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## Education

2017 MFA, Creative Visual Arts, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY  
2014 BA (Honors), Studio Art, Grinnell College, Grinnell, IA

## Exhibitions

2018 **Group Exhibition**, Wanted Design, Terminal Stores, New York, NY  
2017 **Group Exhibition**, Odd Year, Caelum Gallery, New York, NY  
**Solo Exhibition**, Screen, Experimental Gallery, Ithaca, NY  
**Group Exhibition**, Africa By Design, Nubuke Foundation, Accra, Ghana  
**Group Exhibition**, Swatch, Experimental Gallery, Ithaca, NY  
**Group Exhibition**, AAP Women Unite for Equality, Tjaden Gallery, Ithaca, NY  
**Solo Exhibition**, Reveal | | Conceal: Policing Women's Bodies, Jill Stuart Gallery, Ithaca, NY  
2016 **Solo Exhibition**, Reveal | | Conceal: Policing Women's Bodies, Tjaden Gallery, Ithaca, NY  
**Group Exhibition**, After Karaoke, Tjaden Gallery, Ithaca, NY  
**Group Exhibition**, Nubuke Foundation 10<sup>th</sup> Year Anniversary Exhibition, Nubuke Foundation, Accra, Ghana  
**Group Exhibition**, Preamble, Tjaden Gallery, Ithaca, NY  
**Group Exhibition**, Something Came Over Me, Caelum Gallery, New York, NY  
**Solo Exhibition**, Weft, JungleScience Gallery, Binghamton, NY  
**Group Exhibition**, Failure, Tjaden Gallery, Ithaca, NY  
**Two Person Exhibition**, Don't Tell Me I'm Pretty, Hairpin Arts Centre, Chicago, IL  
2015 **Group Exhibition**, Natural Dye Exhibition, Jill Stuart Gallery, Ithaca, NY  
**Group Exhibition**, This (Not That), Tjaden Gallery, Ithaca, NY  
2014 **Solo Exhibition**: Millennium Development Goals: A Textile Study, Nubuke Foundation Art Gallery, Accra, Ghana  
**Solo Exhibition**: Millennium Development Goals: A Textile Study, Smith Gallery, Grinnell, IA  
**Juried Exhibition**, Bachelor of Arts Exhibition (BAX), Faulconer Gallery, Grinnell, IA  
2013 **Group Exhibition**: Re//Arrangers, Smith Gallery, Grinnell, IA  
**Group Exhibition**: Holes and Folds, Smith Gallery, Grinnell, IA  
**Juried Exhibition**, Bachelor of Arts Exhibition (BAX), Faulconer Gallery, Grinnell, IA

## Awards + Grants + Nominations

- 2017 **Dedalus Foundation MFA Fellowship in Painting and Sculpture**  
(Nominee)
- 2016 **Cornell Council for the Arts Individual Grant**, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY  
**Cornell Council for the Arts Group Grant**, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY  
**Mario Einaudi Centre for International Studies Working Group Grant: Qualities of Life**, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY
- 2014 **Inez Henely '14 Memorial Prize in Art**, Grinnell College, Grinnell, IA  
**Mentored Advance Project (MAP) Grant**, Grinnell College, Grinnell, IA
- 2013 **3<sup>rd</sup> Year Art Prize**, Grinnell College, Grinnell, IA  
**SGA Art Prize**, Grinnell College, Grinnell, IA

## Professional Experience

- 2017 Gallery/Art Advisor Intern, HK Art Advisory, New York, NY (Summer)
- 2016 - 2017 Gallery Assistant, Tjaden Galleries, Cornell University, Ithaca, N.Y.
- 2015 - 2017 Teaching Assistant, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY courses taught:  
Introduction to Black and White Film Photography: Fall 2015, Spring 2016, Fall 2016,  
Transmedia: Image, Sound Motion: Summer 2016,  
Focus on Aesthetics- Photography, Summer 2016,  
First Year Research Workshop, Fall 2016,  
Introduction to Drawing: Spring 2017
- 2014 - 2015 Gallery and Social Media Assistant, Nubuke Foundation, Accra, Ghana
- 2011 - 2013 Graphics and Architecture Intern (Summers), Adjaye Associates, London, UK

## Selected Press + Bibliography + Published Writings

- “Africa Uncovered,” Elle Décor South Africa, July 2018
- “Na Chainkua Celebrates Ghanaian Textiles Through Art,” The Daily Graphic, May 2018
- “Na Chainkua Reindorf,” YNGSPC Featured Artists, May 2018.  
<https://www.yngspc.com/artists/2018/05/na-chainkua-reindorf/>
- “Traditional African Masks Inspire M.F.A.’s Work,” Cornell AAP News, Issue 22, September 2017
- “I Am (Not) Myself,” Dissolve Magazine, Issue 3, February 2017. <http://www.dissolvesf.org/issue-3/i-am-not-myself>
- “Don’t Tell Me I’m Pretty,” The Visualist, February 2016.  
<http://www.thevisualist.org/2016/02/chainky-reindorf-grace-kubilius-dont-tell-me-im-pretty/>
- “Fabric Exhibition at Nubuke,” The Daily Graphic, December 2014.  
<https://www.graphic.com.gh/entertainment/showbiz-news/fabric-exhibition-at-nubuke.html>

## Lectures + Presentations + Panels

- 2017            “A Conversation with Textiles,” *Silsila: A Panel Discussion on Environmentalism, Migration, and Displacement*, panelist, Johnson Museum of Art, Ithaca, NY November 9.
- 2016            Presentation, First Year Seminar on Contemporary Art, The Department of Art, Architecture and Planning, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY October 5.