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EDUCATION

- 2020** MFA Painting & Drawing, University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA
- 2019** MA Painting & Drawing, 2nd emphasis printmaking, University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA
- 2017** BFA Painting & Printmaking; Minor in Art History, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL
- 2017** BA English Literature, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL
- 2020** Graduate Certificate in Book Arts and Book Studies, University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA

TEACHING APPOINTMENTS

- 2023 -** 2D Illustration Instructor, Pasadena City College, CA. *Full-time tenure-track position.*
- 2023 - 20** Visual Arts Instructor, North Iowa Area Community College, Mason City, IA. *Full-time position. Oversees Fine Arts discipline & Graphic Communications program courses, arts internships, budget, gallery, and adjunct liaison.*
- 2020 - 17** Instructor of Record, University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2025** (forthcoming, summer) Blanden Memorial Art Museum, Fort Dodge, IA
- 2023** *Within the Butterfly Cave*, Charles H. MacNider Art Museum, Mason City, IA
Between Lucid Dreams, Charles City Art Center, Charles City, IA
At the Comet's Core, Freeborn County Arts Initiative Gallery, Albert Lea, MN
- 2022** *Double Rainbow*, Clear Lake Art Center, Clear Lake, IA
Two Comets, Entangled, Clear Lake Art Center, Hanson Gallery, Clear Lake, IA
- 2021** *Fever Dreams*, Harry & Virginia Murray Gallery, SCC, Burlington, IA
Paintings by Alexis Beucler, Jenison-Meacham Memorial Arts Center, Belmond, IA
- 2019** *Beyond the Mangroves*, MA show, Gallery E260, Visual Arts Building, Iowa City, IA
Razzle Dazzle Landscapes: Act II, UIHC Project Art Gallery III, Iowa City, IA
- 2018** *Razzle Dazzle Landscapes: Act I*, Gallery E260, Visual Arts Building, Iowa City, IA

THREE-PERSON EXHIBITIONS

- 2022** *Beyond the Mythic & Mundane*, Charles City Art Center, Charles City, IA [with Elizabeth Powell & Emily Magnuson]
- 2016** *Marked Lands*, Phyllis Straus Gallery, Tallahassee, FL [catalog] [with Maria Ojeda & Laura O'Connor]

SELECTED GROUP & JURIED* EXHIBITIONS

- 2023** *The F-Word*, Boone Family Gallery, Pasadena, CA
Colors of Inclusion, Clear Lake Art Center, Clear Lake, IA
- 2022** **Area Show 48*, Charles H. MacNider Art Museum, Mason City, IA
Mini Treasures, Freeborn County Arts Initiative Gallery, Albert Lea, MN
**Iowa Crafts: 45*, Charles H. MacNider Art Museum, Mason City, IA
LGBTQ+ Collective Show, Clear Lake Art Center, Clear Lake, IA
- 2021** **Good Bones*, I Like Your Work Podcast, curator Catherine Haggart [digital exhibition and print catalog]
Osmotic Radiance, Public Space One, Iowa City, IA
- 2020** **Congruence*, I Like Your Work Podcast, juror Bridgett Myer, online exhibition
**Size Matters*, The Arts Council Gallery, Fayetteville, NC (due to COVID-19, digital gallery viewing only)
**Representation Matters: I See Me*, Indiana University Kokomo Campus Art Gallery, Kokomo, IN
**Body Building: The Art of the Human Figure*, Indianapolis Art Center, Indianapolis, IN
**Black and White: Juried All-Media Exhibition*, Northville Art House, Northville, MI
Material Oracle, Public Space One Gallery, Iowa City, IA
- 2019** *Sweet 16*, Public Space One Gallery, Iowa City, IA
MA Group Show, Gallery E260, Visual Arts Building, Iowa City, IA
- 2018** *From the Hip: Models of Medieval Girdle Books*, K.K. Merker Gallery, Iowa City, IA
- 2017** *BFA Thesis Exhibition /Draft/*, FSU Museum of Fine Arts, Tallahassee, FL [catalog]
Graduate Student Buffet: Lunch Edition, Levitt Gallery, Iowa City, IA
Graduate Student Buffet: Dinner Edition, Levitt Gallery, Iowa City, IA
If one of you fails, you all fail, Levitt Gallery, Iowa City, IA
- 2016** **Valdosta National*, Dedo-Maranville Fine Arts Gallery, juror Carrie Anne Baade, Valdosta, GA [catalog]
Feast of the Forest, King Building at FSU, Tallahassee, FL
Furry & Feathered, Art in the Open, Thomasville, GA
Re-Imagining the Longleaf Pine Forest, 229 Jackson Street, Thomasville, GA
Woodiee -- Doodiee, Tallahassee Glassworks Gallery, Tallahassee, FL
Consensus, Tallahassee Glassworks Gallery, Tallahassee, FL

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Distraction Destruction, 621 Annex, Tallahassee, FL

An Open Exchange, Phyllis Straus Gallery, Tallahassee, FL

Wait, Wait, Don't Tell Me, Phyllis Straus Gallery, Tallahassee, FL [catalog]

2015 *Tall Tales & Cheap Tricks*, 621 Annex Gallery, Tallahassee, FL

Lasting Encounters: The Self, Phyllis Straus Gallery, Tallahassee, FL

17th Annual Postcards from the Edge, Luhring Augustine, New York, NY

2014 *Static Feelings: An Installation and Performance*, 621 Annex Gallery, Tallahassee, FL

Ephemeral Sculptures, Installation Art, Participatory Events, and 1000+ Hand-printed Postcards, 621 Annex Gallery, Tallahassee, FL

AWARDS | RESIDENCIES | HONORS

2022 Best in Show, *Area Show: 48*, Charles H. MacNider Art Museum, Mason City, IA

2021 Juror's Special Mention in Other Craft Media: *Iowa Crafts: 45*, Charles H. MacNider Art Museum, Mason City, IA

2020 OVPR Research Grant Funding for the Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences, University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA

2019 Grant Wood Public Art Residency, Iowa City, IA (March)

Len Everett Scholarship & Eve Drewelowe Scholarship, University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA

2016 Best in Show, *Furry & Feathered* in Thomasville, GA

Excellence in Visual Arts Award, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL

Emerging Artist Honorable Mention, *Valdosta National Exhibition*, Valdosta, GA

2015 Janice Hartwell Award in Printmaking, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL

Florida State University Honors, Scholars, and Fellows House (HSF) Collections, *Liquid Landscape (I-IV)*, Tallahassee, FL

MURALS | PUBLIC WORKS

2022 *Interactive Music Man Mural*, Mason City, IA

Gingham & Stars: Temporary mural at Clear Lake Art Center, Clear Lake, IA

2020 *Marco's Island Murals*, 3 interior murals, 121 N Linn St., Iowa City, IA

2019 *Wild Culture Mural*, exterior, 210 N Linn St., Iowa City, IA

Stanwood Mural, exterior, 216 E Broadway St., Stanwood, Cedar County, IA

Mechanicsville Mural, exterior, 300 E 1st St., Mechanicsville, Cedar County, IA

2018 Jimmy Z's Indoor Painted Images, Cedar Rapids, IA. Collaboration with Ali Hval

JUROR EXPERIENCE

2022 *River City Sculptures on Parade*, Downtown Mason City, IA. *Juried best in show*

Region 2 Art Show, for Iowa Arts Council at Heritage Center in Buffalo Center, IA. *Jury artworks and awards*

2021 *41st Annual Cerro Gordo Photo Show*, MacNider Art Museum, Mason City, IA. *Juried artworks in the show and awards*

River City Sculptures on Parade, Downtown Mason City, IA. *Juried best in show*

CURATORIAL EXPERIENCE

2023 - 20 **Art Gallery Director**, North Iowa Area Community College, Mason City, IA. *Curated the following exhibitions:*

2023 *As Young As You Feel*, Marina Ross and Celeste Moreton

Journey With Texture, Mariah Piippo

2022 *Current Events*, Thomas Agran

Color Stories, Alexandra Ackerman

2021 *Cosmetic Justice*, Ali Hval. [Exhibition interview with New York Jewelry Week](#)

The Geocentric Model, Drew Etinne

Measured Flux, Rachel Schend

2018 UIowa Curatorial Project: *Wunderkammer*, Levitt Gallery, Iowa City, IA

INSTITUTIONAL SERVICE

2023 - 20 **Visual Arts Instructor, North Iowa Area Community College, Mason City, IA.**

Diversity and Inclusion committee

Art scholarships and awards committee, art internships instructor, art work study mentor

Graphic communications program advisory committee: lead 2 meetings per year

Art Club organizer: art activities, volunteer opportunities, field trips

2022 - 23 SAGE club organizer (Sexuality & Gender Equality)

2021 - 22 Graphic design transfer major committee (with regents)

Administrative assistant hiring committee (Humanities department)

Mind Mania summer art camp: week long event with morning and afternoon classes for students 3-8th grade

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Explore 2021 event: led 3 sessions for high school sophomores interested in the arts
Student Success Series: led 2 sessions: 1 tour at the MacNider Art Museum and 1 tour at the NIACC art gallery
Holiday festival planning committee

- 2020 - 21** Designed a new ceramic studio on campus (budget, equipment, studio layout, materials, tools, etc)
Art Appreciation HyFlex course development

COURSES TAUGHT*

- 2023 - Pasadena City College, full-time tenure-track faculty**
ART-31A Color & Composition: 2D Design: 1 course | FA23
ART-52A Introduction to Illustration: 2 courses | FA23
ART-52B Advanced Illustration: 2 courses | FA23
- 2023 - 20 North Iowa Area College, full-time faculty**
ART-101 Art Appreciation: 6 courses | FA21, FA22 | hybrid FA20 | online SP21, SMR22, SMR23
ART-115 Graphic Design: 3 courses | hybrid FA20 | FA21, FA22
ART-116 Graphic Design II: 3 courses | hybrid SP21 | SP22, SP23
ART-120 2D Design: 4 courses | hybrid FA20, SP21 | FA21, FA22
ART-123 3D Design: 2 courses | SP22, SP23
ART-127 Digital Illustration: 3 courses | hybrid SP21 | SP22, SP23
ART-133 Drawing: 4 courses | hybrid FA20, SP21 | FA21, FA22
ART-143 Painting I: 2 courses | SP22, SP23
ART-144 Painting II: 1 course | SP23
ART-173 Ceramics: 4 courses | FA21, SP22, FA22, SP23
ART-187 Creative Photography: 1 course | hybrid FA20
ART-203 Art History I: 1 course | online FA22
ART-204 Art History II: 1 course | online FA23
WBL-307 Internship: Digital/Visual/Computer Art: 5 courses | SP21, FA21, SP22, SMR22, SP23
- 2020 - 17 University of Iowa, instructor of record**
ART-101 Elements of Art: 6 16-week courses, 1 6-week summer course
ART-151 Basic Drawing: 4 16-week courses, 1 6-week summer course
**unless otherwise noted, courses are traditional, 3-credit hour 16-week courses delivered in-person*

GUEST LECTURES | PRESENTATIONS | WORKSHOPS

- 2022** Artist lecture and ceramic slab sculpture demonstration for Iowa Arts Council, Buffalo Center, IA
Visiting Artist Lecture, Clear Lake Arts Center, Clear Lake, IA, spring
- 2021** Visiting Artist Lecture, Southeastern Community College, Burlington, IA, fall
Workshop, "Figure Drawing," sponsored by Iowa Arts Council at Clear Lake Art Center, Clear Lake, IA
- 2020** Virtual Interview, *Palette Talk*, with Arts Council of Fayetteville/Cumberland County, NC. June
Demonstration, *Artists on Display*, Coralville Public Library, Coralville, IA, February
- 2019** Workshop, "Drawing From Life: A 4-Week Course," *Big Picture Gallery & Studio*, North Liberty, IA, Summer
Workshop, "Coptic Bookbinding," *Big Picture Gallery & Studio*, North Liberty, IA, April
Workshop, "Introduction to Figure Painting," *Big Picture Gallery & Studio*, North Liberty, IA, March
Visiting Artist Lecture, "About the Artist & Short Story Reading," *University of Iowa Health Clinics Gallery & Patients Library Storytime Programming*, University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA, February

RELATED EXPERIENCE

- 2020 - 18** Friday Figure Drawing Coordinator, School of Art & Art History, University of Iowa, IA
- 2020 - 16** Arts & Sciences Symposium Annual Event Founder & Director, Winter's Edge of Amtgard Inc., 501(c)3 organization, TN
- 2019** Coordinator for the fall *Painting & Drawing Open Studios* night, University of Iowa, IA
New TA Orientation Facilitator, Office Teaching, Learning, & Technology, University of Iowa, IA
- 2018 - 17** Printmaking Lab Monitor, School of Art & Art History, University of Iowa, IA [fall, spring]
- 2017 - 15** Printmaking Lab Monitor, College of Fine Arts, Florida State University, FL [fall, spring]
- 2016** Studio Assistant for Linda Hall, Tallahassee, FL [December]
- 2015 - 14** Internship at Small Craft Advisory Press, Facility for Arts Research, Tallahassee, FL [summer, spring] *Assisted in editing the following limited edition artists book projects: A Guide to Florida 2016, vvvvv, Lake + Cloud, Lining, Spandrel*
- 2014** Studio Assistant for Denise Bookwalter at the Facility for Arts Research, Tallahassee, FL [summer]

PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

- Southeastern Community College, Burlington, IA (*Rocky Shore*, lithograph, 2018)

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PRINT PUBLICATIONS* | INTERVIEWS | SELECTED BIBLIOGRAPHY

- 2022** [New interactive mural takes center stage in Mason City](#), KAAL Tv, July 20th, 2022.
[Mechanicsville Mural](#), *Iowa Magazine*, June 2020.
- 2021** *[Good Bones](#), curator Catherine Haggarty, *I Like Your Work Podcast*, no. 1, spring 2021, pp. 7.
- 2020** *[Studio Visit Magazine, vol 47](#), edited by Steven T. Zevitas, *The Open Studios Press*, 2020, pp. 22-23.
*Beucler, Alexis "[Fever Dreams: Butterfly Chasers, Pollinators, Sun Gazers](#)," *University of Iowa*, May 2020.
*[Iowa MFA graduating artists catalog](#), *University of Iowa*, 2020, pp. 54-67.
*Kate Linder. "[Wonder Walls: Murals Transform Downtown Iowa City](#)," *Iowa Magazine* [Iowa City, IA], Mar 2020.
- 2019** *Resse, Kayli. "Drawing communities together through art," *The Gazette* [Cedar Rapids, IA], 9 July 2019, pp. 7A.
*Nelson, Emily. "Painting the Town: Students Artists Make a Mark," *Iowa Magazine* [Iowa City, IA], fall edition 2019, pp. 50.
Nelson, Emily. "[UI student, faculty artists leaving their mark on 10 Iowa communities](#)," *IowaNow*, 16 July 2019 (article).
Yeapanis, Stacia. "[OtherPeoplesPixels Interviews Alexis Beucler](#)," *OtherPeoplesPixels Blog*, June 2019 (interview).
Project Art, "[Project Arts presents new exhibit by Alexis Beucler](#)," *The Loop*, Jan 16, 2019 (article).
- 2018** Madison Lotenschein, "[Bringing bright color to a dreary Iowa winter through art](#)," *The Daily Iowan*, Dec 12, 2018 (interview).
Jenna Galligan, "[Video: Meet Alexis, a painter, storyteller, and artist](#)," *The Daily Iowan*, Dec 11, 2018 (short documentary).
Alexandra Skores, "[UI Greenhouse provides students and community members a place for plant interests](#)," *The Daily Iowan*, Dec 2, 2018. (article).
Melissa Moreton, "[My Material Analysis Course: Exploring Medieval Manuscripts Across Cultures](#)" Making Manuscripts in the Medieval and Early Modern World (blog), Jan 8, 2018 (blog).