

Education

Bachelor of Fine Arts: Sculpture
Bachelor of Arts: Graphic Design
Magna cum Laude, Flagler College, 2013, St. Augustine Florida

Speaking Engagements

Oct 14, 2019 - Portland Art Museum: 29th International Sculpture Conference - Panel Discussion - "De-constructing the Gender Binary: Gender and LGBTQ+ Equality within 3-Dimensional Making Environments" - Portland Oregon

April 12, 2019 - Yale Center for British Art - Panel Discussion - "William Hunter and the Anatomy of the Modern Museum" Co-panelists: Claire Barclay & Nate Lewis moderated by Nathan Flis - New Haven Connecticut

March 29, 2019 - The National Council on Education for the Ceramic Arts (NCECA) 53rd Annual Conference: Cross Currents: Claytopia - Topical Discussion - Co-facilitators: Amanda Barr, Natalia Arbelez, Sara Jewell Olsen - "Talk Less, Listen More" - Minneapolis, Minnesota

Aug 20, 2018 - Sitka Center for Art and Ecology - Mingle and Muse Summer Event - Lecture - "Set in Stone: The intersections of clay & personal narrative in our quest to be seen, heard & remembered" - Otis, Oregon

March 15, 2018 - The National Council on Education for the Ceramic Arts (NCECA) 52nd Annual Conference: Cross Currents: Clay and Culture - Panel Discussion - Co-panelist: Kathy King, Ron Geibel, Marval Rex & moderated by Dustin Yager - "New Queens Eve: LGBT Clay" - Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Sep 15, 2017 - Portland Institute for Contemporary Art - T:BA:17 - Workshop - "Asking for a Diaspora" - New Expressive Works - Portland, Oregon

Performances

Sep 6-7, 2019 - "Mia Habib: Poetry as Protest" - Portland Institute for Contemporary Art - T:BA:19

March 29, 2019 - The National Council on Education for the Ceramic Arts (NCECA) 53rd Annual Conference: Cross Currents: Claytopia - "WET: Performing UtopiaZ" - Minneapolis, Minnesota

Sep 15, 2018 - "Soft Between the Elbows" - C3Initiative - Portland, Oregon

May 5, 2018 - "Cvllejex Ropa Vieja" - S1 - Portland, Oregon

May 4, 2018 - "Hyun Gi" - S1 - Portland, Oregon

Jan 17, 2018 - "Strewn" - Open Signal - Portland, Oregon

Exhibitions

March 6 - April 19, 2020 - Group Exhibition: "Sexual Politics II" - Northern Clay Center - Minneapolis, Minnesota

Dec 5 - 24, 2019 - Group Exhibition: "ClayFest Northwest" - Pottery Northwest - Seattle Washington

Oct 7 - Nov 26, 2019 - Group Exhibition: "Queeramics 2019" Foster Gallery - Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Sep, 2019 - Solo Exhibition: "i have no choice but to suck the juice out and who am i to blame" - Littman Gallery - Portland, Oregon

July 3 - Aug 31, 2019 - Solo Exhibition: "i have no choice" - Russo Lee Gallery - Portland Oregon

June 7 - 28, 2019 - Group Exhibition: "Queer Clay" - Pottery Northwest - Seattle Washington

March 29, 2019 - Group Exhibition: "Human Nature" - The National Council on Education for the Ceramic Arts (NCECA) 53rd Annual Conference: Cross Currents: Claytopia - Minneapolis, Minnesota

Feb. 14 - May 20, 2019 - Group Exhibition: "William Hunter and the Anatomy of the Modern Museum" - Yale Center for British Art - New Haven, Connecticut

Nov 30, 2018 - March 8, 2019 - Group Exhibition: "In Plain Sight/Site " - Artspace - New Haven, Connecticut

Sep 15 - Oct 6, 2018 - Group Exhibition: "View From Here" - C3Initiative - Portland, Oregon

Aug 3 - 24, 2018 - Group Exhibition: "Focus, Flow, Ground" - Project Object - Portland, Oregon

May 4 - 20, 2018 - Group Exhibition: "I'm Glad I Came" - ANX Gallery - Portland, Oregon

Feb 2, 2018 - March 22, 2018 - Group Exhibition: "Elements of Reclamation" - Ori Gallery - Portland, Oregon

Oct 3, 2017 - Jan 6, 2018 - Solo Exhibition: "Radical Emergence: Dissected & Articulated" - Chehalem Cultural Center - Newberg, Oregon

Aug 6 - 27, 2017 - Group Exhibition: "LA Artcore 3rd Annual Art Competition & Exhibition" - Jurors: Jacki Apple, Tulsa Kinney & Peter Shire - LA Artcore - Los Angeles, California.

June 9 - July 2, 2017 - Group Exhibition: "Fabriqué" - ANX Gallery - Portland, Oregon

May 4 - 31, 2017 - Solo Exhibition: "Black: Dissected & Articulated" - UNA Gallery - Portland, Oregon

March 3 - 31, 2017 - Group Exhibition: The National Council on Education for the Ceramic Arts (NCECA) 51st Annual Conference : Future Flux - "Radius" - Rising Room Gallery - Portland, Oregon

Awards

2020 - Portland Institute for Contemporary Art/Andy Warhol Foundation for the Visual Arts - Precipice Fund

2020 - Regional Arts & Culture Council - Support Beam

2020 - Watershed Center for the Ceramic Arts - Watershed Zenobia Award

2020 - Oregon Arts Commission - 2020 Individual Artist Fellowship

2018 - Ford Family Foundation - Golden Spot Award

2017 - Honorable Mention - "LA Artcore 3rd Annual Art Competition & Exhibition" - LA Artcore - Los Angeles, California.

2016 - Best 3D Work - "Emerging Artists Exhibition -Columbia Center for the Arts" - Hood River, Oregon

2012 William R Kenan Jr. Art Scholarship

2011 Evelyn R. Waterhouse Memorial Art Scholarship

Residencies

2020 - Sitka Center for Art and Ecology, Oregon

2018 - Sitka Center for Art and Ecology, Oregon

2018 - Caldera Arts ,Oregon

2014 - Driving Creek Railway & Potteries - Coromandel, New Zealand

Affiliations & Memberships

Member: The National Council on Education for the Ceramic Arts, Joined 2017

Board Member: The Contemporary Art Council at the Portland Art Museum, 2018 - 2019

Co-Founder/Curator: Ori Gallery, est 2018