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Education

2021- Present – Doctor of Philosophy in Fine Arts, Critical Studies & Artistic Practice, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX

2022- 2023 – Class [A] Master Barber’s License, Trendz Barber Academy, Lubbock, TX

2018- 2020 – Master of Fine Arts in Visual Arts, Watkins College of Art, Nashville, TN

2012- 2016 – Bachelor of Science in Fine Arts, Tennessee State University, Nashville, TN

Career

2023- Present – Instructor of Record, (Strategies for Global Communications through Arts Methods) Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX

2023- Present – Instructor of Record, (Reimagining Art Education) Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX

2021- 2023 – Teaching Assistant, (Art Appreciation) Texas Tech University Landmark Arts Gallery, Lubbock, TX

2021- 2022 – Gallery Assistant, Texas Tech University Landmark Arts Gallery, Lubbock, TX

2019- 2021– Admissions Counselor, University of Michigan Stamps School of Art & Design, Ann Arbor, MI

2017- 2019 – Painting Instructor, Painting with a Twist, Nashville, TN

2016-2018 – Exhibitions & Design Coordinator, Frist Art Museum, Nashville, TN

Artwork Installations/ Exhibitions

2023 – A Hug For My Homies, solo show, LHUCA—Lott Gallery, Lubbock, TX

2022 – Re-Cover, Re-Form, group show, Belmont University—Leu Art Gallery, Lubbock, TX

2022 – Black Bromance pt.2, solo show, TTU SOA—Satellite Gallery, Lubbock, TX

2022 – Black Bromance, solo show, East Lubbock Art House, Lubbock, TX

2022 – Respite pt. 2, group show, Pencil on Paper Gallery, Dallas, TX

2022– Trinity in Unity, group show, Ensworth HS—Ingram Gallery, Nashville, TN

2021– SPECTRUM, group show, TSU—Hiram Van Gordon Gallery, Nashville, TN

2021– MFA Thesis Show, group show, Belmont University—, Nashville, TN

2020 – Untitled, solo installation, The Brownlee O. Currey, Jr. Gallery, Nashville, TN

2019 – Summer Residency Showcase, group show, Watkins College of Art, Nashville, TN

2019 – Winterim Residency Showcase, group show, Brownlee O. Currey, Jr. Gallery, Nashville, TN

2018 – Summer Residency Showcase, group show, Watkins Gallery Node, Nashville, TN

2016 – Senior Showcase, “Straight Outta Elliot”, Hiram Van Gordon Gallery, Nashville, TN

2015 – Rocketown TSU Showcase, Rocketown, Nashville, TN

Professional Experiences & Accomplishments

- 2022 – TWO BLACK MEN TALK, Panelist and moderator**, East Lubbock Art House, Lubbock, TX
- 2022 – Trinity in Unity, Panelist**, Ensworth High School, Nashville, TN
- 2022 – Artist Talk**, Art Appreciation class, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX
- 2022 – Artist Talk**, The Educators' Cooperative, Virtual
- 2020 – Panel Moderator**, The Stamps School of Art & Design Gallery, Virtual
- 2019 – Artist Talk, “I am a Graphite Diamond”**, Watkins College of Art, Nashville, TN
- 2019 – Presentation, Pecha Kucha**, Watkins College of Art, Nashville, TN
- 2018 – Audio Guide Contributor for Nick Cave FEAT. Exhibition**, Frist Art Museum Nashville, TN
- 2014 – Live Painting Performance**, Tennessee State University, Nashville, TN

Publications

- 2021 – Contributing Author to annual edition of Trends, The Journal of the Texas Art Education Association.**, Lubbock, TX
- 2018 – Catalog Contributor for Nick Cave FEAT. Exhibition**, Frist Art Museum, Nashville, TN

Academic Research & Projects

- 2020 – Scholarly Essay**, *“Playing it Cool: Addressing Black Masculinity Performance”*
- 2019 – Series of Essays**, *“The Black Bromance Book: A Convergence of Black Masculinity and Platonic Intimacy”*
- 2019 – Mid-Year Thesis Project**, *“African American Emotional Intelligence: Turning on the lights”*