

CV

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EDUCATION

2022 (Fall) BFA in Studio Art, Texas State University, San Marcos, Tx

JOB EXPERIENCE

Freelancer (Various small brand businesses and clients)

2018-present

- Improved client branding by creating strong advertising designs and selecting optimal media placement.
- Produced intricate pieces of art by using ink, watercolors, charcoal, oil, paints, pencils, and computer software programs.

Curator (Texas State University: Hallway Show)

2021-2022

- Selecting a body of work that was cohesive for the show and installing the work.

Teacher Fellow (Breakthrough)

2022 (Summer)

- 8th grade Social Studies Teacher at Manor New Tech Middle School • Art Instructor

The Building for Kids Museum

2023 -September

- Museum Educator

AmeriCorps

2023(September-present)

- Breakthrough Program and Advising Fellow

GROUP SHOWS

2021 [Nineteen Club](#), Blue Star Arts Complex, San Antonio, TX

2021 [Hallway Exhibition](#), Texas State University, San Marcos, TX

2022 [Student Juried Exhibition](#), San Marcos, TX. Curated by Stephanie Koch, Director of the Luminary

2022 [Hallway Exhibition](#), Texas State University, San Marcos, TX

2022 Degrees of Seeing, Texas State University, San Marcos, TX

2022 [Short Summer Student Show](#), *b-space Art House*, New Braunfels, TX

2022 Senior Thesis Show, Texas State University, San Marcos, TX

2023 *Sunlight Through Prism: Exploring Color in Art*, The Woodlands Art Gallery & Studios, The Woodlands, TX

RESIDENCIES

2023 [Trout Museum of Art](#), Appleton WI

COLLECTIONS

2022 President's House at Texas State University, San Marcos, TX

REWARDS

- 3x VASE- 1st in Area (2014-2017)
- 2x Rodeo Art Competition – 2nd (2017-2018)
- VASE- 2nd in State (2014)
- Nissan Art Competition 1st Place (2017)
- Congressional Art Competition (2017)
- Sunlight Through a Prism 1st Place (2023)

PUBLICATIONS

2019 [VoyageHouston](#)

2019 *Love & Chaos*

[Issue 1](#)(pg35-37)

[Issue 2](#)(pg140-151)

2020 *Aspire 2 Inspire* (pg28-31)

2023 [Glasstire](#)