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Education

2024–26 *Master of Fine Arts, New York University*
2017–21 *Bachelor of Fine Arts with Distinction, School of the Art Institute of Chicago*

Solo Exhibitions

2025 *The Devils, 80WSE Project Space, New York, NY*
2020 *LIES!, Union Street Gallery, Chicago Heights, IL*
2018 *Open Encounters, The Condo Association, Chicago, IL*
2016 *Sex Land Power, Project 1612, Peoria, IL*

Group Exhibitions

2026 *Big Stretch, Not That Deep Gallery, Brooklyn, NY **
2026 *A Pixel Ring, Field Projects, online*
2026 *Powers of Disgust, Pushup Gallery, Brooklyn, NY*
2026 *HEAT, Hala, Brooklyn, NY*
2026 *Spirit Rules Secretly Alone The Body Achieves Nothing, Tempest Gallery, Brooklyn, NY*
2026 *Naked and Afraid, Not That Deep Gallery, Brooklyn, NY*
2026 *NYU MFA Thesis: Hoodwinked, 80WSE, New York, NY*
2026 *The More Loving One, Tempest Gallery, Brooklyn, NY*
2026 *smoke break, A Space, Brooklyn, NY*
2025 *Soft Hours, Other Content, New York, NY*
2025 *Event Horizon, Field Projects, New York, NY*
2025 *Garden Party: Terrain Exhibitions Benefit, Links Hall, Chicago, IL*
2025 *Pick a Piece of the Puzzle, Rosenberg Gallery, New York, NY*
2025 *10 Bricks, 80WSE, New York, NY*
2025 *Cataloguing Creativity, Bobst Gallery, New York, NY*
2024 *Art On Loan, Other Content, New York, NY*
2024 *S.U.D.S. Art Fair, The Barney Commons, New York, NY*
2023 *Kits Unpacked, Twin Flat Projects, Chicago, IL*
2023 *Home Not Home, Agitator Gallery, Chicago, IL*
2023 *Small Works, James May Gallery, online*
2023 *Ecotones, Kiki & Bouba, Chicago, IL*
2023 *Hoarders, Quarters Gallery, Los Angeles, CA*
2021 *Rising Stars, Robert T. Wright Gallery, College of Lake County, Grayslake, IL*
2021 *Inflorescence, Heaven Gallery, Chicago, IL*
2021 *Keeping In Touch, Compound Yellow, Chicago, IL*
2021 *Urban Legends, Columbia College Chicago Library, Chicago, IL*
2020 *Create In Place, Water Street Studios, Batavia, IL*
2020 *Art-In-Place, CNL Projects, Palatine, IL*
2019 *Carpet Diem, Gallery 400, Chicago, IL*
2018 *ArtCrush, SITE Galleries Columbus, Chicago, IL*
2018 *Family Day: Short Circuit, Museum of Contemporary Art Chicago, Chicago, IL*
2018 *Continental Breakfast, The Condo Association, Chicago, IL*
2018 *ArtBash, SITE Galleries Sharp, Chicago, IL*
2017 *Property, Roman Susan, Chicago, IL*
2016 *No Diving, Roman Susan, Chicago, IL*

Residencies, Fellowships, and Awards

2026 *The Dedalus Foundation MFA Fellowship Nomination*, New York University
2026 *Artistic Practice Award*, New York University
2025 *NYU Steinhardt Department of Art MFA Scholarship*, New York University
2025 *Openings Artist Residency*, Lake George, NY
2025 *Jack Goodman Scholarship*, New York University
2024 *NYU Steinhardt Department of Art MFA Scholarship*, New York University
2023 *Wildacres Residency*, Little Switzerland, NC
2017 *First-Year Scholars Program*, School of the Art Institute of Chicago
2016 *Presidential Scholarship*, School of the Art Institute of Chicago
2016 *Jeffrey Ahn, Jr. Fellowship*

Publications

2025 *Obsession*, The Greene Street Review
2025 *Phantasmic Formalism*, Demo Art & Books blog
2025 *Eternal Dew*, Anthropolazine Issue 4
2021 *Nostalgia and Cruelty*, The Museum of Americana
2021 *Werks: Issue 3 Chicago Artists Survey*, Werks Contemporary Art Magazine
2020 *And Then: Stories About What Happens Next*, Agitator Gallery
2020 *Knucklebone Magazine Issue 1*, Knucklebone Magazine
2019 *Jeffrey Ahn, Jr. Fellowship 2014-18*, Jeffrey Ahn, Jr. Fellowship

Curated Exhibitions

2026 *Big Stretch*, Not That Deep Gallery, Brooklyn, NY *

2021 *Inflorescence*, Heaven Gallery, Chicago, IL

2019 *Alter* with kg, Terrain Biennial, Oak Park, IL

2018 *Burial Caul (Gut Sack)* with John Harness, Compound Yellow, Chicago, IL

2018 *YOUARENEVERALWAYSHERE* with Alejandro T. Acierto, Compound Yellow, Chicago, IL

2018 *Schrödinger's cat isn't dead after all* with Tom Burtonwood, The Franklin, Chicago, IL

2018 *The Matzah House* with Gabrielle Egnater, Compound Yellow, Chicago, IL

2017 *I just want to stay home* with Madeleine Aguilar, The Franklin, Chicago, IL

2017 *Box Gallery* with Yvette Mayorga, Benjamin Cook, Alejandro Acierto, and Steve Juras, Terrain Biennial, Oak Park, IL

2017 *A Crooked Stile* with Jenny Kendler, Terrain Biennial, Chambers, AZ

2016 *Point 1612* with Claire Ashley, Project 1612, Peoria, IL

Teaching Experience

2025-26 *Adjunct Professor*, New York University, New York, NY
2025 *Course Assistant*, New York University, New York, NY