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SELECTED SOLO-EXHIBITIONS

2018

Outstanding Balance
Heaven Gallery, Chicago

What We Can Handle
Bert Green Fine Art, Chicago

2017

Strange Mess
The Luminary; St. Louis, Missouri

Puddles
A traveling exhibition presented by Say Uncle
Participating venues:
University Galleries of Illinois State University; Normal, IL
DEMO Project; Springfield, IL
Sidecar; Hammond, IN
Boneyard Arts Festival; Urbana, IL

Stay alive
Chicago Artists Coalition

2014

You Have No Idea
THE SUB-MISSION; Chicago

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2018

Proximities
Bradley University Galleries; Peoria IL

Dangerous Professors
Flatland Gallery; Houston, TX

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Triumph; Chicago

2017

Outside Jokes
DEMO Project; Springfield, IL

The 2017 Terrain Biennial
South Shore, Chicago

TIME
Société d'Électricité; Brussels, Belgium

2016

Welcome To The End
The Franklin; Chicago

Not Just Another Pretty Face
Hyde Park Art Center; Chicago

BOLT Preview 6: We've Met Before
Chicago Artists Coalition

Bad Habits (Remember Me)
fort gondo compound for the arts; St. Louis, MO

New Business
Hyde Park Art Center; Chicago

Dock 6 Art & Design Series #9
Dock 6 Collective; Chicago

You Are Looking Good, A Real Good Looker
Chicago Artists Coalition

2015

Construct
FLATSstudio; Chicago

LAPS
Le Carreau du Cergy; Paris

Dark Fiber
Curated by Marissa Lee Benedict and David Reuter; EXPO Chicago 2015

Rough Idle
Chicago Artists Coalition

Kunstenfestival Watou
Watou, Belgium

ACTIVATE
Represented by Johalla Projects; Chicago

Lost in Trans
The University of North Texas Art Gallery; Denton, TX

2014

No More Drama In My Life
Lehr Zeitgenössische Kunst; Berlin

From Downtown (We Got This)

A collaboration with Matt Austin; Museum of Contemporary Art Chicago

The Middle of Everywhere

Burren College of Art; Newtown Castle, County Clare, Ireland

Starwalker: Threewalls Annual Gala

Represented by ACRE, Sixty Inches from Center, Autotelic Studios and The Chicago Perch
Mana Contemporary, Chicago

LAPS

La Fondation Vasarely; Aix-en-Provence, France

BFA Thesis Exhibition

Sullivan Galleries; The School of the Art Institute of Chicago

Please Stand By

ACRE_TV; Mana Contemporary Chicago

2013

Present

Chicago Art Department (West); Chicago

Hi-Vis

Burren College of Art; Newtown Castle, County Clare, Ireland

Serenade

Terrain Exhibitions; Oak Park, IL

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Chicago Art Department (East); Chicago

Dock 6 Art & Design Series #5

Dock 6 Collective; Chicago

Mere Observation

Manifold (In collaboration with ACRE Projects); Chicago

SELECTED PERFORMANCE VENUES

2017-2018

The Museum of Contemporary Art Chicago
The Art Institute of Chicago
Smart Museum of Art, The University of Chicago
Chicago Cultural Center
Harold Washington Library
Hyde Park Art Center
Steppenwolf Theatre
Victory Gardens Theatre
The Den Theatre
Arts Incubator

AWARDS & RESIDENCIES

2018, Facebook Artist-In-Residence Program
2018, Montello Foundation Artist Residency
2016-2017, BOLT Residency; Chicago Artists Coalition
2016, Ox-Bow School of Art Fall Residency
2016, ACRE Artist Residency; Steuben, WI
2016, The Center Program; Hyde Park Art Center
2015, Luminarts Visual Arts Fellowship Award
2015, The Burren College of Art Alumni Residency Award
2014-2015, HATCH Projects; Chicago Artists Coalition
2014, Award of Excellence; Dave Bown Projects
2014, Edward L. Ryerson Fellowship Award
2012, Mormyrid Artist Residency; Chicago, IL
2012, ACRE Artist Residency; Steuben, WI

PRIVATE & PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

Facebook Permanent Collection
Hyde Park Art Center Permanent Collection
Joan Flasch Artists' Book Collection
ACE Hotel Chicago Permanent Collection
Private collection of Nick Cave
Private collection of Jason Kalajainen
Private collection of Myrna Kaplan

EDUCATION

2014, The School of the Art Institute of Chicago (Bachelor of Fine Arts)
2013, Burren College of Art, County Clare, Ireland
2011-2013, The School of the Art Institute of Chicago
2006-2008, Columbia College Chicago