA
	New Directions, Carl Cherry Center for the Arts, Carmel. CA
2012	ZERO1 Biennial, San Jose CA
	Axis 7 th National Juried Exhibition, Axis Gallery, Sacramento, CA (Juror: Aspara DiQuinzio, San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, San Francisco)
	4 x 4, Institute of Contemporary Art San José, San Jose, CA
	Nightlight, SOMArts, San Francisco, CA
2011	Dreams, The Center for Fine Art Photography, Fort Collins, CO
	Mix It Up Media, Santa Cruz Art League, Santa Cruz, CA
	The Altered Book Show, Marin Museum of Contemporary Art, Marin, CA
2010	Glimpses in Time, 2010, Joyce Gordon Gallery, Oakland, CA
	The Lens Based Image, Desotorow Gallery, Savannah, GA
	Taste: A Garden of Earthly Delights, Root Division Gallery, San Francisco, CA
	Intersection, 21 Grand Artists Gallery, Oakland, CA
	<i>Photowork 10</i> , Barrett Art Center, Poughkeepsie, NY (Juror: Nat Trotman, Guggenheim Museum of Art, New York)
2009	Monotype Marathon, Institute of Contemporary Art San José, San Jose, CA
	Hypnagogia, Anon Gallery, San Francisco, CA
2008	Women With Vision 2008: Past/Present, Walker Art Center, Minneapolis, MN
	Small Works Will, Small Works Well, Barnard College, New York, NY
	Vital Signs, Newcomb Art Gallery, Tulane University, New Orleans, LA
	Headlands Graduate Fellow Exhibition, Headlands Center for the Arts, Sausalito, CA
	Monotype Marathon, San Jose Institute of Contemporary Art, San Jose, CA
2007	Introductions, Root Division Gallery, San Francisco, CA
	Wunderkammer, Johansson Projects, Oakland, CA
	MFA Graduate Exhibition, San Francisco Art Institute, San Francisco, CA
	Parables of Isolation: Rubric Experimental Video Exhibition, Plus Gallery, Denver, CO
	SFAI Now, Red Ink Studios, San Francisco, CA
2006	The Moving Picture Show, Swell Gallery, San Francisco, CA
	Immediate Future: Murphy and Cadogan Fellowship Award Show, San Francisco Arts Commission
	Gallery, San Francisco, CA
	Big Deal, SOMArts, San Francisco, CA
	Convergence, Tollhouse Art Center, Kirkcudbright, Scotland
	Upgrade: Photographic Works, Paintings and Films, Swell Gallery, San Francisco, CA
	Obsession, Centre International d'Art Contemporain, Pont-Aven, France
2005	Distillations, Institut Franco-Americain, Rennes, France
2004	Cultural Salvage, Centre International d'Art Contemporain, Pont-Aven, France
	Pedestrian, Bronx River Art Center Gallery, Bronx, NY

Residencies, Lectures and Awards

- 2024 SF MOMA SECA Award nominee, San Francisco, CA
- 2023 Artist Support Grant, Center for Photographic Art, Carmel, CA
- 2022 Artist Lecture, Center for Photographic Art, Carmel, CA
- 2022 SF MOMA SECA Award nominee, San Francisco, CA Visiting Artist Lecture, San Francisco Art Institute, San Francisco, CA
- 2020 Ever Gold/Internet Archive Grant, Ever Gold Gallery, San Francisco, CA
- 2019 Visiting Artist Lecture, Stanford University, Stanford, CA
- 2018 Artist Lecture, Carolyn Drake with Vanessa Woods, Photo Alliance, San Francisco, CA Artist Lecture, Jack Fischer Gallery, San Francisco, CA
- Being Human: An Artist-Parent Workshop Residency, Palo Alto Art Center, Palo Alto, CA
- 2017 Parent Artist Residency Program, Kala Art Institute, Berkeley, CA Artist Lecture, San Francisco Art Institute, San Francisco, CA
- 2016 Artist Lecture, Stanford University, Stanford, CA

Artist Lecture, California College of the Arts, Oakland, CA

- 2013 Talking Art: Snipping, Clipping, Pasting (panel discussion with Val Britton, Matt Gonzalez, Robynn Smith, and Vanessa Woods), Institute of Contemporary Art San José, San Jose, CA
- 2011 Artist Lecture, University of Saint Louis, Saint Louis, MO
- 2008 Artist Residency, Virginia Center for the Creative Arts, Amherst, VA Djerassi Resident Artist Program, Woodside, CA
- 2007 Ella King Torrey Award for Innovation and Excellence in the Arts, San Francisco Art Institute, San Francisco, CA

James Broughton Award, San Francisco Art Institute, San Francisco Art Institute, San Francisco, CA Headlands Center for the Arts MFA Studio Award, Headlands Center for the Arts, Sausalito, CA San Francisco Art Institute MFA Film Fellowship, San Francisco Art Institute, San Francisco, CA (awarded full tuition to attend the San Francisco Art Institute MFA program in Film)

- 2006 Murphy & Cadogan Fellowship for Film, San Francisco Arts Commission, San Francisco, CA MacDowell Colony Residency, Petersborough, NH Film Arts Foundation Personal Works Grant, Film Arts Foundation, SF, CA
- 2005 Pont-Aven Artist-in-Residency Program, Pont-Aven, France
- 2001 Bernard Hans Hessel Memorial Award, New York, NY Time Grant for Outstanding Visual Art, Barnard College, New York, NY
- 2000 Exceptional Artist Scholarship for the Summer Program in France, Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI
- 1999 Patricia Layman Bazelon Scholarship, The International Center of Photography, New York, NY

Publications and Press

2024 New York Times, A Mother Playing Catch with her Son Illustration, May 2024 *Three Penny Review*, Issue 176, Winter, 2024

Harper's Magazine, The Edges of Ordinary Life Illustration, March 2022
Dean Brierly, "Vanessa Woods, Somewhere Between Here and There," long-form Interview Black & White Magazine, Issue 155 October 2022
Allie Haeusslein, "Each One of Us was Fastened to the Other: Josh Smith and Vanessa Woods at the Center for Photographic Art in Carmel," Variable West, February 24, 2022
Agata Popeda, "This New Photo Exhibit Takes on Parenthood and a Growing Family" Monterey County Weekly, January 18, 2022

- 2021 Kate Kelly, "Pictures on Our Mind," Silver Eye Center for Photography, March 19, 2021
- 2020 *Vestiges* (Pacifica, CA: Self-Published, 2020)
- 2019 50 Best Women Collagists (Barcelona: Promopress Editions, 2019)
- 2018 Max Blue, "Vanessa Woods at Jack Fischer," *Square Cylinder*, January 30, 2018 Dewitt Cheng, "Editorial Recommendations: Vanessa Woods," *Visual Art Source*, February 2018 *Vanessa Woods Interview, Multi-Dimension + Collage*, By Nara Collective, January, 2018
- 2017 Aline Smithson, "Vanessa Woods: Somewhere Between Here and There," *Lenscratch*, November 6, 2017

Making the Cut, The World's Best Collage Artists, Volume One, Melbourne: Crooks Press, 2017 An Evening with Baphomet, Vallejo, CA: Super Classy Publishing, 2017 Mékanik Copulaire #9 Strasburg, France: Mékanik copulaire éditions, 2017

- 2016 Top Ten Shows, San Francisco," Art Ltd Magazine, December 2016 The Knight and the Cart, Vallejo, CA, Super Classy Publishing, 2016 Emic/Etic, Vallejo, CA, Super Classy Publishing, 2016
- 2015 Catamaran Literary Reader, no. 8, Winter 2015
- 2015 Women Arts Quarterly Journal, Volume 2, Issue 8, Winter, 2015
- 2014 Kolaj Magazine, no. 10, Fall-Winter 2014
- 2012 Women Arts Quarterly Journal, vol. 2, no. 3, Summer 2012
- 2011 Women Arts Quarterly Journal, vol. 1, Winter 2011
- 2009 The Mansion of Happiness Studies #1-3, Bird Dog, vol. 1, Winter 2009
- 2007 The Journal of Short Film, vol. 6, Ohio State University, Columbus, OH, January 2007
- 2006 Convergence Kirkcudbright, Scotland: Tollhouse Art Center, 2006

Education

2007 MFA, Film/Photography, San Francisco Art Institute, San Francisco, CA

2001 BA, Art History and Visual Arts, Barnard College, Columbia University, New York, NY

Public Collections

Frances Lehman Loeb Art Center, Vassar College