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## EDUCATION

- 2003** M.F.A. School of the Art Institute of Chicago (SAIC), Chicago, IL, Fiber and Material Studies, Trustees Merit Scholarship
- 1986 – 89** B.A. Candidate, Hampshire College, Anthropology (transferred to SAIC)
- 1991** B.F.A. The School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Merit Scholar

## SELECTED GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS, AWARDS and NOMINATIONS

- 2022** **Illinois Arts Council Fellowship, Awardee**
- 2022** **Chicago Department of Cultural Affairs and Special Events Visual Arts Grant, Awardee**
- 2021** Anonymous Was A Woman Award, Nominee
- 2020 – 21** **Award for Creative Activity, University of Illinois, Office of the Vice-Chancellor of Research, Awardee**
- 2019** Joan Mitchell Foundation Award, Nominee
- 2019** **Ragdale Residency Fellowship, Summer Awardee**
- 2019** UIC College of Architecture and the Arts **Dean's Research Prize, Recipient**

## SELECTED GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS, AWARDS and NOMINATIONS – continued

- 2019 Winner of Public Art Commission for the Chicago Transit Authority (CTA), Peoria Street Bridge, UIC / Halsted Station (**Suspended**)
- 2019 Creative Capital – Phase 1, Finalist
- 2018 **3Arts Award in Visual Arts, Awardee**
- 2018 Invited applicant, Rome Prize
- 2018 Creative Capital phase 1, Finalist
- 2017 – 20 International Connections Fund, Mac Arthur Foundation, Annual, Cross-Currents: Habana-Chicago (National Museum of Mexican Art as principal)
- 2017 Spertus Institute Chicago Artists Fellowship, Awardee
- 2017 Anonymous Was A Woman Award, Nominee
- 2017 The Canada Council for the Arts, Project Grant Recipient
- 2016 Guggenheim Fellowship Finalist
- 2016 UIC College of Architecture and the Arts Dean's Research Prize, Recipient
- 2016 UIC Faculty Scholarship Support Program, Recipient
- 2015 3Arts Award, Nominee
- 2015 Office of the Vice Chancellor For Research (OVCR) Inaugural Award in Art, Architecture and the Humanities, University of Illinois at Chicago, Awardee
- 2015 Alfredo Harp Helú Foundation, Oaxaca, Mexico, project support for research and exhibition at the Biblioteca Francisco Burgoa, Recipient
- 2014 Illinois Arts Council Artist Fellowship, Awardee
- 2014 UIC College of Architecture and the Arts Dean's Research Prize, Recipient
- 2014 UIC Faculty Scholarship Support Program, Recipient
- 2014 Illinois Arts Council Professional Development Grant, Recipient
- 2013 Anonymous Was A Woman Award, Nominee

## SELECTED GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS, AWARDS and NOMINATIONS – continued

- 2012 The Canada Council for the Arts, Project Grant, Recipient
- 2010 UIC College of Architecture and the Arts Dean’s Research Prize / Research in The Netherlands, Recipient
- 2010 UIC Faculty Scholarship Support Program, Recipient
- 2009 The Canada Council for the Arts, Project Grant Recipient/ Exhibition in Cologne, Germany
- 2009 UIC Faculty Scholarship Support Program, Recipient
- 2009 UIC College of Architecture and the Arts Dean’s Research Prize, Recipient / Exhibition in Cologne, Germany
- 2008 The Canada Council Travel Grants to Professionals in the Visual Arts, Recipient
- 2004 Artadia: The Fund for Art and Dialogue Awardee
- 2003 Illinois Arts Council Special Assistance Grant, Awardee
- 2003 School of the Art Institute of Chicago MFA Fellowship, Awardee
- 2003 Joan Mitchell Foundation MFA Grant Program, Nominee

## SELECTED ONE AND TWO-PERSON EXHIBITIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

- 2022-23 Alan Koppel Gallery, Chicago, “Time is Textile: New Artist’s Books and other works” solo, Nov 2022–Jan 2023 (forthcoming)
- 2022 Dia Art Foundation, New York, “Poetry &: Victoria Chang and Dianna Frid,” June 9 [LINK](#)
- 2019 Alan Koppel Gallery, Chicago, “More Time Than Life,” solo, Sept–Nov 2019 [exhibition publication](#)
- 2018 Alpineum Produzentengalerie, Lucerne, Switzerland  
“All Days Combined: Dianna Frid and Monika Müller”  
[exhibition publication](#)

## SELECTED ONE AND TWO-PERSON EXHIBITIONS AND PRESENTATIONS – continued

- 2018 Goldfinch Projects, Chicago,  
“The Registers: Dianna Frid and Monika Müller”  
**exhibition publication**
- 2017 Milner Library at Illinois State University, “Hilo de Vías: Selected Artist’s Books,” solo
- 2017 University Galleries at Illinois State University, Normal, IL,  
“Dianna Frid: It Takes Time,” solo  
**exhibition publication**
- 2016 DePaul University Art Museum, Chicago,  
“Dianna Frid and Richard Rezac”  
**catalogue**
- 2015 Biblioteca Francisco de Burgoa, Oaxaca, Mexico, “Matter and Subject Matter,” solo  
**catalogue**  
**INTERVIEW**
- 2015 The Poetry Foundation, Chicago,  
“Dianna Frid and Cecilia Vicuña: A textile exhibition”
- 2014 Alpineum Produzentengalerie, Lucerne, Switzerland, solo  
**exhibition publication**
- 2013 Artadia Summer Open Studio, New York, NY, solo
- 2013 Riverside Art Center, Riverside, IL, “Dianna Frid and Allison Wade”  
**exhibition publication**
- 2012 Bravin Lee Programs, New York, NY “Dianna Frid: Artists’ Book Program” solo
- 2011 devening projects + editions, Chicago, IL, solo
- 2010 Clough-Hanson Gallery, Rhodes College, Memphis, TN, solo
- 2010 neues kunstforum, Cologne, Germany, “Skylight and Spectra,” solo
- 2009 Gahlberg Gallery, College of Du Page, IL, solo  
**exhibition publication**
- 2009 Bravin Lee Programs, New York, NY, “Dianna Frid: Artists’ Book Program,” solo

## SELECTED ONE AND TWO-PERSON EXHIBITIONS AND PRESENTATIONS – continued

- 2008 devening projects + editions, Chicago, IL, solo
- 2006 CROXHAPOX, Gent, Belgium, solo
- 2006 Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago, IL  
“Dianna Frid: 12 x 12, New Artists New Work,” solo
- 2005 PS1-MOMA, Long Island City, NY, National and International Projects, solo
- 2005 Julia Friedman Gallery, New York, NY, solo
- 2004 SubCity Projects, Chicago, IL, “Carriage” (collaboration with Mark Gally)
- 2003 Gallery 400, Chicago, IL, “The Field” (with contributions by Stephen Motika)
- 1999 Esso Gallery, New York, NY, solo
- 1998 CROXHAPOX, Gent, Belgium, solo
- 1997 Optica, Montreal, Canada, “Gravity” (collaboration with Anton Vidokle)
- 1995 Artspeak Gallery, Vancouver, Canada, solo

## SELECTED GROUP / CURATED EXHIBITIONS

- 2022-23 Winnipeg Art Gallery, “Headlines: The Art of the News Cycle,” curated by Riva Symko, late November 2022 to April 2023 (forthcoming)
- 2022 Design Museum of Chicago, “~~Tomorrow~~, and ~~Tomorrow~~ and ~~Tomorrow~~,” curated by Industry of the Ordinary, April 15 to 16, 2022
- 2021 NO SHOW SPACE, Bethnal Green, London, “Inscription #2,”  
Curated by Inscription: the Journal of Material Text with Fraser Muggeridge & Aslak Gurholt. October 6 to October 31, 2021
- 2021 National Museum of Mexican Art, Chicago, “Día de Muertos - A Time to Grieve & Remember,” September 10 to December 12, 2021

## SELECTED GROUP / CURATED EXHIBITIONS – continued

- 2021** DePaul Art Museum, Chicago, “LatinXAmerican,” curated by Julie Rodrigues Widholm, Ionit Behar, etal. January 7 – August 15  
[LINK](#)
- 2020** Chicago Manual of Style, Chicago, Amsterdam and @fourflags2020, “Four Flags,” curated by Stephanie Cristello and Ruslana Lichtzier  
[LINK](#)
- 2020** Dock 6 Design + Art 13 annual, Chicago, online due to Covid-19, live on June 27  
[LINK](#)
- 2020** COVID-TV, Broadcast platform via Instagram, curated by Edra Soto, April 24
- 2020** Dairy Art Center, Boulder, Colorado, “Foreign Born,” February 28 – April 5
- 2020** Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago, “Duro Olowu: Seeing Chicago” curated by Duro Olowu with Naomi Beckwith, Feb 29 – Sept 13  
[exhibition catalogue](#)
- 2020** Selected Works, Chicago, “The Long Goodbye” curated by Jesse Malmed, February  
[LINK](#)
- 2020** University Galleries, ISU, “An Infinite and Omnivorous Sky,” curated by Kendra Paitz, Normal, IL, Jan – Feb, (catalogue forthcoming)  
[LINK](#)
- 2020** Des Lee Gallery, Washington University, “Body Screen Meme,” curated by Andrea Bowles, Saint Louis, MO, Feb 7 – March 20
- 2019** Arts of Life, Chicago, “Entrelazar,” curated by Edra Soto with Arts of Life, Aug – Oct
- 2019** Smart Museum, Chicago, “Cross Currents / Intercambio Cultural,” July – Aug
- 2018-19** Mana Contemporary, “Through Her Eye,” Chicago
- 2018** Alan Koppel Gallery, “NoNonchalant,” Chicago, Sept 21–Nov 27
- 2018** Kimura Gallery at the University of Alaska Anchorage, “The Bounded Text,” Curated by Riva Symko. Sept 8 – Oct 28
- 2018** Spertus Institute, Chicago, “Inquiry 01: Chicago Jewish Artists Fellowship Exhibition,” curated by Ionit Behar and Ruslana Lichtzier, May – Aug

## SELECTED GROUP / CURATED EXHIBITIONS – continued

- 2018 Flatland Gallery, Houston, “The Dangerous Professors” Curated by Ruslana Lichtzier
- 2018 Latino Arts, Inc., Milwaukee, WI, “Expansive Threads,” curated by Edra Soto, Feb – June
- 2017 Goldfinch Projects, Chicago, Flat Files Exhibition
- 2017 Untitled Art Fair, Miami, with Bravin Lee Programs
- 2017 Mana Contemporary, Chicago, “Expanded” with Goldfinch Projects
- 2016 University Galleries at Illinois State University, Normal, IL  
“Strange Oscillations and Vibrations of Sympathy”  
**exhibition catalogue**
- 2016 Robert & Elaine Stein Galleries, Wright State University, Dayton, Ohio,  
“Modern and Contemporary Latino Prints”
- 2016 Museum London, Ontario, Canada, “TransAMERICAS” (publication)
- 2016 Chicago Artists Coalition, Chicago, “The Annual”
- 2016 Weinberg Newton Gallery, Chicago, “Your Body is a Battleground”
- 2016 Alan Koppel Gallery, Chicago, “Millennial’s Guide to the Galaxy”
- 2016 Chicago Cultural Center, “Present Standard”
- 2016 Pattern Shop Studio, Denver, “Shark’s Ink: Collaborations II”
- 2016 Heaven Gallery, Chicago, “What is the Message/The Brilliant Influence of Deborah Boardman: a Collective Survey”
- 2015 Spudnik Press, Chicago, “The People’s Pamphlets”
- 2015 Minnesota Center for Book Arts, Minneapolis, “The Contained Narrative: Defining the Contemporary Artist’s Book”
- 2014 Alpineum Produzentengalerie, Lucerne, Switzerland, “Minimale 2”
- 2014 National Museum of Mexican Art, Chicago, IL, “As Cosmopolitans and Strangers: Mexican Art of the Jewish Diaspora from the Permanent Collection”

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- 2013 Chicago Artists Coalition, Chicago, IL, “Twelve Variations”
- 2013 Launch F18, New York, NY, “1XX”
- 2013 Kimball Art Center, Park City, Utah, “Ink Paper Scissors”
- 2012 SF Market Pavilion, Santa Fe, New Mexico, “N2NM: Exchange”
- 2012 The Center for Book Arts, New York, NY, “Diaristic Tendencies” traveled to Payne Gallery, Moravian College, Bethlehem, PA
- 2011 Alpinum Produzenten-Galerie, Lucerne, Switzerland, “Drawn Together”
- 2011 Center for Book and Paper Arts, Chicago, IL, “The World as Text”
- 2011 Center for Contemporary Printmaking, Norwalk, CT, “Printed by Master Printers”
- 2011 devening projects + editions, Chicago, IL, “MULTIPLEMIX”
- 2010 dok251, Düsseldorf, Germany, “GRAVITY MATTERS AND SHADOWY FOLDS”
- 2010 Edvand-Munch-Haus, Warnemünde, Germany, “oqbo Paperfile on Tour”
- 2010 Bravin Lee Programs, New York, NY, “The Hendersons Will All Be There”
- 2010 Ebersmoore Gallery, Chicago, IL, “Around”
- 2010 neues kunstforum, Cologne, Germany, “6. Editionale, Artists’ Book Fair”
- 2010 Bravin Lee Programs, New York, NY, “Gallery Artists”
- 2009 P.S.1, NY, NY Art Book Fair, “Reversal” with Bravin Lee Programs
- 2009 Galerie OQBO, Berlin, Germany, “papier – offensiv”
- 2009 The Center for Book Arts, New York, NY, “Threads”
- 2009 I-Space, Chicago, IL, “Response: Art and the Art of Criticism”
- 2008 The Drawing Center, New York, NY, “Selections: Spring 2008”
- 2008 devening projects + editions, Chicago, IL, “Paper Love”



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- 2008 Jan Colle Gallery, Gent, Belgium, “Transmold”
- 2007 Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago, IL, “Mapping the Self”
- 2007 Grand Bazaar, Istanbul, Turkey, “Kuf-Mold”  
(traveled as “Transmold” to Gent, Belgium, 2008)
- 2006 John Michael Kohler Arts Center, WI, “Utopia”
- 2006 C.O.R.N.E.L.I.A. & Croxhapox at Kapel Maagdendale 13,  
Oudenaarde, Belgium “Basics 2”
- 2006 Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago, IL, “Takeover” (collaboration with Mark Gally)
- 2006 Esso Gallery, New York, NY, “Esso Gallery’s 10th Anniversary”
- 2005 Chicago Cultural Center, Chicago, IL, “Crossings”
- 2005 Kaohsiung Museum of Fine Arts, Kaohsiung, Taiwan “Crossings”
- 2005 Mexican Cultural Institute, Washington, DC, “Inverted Mirrors”
- 2005 Chicago Cultural Center, Chicago, IL, “Centrally Located: The Artadia Awardees”
- 2005 Gallery 400, Chicago, IL “Drawn Out”
- 2003 Betty Rymer Gallery, Chicago, IL, “Super Fresh”
- 2002 Optica, Montreal, Quebec, “Temps Fantomal”
- 2002 Chicago Architecture Foundation, Chicago, IL  
“Du Sable Park: Hidden In Plain View,” organized by Laurie Palmer
- 2002 Hyde Park Arts Center, Chicago, IL “Collages: Prestar=To Borrow”
- 2001 Esso Gallery, New York, NY, “Les Jeux Son Fait”
- 2001 Gallery 312, Chicago, IL, “3 Acres on the Lake: Du Sable Park Proposal Project”
- 2001 Pittsburgh Center for the Arts, Pittsburgh, PA, “The Fact Show, Conceptual Art Today”
- 2000 Nicole Klagsbrun Gallery, New York, NY, “Books by Artists”

## SELECTED GROUP / CURATED EXHIBITIONS – continued

- 2000 Boulder Museum of Contemporary Art, Boulder, CO, “The Living End”
- 2000 Temple Art Gallery, Tyler School of Art, Philadelphia, PA, “Utopiaries”
- 2000 Galeria Milano, Milan, Italy; and Galeria Martano, Turin, Italy, “Scripta Mannet”
- 1999 Mercer Union, Toronto, Ontario, “Dianna Frid and Elana Herzog”
- 1999 Galeria Alberto Peola, Turin, Italy, “Lontano Da Dove?”
- 1999 Centro Nacional de las Artes, Mexico City, Mexico, “Anatomical Permutations”
- 1998 White Box, New York and Philadelphia, PA, “Fashioned”
- 1997 Paço das Artes, São Paulo, Brazil, “Existing Things”
- 1997 Islip Art Museum, East Islip, NY, “More & More”
- 1997 Rotunda Gallery, Brooklyn, NY, “Suture”
- 1996 University of Massachusetts at Dartmouth, MA, “Just Wait and See”
- 1996 Nicole Klagsbrun Gallery, New York, NY, “Group Show”
- 1996 YYZ Gallery, Toronto, Canada, “A Maze of Complicity”  
**exhibition publication**
- 1996 The New Museum of Contemporary Art, New York, NY, “Labor of Love”  
Curated by Marcia Tucker  
**exhibition publication**

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- 2022 Bevin, Jen and Claudia Rankine, “We have always been in conversation” in Jen Bervin: Shift Rotate Reflect, Selected Works (1997 – 2020), edited by Kendra Paitz. Published by University Galleries of Illinois State University, Normal, IL, 2022. Pages 57, 58, 60, 61 and 63.
- 2021 Frid, Dianna and Carla Nappi. “The Cascabel Butterfly,” Inscription: The Journal of Material Text - Theory, Practice, History. Fall, 2021. Print. Pages 40, 61-62  
**Online** (Accessed June 2, 2022)

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**Online** (Accessed June 2, 2022)
- 2021 Waxman, Lori. “DePaul Art Museum reckons with dearth of Latinx artists in U.S. collections,” The Chicago Tribune, June 25, 2021  
**Online** (Accessed June 2, 2022)
- 2021 “Markbooks,” Multiple authors with an introduction by Carla Nappi. Published by **Flugschriften**, Pittsburgh and New York. **LINK** (Accessed June 2, 2022)
- 2020 Art 50 2020: Chicago’s Artists Artists, New City (online)  
**Hall of Fame** (Accessed June 2, 2022)
- 2020 Four Flags, International Project Publication (print). Designed by Haller Brun, Amsterdam. Launched April 15, 2020. See **here** (Accessed June 2, 2022)
- 2020 Bollick, Robert. “Books on Books Collection – Jax Graf: Trophic Avulsions,”  
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**Online** (Accessed June 2, 2022)
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Newcity Art, July 22, 2020. **Online** (Accessed June 2, 2022)  
All video content for the program can viewed on the **Dock 6 website**
- 2019 Brammer, Mikki and Mark Ishman, “Writing on the Wall: A Multidisciplinary Artist Finds Inspiration in the Interpretation of the Written Word,”  
Luxe Magazine, Nov-Dec, Pp 218-221 **PDF**
- 2019 Price, Alta, Dianna Frid: Words from Obituaries. Alan Koppel Gallery, Chicago, 2019,  
Pp 25-25  
**LINK**
- 2019 “Episode #696 Dianna Frid,” Bad at Sports, Sept 19, 2019 (accessed December, 2020)  
**ONLINE** (Accessed June 2, 2022)
- 2019 Pearce, Dianne, “Por encima, debajo y a lo largo: vidas en vilo / Above, Below and Along: Lives on the Hyphen,” Nierika: Revista de Estudios de Arte, Año 8, Núm. 15. Mexico City: Universidad Iberoamericana, January–June 2019. P 22, Pp 27–28  
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Publication for an exhibition at the Spertus Institute, Chicago
- 2018** Braunstein, Ellen, “A Chicago Jewish Latina Artist,” Chicago Jewish News,  
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- 2018** Cruz-Martinez, Gabriela, “Hyde Park resident and Visual Artist Dianna Frid receives  
prestigious 3Arts Award,” Hyde Park Herald: Chicago, October 23, 2018
- 2018** Isé, Claudine, “Dianna Frid and Monika Müller: The Registers.” Interview published  
as ephemera for the eponymous exhibition at Goldfinch Projects Chicago  
[LINK](#)
- 2018** Kirschner, Noelani, The American Scholar Online, “Portrait of the Artist: Dianna  
Frid” December 3, 2018  
[online](#) (Accessed June 2, 2022)
- 2018** Sennhauser, Laura, “All Days Combined.” Alpineum Produzentengalerie,  
Lucerne, Switzerland  
[exhibition publication](#)
- 2018** Newcity Arts Staff, “Art 50 2018: Chicago’s Artists’ Artists,” Newcity Art, Vol. 33 No.  
13836, Sept. 2018. P 49  
Also [online](#) (Accessed May 2021)
- 2017** Darcovich, Jane, “Small Things with Great Love: An Art Department-Library  
Exhibition Initiative,” FWD: Museums. Step Sister Press, Park Ridge, IL, 2017.  
Pp 45 – 51
- 2017** Getty, Cassandra and Dianne Pearce, TransAMERICAS: a sign, a situation ad  
concept. Exhibition catalogue for eponymous show, Museum London (Ontario),  
2017, Pp 3 – 5 and Pp 20 – 21
- 2017** Johnson, Melissa “A Desire in the Process of Becoming,” Strange Oscillations and  
Vibrations of Sympathy. Exhibition catalogue for eponymous show, University  
Galleries of ISU (Normal, IL), 2017, Pp 94 – 101
- 2017** Paitz, Kendra, “Lest I Fall off the Edge of the World into Nothingness,” Strange  
Oscillations and Vibrations of Sympathy. Exhibition catalogue for eponymous show,  
University Galleries of ISU (Normal, IL), 2017, Pp 12 – 13 and Pp 36-37

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[LINK](#)
- 2017 Versenyi, Nina, “Dianna Frid: It Takes Time,” [www.deliciousline.org](http://www.deliciousline.org), Dec 8, 2017  
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- 2016 Bervin, Jen and Dianna Frid, “Jen Bervin and Dianna Frid,” BOMB Magazine, Number 137, Fall 2016, Pp 55 – 65  
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- 2016 Girson, Matthew, et al.,  
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- 2016 Kennedy, Laura, “Exploring the Connection Between Artist and Writer,” WGLT Radio Station, Normal, IL Nov. 9, 2016  
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Materias / Matter and Subject Matter,  
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- 2015 Rose Sharp, Sarah, “Artists Trade Their Work for Plane Rides and Gallons of Paint,” Hyperallergic, August 28, 2015  
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- 2003 Faulkner, Tamara, “Critic’s Choice: Super Fresh,” Chicago Reader, July 4, 2003
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- 2000 Helguera, Pablo “Dianna Frid/Esso Gallery,” Art Nexus, May-July 2000
- 2000 Sozanski, Edward J. “Dream Gardens,” The Philadelphia Inquirer, Feb. 25, 2000
- 1999 Pearce, Dianne, “Diez artistas canadienses y el cuerpo humano,” Alebrije, Mexico City, 1999
- 1998 Dalton, Jennifer “Fashioned,” New York Review, Sept. 15, 1998
- 1998 Tibol, Raquel, “Artes Plásticas en el XXVI Cervantino,” Proceso, Oct. 25, 1998
- 1997 Amor, Mónica and Anton Vidokle, Existing Things, Paço das Artes, Sao Paulo, Brazil
- 1997 Szabo, Julia ,“More, More & More at the Islip Art Museum,” New York Newsday, February 28
- 1997 Wilson Lloyd, Anne, “Just Wait and See,” Sculpture Magazine, May 1997  
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- 1996 Marks, Laura U., “Brave Things,” YYZ Gallery, Toronto [LINK](#)  
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- 1996 Tucker, Marcia, A Labor of Love, The New Museum of Contemporary Art, New York

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- 2021 Dianna Frid and Carla Nappi, “The Cascabel Butterfly,”  
Inscription: The Journal of Material Text, Practice and Theory, Number 2  
Edited by Simon Morris, Gill Partington, and Adam Smyth. Published by Information as Material, York in partnership with Leeds Beckett University  
[LINK](#) (accessed December 2021)
- 2021 Contribution to CHISPA. US Latinx Art Forum,  
[online](#) (Accessed June 2, 2022)
- 2021 Contribution to BRIGE 21/01. In print and online.

**PUBLICATIONS, CONTRIBUTIONS IN PUBLICATIONS and ONLINE FRAMEWORKS – continued**

- 2021** *Rivers of Attention*, published in “Markbooks,” with an introduction by Carla Nappi. Published by **Flugschriften**, Pittsburgh and New York. [LINK](#) (Accessed May 2021)
- 2019** Dianna Frid, Words from Obituaries, Chicago: Alan Koppel Gallery. 2019  
[LINK](#)
- 2018** Monika Müller and Dianna Frid, All Days Combined.  
Artist’s Publication, limited edition of 50.  
Alpineum Produzentengalerie: Lucerne, Switzerland. October 2018  
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- 2016** Bervin, Jen and Dianna Frid, “Jen Bervin and Dianna Frid,” BOMB Magazine, Number 137, Fall 2016, Pp 55 – 65  
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- 2016** Dianna Frid and Richard Rezac, “Dianna Frid + Richard Rezac In Conversation,” Split Complementary: Dianna Frid + Richard Rezac.  
Chicago: DePaul Art Museum, 2016  
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- 2015** Dianna Frid and Claudine Isé, “To Annotate Through Touch,” Materias / Matter and Subject Matter, Oaxaca, Mexico: Biblioteca Francisco de Burgoa, 2015. Pp 84 – 103  
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[Esta Mina](#)  
[Apuntes](#)  
[Fuerzas y Formas](#)  
[Ranuras](#)  
[Estructura del Texto](#)
- 2014** Dianna Frid, Work Book. Lucerne: Alpineum Produzenten Galerie, 2014  
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- 2014** Dianna Frid, Transcription, Encryption. Chicago, IL: The Artery Archives, 2014  
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## PUBLICATIONS, CONTRIBUTIONS IN PUBLICATIONS and ONLINE FRAMEWORKS – continued

- 2013 Publication/Book Project, Turn of Phrase: Dianna Frid and Allison Wade. In collaboration with Allison Wade. Text by Julie Rodrigues Widholm. Poetry by Suzanne Buffam. Riverside, IL: Freeark Art Gallery, Riverside Art Center, 2013 [LINK](#)
- 2009 Publication/Book Project, The Forces That Shape Them, Gahlberg Gallery, College of DuPage, IL, 2009 [LINK](#)
- 2007 Dianna Frid and Joseph Grigely, “B&B: an e-mail exchange,” in The Air is Blue: Insights on Art and Architecture, Luis Barragán Revisited, edited by Hans Ulrich Obrist, et al.
- 2004 Dianna Frid, “Elana Herzog: Four Projects for Spaces, 1996 to the Present,” Textile: The Journal of Cloth and Culture, Vol. 2, No. 1, 2004. Edited by Penina Barnett, et al., Oxford: Berg Publishers, 2004

## COLLECTIONS

The Art Institute of Chicago, IL

Bruce Peel Special Collections Library, University of Alberta, Edmonton, Canada

Charles E. Young Research Library, Department of Special Collections, University of California, Los Angeles

The Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland, OH

CU Art Museum, University of Colorado at Boulder

DePaul Art Museum, Chicago, IL

Fidelity Investments Art Collection

Joan Flasch Artists’ Book Collection, Chicago, IL

National Museum of Mexican Art, Chicago, IL

Newman Marcus Art Collection

Vassar College Special Collections Library, Poughkeepsie, NY

## COLLECTIONS – continued

University of Chicago Center for Care and Discovery, University of Chicago Hospitals, Chicago, IL

University Galleries, Illinois State University, Normal, IL

Wright State University Robert & Elaine Stein Galleries, Dayton, Ohio

Helen Zell Collection, Chicago

## SELECTED PRODUCTION / RESEARCH RESIDENCIES and SITE INVITATIONS

- 2022 The Joseph and Anni Albers Foundation Residency, Bethany, CT, June 2022
- 2022 Joya AIR , Cortijada Los Gázquez, Vélez Blanco, Andalusia, Spain (July – Aug 2022)
- 2021 Biblioteca Francisco de Burgoa research visit
- 2021 Digital Artists-in-Residence: Dianna Frid, Carla Nappi with Ian Truelove to produce an Augmented Reality cover for Inscription: The Journal of Material Text
- 2021 Shark's Ink, Lyons, Colorado
- 2019 Ragdale Foundation Residency Fellow, Lake Forest, IL (July-August 2019)
- 2017 Cross-Currents International Exchange Research Travel, Havana, Cuba, May 2017
- 2015 Shark's Ink, Lyons, Colorado, to make a fine arts print publication for the Burgoa Library Project
- 2014 Biblioteca Francisco de Burgoa research residency
- 2012 Shark's Ink, Lyons, Colorado
- 2011 The Wall House 2 Foundation, Groningen, the Netherlands, site research residency
- 2009 neues kunstforum, Cologne, Germany
- 1994 The Banff Centre for the Arts, Alberta, Canada

## SELECTED PANELS, LECTURES, TALKS, SCHOOL VISITS, WORKSHOPS

- 2021 University of Oregon, Eugene. Visiting Artist Lecture Series and Studio Visits, October
- 2021 Emily Carr University of Art and Design. Art Forums Lecture, September
- 2021 De Paul Art Museum Zoom event; On Collaboration: Dianna Frid and Carla Nappi in Conversation, moderated by Cesáreo Moreno, chief curator at the National Museum of Mexican Art
- 2021 Visiting Artist, Teen Art Group, University Galleries, Illinois State University
- 2020 Visiting Artists Lecture, University of Memphis MFA program
- 2020 Ragdale Foundation, Creative POV Artists Talk: Dianna Frid in conversation with Maria Gaspar  
**RECORDING** (Accessed June 2021)
- 2020 Visiting Artist, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Advanced Undergraduate Sculpture (Prof. Kelly Kaczynski)
- 2020 Visiting Artist, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Contemporary Practices (Prof. Maria Gaspar)
- 2020 Visiting Artist, Illinois State University, Text Textiles Seminar (Prof. Melissa Johnson)
- 2019 “More Time Than Life” guided visit for Contemporary Practices Program, SAIC
- 2019 Translating Vitalities Lab 05 in North Carolina
- 2019 Guest Critic and Visiting Artists Lecture, Print Media Department, School of the Art Institute of Chicago
- 2019 Moderator, DePaul Art Museum for exhibition artists in “Remember Where You are”
- 2019 Guest Critic and invited lecturer, Art Department Final Critiques, University of Illinois at Urbana Champaign
- 2018 Gallery presentation, Alpineum Produzentengalerie, Lucerne, Switzerland, Dianna Frid and Monika Müller, “All Days Combined”
- 2018 Workshop participant, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada. Carla Nappi and Carrie Jenkins write through Plato’s Symposium

**SELECTED PANELS, LECTURES, TALKS, SCHOOL VISITS, WORKSHOPS – continued**

- 2018** Gallery Talk with Artist Fellows, Spertus Institute, Chicago
- 2018** Gallery Talk, Goldfinch Gallery, Chicago, in conversation with Karen Manchester, Chief Curator of Antiquities from the Art Institute of Chicago.
- 2018** Gallery Talk, Goldfinch Gallery, Chicago, in conversation with artist Monika Müller
- 2018** Visiting Artist, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Advanced Undergraduate Sculpture
- 2017** Gallery Talk: University Galleries at Illinois State University
- 2017** Exhibition Discussion: Milner Libraries at ISU
- 2017** Presenter, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, “Tracing Networks: Foreign and Localized Art of Latin America”
- 2017** Visiting Critic, The School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Department of Visual and Critical Studies
- 2017** Visiting Critic, University of Chicago Department of Visual Arts
- 2017** Hyde Park Art Center, Exhibitions Review Committee (Chicago)
- 2016** Translating Vitalities Lab 2: The Untoward, June 25, 2016 – July 2, 2016, Istria County, Croatia
- 2016** Lit Luz Festival of Language Literature and Art: Visual Artists Dianna Frid And Jorge Mendez Blake in Conversation, DePaul Art Museum (Chicago)
- 2016** Visiting Critic, Architectural Design I, UIC School of Architecture (Chicago)
- 2016** Artist’s Lecture, Translating Vitalities Lab 2: “On Matter and Subject Matter” (Linzjan, Croatia)
- 2016** Museum Lecture with Nora Epstein, Special Collections Librarian at DePaul University for “Split Complementary,” DePaul Art Museum (Chicago)
- 2016** Museum Lecture with Matthew Girson for SAIC seminar on writing and translation during “Split Complementary,” DePaul Art Museum (Chicago)

**SELECTED PANELS, LECTURES, TALKS, SCHOOL VISITS, WORKSHOPS – continued**

- 2016** Public Museum Lecture with Richard Rezac and Matthew Girson for “Split Complementary,” DePaul Art Museum
- 2016** Public Lecture and Visiting Artist at Columbia College (Chicago)
- 2016** University of Chicago visiting presenter, Writing and Art Studio seminar
- 2016** Exhibition / Galley Talk for “Present Standard” Chicago Cultural Center
- 2016** Lecture at the School of the Art Institute of Chicago for students in Advanced BFA Sculpture
- 2015** Museum lectures (in Spanish): During “Materias” exhibition at the Biblioteca Francisco de Burgoa, Oaxaca, Mexico
- 2015** Public dialogue with Jen Bervin and the Poetry Foundation (Chicago) in the context of “Dianna Frid and Cecilia Vicuña: A textile Exhibition”
- 2014** Roundtable discussion on “Words from Obituaries,” Alpineum Produzenten Galerie, Lucerne
- 2013** Visiting Artist, University of Chicago, Department of Visual Arts – Prof. Jessica Stockholder’s Senior Critique class
- 2012** Lecture and Visiting Critic, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Department of Architecture and Designed Objects – Prof. Dan Devening’s class
- 2011** Panelist: Drawn Together, Alpineum Produzenten Galerie, Lucerne, Switzerland
- 2011** Visiting Critic, School of the Art Institute of Chicago (SAIC), Sculpture Department
- 2010** Lecture and Visiting Critic, Rhodes College, Memphis
- 2010** Panelist: Mapping and Art in the Americas, Summer Institute at the Newberry Library, Chicago
- 2009** Artist’s Lecture, The Society of Fellows Bernard Weissbourd Memorial Series, The University of Chicago



## **SELECTED PARTICIPATION IN JURIES AND BOARDS**

- 2021** Juror Round 1, Bemis Center for the Arts, Omaha, Nebraska
- 2015 – 17** Exhibitions Arts Advisory, Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago
- 2016** Chicago Artists Coalition Bolt Residency
- 2010 – 11** Board Member, Iceberg Projects, Chicago, IL
- 2008 – 10** Juror for Professional Development Fellowship Visual Arts College Arts Association, New York

## **SELECTED TEACHING EXPERIENCE AND RECOGNITION**

- Fall 2020 – ongoing** Professor, School of Art and Art History, University of Illinois at Chicago
- Fall 2020 – ongoing** Appointed Director of Graduate Studies, University of Illinois at Chicago (UIC)
- 2016 – 19** Appointed Studio Area Coordinator, Art Department School of Art and Art History, UIC
- 2013 – 20** Associate Professor, School of Art and Art History (formerly School of Art and Design) University of Illinois at Chicago
- 2012 – 14** Appointed Director of Graduate Studies, UIC
- 2012** Silver Circle Award for Excellence in Teaching, University of Illinois at Chicago
- 2007 – 13** Assistant Professor, Studio Arts, School of Art and Design, UIC
- 2006 – 07** Visiting Artist, School of Art and Design, University of Illinois, Chicago
- 2003 – 06** Harper-Schmidt Fellow and Collegiate Assistant Professor, Humanities Division, University of Chicago

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