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EDUCATION

2012-2016

Bachelor of Arts in Studio Art, University
of the Ozarks, Clarksville, AR

AWARDS & GRANTS

2017

Best of Show, *Irene Rosenzweig Biennial Juried Exhibit*, Arts and Science Center of Southeast
Arkansas, PineBluff, AR

2016

Outstanding Student in Art, University of the
Ozarks, Clarksville, AR

A.R.C.H. Symposium Merit Award, *No Me
Llamo Guadalupe* Oral Presentation (Artist
Talk), University of the Ozarks, Clarksville, AR

2015

Academic Enrichment Fund Grant, University
of the Ozarks, Clarksville, AR

A.R.C.H. Symposium, First Place in Visual
Arts, University of the Ozarks, Clarksville, AR

Annual Collegiate Art Competition,
Honorable Mention, River Valley Arts Center,
Russellville, AR

2014

Academic Enrichment Fund Grant, University
of the Ozarks, Clarksville, AR

Annual Collegiate Art Competition,
Honorable Mention, River Valley Arts Center,
Russellville, AR

SOLO & GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2018

One Year Down (Artist Reflect on the First Year of the
Trump Administration), New Deal Studios, Little
Rock, AR

2017

Day of the Dead, Arts Center of the Ozarks,
Springdale, AR

Arkansas Art Alumni Exhibition, Stephens Gallery,
University of the Ozarks, Clarksville, AR

Irene Rosenzweig Biennial Juried Exhibit, Arts and
Science Center of Southeast Arkansas, Pine Bluff, AR
(Awarded)

2016

Dia De Los Muertos, Emergent Arts, Hot Springs,
Arkansas

No Me Llamo Guadalupe, Stephens Gallery,
University of the Ozarks, Clarksville, AR

Womxn Are Perfect!, Galería de la Raza, San
Francisco, CA

2014-2016

Annual Collegiate Art Exhibit, River Valley Arts
Center, Russellville, AR (Awarded)

2013-2016

Annual Student Exhibit, Stephen's Gallery,
University of the Ozarks, Clarksville, AR



LEADERSHIP & PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

September 2016-December 2016

Studio Technician/Arts Educator
Coordinator, Terra Studios, Fayetteville, AR

October 2014-September 2016

Ceramic Studio Assistant, Dawn Holder,
Clarksville, AR

August 2015-May 2016

Ceramic Tutor (Student Work-Study, The
Jones Learning Center, University of the
Ozarks, Clarksville, AR

April 2016

Volunteer, NCECA, Kansas City, KS

PUBLICATIONS

2017

"Award-winning art Arts center announces
Rosenzweig exhibition winners."
pbcommercial.com. Web. 22 September, 2017.

2016

"Living in two worlds: the inspiration behind
Castorena's Senior Exhibit." *ozarks.edu*. Web. 18
April, 2016.

Kost, Ryan. "A 'Perfect' vision of women at La
Raza." *sfgate.com*. Web. 29, March 2016.

2014

"Kern, Castorena take honors in collegiate art
competition." *ozarks.edu*. Web. 05 February, 2014.