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Curriculum Vitae

Selected Solo Exhibitions

- 2019 *Under the Same Sky*, Rialto, Bozeman, MT
- 2017 *Generic For Wellbeing*, Exit Gallery, Bozeman, MT
- 2015 *Night and Landscape*, Montana Movement Arts Center, Bozeman, MT

Selected Two Person Exhibitions

- 2022 Title TBD, Old Main Gallery, Bozeman, MT
- 2018 *Mediating Juncture: Utilization and Exploitation*, Dean's Gallery, Bozeman MT
- 2016 *Opening Night*, Bozeman Art Haus, Bozeman, MT

Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2021 *Retraction, a Human Edit*, Echo Arts, Bozeman, MT; *Extraction Art at the Edge of the Abyss* participating exhibition
- 2021 *UnBound10*, Candela Gallery, Richmond, VA
- 2021 *Art Ability*, Bryn Mawr Rehabilitation Hospital, Malvern, PA
- 2021 *Pacific Northwest Drawers*, Blue Sky Oregon Photographic Arts Center, Portland, OR
- 2021 *The Blues*, Rapsallion Gallery, Bozeman, MT
- 2020 *Photograms, Don't Take Pictures*, online exhibition
- 2020 *Shape Shift*, Through This Lens Gallery, Raleigh, NC
- 2020 *The New Now*, Wyoming edition, online and pop-up space, Laramie, WY
- 2020 Alaska Edition, UAF Galleries, Fairbanks, AK
- 2020 South Dakota Edition, Riddell Gallery, Spearfish SD
- 2020 Oregon Edition, Oregon State University Galleries, Corvallis, OR
- 2020 *Happening*, Artist Abbey, Truth or Consequences, NM
- 2020 *Darker Art for Darker Days*, Rapsallion Gallery, Bozeman MT
- 2019 *Personal Narrative*, PhotoPlace Gallery, Middlebury, VT
- 2019 *Art Ability*, Bryn Mawr Rehabilitation Hospital, Malvern, PA
- 2019 *The Future is Female*, Rialto Light Box, Bozeman, MT
- 2019 *Petrichor*, Old Main Gallery, Bozeman, MT
- 2019 *Light Sensitive*, Art Intersection, Gilbert, AZ
- 2019 *Vox Populi*, Helen E Copeland Gallery, Bozeman, MT
- 2018 *Senior Thesis Exhibition*, Rialto, Bozeman, MT
- 2018 *Speaking Volumes*, Holter Museum of Art, Helena, MT
- 2018 *Middle Fork*, Upstream of the Confluence, Beyond Gallery, MT
- 2018 *Art Ability*, Bryn Mawr Rehabilitation Hospital, Malvern, PA
- 2018 *Westward Bound: Contemporary Book Art*, Exit Gallery, Bozeman, MT
- 2018 *Vox Populi*, Helen E. Copeland Gallery, Bozeman, MT
- 2018 *Imprinted*, Livingston Center for Art and Culture, Livingston, MT
- 2017 *Art Ability*, Bryn Mawr Rehabilitation Hospital, Malvern, PA
- 2017 *Prints, Pots & Patinas*, Waller-Yoblonsky Gallery, Bozeman MT
- 2017 *Off Campus*, Livingston Center for Art and Culture, Livingston, MT

- 2017 *Personal Vision*, Dean's Gallery, Montana State University, Bozeman, MT
- 2017 *16x16x16*, Student Exchange Exhibition, Montana State University, University of Kansas, University of Iowa, Metropolitan Community College, Nebraska.
- 2016 *The Future is Female*, Cottonwood Club, Bozeman, MT
- 2016 *Welcome to My World: Mental Health Awareness Through Art*, Miri Gallery, Salt Lake City, UT
- 2016 *Bitter Pill*, Traveling exhibition, 13 venues. MT and MN
- 2016 *Vox Populi*, Helen E. Copeland Gallery, Montana State University, Bozeman, MT
- 2014 *Water*, Cedarhurst Center for The Arts, Marion, IL

Residencies and Grants

- 2021 Albert P. Weisman Award, Columbia College Chicago
- 2020 Strategic Investment Grant, Montana Arts Council
- 2020 Hot Springs Artist Residency, Art and Soul, Truth or Consequences, NM
- 2019 *Platinum Techniques*, Undergraduate Scholars Research Grant, Montana State University
- 2019 Student Opportunity Grant, Montana State University
- 2018 *Geothermal Springs*, Undergraduate Scholars Research Grant, Montana State University
- 2018 *Glacier in Gum Bichromate*, Summer Research Grant, Montana State University

Selected Awards and Scholarships

- 2021 BarTur Environmental Award, Shortlisted
- 2020 Graduate Award, Columbia College Chicago
- 2019 Juror's Choice Award, Art Ability, Genevieve Coutroubis
- 2019 25 Under 25, Forward Montana Foundation
- 2019 Program Director of the Year, Office of Student Engagement, Montana State University
- 2019 Student of Achievement, Women's Center, Montana State University
- 2019 Torleif Aasheim Award for Community Engagement, Montana State University
- 2019 Award for Excellence, Alumni Association, Montana State University
- 2018 Best in Show, Senior Thesis Exhibition, Rialto Bozeman
- 2018 Woodard R. and Amy L. Smith Memorial Scholarship
- 2017 Max J. and Alice V. Hunke Photography Scholarship
- 2017 Babcock Photography Scholarship
- 2017 Reach Higher Montana Scholarship
- 2016 Honorable Mention, Bitter Pill, Montana Department of Justice
- 2016 Reach Higher Montana Scholarship
- 2015 Warren and Phyllis Howe Scholarship, Montana State University
- 2014 University Excellence Scholarship, Southern Illinois University

Lectures

- 2020 *Developing a Conceptual Project*, Guest lecturer, Photographic Image and It's Construction, Montana State University School of Art, Bozeman, MT
- 2020 *Rose Colored Haze*, SPE Northwest Regional Conference
- 2019 *Photography Now* Panel Discussion, BZN Film Festival, Bozeman, MT
- 2019 Guest Lecturer, Intermediate Photography, Montana State University
- 2019 Speaker, The Summit: Exploring the Peaks and Valleys of Mental Health, Bozeman, MT
- 2018 *Trauma and Alternative Process*, SPE Northwest, Moran, WY
- 2018 *Make Work*, Guest Lecturer, Intermediate Photography, Montana State University

- 2017 *Mental Health and Medication*, Artist Presenter, Bitter Pill, Bozeman, MT
- 2017 Artist Talk, Exit Gallery, Bozeman, MT
- 2016 *Generic For Wellbeing*, SPE Northwest Regional Lightning Round Lecture, Seattle, WA
- 2014 Speaker, Women's Leadership Retreat, Bozeman, MT

Curatorial Experience

- 2020 Academic year Arts and Exhibits jury member, Bozeman MT
- 2019 *Journeys*, Exit Gallery, Bozeman MT
- 2019 Academic year Exit Gallery jury member, Bozeman
- 2018 *Westward Bound: Contemporary Book Art*, Exit Gallery, Bozeman MT
- 2017 Academic year Exit Gallery jury member, Bozeman MT

Education

- 2022 Masters of Fine Art, Columbia College Chicago, Anticipated
- 2019 Bachelor of Arts in Film and Photography, Montana State University
- 2019 Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Studies; Minor in Psychology, Montana State University

Teaching Experience

- 2021 Teaching Assistant, Experimental Techniques, Columbia College Chicago, Professor Alison Carey
- 2021 Teaching Assistant, History of Photography II, Columbia College, Professor Gregory Foster-Rice
- 2020 Teaching Assistant, The Portrait, Columbia College, Professor Dawoud Bey
- 2019 Workshop Instructor, Bookbinding, Bozeman Field School
- 2017 Teaching Assistant, Intermediate Photography, Montana State University, Instructor Kayla Bedey
- 2016 Teaching Assistant, Introduction to Photography, Montana State University, Professor Dan Wise

Bibliography/Press

- 2021 UnBound10 Exhibition catalog, Candela Gallery Press
- 2020 The Hand Magazine, Issue 31
- 2020 The Hand Magazine, Issue 29
- 2020 Lockdown Lumen – A Collaborative Project With Artists Around the World, Silver Linings News, Canada
- 2020 Lockdown Lumen, 35mmc.com
- 2020 Better Living Through Chemistry, Fraction Magazine Issue 134, online and print
- 2020 The Hand Magazine, Issue 28
- 2019 The Hand Magazine, Issue 26
- 2019 *Personal Narrative*, Exhibition catalog by PhotoPlace Gallery
- 2019 *Petrichor*, Exhibition catalog by Old Main Gallery
- 2019 Anderson, Christina Z. *Cyanotype: The Blueprint in Contemporary Practice*. New York: Focal Press.
- 2019 Anderson, Christina Z. "Techniques for Excellence in Teaching" in Focal Plane, A Journal for Photography Educators and Students, A Study in Cyan.
- 2017 *Our Bodies Our Art*, Thrifts and Prints
- 2016 Welcome to My World Artist Interview, Miri Gallery

2013 Scribblings Art and Literary Magazine, Published Artist. Cover Photo. Bozeman MT

2012 Scribblings Art and Literary Magazine, Published Artist. Bozeman MT

Related Employment and Community Engagement

2021-current Curatorial Associate, Museum of Contemporary Photography

2020 Co-Organizer, Bridger Foothills Fire Art Auction

2019-current Co-founder, Lenticular Projects

2017-2019 Director, Exit Gallery, Bozeman, MT

2017 Assistant Director, Exit Gallery, Bozeman, MT

2013-current Freelance Photographer, MT