

Sam Yesko

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Conceptual & Fine Art Photographer/Filmmaker

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Education

BFA (Expected May 2026) in Photography & Video,
Pennsylvania College of Art & Design (PCA&D), Lancaster, PA 2022 – Present

High School Diploma with a focus in Computer Game Design & Animation,
Barbara Ingram School for The Arts, Hagerstown, MD 2021

Professional Experiences

Washington County Arts Council Visual Artist
Hagerstown, MD 2025 – Present
[Sam Yesko | Washington County Arts Council](#)

Photo Monitor | Photo Technician | Photo/Studio Assistant
Pennsylvania College of Art & Design (PCA&D), Lancaster, PA 2024 – Present

Jury for Best in Student Film Category
Red Rose International Film Festival, Lancaster, PA 2024 – 2025
<https://filmfreeway.com/RedRoseFilmFestival>

Assistant Director
“PUBLIC ACCESS” Short Film, Owen Knauer 2025
<https://youtu.be/BESTp7XDJO0?feature=shared>

Internships/Mentorships

Mentorship with Conceptual & Fine Art Photographer Paul Rider
Lancaster, PA 2025 – Present
<https://prphoto.org/index.html>

Internship with The Red Rose International Film Festival
Lancaster, PA 2024 – 2026
<https://redrosefilmfestival.com/>

Awards / Grants

Trustee Scholarship

Pennsylvania College of Art & Design (PCA&D), Lancaster, PA 2022 – 2026

PCA&D Institutional Grant

Pennsylvania College of Art & Design (PCA&D), Lancaster, PA 2022 – 2026

Dean's List

Pennsylvania College of Art & Design (PCA&D), Lancaster, PA 2023 & 2025

PCA&D Portfolio Scholarship Award

Pennsylvania College of Art & Design (PCA&D), Lancaster, PA 2022

Exhibition Record

Group Exhibitions

Self Portrait

Decode Gallery, Tucson, AZ 2025

Advanced Photography Exhibition

Pennsylvania College of Art & Design (PCA&D), Lancaster, PA 2024 – 2025

Home

Pennsylvania College of Art & Design (PCA&D), Lancaster, PA 2024

Foundation

Pennsylvania College of Art & Design (PCA&D), Lancaster, PA 2023

Online Exhibitions/Photo Exchanges

SEARCHING

PCA&D-ZAYED Photography Exchange,
<https://pcad-zayed.tumblr.com/> 2025

HARMONY

PCA&D-ZAYED Photography Exchange,
<https://pcad-zayed.tumblr.com/> 2025

CONSTRUCTED REALITY

PCA&D-ZAYED Photography Exchange,
<https://pcad-zayed.tumblr.com/>

2024

THE UNKNOWN

PCA&D-ZAYED Photography Exchange,
<https://pcad-zayed.tumblr.com/>

2024

SUSPENDED TIME

PCA&D-ZAYED Photography Exchange,
<https://pcad-zayed.tumblr.com/>

2024

THE COSMOS & ME

PCA&D-ZAYED Photography Exchange,
<https://pcad-zayed.tumblr.com/>

2023

MANIPULATE, REVIVE & REMAKE

PCA&D-ZAYED Photography Exchange,
<https://pcad-zayed.tumblr.com/>

2023