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EDUCATION

2025-2027 M.A., Art Education (expected)
School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL
Recipient, New Artist's Society Scholarship

2022 B.F.A., Studio Art
New York University, New York, NY
3.79 GPA, cum laude

EXHIBITIONS

*denotes group exhibition

2025 ***Utopian Pride Flags on Main***, Installation with the Old Wethersfield Shopkeepers Association, (Old Wethersfield, CT)
Utopian Pride Flag #3, Edition of 100 hand held flags for the Town of Wethersfield Pride Festival, (Wethersfield, CT)

2024 ***In Defense of Black Leisure***, Performance with Noel W Anderson Studios at the 15th Gwangju Biennale, Gwangju Biennale Foundation (Gwangju, South Korea)*
Free Flag Ironing, Performance in Washington Square Park (New York, NY)
A Pre-Utopian Pride Flag Code, featured publication at Printed Matter's booth, Frieze Art Fair New York, The Shed (New York, NY)*
Utopian Pride Flag #16, Three-month-long public installation at 1115 Willoughby Ave. Brooklyn (New York, NY)

2023 ***Free Ironing***, Recurring performance, Tompkins Square Park (New York, NY)
Ironing the Pride Flag, Recurring performance, Queer bars (New York, NY)

2022 ***Will There Really Be a Morning?***, The Commons Gallery (New York, NY)*
Big Bang, Noise Gallery (New York, NY)*
My Video Show, Tanthem Gallery (New York, NY)

PUBLICATIONS & WRITING

2026 [***"Tesseract Feminism: Mapping the Fifth 'Wave' with Hyper-Geometry"***](#)
short essay, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Prof. Sarah Ross

2024 [***"A Pre-Utopian Pride Flag Code,"***](#) self-published essay, printed at Directangle Press, [distributed by Printed Matter, Inc.](#)

2023 [***"Conversation With Mia," You Stir The Pot: Recipes for Change, Volume 1***](#), published by Victoria Manganiello, [distributed by Snake Hair Press](#)

2022 [***"Coffee and Anthills,"***](#) self-published collection of short stories and poetry

2020 ["Coming Out Together,"](#) *Color Club NYC Pandemic Pamphlet series*, published and distributed by Color Club Publications

RESIDENCIES

2024 Directangle Press Artist Residency (Bethlehem, New Hampshire)

PERMANENT COLLECTIONS

2025 Town of Wethersfield Historical Society (Old Wethersfield, CT)

The Earl of Bushwick (Brooklyn, NY)

2024 Directangle Press (Bethlehem, New Hampshire)

WORK EXPERIENCE

2020-2024 Studio Manager, *Noel W Anderson Studios* - Bronx, NY

2019-2020 Installation Technician, *Real Art Ways* - Hartford, CT

INSTITUTIONAL INSTRUCTION

2025-Present *School of the Art Institute of Chicago* - Chicago, IL
Teaching Assistant - Contemporary Practices Department,
Performance Department, Printmaking Department

2023-2024 *New York University, Steinhardt* - New York, NY

Guest Artist - Fiber Department

2022-2024 *New York University, Steinhardt* - New York, NY

Teaching Assistant - Print Department

AFFILIATIONS

2026-Present Member, *Chicago Gay Men's Chorus* - Chicago, IL

2024-Present Co-Chair, *Town of Wethersfield Pride Committee* - Wethersfield, CT