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curriculum vitae

Education

2019

Doctor of Philosophy (Art)
Victorian College of the Arts, University of Melbourne
Melbourne, Victoria

2014

Master of Fine Arts Photography
Rhode Island School of Design
Providence, Rhode Island

2012

Bachelor of Fine Arts Photography/Digital Media
School of Art, University of Houston
Houston, Texas

Selected Exhibitions and Screenings

2018

Cultural Crossroads
Aurora Picture Show, Houston, TX
Curated by Vanessa Godden

Women*, Art and Feminism in Australia Since 1970 Symposium
Victorian College of the Arts School of Art Gallery, Melbourne, VIC

Embodying Entanglement
KINGS Artist Run Initiative, Melbourne, VIC

2017

Identity Intersection
Counihan Gallery, Melbourne, VIC
Curated by Tassia Joannides

The Lines In Between
SEVENTH Gallery, Melbourne, VIC
Curated by Triple F Collective

2016

Embodying Entanglement
Youkobo Art Space, Tokyo, Japan
Curated by Tatsuhiko and Hiroko Murata and Makiko Tsuji

2015

Extremely Shorts Film Festival 18
Aurora Picture Show, Houston, TX
Juried by Jolene Pinder

2014

Steal This Art
The Granoff Center, Providence, RI
Curated by Jessica Palinski

500X EXPO
500X, Dallas, TX
Juried by Alison Hearst

Who Are You?
Center On Contemporary Art, Seattle, WA
Curated by Joseph C. Roberts

Seven Stories Tall: Rhode Island School of Design 2014 MFA
Photography Show, ClampArt, New York, NY
Curated by Brian Clamp

Rhode Island School of Design Thesis Exhibition
RI Convention Center Providence, RI
Curated by Mark Moscone

2013

Cloaked and Crashing
Expose, Providence, RI
Curated by Hao Ni and Gail Dodge

Traveling Fatherhood
The Living Rooms: Granoff Center, Providence, RI
Curated by Sophia LaCava-Bohanan

All the Dire Motives
Sol Koffler Gallery, Providence RI
Curated by Mark Moscone

Talk: Body
Gelman Gallery, Providence, RI
Curated by Namwoo Bae and Ahronng Kim

2012

First Year MFA Photography
Red Eye Gallery, Providence RI
Curated by Lisa Young

Experimental Eye
Aurora Picture Show, Houston, TX
Curated by Kelly Sears

Extremely Shorts 15 Film Festival
Aurora Picture Show, Houston, TX
Juried by Andy Smith

Not Another Damn Fairytale Ending!
Caroline Collective, Houston, TX
Curated by Shannon Duncan

Universal Backyard Theater Screening
Aurora Picture Show, Houston, TX
Curated by Michael Sarff and Tim Whidden

unBlocked
f/16 Collective group exhibition, Jung Center, Houston, TX
Curated by Mary Magsamen

Flicker Lounge
Diverse Works, Houston, TX
Curated by Aurora Picture Show

2011
School of Art Annual Student Exhibition
School of Art, University of Houston, Houston, TX
Curated by David Politzer

VisVid Fest
Texas Learning and Computation Center
University of Houston, Houston, TX
Juried by Mary Magsamen

2010
Artist Dialogue
Houston Center for Photography, Houston, TX
Juried exhibition

School of Art Annual Student Exhibition
Blaffer Gallery, Houston, TX
Juried exhibition

Beyond the Print
Caroline Collective, Houston, TX
Curated by Shannon Duncan

Awards/Honors/Scholarships

2016
Melbourne International Research Scholarship
Victorian College of the Arts
Melbourne, VIC

Collections

Rhode Island School of Design
Providence, RI

Aurora Picture Show
Houston, TX

Publications

2017
Edited by Christina Hajjar and Jules Hardy
"Vol. 1 Summer Issue"
Whiny Femmes Magazine

Edited by Suzy Gonzalez and Elle Minter
"Issue 11: The Body Issue"
Yes, Ma'am Zine

Edited by Malin Kivela
"The Happiness Issue"
PLIR Magazine

2014
Rice, Cory
"Seven Stories Tall"
Musée Magazine
July 16, 2014

Residencies

2017
Feminist Art Collective Residency
Artscape: Gibraltar Point
Toronto Island, Canada

2016
Youkobo Art Space
Tokyo, Japan

2014
Aurora Picture Show Media Arts
Houston, TX

Professional Experience

2017

Breadth Course Instructor
Material Engagements with the Body: Performative Gestures
Victorian College of the Arts, Melbourne, VIC
Semester 1

2015

Experimental Filmmaking Instructor auspices of Aurora Picture Show Media Arts
Young Women's College Preparatory Academy, Houston, TX
Spring Semester

Experimental Filmmaking Instructor auspices of Aurora Picture Show Media Arts
Mickey Leland College Preparatory Academy for Young Men,
Houston, TX
Spring Semester

2014

Experimental Filmmaking Instructor auspices of Aurora Picture Show Media Arts
Roberts Elementary School, Houston, TX
Fall Semester

Experimental Filmmaking Instructor auspices of Aurora Picture Show Media Arts
High School Ahead Academy, Houston, TX
Fall Semester

Studio Assistant auspices of Mary Magsamen
and Stephan Hillerbrand
Hillerbrand+Magsamen Studio, Houston, TX

Teaching Assistant auspices of Jo Sittenfeld
Family Album
Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI
Spring Semester

Professor of Photography
Intro to Darkroom Practices: The Ephemera of Analogue
Practices in the Age of Automation
Rhode Island School of Design, Providence • RI
Wintersession

2013

Teaching Assistant auspices of Ann Fessler
Issues and Images
Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI
Fall Semester

Teaching Assistant auspices of Jo Sittenfeld
Family Album
Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI
Spring Semester

Graduate Director's Assistant auspices of Lisa Young
Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI
Wintersession

2012

Graduate Director's Assistant auspices of Lisa Young
Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI
Fall Semester

Teaching Assistant auspices of Jesse Burke
Intro to Photography for non-majors
Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI
Fall Semester

Apprenticeship auspices of Mary Magsamen
Aurora Picture Show
Houston, TX

Studio Assistant auspices of Mary Magsamen
and Stephan Hillerbrand
Hillerbrand+Magsamen Studio, Houston, TX

2011

Studio Assistant auspices of Mary Magsamen
and Stephan Hillerbrand
Hillerbrand+Magsamen Studio, Houston, TX

Intern
Aurora Picture Show
Houston, TX