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Education:

2012-2014 **Cranbrook Academy of Art**, Master of Fine Arts in Fiber Art, Bloomfield

Hills, MI

2008-2012       **Birmingham-Southern College**, Bachelor of Arts in Art history minor in Art,

 Birmingham, AL

2002-2008      **Alabama School of Fine Art**, High school degree concentration in Visual Art,

 Birmingham, AL

Small Group/ Solo Exhibitions:

2021 **Tethered**, Ground Floor Contemporary, Main Gallery, Birmingham AL

2020 **Vicissitude**, Ground Floor Contemporary, Main Gallery, Birmingham AL

2019 **Unspoken Moment**, Ground Floor Contemporary, Main Gallery, Birmingham AL

2018 **Echo**, Ground Floor Contemporary, Main Gallery, Birmingham AL

2017 **Monkey’s Slide**, Two Person Collaborative Installation, Ground Floor Contemporary, Main Gallery, Birmingham, AL

2016 **Till We Have Faces, Solo Show**, Vulcan Materials Gallery, Alabama School of Fine Arts, Birmingham AL

2015 **Relics of Transition**, Vulcan Materials Gallery, Alabama School of Fine Arts, Birmingham AL

2014 **The Devil and the Straight Line,** Audrey Love Gallery, Bakerhouse Art Complex Gallery, Miami, FL

Juried/ Invitational Group Exhibitions:

2021 **Drawn Together**, Space One Eleven, Main Gallery, Birmingham AL

2021 **Intersections**, Ground Floor Contemporary, Main Gallery, Birmingham AL

2020 **Well + Being**, Port Angeles Fine Arts Center, Port Angeles, WA

2020 **Without Walls**, Ground Floor Contemporary, Online, Birmingham AL

2019 **ArtFields 2019**, Lynches Lake Historical Society, Lake City SC

2019 **Connections**, 21st Street Studios, Main Gallery, Birmingham AL

2018 **Exhibition 21**, Ground Floor Contemporary, Main Gallery, Birmingham AL

2018 **Winter Show**, Green Hill Center for North Carolina Art, Greensboro NC

2018 **Fellowship Show,** The Alabama State Council on the Arts, Montgomery AL

2018 **Nurture**, Ground Floor Contemporary, 21St Street Studios, Birmingham AL

2017 **Women and Their Work I: Affect + Action**, Window Installation, Space One Eleven, Birmingham AL

2017 **Landscapes**, Ground Floor Contemporary, Main Gallery, Birmingham, AL

2017 **Relationship**, 21st Street Studios, Main Gallery, Birmingham, AL

2017 **Contemporary South '17,** Main Gallery, Visual Art Exchange, Raleigh NC

2016 **Craft Forms 2016**, 22nd International Juried Exhibition of Contemporary Crafts, Wayne Art Center, Wayne, PA.

2016 **In Esse: Fibers Exhibition**, The Emily Davis Gallery, The University of Akron, Akron OH

2016 **August Show**, Ground Floor Contemporary, 21St Street Studios, Birmingham AL

2016 **Materials: Hard & Soft,** Patterson-Appleton Center for the Visual Arts, Greater Denton Arts Council, Denton, TX

2016 **Faculty Exhibition**, Durbin Gallery of the Kennedy Center, Birmingham-Southern College, Birmingham AL

2016 **Living Room**, Vulcan Materials Gallery, Alabama School of Fine Arts, Birmingham AL

2015 **BSC Faculty Exhibition**, Miller Art Gallery, Meridian Community College, Meridian MI

2015 **Navigating the Natural**, Visual Art Exchange, Raleigh, NC

2015 **Coastal FiberArts 2015**, The Heritage Museum, Astoria, OR

2015 **Foundry: A Survey of Contemporary Sculpture**, Main Gallery, Visual Art Exchange, Raleigh, NC

2015 **Small Works 2015**, Shirt Factory Gallery, Glens Falls, NY

2015 **Two by Two: Small-Scale Ceramic Sculpture Biennial**, Eastern Washington University, Cheney, WA

2015 **Chroma**, Gallery 263, Cambridge, MA

2014 **Fine Art Craft Hilton Head 2014**, Walter Greer Gallery, Hilton Head Art League, Hilton Head, SC

2014 **Sur(face) Tricks**, Harry Wood Display Case, ASU School of Art, Tempe, AZ

2014 **Miniature!** Arterie Fine Arts Gallery, Naperville, IL

2014 **FRESH 2014 Emerging Artist Exhibition,** AVA Main Gallery, Chattanooga,

TN

2014-2015 **Experiencing Perspectives Art Exhibition Mercedes Benz 2014 – 2015**, Mercedes-Benz Financial Services, Farmington Hills, MI.

2014 **Cranbrook Academy of Art Graduate Thesis Show**, Cranbrook Museum of

Art, Bloomfield Hills, MI

2014 **The Stuff of Dreams**, Forum Gallery, Cranbrook Academy of Art, Bloomfield

Hills, MI

2014                **Less Is More,** Blackboard Gallery, Studio Channel Islands Art Center Camarillo,

CA

2013 **The God Show**, Forum Gallery, Cranbrook Academy of Art, Bloomfield Hills,

MI

2013 **Cranbrook Visions**, Delta College, Saginaw, MI

2013 **Studio Sketches**, Forum Gallery, Cranbrook Academy of Art, Bloomfield Hills,

MI

2013 **The Nest Show**, Grosse Pointe ART Center, Grosse Pointe, MI

2013 **Cranbrook Fiber Department Group Exhibition**, Kingswood Lower Gallery,

Bloomfield Hills, MI

2012 **Yum!**, Forum Gallery, Cranbrook Academy of Art, Bloomfield Hills, MI

2011 **Juried Show**, Durbin Gallery of the Kennedy Center, Birmingham-Southern College, Birmingham, AL

2010  **Juried Show**, Durbin Gallery of the Kennedy Center, Birmingham-Southern College, Birmingham, AL

2008  **Senior Show**, Vulcan Materials Gallery, Alabama School of Fine Arts, Birmingham, AL

Awards/Residencies:

2017 **Visual Arts Fellowship, The Alabama State Council on the Arts**, Montgomery AL

2015 **East Lake Artist Village Residency**, Alabama Dance Council and REV Birmingham, Birmingham AL

2015 **The Cultural Reservation Podere Conte Ràcani – Sculptor Residency**

**Program**, Umbria, Italy

2014 1st Place, Miniature! Juried Show, Arterie Fine Arts Gallery, Naperville, IL

2012 **Robert J Tucker, III & Robert Shelton Award in Inter-disciplinary Studio Art**, Birmingham-Southern College, Birmingham, AL

2008 **Outstanding Senior Award for Visual Art Department**, Alabama School of

Fine Art, Birmingham, AL

2007 **Maryland Institute College of Art Pre-college Studio Residency program**, Baltimore, MD

Bibliography:

2017 Levine, Brett, “Two in the Hand(made)” B-Metro Magazine (October 2017).

2016 “29th Annual Materials: Hard + Soft” 2016 Exhibit Catalog.

2015 “The Color of Thin Air,” sculpturefix.com, June 1- July15.

2015 Ygartua, Elizabeth, “Featured Artists” Slag Mag 2, no. 1 (January 2015): 15.

2014 Matta, Leila. “Experiencing Perspectives Art Exhibition Mercedes Benz 2014- 2015” exhibition catalog. Mercedes-Benz Financial Services, Farmington Hills, MI.

Professional Activities:

2018 **Broken Earth**, Solo Exhibition, Unitarian Universalist Church of Birmingham, Birmingham AL

2018- Current **Member Artist**, Ground Floor Contemporary, Birmingham AL

2016-2018 **Resident Artist,** Ground Floor Contemporary, Birmingham AL

2015-17, 22 **Adjunct Art Professor**, Birmingham-Southern College, Birmingham AL

2015, 2016 Artist Talk, Alabama School of Fine Arts, Birmingham, AL

2013-2014  **Art History Research Internship**, St. Andrews Benevolent Society of Detroit, Troy, MI

2013 Artist Talk, Delta College, Saginaw, MI

2012-2013 **Volunteer Art Teacher**, Kadima Center for Mental Illness, Detroit, MI