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Selected Exhibitions

- 2016 *Altered States*, Marymount Manhattan College, New York, NY
Here Where We Are, Hpgrp Gallery, New York, NY
New York Academy of Art Tenth Annual Summer Exhibition, Flowers Gallery, New York, NY
- 2015 *The Artist's Studio*, BRIC House, Brooklyn, NY
Studio 7 Fine Art Gallery, Bernardsville, NJ
Sculpture and Object XX, Bratislava, Slovakia
eXXpectations, The Cornell Museum, Delray Beach, FL
- 2014 *Pixelated*. HERE Arts Center, New York, NY
Fiber Art Celebration, Lazarus Gallery, New Rochelle, NY
Art, Alibi, and Anonymous We: Collapse of Identity, Rosenfeld Gallery, Philadelphia, PA
- 2013 *Curate NYC: Top 150 Exhibition*, Rush Arts Gallery, New York NY
Pangaea, New York Foundation for the Arts, Brooklyn, NY
Single Fare 3, RH Gallery, New York, NY
- 2011 *SpringzHere*. Wilson & Geary Contemporary, New York, NY
Single Fare 2, Swipe Again. Alix Sloan Gallery, New York, NY
24 Hours in the Subway. BoxHeart Gallery, Pittsburgh, PA (solo)
- 2010 *Plastic*, EyeDrum, Atlanta, GA
Younger Than Moses, Idle Worship, Benrimon Contemporary, New York, NY
Single Fare. 224 Grand Street Studio, Brooklyn, NY
- 2009 *Third Annual Summer Exhibition*, New York Academy of Art, New York, NY
Trans-Positions Along the Queensboro Bridge, Packard Square Gallery, Queens, NY
Studio 7 Fine Art Gallery, Bernardsville, NJ
- 2008 *Artist in Transition*. Earlville Opera House, Earlville NY (solo)
Allied Artists of America – 95th Annual Exhibition. National Arts Club, New York, NY
BWAC Free Fall. Brooklyn Waterfront Artist Coalition, Red Hook, Brooklyn, NY
- 2007 *The Muse*. (performance) American Dance Guild. New York, NY
Art Students League of New York City Exhibit. Bronxville Public Library, Bronxville, NY
New York Academy of Art Alumni Exhibition. Figureworks Gallery, Brooklyn, NY
- 2006 *The Muse*. (performance.) Dance Theater Workshop. New York, NY
Arte! Beaux-Arts! Kunst! Moravian College, Payne Gallery. Bethlehem, PA
ACFDance Quintennial. (performance.) DiCapo Opera Theater. New York, NY

Public Installations/Commissions

- 2015 *Post War Blues*. Brooklyn Army Terminal, Brooklyn NY
Invasive Species. Avenue of the Arts, Boynton Beach, FL
5th Ave Bay Ridge SAW, Brooklyn, NY
- 2014 *The Stampede: Recycle ME*. Hopewell Arts Council, NJ

Invasive Species. Farm/Art Dtour, Reedsburg, WI

2012 *Invasive Species*, Cheng-Long International Environmental Art Project, Taiwan
Knit for Trees. Heckscher park, Huntington, NY. Public Art Initiative

2011 *Forces of Nature*. Carving Studio & Sculpture Center, West Rutland, VT
Knit For Trees. Figment Sculpture Garden, Governors Island, New York, NY

2004 *Big Apple Fest*. "All the Little Apples". 46th St. & Lexington Ave, New York, NY.

Bibliography/Press

"Boynton unveils new public artwork on Ocean Avenue", Sun Sentinel, 09/2015

"Farm/Art DTour marries agriculture and culture", Journal Sentinel Online Milwaukee, 10/2014

"Inside the chashama's artist studios", The Brooklyn Spectator, 10/2013

"News from a Sinking Planet", South African Art Times, 06/2012

"2012 Cheng Long Wetlands International Environmental Art Project", ArtAsiaPacific.com, 05/2012

"Eco-Art Installations Sprout in a Taiwanese Village", treehugger.com, 05/2012

"It Takes a Village", Taipei Times, 05/2012

"Isabelle Garbani's 24 Hours", Pittsburgh City Paper, by Christopher McGinnis, 08/2011

"La isla de los delirios", El Mundo, 06/2011

"Knitted Tree Accessories", GreenMuze.com, 06/2011

"Neighborhood Beat Studio Interview", Brooklyn Community Access Television. 05/2011

"Art of the MetroCard, Unlimited", City Room Blog, New York Times Online, 05/2010

"Into The Night", Radio Interview for KHND1470 AM, 03/2010

"Studying Form and Motion", Katherine Rushwirth . Syracuse Post-Standard. 12/2007

"Neighborhood Beat artists at Figureworks", Brooklyn Community Access Television. 02/2007

"Tossing old rules Out of the Academy", Staten Island Advance. 05/2005

Awards & Residencies

The Puffin Foundation, Artist Grant, February 2017

The Pocantico Center/Rockefeller Brothers Fund, Tarrytown, NY. Artist Residency, July 2016

Brooklyn Arts Council, Community Arts Grant, 2015

New York Foundation for the Arts, Mentoring Program for Immigrant Artists, 2013

Chashama studio residency, Sunset Park, Brooklyn, 2012

Cheng-Long International Environmental Art Project, Taiwan. Artist residency April-May 2012

New York Academy of Art Merit Scholarship September 2002 to May 2004

Collections

Aloft Hotel, Brooklyn, NY

Greenwich Village Animal Hospital, New York, NY

Private collections New York City, Pittsburgh, PA, Morristown, NJ.

Curatorial Experience

2015 *Cheng-Long International Environmental Art Project*, Taiwan, assistant curator.

2007 *Alumni Association of the New York Academy of Art*. Merge360. New York, NY.

2005 *Out of the Academy: Three artist exhibit at the Art Lab*, Snug Harbor, New York, NY.

Lectures

- 2016 *Public art and the community: is your art going to save my neighborhood?* Wagner College, Staten Island, NY. Artist Lecture
- 2009 *Trans-Positions Along the Queensboro Bridge*, Long Island City, NY. Artist Lecture
- 2006 *Through the Eyes of an Immigrant*, Moravian College. Bethlehem PA. Artist Lecture

Teaching Experience

Classes

- Public Art (undergraduate). Wagner College, Staten Island, NY. Spring 2017
- Art Explorers (K-1). PS 748. Wingspan Arts, Brooklyn NY. Spring 2017
- Art for Seniors. Brookdale Senior Center, Manhattan, NY. 2017 - present
- Art of Science (Grades 1-4). PS 748. Wingspan Arts, Brooklyn NY. Fall 2016
- Arts and Crafts/Healing Arts. Montefiore Hospital, Bronx, NY. 2015 - present
- Sculpture with recycled materials. Arts By the People, Morristown, NJ. Summer 2011
- Faux Finishing and Marbling Techniques. Boston Center for Adult Education, Boston, MA. 1992-94
- Trompe l'Oeil. Cambridge Center for Adult Education, Cambridge, MA. 1992-94

Workshops

- Brooklyn Museum, Brooklyn NY. ArtyFacts Visiting Artist workshop. 2016
- Eco Schools, Greenpoint NY. Eco-Art workshops/After school program. 2016
- NARS Foundation, Brooklyn NY. Visiting Artist workshop. 2015
- Post War Blues, Public Installation, Brooklyn NY. Community outreach and monthly art lessons with local community (Sunset Park Library, Brooklyn Army Terminal workforce, Guild for Exceptional Children, 4 season adult daycare). 2015
- Dazzling Discoveries, Harlem, NY. Eco-Art workshop, 2014
- Cheng-Long International Environmental Art Project, Taiwan. Community outreach and weekly art lessons with local 5th grade students. 2012
- Public Art Initiative Art Camp, Huntington, NY. Eco-Art workshop. 2012
- 3rd ward, Brooklyn NY. Eco-Art workshop. 2011

Related Professional Experience

- 2006-present Owner and founder of a website design company specializing in designing and hosting artists' websites
- 2005-2006 Sculpture assistant. Tom Otterness Studio, Brooklyn, NY
Responsibilities: sculpting of prototypes, maquettes and public commission clay sculptures as required, preparing plaster enlargement of sculptures for foundry
- 2002-2004 Sculpture restoration. New York Academy of Art, New York, NY
Responsibilities: major and minor repairs of the Academy's plaster cast collection (re-attaching broken limbs, repairing draperies, stabilizing cracks and fissures, cleaning and re-applying patina), inventory of existing collection and tracking of restoration work
- 1995-2002 Digital Artist for the Computer Game Industry in the Boston area (Turbine Entertainment Software, Blue Fang Games, Looking Glass Studios, Papyrus Design Group)

Education

- New York Academy of Art, New York, NY - MFA in Sculpture 2004
- Northwestern University, Evanston, IL - BS in Theatre Arts 1990