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Education

2023 MFA, Massachusetts College of Art and Design (MassArt), Boston, MA
2019 BFA with Distinction, ArtCenter College of Design, Pasadena, CA

Teaching

2024 Faculty, Painting Studio (Undergraduate), Massachusetts College of Art and Design, Boston, MA
Faculty, Websites for Artists and Makers (Continuing Education), MassArt
2022–2023 Teaching Assistant, Painting Studio (Undergraduate), MassArt
2018 Teaching Assistant, Foundation Drawing (Undergraduate), ArtCenter College of Design, Pasadena, CA

Exhibitions

2024 2024 MassArt Auction, Massachusetts College of Art and Design, Boston, MA
{a}temporal, Kathryn Schultz Gallery, Cambridge Art Association, Cambridge, MA
BOLD: Challenging Norms, Igniting Dialogue MassArt × SoWa Gallery, Boston, MA
2023 New Language: Contemporary Abstraction, Gallery 263, Cambridge, MA
New Voices, New Visions, St. Botolph Club, Boston, MA
Out of Office, University Place Gallery, Cambridge Art Association, Cambridge, MA
Intersections: Artistic Dialogues in Boston's Graduate Fine Arts Community, Piano Craft Gallery, Boston, MA
New Talent: Dara Morgenstern, Hannah Steele, Jiaxuan (Terra) Wang, Alpha Gallery, Boston, MA
MassArt MFA Thesis, MassArt × SoWa Gallery, Boston, MA
My Feelings These Days: MassArt MFA Thesis, Doran Gallery, Massachusetts College of Art and Design, Boston, MA
All School Show: Painting and Fashion, Thompson Gallery, Massachusetts College of Art and Design, Boston, MA
DRIFT, Doran Gallery, Massachusetts College of Art and Design, Boston, MA
2023 MassArt Auction, Massachusetts College of Art and Design, Boston, MA
Personal Time Machine — Childhood & Nostalgia, Thompson Gallery, Massachusetts College of Art and Design, Boston, MA
2022 Penumbra, Doran Gallery, Massachusetts College of Art and Design, Boston, MA
What Do We Have to Say? Student Life Gallery, Massachusetts College of Art and Design, Boston, MA
Scenes, North Craketorium, Massachusetts College of Art and Design, Boston, MA (solo exhibition)
2021 Second International Mini Print Triennial, White World Gallery, Kiev, Ukraine
2020 Consensual Hallucination, Holy Mountain Gallery, Raleigh, NC (solo exhibition)
2019 The Last Show, The Carrack, Durham, NC
Spring 2019 Exhibition, Student Gallery, ArtCenter College of Design, Pasadena, CA
2018 Society of Illustrators Student Scholarship Exhibition, Museum of American Illustration, New York, NY
Spring 2018 Exhibition, Student Gallery, ArtCenter College of Design, Pasadena, CA
2017 Spring 2017 Exhibition, Student Gallery, ArtCenter College of Design, Pasadena, CA
2013 Blood is the New Black: Life's a Beach, Space 15 Twenty, Los Angeles, CA

Awards and Publications

- 2023 St. Botolph Club Foundation Emerging Artist Award (Natalie Taft Grant for Painting)
- 2022 *Black Box*, LA Metaphysical Library, Los Angeles, CA
- 2021 Chosen Winner, American Illustration 40
- 2020 Chosen Winner, American Illustration 39
Silver Award, Graphis New Talent
- 2019 Chosen Winner, American Illustration 38
- 2018 Albert and Trudy Kallis Foundation Scholarship

Lectures and Workshops

- 2023 Color and Painting, Lecture and Workshop for Visual Language, Studio Foundation, Massachusetts College of Art and Design, Boston MA
Artist Talk, MassArt x SoWa Gallery, Boston, MA
- 2022 Lecture/Presentation for Imaginative Drawing, 2D Fine Arts, Massachusetts College of Art and Design, Boston, MA

Collections

Moviola Art Collection, Burbank, CA