

**Born 1974**

**Education**

2000 *Master of Fine Art (Distinction)* Goldsmiths College, London England  
1998 *Bachelor of Fine Art* Atlanta College of Art, Atlanta, Ga  
1997 *Mobility Student* School of the Museum of Fine Art, Boston Ma

**Professional Experience**

2010-Present Agnes Scott College, Instructor of Painting and Drawing, Atlanta, GA  
2018-2019 Lecturer of Painting and Drawing, Emory University, Atlanta, GA  
2014-2015 Agnes Scott College, Kirk Visiting Artist, Decatur, Georgia  
2014, 2015 Georgia State University, Adjunct Instructor of Painting, Atlanta, GA  
2008-2014 Lecturer of Painting and Drawing, Emory University, Atlanta, GA

**Professional Affiliations**

2010-2015 Art Papers Board of Directors

**Selected Public and Private Mural Commissions**

2025/26 Mural project awarded and in development, RDA Bond 2.0, Ralph David Abernathy and Pollard Blvd to be completed in spring 2026, awarded by OCA Atlanta, GA  
2024 Hope, Diversion Center, awarded by OCA Atlanta, GA.  
2023 Here Now, 109 Tarboro Street, Wilson, N.C.  
2019 Screaming Meemies, 29 Rooms, Refinery 29, Atlanta, Los Angeles, and New York  
2018 Are We the Monsters, Zuckerman Museum, Kennesaw, GA.  
Endless Possibilities, Edelman, Atlanta, GA.  
Rumble, Hathaway Contemporary, Atlanta, GA.  
2017 Marriott Gateway Renaissance Hotel, Atlanta, GA.  
2015 Blue Skies Ahead, All Connect, Atlanta, GA.  
2013 Lost and Found, Elevate 2013, Atlanta, GA.  
Black Sea of Trees (Safe & Sound) MOCA Jacksonville, FL.  
2012 Underland, Living Walls Conference, Atlanta, GA.  
No More Dreaming Like A Girl, ACAC, Atlanta, GA.  
2011 Pool of Tears, Herron Gallery, IUPUI, Indianapolis, IN.  
2010 Feast, Manif d'Art 5, Quebec, Canada  
Starlight Shadows, Manif d'Art 5, Quebec, Canada  
The Moon Is Down, Flux Projects 2012, Atlanta, GA.  
2008 Pictures from the Abyss, Dalton Gallery, ASC, Decatur, GA.

**Solo Exhibitions through 2015**

2025 "Returns" Spruill Gallery, Atlanta, GA  
2024 "In the Land of Plenty" Whitespace Gallery, Atlanta, GA  
2022 "The Unbearable Flatness of Being" Wilson Arts Center, Wilson, NC  
2019 "O Smithereens!", Whitespace Gallery, Atlanta, GA  
2018 "Are We the Monsters" Zuckerman Museum of Art, Morten Gallery, Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, GA 2017  
2017 "Ruin In Reverse" Corey Helford gallery, Los Angeles, CA  
"The Unbearable Flatness of Being", Stanley, Beaman, & Sears, Atlanta, GA  
2015-16 "The Unbearable Flatness of Being" MOCA GA Working Artist Project Solo Show selected by Siri Engberg, Sr. Curator of the Walker Art Center MN, Atlanta, GA

**Awards and Achievements through 2010**

2015 Museum of Contemporary Art Working Artist Project recipient  
2013-14 Emory Center for Creativity and Arts Grant  
2013 City of Atlanta Grant for Elevate  
2011 City of Atlanta Grant for Elevate Art Above Underground  
2010 Puffin Foundation Grant  
Flux Projects Grant

**\*For a detailed list of solo and group exhibitions, awards, and publications:**  
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