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EDUCATION

- 2026 **Harvard Graduate School of Design, Cambridge, MA**
- ▷ Masters in Design Studies (MDes) – Mediums
 - ▷ MIT – Cross Registration
- 2018 **Whitman College, Walla Walla, WA**
- ▷ BA in Art, BA in Economics
 - ▷ Study Abroad: Glasgow School of Art

RESIDENCIES & FELLOWSHIPS

- 2024 **Wassaic Project, Wassaic, NY**
- 2023 **I-Park Foundation, East Haddam, CT**
Kimmel Harding Nelson Center for the Arts, Nebraska City, NE
- 2022 **Sitka Center for Art and Ecology, Otis, OR**
- 2020 **Centrum, Port Townsend, WA**
- 2019 **Shell House Arts, Roxbury, NY**
Fellowship – Vermont Studio Center, Johnson, VT
Vermont Studio Center, Johnson, VT
- 2018 **North Cascades Institute, Diablo, WA**

PROFESSIONAL PROGRAMS

- 2021 **Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, NY**
- ▷ GIS + Design Professional Studies Certificate
- 2018 **Participant – New York Arts Practicum, New York, NY**

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indicates a solo or two
person show

ART SHOWS, INSTALLATIONS, AND EXHIBITIONS

- 2024 **Made in the Shade, Omerta Arts – Helena, MT**
- 2023 **Form 3 (I-Park Foundation Site Installation) – East Haddam, CT**
*** Initial Conditions, Emerson Center – Bozeman, MT**
Shed Show, 426 Tracy – Bozeman, MT
- 2019 **What Others Would Do, Vermont Studio Center – Johnson, VT**
*** Charlie Bloomquist & Eric Rannestad, Brasserie 4 – Walla Walla, WA**
- 2018 **The All Media Juried Exhibition, Chase Gallery – Spokane, WA**
Alder Roots Collective, Art Escape Studios – Walla Walla, WA
Sketches, Tracy's Room – Brooklyn, NY
Thesis Exhibition, Sheehan Gallery – Walla Walla, WA
- 2017 **CAHOOT, Laurieston Arches – Glasgow, UK**
Series Two, McClellan Galleries – Glasgow, UK
- 2016 *** Eric Rannestad, Studio Articolore – Walla Walla, WA**
*** Poking Holes In The Firmament, Sapolil Cellars – Walla Walla, WA**
- 2015 **34th Annual Festival of the Arts, Wallowa Valley Arts Council – Joseph, OR**
Power and Privilege, Stevens Gallery – Walla Walla, WA

AWARDS AND GRANTS

- 2024 **GSD Merit Scholarship – Tier 1, Harvard Graduate School of Design**
- 2019 **Clowes Fund Fellowship, Vermont Studio Center**
VSC Artist Grant, Vermont Studio Center
First Place – The All Media Juried Exhibition, Chase Gallery

2018 **Distinction in Major**, *Whitman Art Department*
Lewis B. Perry Merit Award, *Fouts Center For Visual Arts*
2017 **Dann Dunn Memorial Grant**, *ArtWalla*
Best In Show — ArtSquared 2017, *ArtWalla*
2016 **Lewis B. Perry Merit Award**, *Fouts Center For Visual Arts*
2014 **President's Scholarship in Art**, *Whitman College*

EMPLOYMENT

2020 - Current **Communications Designer**, *Montana Association of Conservation Districts — Bozeman, MT*
2019 - Current **Freelance**, *Design & Cartography — Bozeman, MT*
2019 - Current **Art Director**, *Mangoprism — Remote*
2018 - 2019 **Communications Intern**, *Walla Walla Conservation District — Walla Walla, WA*
2018 **Studio Assistant**, *Clement Valla Studio — New York, NY*
2017 - 2018 **Sculpture Monitor**, *Whitman College Art Department — Walla Walla WA*
2017 - 2018 **Design Intern**, *The Nature Conservancy (Oregon Chapter) — Remote*
2017 **Research Intern**, *ECONorthwest — Portland, OR*
2015 - 2017 **Studio Intern**, *Studio Articolore — Walla Walla, WA*

PUBLIC ARTIST TALKS AND PRESENTATIONS

2024 **Artist Talk**, *Kimmel Harding Nelson Center for the Arts — Nebraska City, NE*
2023 **Artist Talk**, *Sitka Center for Art and Ecology — Otis, OR*
2018 **Artist Talk**, *North Cascades Institute — Diablo, WA*

PRESS & PUBLICATIONS

2019 [Fringes Observatory](#)

AFFILIATIONS

2023 - Current **Member**, *Foundwork - Online*
2015 - 2019 **Member**, *ArtWalla - Walla Walla , WA*
2017 **Member**, *Flight 64 Studio Member - Portland, OR*
2016 **Member**, *Studio Articolore Member Artist*

COLLECTIONS

Whitman Art Collections