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EDUCATION

- 2023** **Master of Fine Arts**, Printmaking and Bookmaking, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Milwaukee, WI
- 2019** **Bachelor of Fine Art**, Concentrations in Printmaking and Drawing, Ball State University, Muncie, IN
- 2019** **Erasmus + Exchange program**, E. Geppert Academy of Art and Design, Wroclaw, PL

WORK EXPERIENCE

- 2022-present** **Printshop Monitor**, Anchor Press, Paper and Print, Milwaukee, WI
Open and close the studio, assist members using the studio, clean and maintain the studio.
- 2022-present** **Studio Assistant**, Nirmal Raja, Artist and Curator, Milwaukee, WI
Assisting with creative research, creating SketchUp models for exhibition layouts, installing/ deinstalling installations and exhibitions, transporting artworks.
- 2021-2023** **Graduate Intern**, Special Collections, Golda Meir Library, Milwaukee, WI
Curating exhibitions, preparing materials for exhibition, writing for the Special Collections blog, verifying new acquisitions in the database, checking in and out materials, shelving materials, assisting patrons, pulling materials for patrons, working the front desk, scanning interlibrary loan requests.
- 2022** **Art Faculty**, Blue Lakes Fine Arts Camp, Twin Lake, MI
Teaching a Painting and Drawing class and one Mixed media class to kids in 8th-12th grade.
- 2018-2020** **Assistant Preparator**, David Owsley Museum of Art, Muncie, IN
Handling artworks, matting and framing works on paper, maintaining pedestals, vitrines, and galleries, unpacking and packing artworks/ traveling exhibitions, hanging vinyl, lighting galleries, installing exhibitions.
- 2017** **Collections Management Intern** (Paid), David Owsley Museum of Art, Muncie, IN
Evaluating and reporting condition of works on paper, maintaining inventory and database, facilitating and supervising study appointments and viewer experiences.

HONORS

- 2023** **Moebius Outstanding Achievement Award**, Student Staff Employee of the Year, UWM Libraries, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Milwaukee, WI
- 2022** **Distinguished Graduate Fellowship**, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Milwaukee, WI

- 2020-2022 **Advanced Opportunity Fellowship**, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Milwaukee, WI
- 2019 **Erasmus Scholarship**, Ball State University and E. Geppert Academy, Wroclaw, PL
Centennial Scholars Scholarship, Ball State University, Muncie, IN
Outstanding Student in Printmaking, Ball State University School of Art, Muncie, IN

CURATORIAL WORK

- 2023 *The Book as Quilt*, Special Collections UWM Libraries, Milwaukee, WI
Jody Williams's Flying Paper Press, Special Collections UWM Libraries, Milwaukee, WI
- 2022 *Brief History of the Woodcut*, Special Collections UWM Libraries, Milwaukee, WI
- UWM Creates*, Special Collections UWM Libraries, Milwaukee, WI
- 2021 *Livre d'Artiste*, Special Collections UWM Libraries, Milwaukee, WI
- 2019 *5th annual Printer Jam*, Muncie Makes Lab, Muncie, IN

SERVICE ACTIVITIES

- 2022 **Instructor**, simple book structures, 5th grade, Bayside Middle School, Bayside, WI
Volunteer Printer, Steam Roller MKE, Anchor Press, Paper, Print, Milwaukee, WI
- 2021 **Project Leader**, Papermaking and Printmaking with Teens Grow Greens at the Community Harvest Festival, Milwaukee, WI
Volunteer Printer, Makers Faire, with UWM Print Club, Milwaukee, WI
Assistant, Screen-printing at Zinefest, with UWM Print Club, Milwaukee, WI
Volunteer Printer, Steam Roller MKE, House of RAD, Milwaukee, WI
- 2020 **Volunteer Printer**, with Anchor Press, Paper, Prints, Third Ward, Milwaukee, WI

PRESENTATIONS

- 2023 *Printmakers Panel Discussion*, David Owsley Museum of Art, Muncie, IN
Senior Capstone Class Artist Talk, Ball State University, Muncie, IN
- 2022 *ART: 2-D Concepts Art 108*, Artist's Books Presentation, Special Collections, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Milwaukee, WI
- 2021 *Pecha Kucha Artist Talk*, Peck School of the Arts, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Milwaukee, WI
Artist Talk, 48th annual Juried Show, Union Art Gallery, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Milwaukee, WI

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS

- 2023 *TMA Contemporary*, Trout Museum of Art, Appleton, WI
Boyfriend Material, Brooks Stevens Gallery at MIAD, Milwaukee, WI (Invitation)
In Here, Out There, MFA Thesis Exhibition, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, WI
43rd National Print Exhibition, Artlink, Fort Wayne, IN
- 2022 *See Me, LGBTQIA Artists in Wisconsin*, River Arts Center Gallery, Prairie du Sac, WI
The Further We Reach, The Closer We See, MARN, Milwaukee, WI
Feed Your Soul, Anchor Press Paper Print, Milwaukee, WI
Lonely No More, Center for 21st Century Studies, Milwaukee, WI
42nd National Print Exhibition, Artlink, Fort Wayne, IN
Queer Printmaking and Futurity, UW Art Lofts, Madison, WI
- 2021 *It Was All Very Queer*, St. Louis Artist Guild- Saint Louis, MO
48th Annual Juried Show, UWM Union Art Gallery- Milwaukee, Milwaukee, WI
The Future is Queer, Online Exhibition- thefutureisqueer.com
- 2020 *Wisconsin Prints 2*, Anchor Press, Paper, & Prints, Kenosha, WI
30th Annual Juried Art Show and Sale, Minnetrista Cultural Center, Muncie, IN
39th National Print Exhibition, Artlink Contemporary Art Gallery, Fort Wayne, IN