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EDUCATION

2003	Master in Fine Arts: Fiber and Materials Studies <i>School of Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL</i>
2000	Mentor Program <i>Santa Monica College, Santa Monica, CA</i>
1992	Bachelor of Fine Arts: Ceramics Studio <i>Rhode Island College, Providence, RI</i>
1990	National Student Exchange <i>California State San Bernardino College, San Bernardino, CA</i>

AWARDS/RECOGNITIONS

2000-03	<i>Grant</i>	School of Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago IL
2002	<i>International Travel Grant</i>	School of Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL
2006	<i>Grant</i>	CXS Corporation, Jacksonville, FL

ART EXHIBITS, LECTURES & PERFORMANCES

2022	<i>Sensuality</i>	Art Gallery21, FL
2021	<i>The Hanging of a Nation</i>	Curatorial Miami, FL
2020	<i>Against Happiness</i>	Curatorial Miami, FL
2019-20	<i>Premium</i>	Curators Voice Art Project, FL
2018	<i>CHALK, LTI</i>	
2018	<i>Trough the Eyes of Love</i>	AIDS World Museum, FL
2018	<i>CSL Youth Art Project</i>	CSL, Ft Lauderdale, FL
2016	<i>Through the eyes of Love</i>	CSL, Ft Lauderdale, FL
2011	<i>Trough the eyes of Love</i>	Miami International University, FL
2009	<i>Arte Ahora</i>	Aldo Gallery, Chicago, IL
2009	<i>Red Car</i>	Chicago, IL
2009	<i>E32-Lecture</i>	5C Cultural Center, New York, NY
2009	<i>Le Reverse</i>	Central Brussels, Belgium
2008	<i>Old Ship Pub</i>	London, UK
2008	<i>Praying for Acceptance II</i>	Los Angeles, CA
2008	<i>Cornelia Art Center</i>	Chicago, IL
2007	<i>Avocado Project</i>	Humboldt Park Project El Barrio, Chicago IL
2007	<i>Worldwide Moving Image II</i>	Art Light Energy E-32 New York, NY
2006	<i>Urban Tan Salon</i>	Chicago, IL
2006	<i>Shoes of the Immigrant</i>	Humboldt Park Project El Barrio: Chicago, IL

2006	<i>Praying for Acceptance</i>	Hardcore Art Contemporary Space: Miami, FL
2005	<i>Memories Nostalgia</i>	Venezuelan Counseling Gallery: New York, NY
2005	<i>Connecting the Dots</i>	Sol Gallery: Providence, RI
2005	<i>A Frame within a Frame</i>	Affinity Arts: Warren RI
2004	<i>Picante</i>	Athens Institute of Contemporary Art, GA
2004	<i>Pride Event</i>	Velvet Nation: Washington, DC
2003	<i>The Last Supper</i>	Island Art Gallery: New Port, RI
2003	<i>Caribbean Connection</i>	Gallery Tinta Roja: Chicago, IL
2003	<i>Share our Streets</i>	Wicker Park Parade: Chicago IL
2003	<i>MFA Exhibit</i>	Gallery 2: Chicago, IL
2002-03	<i>Deconstruction of the Flag</i>	Gallery-2: Chicago, IL
2002	<i>Live & Help to Live</i>	Vida SIDA. Chicago, IL
2002	<i>Lick and Go</i>	SAIC Gallery: Chicago, IL
2002	<i>Get out of your Shelter</i>	SAIC Gallery: Chicago IL
2002	<i>Noon Lectures</i>	SAIC Gallery: Chicago IL
2002	<i>Le Montage Performance</i>	Museum Art Institute of Chicago: Chicago, IL
2002	<i>The Haymarket Project</i>	Chicago, IL
2002	<i>Exhibition Practice</i>	SAIC Gallery: Chicago IL
2002	<i>Project Enduring</i>	Gallery 1926: Chicago IL
2001	<i>Mentorship Exhibition</i>	Pet & Susan Gallery: Santa Monica, CA
2000	<i>Reflexiones</i>	Trade Center Gallery: Santa Monica, CA
1995	<i>The Pope & I</i>	Kissler Painter Gallery: Laguna Beach, CA
1992	<i>Senior Student Show</i>	Rhode Island College: Providence, RI

CURATORIALS

2022	<i>Sensuality</i>	Art Gallery 21, Wilton Manors. FL
2018	<i>Male, figure & color</i>	Frug, Ft Lauderdale.FI
2005	<i>Memories Nostalgia</i>	Venezuelan Counseling Gallery: New York, NY
2004	<i>Pride Event</i>	Velvet Nation: Washington, DC
2003	<i>Last Supper</i>	Island Art Gallery. Newport, RI
2002	<i>Reflexiones</i>	Trade Center Gallery. Santa Monica, CA

LANGUAGES Written and conversational fluency in Spanish and English

ART REVIEW ARTICLES

Latino Influence on American Culture. Eco Latino. Vol. 2, Issue 5. Aug 2004
Vibrant Impact. Marquee, Arts & Entertainment. Jul 8-14, 2004
Artists on the map. Chicago Artists Month. Oct 2003
Kids take puppets on parade to make point. Chicago Tribune. Sep 08, 2003
World AIDS March. En LaVida. No.78. Dec 2000.
Chicago Marks World AIDS Day. Chicago Free Press. Vol.4, No.16. Dec 4, 2002
Diary. Frontiers Magazine. Oct 20, 1995

References Available Upon Request