

Artist

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Statement

My work explores themes of identity and belonging within artistic and socio-economic contexts. I investigate how these concepts shape and define our experiences, using various media to reflect on personal and collective narratives.

Education

- 2023 Masters in Real Estate Science (MSRE), Roosevelt University, Chicago, IL
- 2018 Masters in Fine Art, Printmedia (MFA), School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL
- 2013 Bachelors in Fine Art (BFA), University of South Florida, Tampa, FL

Teaching / Workshops

- 2020 Teaching Faculty: Drawing (virtual course), SAIC Adult Continuing Education (ACE), Chicago, IL
- 2019 Faculty Instructor: Exploring Monoprint, SAIC Adult Continuing Education (ACE), Chicago, IL
- 2019 Visiting Artist: Makers Lab - Monoprinting, The Chicago Public Library, Chicago, IL
- 2019 Instructor: Illustration Camp, SAIC Youth and Outreach, Chicago, IL
- 2019 Instructor: Draw and Paint Camp, SAIC Youth and Outreach, Chicago, IL
- 2019 Chicago Housing Authority Coordinator, The Related Companies, Chicago, IL
- 2018 Instructor: Draw and Paint Camp, SAIC Youth and Outreach, Chicago, IL
- 2018 Instructor: Comics and Graphic Novels, SAIC Youth and Outreach, Chicago, IL
- 2017 Comic Artist: F News, Chicago, IL
- 2017 Teaching Assistant: Etching and the Book, led by Jeanine Coupe Ryding, SAIC, Chicago, IL
- 2016 Graduate Office Assistant, The School of the Art Institute, Chicago, IL
- 2016 Teaching Assistant: Advanced Print Practices, led by Ayanah Moor and Oli Watt, SAIC, Chicago, IL
- 2016 Teaching Assistant: Advanced Etching, led by Jeanine Coupe Ryding, SAIC, Chicago, IL

Projects

- 2018 NEXUS, Illustrator for Donation Initiative, Chicago, IL
 - 2018 Visual Collaborator/Illustrator for Janet Desaulniers' The Between, "an unreliable autobiography"
 - 2017 Artistic Production for the short film Cassandra, directed by David E. Tolchinsky, Chicago, IL
 - 2017 Sharing Space: Featuring Preyas, Free Radio SAIC, Chicago, IL
 - 2016 Breaking Movement, The School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL
 - 2016 Produced Etching Editions for artist Michelle Grabner, Chicago, IL
 - 2016 In Your Words, Ox-Bow School of Art, Saugatuck, MI
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Exhibitions

- 2023 summer & other dreams, solo exhibition, Grace Jane Projects, Chicago, IL
 - 2020 CNL Projects: Art-In-Place, Chicago, IL
 - 2020 By&for - BLM, Virtual Exhibition
 - 2020 After Party, SAIC Studios, Chicago IL
 - 2019 In My Feelings, Young Authors Chicago, Chicago, IL; Curator: Brandi Sjostrom
 - 2018 If you have two legs, borrow another pair and run., HEREArts Center, New York, NY
 - 2018 Contemporary Print: Student Exhibition, Office of the Provost at SAIC, Chicago, IL
 - 2017 You Are Beautiful: Chicago Billboard Miniatures, Galerie F, Chicago, IL
 - 2017 I Still Wear My Mom's Brown Sweater, Collabo, Chicago, IL
 - 2017 Body as Landscape, SAIC Galleries, Chicago, IL
 - 2016 Moleskine Mailer Collaboration, Tempus Projects, Tampa, FL
 - 2015 TURBULENCE, Pyramid Inc., Tampa, FL
 - 2015 Taking Flight, Pyramid Inc., Tampa, FL
 - 2014 Art of The Coif; Diversity's First Impression, Sarasota, FL
 - 2014 Unbound 2, The Venture Compound, St. Petersburg, FL
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Publications

- 2020 Make8Believe ISSUE #15: Backyard, August Edition
 - 2019 "FAIL.," Mini Graphic Novel Series: First Edition
 - 2017 "Comp--- * Dumpling," a collection of writing and imagery from graduating students at SAIC
 - 2017 "Some Girl: A Fragmented Memoir," F News Publishing (SAIC)
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Awards / Recognitions

- 2024 DCASE Individual Artist Grant
 - 2024 Fulbright Scholar Semi-Finalist
 - 2018 AICAD Post-Graduate Teaching Fellowship Nominee
 - 2018 John and Mary Hoggins Award, The School of the Art Institute, Chicago, IL
 - 2015 Merit Scholarship, The School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL
 - 2013 OUR Excellence in Research Award, University of South Florida, FL
 - 2013 Presentation Winner 2013 Research in Art Colloquium, University of South Florida, FL
 - 2013 3rd Place Winner Annual Juried Art Exhibition, University of South Florida, FL
 - 2013 Undergraduate Scholarship Grant for Excellence in Art, University of South Florida, FL
 - 2012 USF Talent Grant, University of South Florida, FL
 - 2011 Art Department Young Scholars Fund, University of South Florida, FL
 - 2010 USF Talent Grant, University of South Florida, FL
 - 2010 1st Place Winner Annual Juried Art Exhibition, University of South Florida, FL
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Permanent Collections

- 2024 Mexic-Arte Museum, Austin, TX
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Professional Affiliations

- 2023 Soho House Chicago
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