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EDUCATION

| 2005 | Bachelor of Fine Arts: Focus on Ceramic Sculpture, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO |
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| 2003 | Arts & Culture Semester, The School For International Training, Dakar, Senegal |
| 2000 | Semester in the American Southwest, National Outdoor Leadership School, Tucson AZ |
| 1996-99 | The Putney School, Putney, VT |

AWARDS

| 2021 | Awardee, Artist Resource Trust , Berkshire Taconic Community Foundation | Sheffield, MA |
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| | Best in Show, Vandewark Miniature Show, CFD Old West Museum | Cheyenne, WY |
| 2020 | Awardee, Artist Development Grant, Vermont Arts Council | Montpelier, VT |
| | Awardee, Vermont Rapid Response Artist Relief, Vermont Arts Council | Montpelier, VT |
| | Awardee, BCA Foundation, Burlington City Arts Artist Relief Fund | Burlington, VT |
| 2019 | 2nd Place: A Night at the Garden, Juried Show, Amy E. Tarrant Gallery | Burlington, VT |
| | Full Fellowship: Outstanding New England Artist, Vermont Studio Center | Johnson, VT |
| | Award of Merit: Sacred and Profane, EX VOTO, Tubac Center of the Arts | Tubac, AZ |
| 2018 | Finalist, Spectrum Miami Art Fair, Circle Foundation for the Arts | Miami, FL |
| | Artist to Watch, Juror Danny Lichtenfeld, Vermont Art Guide | Brattleboro, VT |
| 2014 | Best in Show, KINSHIP: ART & POETRY, Burlington City Arts | Burlington, VT |

RESIDENCIES

| 2021 | Tongue River Artist Residency, Artist-in-Residence | Dayton, WY |
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| | Creative Imperative #2, Vermont Studio Center | Johnson, VT |
| 2020 | Brinton Museum, Artist-in-Residence | Big Horn, WY |
| 2019 | Hubbell Trading Post National Historic Site, Artist-in-Residence | Navajo Nation, Ganado AZ |
| | Vermont Studio Center, Artist-in-Residence | Johnson, VT |
| 2018 | Jentel Arts, Artist-in-Residence | Banner, WY |
| | Studio Johnywalker, Artist-in-Residence | Louisville, KY |
| 2017 | Brush Creek Foundation for the Arts, Artist-in-Residence | Saratoga, WY |
| 2015 | Hubbell Trading Post National Historic Site, Artist-in-Residence | Navajo Nation, Ganado, AZ |
| 2012 | The Wallace Stegner House, Artist-in-Residence | Eastend, Saskatchewan |
| 2011 | Vermont Artist Week, Vermont Studio Center | Johnson, VT |

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

| 2024 | A NIGHT AT THE GARDEN, Brattleboro Museum & Art Center | Brattleboro, VT |
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| 2022 | COME TO MARLBORO COUNTRY, Soapbox Arts Gallery | Burlington, VT |
| | AWAKENING, Black Cat Bistro | Craftsbury, VT |
| 2021 | GRANDMOTHER, Karma Bird House Gallery | Burlington, VT |
| 2020 | GOOD LUCK COUNTRY, The Brinton Museum | Big Horn, WY |
| | PASSAGE, SoapBox Arts | Burlington, VT |

| | SISTERS OF THE DUNE, Bread & Butter | St. Johnsbury, VT |
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| 2019 | A PEOPLE'S HISTORY, Barre Opera House | Barre, VT |
| | INDEPENDENCE DAY, Parker Pie | West Glover, VT |
| 2017 | GUARDIANS OF BEING, Sterling College | Craftsbury Common, VT |
| 2016 | ROCK RODEO, Hueco Rock Ranch | El Paso, TX |
| 2014 | THE FRONTIER IS MY HOME, Parker Pie | West Glover, VT |
| | BEAUTY IN A BROKEN WORLD, Northeast Kingdom Artisans Guild | St. Johnsbury VT |
| 2013 | NOT ALL WHO WANDER ARE LOST, Claire's | Hardwick, VT |
| 2012 | KINGDOMS IN THE SKY, Studio Place Arts | Barre, VT |
| | PRAYER FOR THE WILD THINGS, The Bee's Knees | Morrisville, VT |
| 2010 | THE HATCHING, Claire's | Hardwick, VT |
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| | PEXHIBITIONS | |
| 2024 | MAGIC REALISM, Bennington Museum | Bennington, VT |
| | RODEO HOUSTON, Southern Kindness Gallery | Houston, TX |
| | Biennial Juried Exhibition, AVA Gallery | Lebanon, NH |
| | Grand Opening Exhibition, Southern Kindness Gallery | Houston, TX |
| 2023 | NEW WESTERN TALENT, Western Gallery | Austin, TX |
| | NEW FRONTIERS, Cheyenne Frontier Days Old West Museum | Cheyenne, WY |
| | ART HOP JURIED SHOW, Juror Amber Kelly | Burlington, VT |
| | AFTER THE GOLD RUSH, Western Gallery | Austin, TX |
| 2022 | BRINTON 101, Brinton Museum | Big Horn, WY |
| | NEW WESTERN TALENT, Western Gallery | Dallas, TX |
| | 2022 Art Auction, Burlington City Arts | Burlington, VT |
| | ARTS CONNECT, Catamount Arts | St. Johnsbury, VT |
| | STUDIES + SKETCHES, Western Gallery | Dallas, TX |
| 2021 | The Brinton Museum, Artist In Residence Show | Big Horn, WY |
| | WESTERN SPIRIT, Cheyenne Frontier Days Old West Museum | Cheyenne, WY |
| | Yellowstone Art Auction 53, Yellowstone Art Museum | Billings, MT |
| 2020 | SHOCK OF THE NEW WEST, Juror Cody DeLong, Tubac Center of the Arts | Tubac, AZ |
| | BRINTON 101, Brinton Museum | Big Horn, WY |
| | VERMONT UTOPIAS: IMAGINING THE FUTURE Bennington Museum | Bennington, VT |
| | NOT MY AMERICA, 2Creative Community | Winooski, VT |
| 2019 | EX VOTO, Juror Ruben Urrea Moreno, Tubac Center of the Arts | Tubac, AZ |
| 2017 | BRINTON 101, Brinton Museum | Big Horn, WY |
| | ALUMX, Vermont Studio Center | Johnson, VT |
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| | ART NOW 2019: PAINTING Ann Arbor Art Center | Ann Arbor, MI |
| | JURIED SHOW Juror Brent Beamon, Amy E. Tarrant Gallery | Burlington, VT |
| | EXCELSIOR! Dab Art | Ventura, CA |
| | LOOKING NORTH Spotlight Gallery, Vermont Arts Council | Montpelier, VT |
| 2018 | THE FESTIVAL: PEACE, LOVE & HARMONY Bennington Museum | Bennington, VT |
| | LIBERTY Juror Donna Seager, Arc Gallery | San Francisco, CA |
| | ARTISTTO WATCH Vermont Arts Council, Spotlight Gallery | Montpelier, VT |
| | ARTS CONNECT Juror John Stomberg, Catamount Arts | St. Johnsbury, VT |
| | WATER IS LIFE Northeast Kingdom Artisans Guild | St. Johnsbury, VT |
| | THE ORIGINAL JURIED SHOW Juror Kathleen Vance, The SEABA Center | Burlington, VT |

| 2017 | BORDERLINES Highland Center for the Arts | Greensboro, VT |
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| | ARTS CONNECT Juror Andrea Rosen, Catamount Arts | St. Johnsbury, VT |
| | THE ORIGINAL JURIED SHOW The SEABA Center | Burlington, VT |
| | CROSSING TO SAFETY_Miller's Thumb Gallery | Greensboro, VT |
| 2016 | THE ORIGINAL JURIED SHOW Juror Joe Amrhein, The SEABA Center | Burlington, VT |
| | COMMUNITY ART SHOW Grace Gallery | Hardwick, VT |
| | EAST MEETS WEST Miller's Thumb Gallery | Greensboro, VT |
| | REAL AMERICAN Ann Arbor Art Center | Ann Arbor, MI |
| 2015 | KINGDOM LIFE The Miller's Thumb Gallery | Greensboro, VT |
| 2014 | THE ORIGINAL JURIED SHOW Juror Joy Glidden, The SEABA Center | Burlington, VT |
| | KINSHIP: ART & POETRY Burlington City Arts | Burlington, VT |
| | ART & SOUL Dunkiel Saunders | Burlington, VT |
| 2013 | THE ORIGINAL JURIED SHOW Juror Pavel Zoubok, The SEABA Center | Burlington, VT |
| | FAMILY TIES: ART ACROSS GENERATIONS Miller's Thumb Gallery | Greensboro, VT |
| 2012 | THE ORIGINAL JURIED SHOW Juror Todd Bartel, The SEABA Center | Burlington, VT |
| | THE CUTTING EDGE Miller's Thumb Gallery | Greensboro, VT |
| 2011 | POSTCARDS & MEMORIES Studio Place Arts | Barre, VT |
| | NIGHT VISIONS 51 Main On The Bridge | Middlebury, VT |
| | THE ART OF DOGS Gallery Beyond Words | Prescott, AZ |
| | ROCK RODEO Hueco Rock Ranch | El Paso, TX |
| 2010 | WE ART WOMEN COLLECTIVE Uncommon Grounds | Burlington, VT |
| | FALLFEST IN THE PARK Courthouse Plaza | Prescott, AZ |
| | FESTIVAL OF THE ARTS Cambridge Arts Council | Jeffersonville, VT |
| | STATE OF CRAFT Miller's Thumb Gallery | Greensboro, VT |
| 2006 | OPEN WALL Boulder Museum of Contemporary Art | Boulder, CO |
| 2005 | OUROBOROUS BFA Exhibition, CU Art Museum | Boulder, CO |
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PUBLICATIONS / MEDIA

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| 2022 | Featured Artist, Illuminations, Western Art & Architecture Magazine | | |
| | Featured Artist, "The Future of Yoga", Yoga Journal Magazine, Summer Issue | | |
| 2021 | Cover Artist, The Banyan Review, MODERN BESTIARY issue | | |
| 2020 | Featured Artist, Home, Life, Style Television Show | | |
| 2018 | GENESIS, Quarterly Art Journal, DAB Art | | |
| | INTERLOPERS, 7x7 Los Angeles | | |
| | Horseshoes & Hand Grenades, Issue 1 | | |
| | Spotlight Magazine, Issue 6 | | |
| | 2018 ARTIST TO WATCH, Vermont Art Guide | | |
| | Featured artist, Boston Voyager | | |
| 2016 | CUT AND PASTE, A Conversation with artist Vanessa Compton Junction Magazine | | |
| 2015 | Featured Artist, Paint Pulse Magazine | | |
| 2014 | Cover & Artist Spotlight, Vertical Times - National Publication of the Access Fund | | |
| 2013 | Featured Artist, Studio Visit Magazine, Volume 22 | | |
| | Featured Artist, Critique Collective | | |
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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

| 2022 | Guest Juror, Vermont Scholastic Art & Writing Awards |
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| | Moderator, Artist talk with Orlando Almanza, Soapbox Arts Gallery, Burlington VT |
| | Commissioned artist for Yoga Journal magazine |
| | Courtney Collins Fine Art, Gallery Representation, Big Sky MT |
| 2021 | Guest speaker, The Artist & The Activist: Making for Change & Activism, |
| | Creative Imperative #3, Vermont Studio Center, Johnson VT |
| | Guest Juror, 40th Annual Vermont Congressional Art Competition |
| 2020 | Guest Juror, Vermont Studio Center, Johnson VT |
| | Commissioned Artist for NatuRx magazine |
| | Commissioned Artist for the film "Pretty Strong" by Never Not Collective |
| | Commissioned Artist for the dance performance "They Say A Lady was the Cause of It" |
| 2010-2019 | Curator, Miller's Thumb Gallery, Greensboro, VT |
| 2009-2018 | Rock climbing guide, Hueco Tanks State Park & Historic Site, El Paso, TX |
| 2018 | Visual research, Bears Ears, UT |
| 2017-2018 | Curator, Highland Center for the Arts, Greensboro, VT |
| 2015 | Visual research semester, Barbizon, France |
| 2014-2017 | Member, Caspian Arts, Greensboro, VT |
| 2012 | Visual research semester, Clanwilliam, South Africa |
| 2008 | Assistant for Professor Dr. Kwasi Ampene, musicology research tour, |
| | Royal Music of the Akan Tradition, Kumasi/Accra Ghana |
| 2006-2008 | Lead Arts Educator, The Watershed School, Boulder, CO |
| 2004-2006 | Assistant for tabla musician Ty Burhoe, Boulder, CO |
| 2004-2005 | Museum assistant, Boulder Museum of Contemporary Art, Boulder, CO |
| 2003-2004 | Assistant for installation artist Rebecca DiDomenico, Boulder, CO |

PERMANENT COLLECTIONS

The Brinton Museum, Big Horn WY

Hubbell Trading Post & National Historic Site, Ganado AZ

Terry Tempest Williams, Author & Activist, Castle Valley UT

Christine Rogel, Editor, Western Art & Architecture Magazine, Denver CO

Philip Dombowsky, Archivist at The National Gallery of Canada, Ottawa CA

Candace Taylor, Founder, Conscious Homestead, Winooski VT

The Waskowmium, Burlington VT

Danny Lichtenfeld, Director, Brattleboro Museum & Art Center, Brattleboro VT

Stephanie Lynn Wilson, Performance Artist, Winooski VT

Tim Howes, Software Engineer & Entrepreneur, Silicon Valley CA

Christina Asquith, Founder, The Fuller Project for International Reporting, Charlotte VT

Julia, C. Alter, Poet, Williston VT

Dr. Kwasi Ampene, Chair of Musicology, Tufts University, Medford MA