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EDUCATION

- 2017 Master of Fine Arts: Interdisciplinary Studio Art, with distinction
University of Michigan Stamps School of Art & Design
- 2012 Bachelor of Fine Arts: Art and Technology, Cum Laude
The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH

AWARDS / GRANTS / HONORS

- 2018 Faculty Development & Instructional Improvement Grant • Bowling Green State University
Rick Valicenti Collaborative Teaching Initiative • Bowling Green State University
Semi-Finalist • Fulbright Ireland • Student Research Grant
- 2017 Artslant 8th Showcase Winner • Artslant
Artslant 7th Showcase Winner • Artslant
Travel Grant • Teaching Social Practice Conference • UMass Dartmouth
Interdisciplinary Project Grant • ArtsEngine, University of Michigan
Rackham Graduate Research Grant • Rackham Graduate School, University of Michigan
Rackham Travel Conference Grant • Rackham Graduate School, University of Michigan
- 2016 First Year Award • Stamps School of Art & Design, University of Michigan
Rackham Travel Conference Grant • Rackham Graduate School, University of Michigan
International Research Award • International Institute, University of Michigan
Smucker-Wagstaff Scholarship • Stamps School of Art & Design, University of Michigan
- 2015 Library Mini-Grant • University of Michigan Library
Artist in the Community Professional Development Grant • Greater Columbus Arts Council
Vermi-Prize • The Vermiculture Makers Club, Columbus, OH
Artist in the Community Supply Grant • Greater Columbus Arts Council
Best in Show • Masterwork Juried Exhibition • Tacocat Cooperative, Columbus, OH
Stamps Graduate Assistantship • Stamps School of Art & Design, University of Michigan
International Travel Grant • Stamps School of Art & Design, University of Michigan
- 2012 Aida Carnassa Snow Award • Juried Exhibition • Swing Space Gallery, Cols, OH
Juror's Award • Undergraduate Juried Exhibition • Swing Space Gallery, Columbus, OH

RESIDENCIES / PROGRAMS

- 2018 Artist-in-Residence • Self-Guided Residency • Firesign Family Farm • Whitmore Lake, MI
- 2017 Fellow • Human-Animal Studies Institute • Animals & Society Institute, Champaign, IL
Artist-in-Residence • Michele Schara Artist & Designer in Residence • Detroit, MI
- 2016 Artist-in-Residence • halka art projects • Istanbul, Turkey

SOLO / TWO PERSON EXHIBITIONS

- 2019 *In Heaven* • Project 1612 • Peoria, IL*
Tame/Untamed • Mantle Art Space • San Antonio, TX
- 2017 *Ruminant* • Stamps Gallery • Ann Arbor, MI
- 2016 *Mapping Empathy* • halka art projects • Istanbul, Turkey

2015 *Bound* • Paper Center Gallery, Nelsonville, OH
*Two-Person Exhibition with Dulcee Boehm

SELECTED PERFORMANCES / SITE SPECIFIC

2018 *Epona* • Performance • ROY G BIV Gallery, Columbus, OH
The Process of Coming and Going in this World • Site-Specific Installation
Firesign Family Farm, Whitmore Lake, MI

2016 *Herd II* • Performance • Faculty/Graduate Studios, Ann Arbor, MI
Trough • Performance • Guerra Farm, Ypsilanti, MI
Herd • Performance • Superior Stables, Ypsilanti, MI

2015 *Gopi* • Performance • Sasha Farm Animal Sanctuary, Manchester, MI
FAR • Performance • Jökulsárlón Glacial Lagoon, Vatnajökull National Park, Iceland

2014 *Disease (4,320 steps)* • Performance • Sunday Creek Coal Co. Mine #6, Athens, OH
Mirror • Performance • Second Sight Studio, Columbus, OH

2012 *Aichmaltos, the Captive* • Performance • Hopkins Hall Gallery, Columbus, OH

2011 *I Love America & America Loves Me* • Performance • Bricker Federal Building, Cols, OH

2010 *Phantasm* • Performance • Ohio State House, Columbus, OH

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2018 *Systems Processing* • Curated by Grand Valley State University • Grand Rapids, MI
ARTSX • Curator Dennis Wojtkiewicz • Wolfe Center for the Arts • Bowling Green, OH
A Future in the Arts • Juried Exhibition • Paint Creek Center for the Arts • Rochester, MI
How Do I Get There From Here • Curator Dulcee Boehm • OxBow School of Art, Oxbow, MI
Igniting Change • SculptureX 2018 • Juror Saul Ostrow • D. Uber Bryan Gallery • Bowling Green, OH
Food Chain • Juried Exhibition • Gallery MC • New York, NY
Wordplay • Juror Vernita Nemec • Woman Made Gallery, Chicago, IL
Excavations; Shindig • Juror Saralene Tapley • Mantle Art Space, San Antonio, TX

2017 *Grassroots* • Curators Pam Callahan/Deb Flagel • Woman Made Gallery, Chicago, IL

2016 *19th International* • Curator Wai Kit Lam • Woman Made Gallery, Chicago, IL
First Year MFA Exhibition • Faculty/Graduate Studios, Ann Arbor, MI

2015 *Facing Forward* • UM MFA/MDes Exhibition • Work Gallery, Ann Arbor, MI
Ohio State Fair Fine Arts Professional Division • Juried Exhibition • Cox Fine Arts Facility
Snack Time • Food-themed Exhibition • Tacocat Cooperative, Columbus, OH
Masterwork • Juried Exhibition • Tacocat Cooperative, Columbus, OH
Born into This • Curator AJ Vanderelli • The Vanderelli Room, Columbus, OH
Material Evidence • Curator by Mona Gazala • EASE Gallery, Columbus, OH

2014 *Ohio State Fair Fine Arts Professional Division* • Juried Exhibition • Cox Fine Arts Facility
Of Body • Group Exhibition • Second Sight Studio, Cols, OH
Columbus Museum of Art Photo Hunt • Juried Exhibition • Columbus Museum of Art
February Showcase • Juried Exhibition • 83 Gallery South, Cols, OH

2013 *Under My Skin* • Juried Exhibition • Wild Goose Creative, Columbus, OH
Ohio State Fair Fine Arts Professional Division • Juried Exhibition • Cox Fine Arts Facility

2012 *Twitch* • Juried Exhibition • Hopkins Hall Gallery, Columbus, OH

- Undergraduate Juried Exhibition* • Swing Space Gallery • Columbus, OH
Undergraduate Senior Showcase • Exhibition • Urban Arts Space, Columbus, OH
It's June! • Juried Exhibition • 83 Gallery, Columbus, OH
 2011 *Quantum Tunnel* • Juried Exhibition • Hopkins Hall Gallery, Columbus, OH
Plug • Juried Exhibition • Silver Image Gallery, Columbus, OH
 2010 *Future Photon* • Juried Exhibition • Silver Image Gallery, Columbus, OH
Inventeur • Juried Exhibition • Silver Image Gallery, Columbus, OH
 2009 *Mind is a Beautiful Beast* • Juried Exhibition • Medicine Wheel Gallery, Boston, MA
Boston College Annual Show • Juried Exhibition • Bapst Art Library, Newton, MA

SELECTED SCREENINGS:

- 2018 *An Evening with ATOM-R, Ruth Burke, Emily Roll*
The Social Life of Meat (2018) • Light Box, Detroit, MI
Columbus Moving Image Art Review • Juried Screening • Columbus, OH
 2013 *Best of: Columbus Moving Image Art Review • Paedagogo (2011)* • Comfest, Cols, OH
Columbus Moving Image Art Review • Paedagogo (2011) • Hagerty Hall Theatre, Cols, OH
 2011 *Quantum Tunnel • Solution Propaganda (2011)*
 Collaboration with Nicolas Dies & Umar Rashid • Hopkins Hall Gallery, Cols, OH

PUBLICATIONS

“*The Process of Coming and Going in this World: a Conversation about Interspecies Collaboration, Domestication, and Sound*”, with Jessica Landau, *Society & Animals*, Special Issue: Perceptual Encounters (under review)

TEACHING

- 2018-19 Instructor • Bowling Green State University, Digital Arts, School of Art • BG, OH
 Courses: ARTC2210: Digital Imaging, ARTC 4440/5440: Advanced Digital Video Art (Grad/Undergrad), ARTC4190: Senior Capstone Studio
 ARTC 3440: Digital Video Art
 2017 Adjunct Instructor • Adrian College, School of Fine Arts • Adrian, MI
 Courses: ART 219: Typography
 Instructor • UM Stamps Pre-College Intensive • Ann Arbor, MI
 Courses: Portfolio Studio
 2015-17 Graduate Student Instructor (Co-taught) • University of Michigan • Ann Arbor, MI
 Courses: ARTDES 337: Shopdropping • ARTDES 498: Integrative Projects

RELATED EXPERIENCE

- 2018 Organizer • *Culture: Art of Homesteading* • Community Festival • Whitmore Lake, MI
 2018 Benefactor, Burke Artist Residency Scholarship • Second Sight Studio • Columbus, OH
 2018 Owner & Operator • Ruth K. Burke Studios • Ypsilanti, MI
 Video editor & archivist • Rock and Roll Hall of Fame • Cleveland, OH
 2016 Graduate Research Assistant • Brightmoor Maker Space • Detroit, MI
 Farm Apprentice • Firesign Family Farm • Whitmore Lake, MI

- 2015 Board of Directors • Second Sight Studio • Columbus, OH
- 2014 Organizer • *Of Body* • Four Woman Show • Second Sight Studio • Columbus, OH
Photo Researcher • McGraw-Hill Education • Columbus, OH
- 2014 Studio Liaison • Second Sight Studio • Columbus, OH
- 2013 Store Graphic Artist • Whole Foods Market • Columbus, OH
- 2012 Technical Director • Community Future Casting/Ohio State University • Columbus, OH
- 2011 Studio Assistant/Archivist • Ann Hamilton Studio • Columbus, OH

SELECTED TALKS / PRESENTATIONS / WORKSHOPS

- 2019 Guest (Skype) *Artist Talk* • Expanded Media Course • Ohio State University
- 2018 Guest Lecturer, *Artist Talk: Practicing Interspecies Kinship* • SAIC Performance • Chicago, IL
Panelist *Unleashed: What Do We Owe Animals?* • ASAP/10, Tulane University
Association for the Study of the Arts of the Present • New Orleans, LA
Presenter *Practicing Interspecies Kinship* • (Un) Common Worlds
Finnish Society of Animal Studies • Turku, Finland
Participant • Beyond Alternatives • University of Illinois, Champaign-Urbana
- 2017 Presenter, *Navigating the Ethics of Working with Farmers & Livestock*
Teaching Social Practice Symposium • UMass Dartmouth
Presenter *Ruminant* • Animal Studies Institute • University of Illinois, Champaign-Urbana
Presenter *Art School Portfolio 101* • University of Michigan Recruitment Day
Presenter, *Chewing the Cud* • University of Michigan Animal Studies Symposium
Participant • ATOMR Text/Movement Workshop
- 2016 Presenter, *Inclusive Practices* • Chelsea Livestock Meetup • Chelsea, MI
Presenter, *becoming cow/becoming horse* • UMich Animal Studies Symposium
- 2014 Presenter, *Artist Talk* • Sculpture Studio • McConnell Arts Center • Columbus, OH
Presenter & Workshop Leader • motive. • Brothers Drake Meadery • Columbus, OH

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

Animals & Society Institute • College Art Association • Association for the Study of the Arts of the Present • Ohio Art League

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<https://www.culturesource.org/201704132686/stories/setting-the-course-for-the-new-stamps-gallery-at-university-of-michigan>
- Allison Ward, "Arts Festival gives its visitors a chance to display creativity" *Columbus Weekender*, June 10, 2015, 2015. Cover (image).
- Jesse Tigges, "Bound Exemplified by Forthright reflection on Complex Ideas" *Columbus Alive*, May 28, 2015, 26.
- Jesse Tigges, "Charles Bukowski Poem inspires extensive exhibit, 'Born into This'" *Columbus Alive*, March 19, 2015, 25.
- Jesse Tigges, "Year-In-Review: Best Exhibits of 2014" *Columbus Alive*, December 25, 2014. 23.
- Jesse Tigges, "Of Body is impressive and strikingly wild" *Columbus Alive*, April 9, 2014. 25.