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b. 1968, Wilmington, DE

Lives and works in Las Vegas, NV

Solo Exhibitions

2020 *Father Factor*, Juxtapose--Akimbo Gallery Palm Desert, CA

2019 *Blowout*, Juxtapose--Akimbo Gallery, Palm Desert, CA

2014 *Passages*, Carvel State Building, Wilmington, DE

2013 *Saturated Solution*, Delaware Center for Horticulture, Wilmington, DE

Two-Person Exhibitions

2019 *Blowout*, Core Contemporary Gallery, Las Vegas, NV

Group Exhibitions

2024 Dinner Exhibition, Lenscratch Website, Los Angeles, CA

2023 *Favorite Photograph*, Lenscratch Website, Los Angeles, CA

Use Another Door, Core Contemporary Gallery, Las Vegas, NV

2022 *Pairs and Diptychs*, Lenscratch Website, Los Angeles, CA

Use Another Door, Core Contemporary Gallery, Las Vegas, NV

Horror Show, Local Host Website, Covid-19 Imagery

Where Are We Now, Lenscratch Website, Los Angeles, CA

2021 *Use Another Door*, Core Contemporary Gallery, Las Vegas, NV

Chania International Photo Festival, Chania, Greece

2020 *Self Quarantining*, Lenscratch Website, Los Angeles, CA

2019 *Blowout*, Pivotal Image, Cumulus Photo

2018 *Blowout*, Sony World Photo Awards, Traveling Exhibition, Royal Villa of Monza, IT

Blowout, Sony World Photo Awards, Traveling Exhibition, Willy Brandt Haus, Berlin, DE

Blowout, Sony World Photo Awards, Traveling Exhibition, Galerie Collection Art Gallery, Paris, FR

Blowout, Sony World Photo Awards, Traveling Exhibition, Somerset House, London, GB

Blowout, Darkroom Gallery, Essex Jct, VT

2015 *Alumni Exhibition*, University of the Arts, Philadelphia, PA

Faculty Exhibition, Delaware College of Art and Design, Wilmington, DE

2014 *Faculty Exhibition*, Delaware College of Art and Design, Wilmington, DE

Grant Fellowship Exhibition, Biggs Museum of American Art, Dover, DE

2013 *Faculty Exhibition*, Delaware College of Art and Design, Wilmington, DE

2012 *Neighborhoods of Philadelphia*, Philadelphia History Museum, Philadelphia, PA

2010 *Cyanotypes*, Colour-Works Gallery, Wilmington, DE

Teaching Appointments

- 2016-2017 Somerset Academy, Studio Arts Teacher, Las Vegas, NV
2013-2016 Delaware College of Art and Design, Adjunct Professor of Photography, Wilmington, DE
2010-2016 Delaware College of Art and Design, Continuing Education Instructor, Wilmington, DE

Education

- 2013 University of the Arts: Bachelor of Fine Arts in Photography, Philadelphia, PA
2010 Delaware College of Art and Design, Associate of Fine Arts in Photography, Wilmington, DE

Publication

- 2023 F-Stop Magazine, *Collaboration Projects*, Issue, #121
2022 Not Real Art, *Artist Spotlight*, November 24, 2022
Lens Magazine, *The Intimate Issue*, Issue #91
2020 Loosen Art Magazine and Gallery, *Abstraction*
F-Stop Magazine, *Journey*, Issue #102
Lenscratch Fine Art Photography Daily, *Self-Quarantine*
2019 F-Stop Magazine, *Blowout*, Issue #95
Monovision Magazine, *Blowout*
Black and White Magazine, *Blowout*
2018 Pastiche Mag, *Blowout*, Issue #2
Adore Noir Magazine, *Blowout*, Issue #43

Awards and Residencies

- 2022 Lucie Foundation, Carte Blanche Competition, Finalist, Los Angeles, CA
2021 Helene Wurlitzer Foundation Artist Residency Grant, Taos, NM
Lucie Foundation, Notions of Home Competition, Finalist, Los Angeles, CA
Documentary Family Awards, Varied Interpretations of Family, Finalist, Victoria, BC, Canada
The Photo Review Journal, Photography Competition, Winning Image, Langhorne, PA
Muse International Photography Competition, Silver Award
2020 The Photo Review Journal, Editor's Pick, Langhorne, PA
2018 International Photography Grant, Nominee, London, England
Moscow International Photo Awards, Honorable Mention, Moscow, Russia
Monovisions Photography Awards, Honorable Mention,
Prix De La Photographie Paris, Honorable Mention Paris, France
Lenculture Magazine, *Portrait Awards*, Editor's Pick, Amsterdam, Netherlands
Fine Art Photography Awards, Photographer of the Year, Nominee, London, England
Sony World Photography Competition, Commended Photographer, London, England
2017 International Photographer of the Year Competition, Honorable Mention
Neutral Density Photography Awards, Honorable Mention
The Photo Review Journal, Editor's Pick, Langhorne, PA

- 2016 The Photo Review Journal, Editor's Pick, Langhorne, PA
Lensculture Magazine, Editor's Pick, Amsterdam, Netherlands
- 2015 Lensculture Exposure 15 Awards, Editor's Pick, Amsterdam, Netherlands
- 2014 Delaware Division of the Arts, Artist Fellowship Grant, Wilmington, DE
The Photo Review Journal, Editor's Pick, Philadelphia, PA
- 2013 University of the Arts, Honors Graduate, Philadelphia, PA
University of the Arts, Presidential Scholarship, Philadelphia, PA
- 2012 University of the Arts, Presidential Scholarship, Philadelphia, PA

Collections

Center Advancing the Photographic Arts, Image Library and Archive, Santa Fe, NM
Helene Wurlitzer Foundation, Taos, NM
Philadelphia History Museum, Philadelphia, PA
Core Contemporary Gallery, Las Vegas, NV
Darkroom Gallery, Essex Jct, VT
University of the Arts, Photography Teaching Print Collection, Philadelphia, PA
Covid-19 Picture Archive, OR
University of Maryland Hospital, Baltimore, MD

Articles and Reviews

- 2022 Jena Eberhardt, Portraits in ICEolation, Not Real Art, November 24, 2022
- 2019 Dawn-Michelle Baude, *Blowout Review*, Las Vegas Weekly Magazine, August 18, 2019
Monovision Magazine, *Blowout Interview*, Online, May 6, 2019
- 2018 Chris Kovacs, Adore Noir Magazine, *Blowout Interview*, Issue 43, April 1, 2018
- 2014 Christopher Yasiejko, *Delaware Division of Arts Fellowship Grant interview*, July 2014
Delaware Today Magazine, *Passages Exhibition*, October 5, 2014

Professional Service

Juror, European Photography Awards, International Awards Association
Juror, Muse International Photography Awards, International Awards Association
Juror, Helen Wurlitzer Foundation, Taos, NM
Juror, Delaware Photographic Society, Wilmington, DE
Guest Speaker, Delaware College of Art and Design, Wilmington, DE
Restorer and Archivist, Talley Estate, *Leonard C. Tally Collection*, Wilmington, DE