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EDUCATION

2008 MFA, Painting and Drawing, Printmaking minor, University of Iowa

2007 MA, Painting and Drawing, Printmaking minor, University of Iowa

2004 BFA, Studio Art, University of Wisconsin-Madison

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS

2020

*Sorry, I'm Not Leaving*, Lansing Art Gallery, Lansing, MI (solo)

Holiday Benefit Featured Artist, Reach Studio Art Center, Lansing, MI

2019

*City Art Connections*, Eclectic Gallery, Battle Creek, MI

*Inner Workings*, Kresge Art Center, Michigan State University

*The Black Arts Tarot 1: Major Arcana*, University of Nebraska-Omaha

*Selections in Printmaking from the Permanent Collection*, Waage Gallery,

Fergus Falls, MN, curated by Lori Charest

2018

*The Black Arts Tarot 1: Major Arcana*, Colorado Mesa University, CMU art gallery, Grand Junction, CO

*A Gathering of Perspectives Cultivating Community*, Waage Gallery, Fergus Falls, MN

*Sometimes Bluebird*, (SCENE)Metrospace, East Lansing, MI (three person)

*Dear Creature*, Delta College Galleria, Saginaw, MI (solo)

*Hatchback 12*, Hatch Art, Detroit, MI

*too bad the good times don't last (Boom/Bust Cycles)*, Tressa Jones

organizer, Southern Graphics Council International Conference, Las Vegas, NV

*MINIPRINT International Exhibition*, JVS Project Space, New York, NY

*Superstitions*, West Virginia University School of Art and Design

2017

*Themeless*, Whitdel Arts, Marygrove College, Detroit, MI

*Art Girl Starter Pack*, Robin Theatre, Lansing, MI

*Pop Up: Special Edition*, Lansing Art Gallery, Lansing, MI

*Star-Crossed Lovers*, Morissey Gallery, St. Ambrose University, Davenport, IA

*Transcendental Depths*, Buckham Gallery, Flint, MI

2016

*Ain't No Real Wound*, Hatch Art Collective Cafe 1923, Hamtramck, MI (solo)

*Indirect Messaging*, Greater Lansing Arts Council, Lansing, MI (solo)

*Small Works*, Lemonade Stand Gallery, Key West, FL

2015

*93rd Annual All Media Show*, Ann Arbor Art Center, Ann Arbor, MI

*Resurrected: The Early Works*, Satellite Contemporary, Las Vegas, NV

2014

*Party Lines*, Smart Clothes Gallery, New York City, NY

2013

*Headspace*, Rubies Paradise, Lansing MI (solo)

*BESIDE OURSELVES*, Milkmaid Gallery EL, East Lansing, MI (two-person)

*Instructions\_13*, SCENE(Metrospace), East Lansing, MI

B3: *Blooms, Bugs and Beasts*, Scarab Club, Detroit, MI  
2012

*LOVE FOR SALE (you know you need it)*, work-detroit, Detroit, MI

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#### PRINT EXCHANGES

2019

*The Black Arts Tarot II: Minor Arcana*, organized by Matthew Hanson  
Weller, Grand Junction, CO

*(un)Necessary Duplicates*, organized by Megan O'Connor, Wayne State  
College, Wayne, NE

2018

*The Black Arts Tarot*, organized by JC Cox, Minnesota State- Fergus Falls,  
Fergus Falls, MN

*too bad the good times don't last (Boom/Bust Cycles)*, organized by Tressa  
Jones, SCGI Conference, Las Vegas, NV

2017

*Superstitions*, organized by Stephanie Alainz, West Virginia University  
*Value of Sum*, organized by Matthew Hanson-Weller, Durango, CO

*Star-Crossed Lovers*, organized by Alison Filley, St. Ambrose University,  
Davenport, IA

2016

*Solidarity: Postcards for Peace at Standing Rock*, organized by Aunna  
Escobedo-Wickham, Madison, WI

#### NOTABLE

2020

Juror, East Lansing Art Festival

Juror, Arts Council of Greater Lansing Art in the Sky, Lansing, MI

2019

Co-curator, Holiday Exhibiton, Lansing Art Gallery, Lansing, MI

2018

Instructor, Pirate Printing Workshops, Broad Art Museum, East Lansing, MI  
2017

Instructor, smARTS Workshop, Arts Council of Greater Lansing, Lansing, MI  
2016

Juror, Michigan 8th Congressional District High School Arts Exhibition  
2015

Recipient, Chris Clark Fellowship for Creative Professionals, Arts Council  
of Greater Lansing, Lansing, MI

Juror, 3-Dimensional Categories East Lansing Art Festival  
Juror, Change of Seasons Exhibit, Arts Council of White Lake, Whitehall,  
MI  
2013  
Curator, *Instructions\_13*, (SCENE)MetroSpace, East Lansing, MI  
2012  
Committee Member, Chris Clark Fellowship Program for Creative  
Professionals, Arts Council of Greater Lansing, Lansing, MI  
2010  
Curator, *Oblique Patience*, (SCENE)MetroSpace East Lansing, MI  
Visiting Artist, studio visits and public lecture, Luther College,  
Decorah, IA