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Education

MFA, Alfred University, 2015.

Major: Sculpture/Dimensional Studies

Post-Baccalaureate Certificate, The School of the Art Institute of Chicago, 2013.

Major: Fiber & Material Studies

BA, The College of William & Mary, 2010.

Major: Art and Art History (cum laude)

Graduate/Post-Graduate Training

2015-2016 Fellowship, U.S.-Norway Fulbright Foundation, Tromso Academy of Contemporary Art, Tromso, Norway

Employment History

Academic

2021- Present Assistant Professor, University of Texas Rio Grande Valley
2016-2019 Lecturer, University of Texas Rio Grande Valley
2015-2016 Research Fellow, US-Norway Fulbright Foundation
2013-2015 Graduate Teaching Assistant, Alfred University
2012-2013 Graduate Teaching Assistant, School of the Art Institute of Chicago

Professional

2020 Lead Carpenter, Renfrow + Co Metalsmiths, Houston TX
2019 Art Installer, Expert Art Services, Houston TX

Awards and Honors

2025 UTRGV College of Fine Arts, Emerging Scholar Award
2024 UTRGV College of Fine Arts and Faculty Consortium for the Advancement of Research and Creative Works Fellowship
2023 UTRGV Faculty Seed Grant, University of Texas Rio Grande Valley, Faculty Success
2022 UTRGV Faculty Travel Grant
2017 Windgate Craft Fellowship, Vermont Studio Center
2016 Artist Seed Grant, ArtPrize 8

2015 Fulbright Research Fellowship, US-Norway Fulbright Foundation

Professional Memberships

Texas Sculpture Group
Fulbright Association
Textile Society of America

Solo Exhibitions

- 2027 Upcoming Solo Exhibition, *Polyvinyl Dreams*, University of Central Florida, Orlando, FL
2026 *Split Sketches*, Trevino Uribe Fort, The River Pierce Foundation, San Ygnacio, TX
2024 *Arundo Domestic*, South Texas College, McAllen, TX
Anthromordant, University of Texas Rio Grande Valley, Rusteberg Gallery, Brownsville TX
2023 *Garment/View*, Ellen Noel Museum of Fine Art, Odessa TX
2020 *Subliminal Weft*, Lone Star College-Montgomery, The Woodlands TX
2018 *Gestures for an Apocalypse*, Joshua Tree Art Gallery, Joshua Tree CA
2016 *A Laboured Spectrum*, Small Projects, Tromso Norway
Disturbed Palette, Galleri Snerk, Tromso Academy of Fine Arts, Tromso Norway
2015 *The New Ecologies Materials Laboratory*, Fosdick-Nelson Gallery, Alfred University, Alfred NY

Group Exhibitions

- 2026 *8th Louisiana Biennial*, Louisiana Tech University, Ruston, LA
2025 *Fantastic Fibers*, Yeiser Art Center, Paducah KY
Rio Brazos Juried Exhibition, Tarleton State University, Stephenville TX
International Fiber Arts XII, Sebastopol Center for the Arts, Sebastopol CA
Narratives in Fiber, Sault Area Art Center, Sault Ste. Marie, MI
2024 *ArtPrize 2024*, Monroe Community Church, Grand Rapids MI
Fiber Options 2024, Maryland Federation of Art Gallery, Annapolis MD
Reduce, Reuse, Recycle, Parker Arts Center, Parker CO
Material Evolution, Austin Community College, Austin TX
Timelapse: Louisiana Biennial, Louisiana Tech University, Ruston LA
Faculty Exhibition, University of Texas Rio Grande Valley, Edinburg TX
2023 *Craft Texas*, Houston Center for Contemporary Craft, Houston TX
2022 *Faculty Exhibition*, University of Texas Rio Grande Valley, Edinburg TX
Material III, d'Art Center, Norfolk VA
2021 *The Language of Fiber Art*, University of the Incarnate Word, San Antonio TX
The State of Sculpture, San Angelo Museum of Fine Arts, San Angelo TX
2020 *In Residence 13th Ed.*, Houston Center for Contemporary Craft, Houston TX
2018 *46th International Art Show*, Brownsville Museum of Fine Arts, Brownsville TX
Materials: Hard & Soft, Greater Denton Arts Council, Denton TX

- 2017** *Texarkana 29th Annual Juried Exhibition*, Texarkana TX
Faculty Exhibition, University of Texas Rio Grande Valley, Edinburg TX
- 2016** *ArtPrize 8*, Western Michigan University, Grand Rapids MI
- 2015** *Synchronized*, Kunsthalle am Hamburger Platz, Weissensee Kunsthochschule Berlin, Germany.
- 2014** *Human Condition*, Alfred University, Hornell, NY
- 2013** *Post-Baccalaureate Exhibition*, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago IL

Residencies

- 2023** TARP Residency and Workshop, Ellen Noel Museum of Fine Art, Odessa TX
- 2019-2020** Houston Center for Contemporary Craft
- 2018** Joshua Tree Highlands Artist Residency
- 2017** Vermont Studio Center

Artist Talks

- 2026** Community Voices: International Sculpture Center (Virtual)
The River Pierce Foundation, San Ygnacio, TX
- 2024** South Texas College, McAllen TX
University of Texas Rio Grande Valley, Rusteberg Gallery, Brownsville TX
- 2023** Ellen Noel Museum of Fine Art, Odessa TX
- 2020** Lone Star College-Montgomery, The Woodlands TX
University of Texas Rio Grande Valley, Edinburg TX
- 2019** *In Residence*, Houston Center for Contemporary Craft, Houston TX
Houston Handweavers Guild, Houston TX
- 2018** Joshua Tree Art Gallery, Joshua Tree CA
- 2017** University of Texas Rio Grande Valley, Brownsville TX
Vermont Studio Center, Johnson VT
- 2016** *Materiality of the Disturbed Landscape*, Fulbright Research Seminar Presentation U.S. - Norway Fulbright Foundation in University of Oslo, Oslo, Norway.

Conference Presentations

- 2025** **31st International Sculpture Conference**, "Borderland Typologies: Materiality on the Edges." Panel Presentation, Dallas TX
Interdisciplinary Research Conference, "Addressing Materiality and Sustainability through Artistic Research." University of Texas Rio Grande Valley, Edinburg TX
- 2024** **Fulbright Association Conference**, "Invasive Materials: Investigating Non-native Species Through Art and Education." Washington DC
- 2023** **Pentaculum**, Arrowmont School of Art and Crafts, Gatlinburg TN
Eco Rio Symposium, University of Texas Rio Grande Valley, Edinburg TX

- 2022 Fulbright Association Conference**, “Routine Gestures: Examining Materiality Through Art and Teaching” ,Bethesda MD
- 2021 Eco Rio Symposium**, University of Texas Rio Grande Valley, Edinburg TX