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BIO

b. 1992 Boston, Massachusetts.
Lives and works in Burlington, Vermont.

EDUCATION

2015 BA Studio Art, University of Vermont
2015 BS Social Work, University of Vermont

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS

December 2023 *Tangential Splinters*, Ortega y Gasset Projects, Brooklyn, NY
December 2022 *Troy Glow*, Capital Region Arts Center, Troy, NY
October 2022 *Here in Spirit*, The Church, Hillsdale, NY
August 2022 *Exposed*, The Current, Stowe, VT
April 2022 *Passages*, solo Show at Epsilon Spires, Brattleboro, VT
2021 *Out of Office*, curated by Angelik Vizcarrondo-Laboy, Collar Works, Troy NY
2021 *Very Tender*, Flowerhead Gallery, Los Angeles CA
2019 *Running Through the World Like an Open Razor*, a group show curated by artist Estefania Puerta, Burlington VT
2019 *An Archive of Feeling*, Chandler Gallery, a group show curated by J. Turk, Randolph, VT
2019 *Tocar El Suelo*, solo exhibition, Frontera Studios, Mexico City, MX
2018 *What They Didn't Notice*, Pine Street Studios, Burlington VT
2018 *Perpetual Light*, Waking Windows Festival, Winooski VT
2018 *Encounter Empty*, New City Galerie, Burlington VT
2017 *Public Proof*, New City Galerie, Burlington VT
2016 *Glitterbox*, Eight Space Art Studios, Burlington VT
2015 *Bookbody*, New City Galerie, Burlington VT
2015 *Retro Womb*, Francis Colburn Gallery, Burlington VT

RESIDENCIES

January 2024 Artist in Circulation Residency at Champlain College, Burlington VT
April 2023 The Corporation of Yaddo, Saratoga Springs, NY
2020 Vermont Studio Center, Johnson VT
2019 The Lab Program, Mexico City, Mexico
2018 Black Box Theater Residency at AS220, Providence, RI
2018 Vermont Artists Week, Vermont Studio Center, Johnson VT
2018 Artist Residence at the Generator Maker Space, Burlington VT
2015 Artist in Residence at New City Galerie, Burlington VT

PRESS

2024 Interview with Art New England

2024 [Virtual Visit with Paradise Palase](#), Brooklyn, NY

2022 [Through a Mended Portal](#), an essay by [Rachel Jones](#)

2020 [BCA Virtual Studio Tour](#)

2018 [Artist Lydia Kern Talks Glitter, Bones, and Solidarity](#), *Seven Days*, Burlington VT

2018 [Bones N' Roses. Q+A with Lydia Kern](#), *State 14*, Vermont

2018 Perpetual Light, *Waking Windows*, Burlington VT

PUBLICATIONS

2019 [Tocar El Suelo](#), published by *The Lab Program* in Mexico City

2019 [Tele-art magazine Issue II, Issue Two](#)

PUBLIC WORKS

2023 (to be installed 2025) *Anthology*, permanent public sculpture a part of the Great Streets Initiative in Burlington, VT

CONTINUED EDUCATION

2023 NYC Crit Club Canopy Cohort

2021-present NYC Crit Club (various classes)

COMMUNITY WORK

2021-2022 Homebase Art Show, Burlington VT

Curated a show of Homebase client's work, an organization that supports adults with developmental disabilities. Made possible through the BCA community grant.

2020-2021 Voices of Laurentide, Burlington VT

A collaboration with artist Corrine Yonce, funded by the BCA community grant, working with the residents of the affordable housing community Laurentide to create an installation with residents for their community room.

2019-2020 First Grade Art Class Teaching Assistant, Kate Donnelly's Art Program at Green Door Studio

2019 Found Object Fun House Project, Burlington VT

A summer art course I designed & taught for students from the King Street Center with support from the BCA for the Festival of Fools.

2018-present Art instructor at Homebase Inc., Burlington VT

This position involves creating and teaching exploratory art classes for adults with developmental disabilities

2018 Laser Cut Chair Design Workshop Instructor, the Generator Makerspace, Burlington VT

2016-2018 Co-creator and Facilitator of the Budding Artist Support Group, Burlington VT

A bi-monthly group that creates space for emerging artists to share concerns and successes with their practice, share resources, and host critiques.