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EDUCATION

2018 ***Master of Fine Arts*** (*in progress*)
Painting emphasis
San Francisco Art Institute – San Francisco, CA

2011 ***Bachelor of Arts***
Studio Art major
Lawrence University – Appleton, WI

Bachelor of Music
Euphonium Performance major
Lawrence University – Appleton, WI

SOLO & TWO-PERSON EXHIBITIONS

2017 ***Down for the Count***
Glen Ellyn Public Library – Glen Ellyn, IL

2016 ***Sober Madness***
Archer Beach Haus – Chicago, IL

Fructus mysticalus: Uncensored
Naperville Art League – Naperville, IL

2015 ***Mystical Fruits***
Oesterle Gallery – Naperville, IL

2014 ***Second Friday***
Error Plain 206 – Chicago, IL

Gilded Gaze
If These Walls Could Talk – Aurora, IL

2013 ***Provenance***

- If These Walls Could Talk – Aurora, IL
- 2012 ***Provenance***
Loose Leaf Lounge – Chicago, IL
- arow Collective presents The Drop Out Kids***
Clothes Optional Vintage – Chicago, IL
- Hair 'n There***
Pilsen Vintage & Thrift – Chicago, IL
- January at Simone's***
Simone's – Chicago, IL
- 2011 ***Can't Stop Starin' at What Y'r Wearin'***
Comet Vintage – Chicago, IL
- 2010 ***Love is MADness***
Warch Campus Center, Lawrence University - Appleton, WI

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2017 ***Concentrate : Spectacle*** [juried]
Fort Mason Center for the Arts – San Francisco, CA
- Wikihow to Set Up an Exhibition*** [juried]
Swell Gallery – San Francisco, CA
- SFAI Annual Gala : The Original Disruptors*** [juried]
SFAI Courtyard – San Francisco, CA
- SFAI Graduate Open Studios***
SFAI Graduate Center – San Francisco, CA
- Figuratively Speaking*** [juried]
Diego Rivera Gallery – San Francisco, CA
- How to be Looked At*** [juried]
Swell Gallery – San Francisco, CA
- 2016 ***Retrospect***
Naperville Art League – Naperville, IL
- 40th Annual TWSA Exhibition*** [juried]
Kenosha Public Museum – Kenosha, WI

- Illinois Watercolor Society 32nd National Exhibition*** [*Honorable Mention*]
The Next Picture Show – Dixon, IL
- Illinois Watercolor Society Members' Show 2016*** [*Award of Excellence*]
Mayslake Peabody Estate – Oakbrook, IL
- Famous Fakes*** [*Best of Show*]
Naperville Art League – Naperville, IL
- 2015 ***Blick on View*** [*juried*]
Cobalt Studio – Chicago, IL
- Pen & Ink Show***
Logan Square Tattoo – Chicago, IL
- Scharfe Luft: Chicago - Vienna Exchange Art*** [*international*]
Archer Beach Haus – Chicago, IL
- Missing Piece***
Naperville Art League – Naperville, IL
- Art of Fútbol***
Prairie Production Studio – Chicago, IL
- Illinois Watercolor Society 31th National Exhibition*** [*“Named Award”*]
The Next Picture Show – Dixon, IL
- Encounters*** [*Best in Show*]
Naperville Art League – Naperville, IL
- 2014 ***Illinois Watercolor Society Members' Show 2014***
Bloomington Park District Museum – Bloomington, IL
- Fearsome Creatures of the Lumberwoods*** [*invited*]
Lumberwoods Gallery – Appleton, WI
Curator: John Adams
- Open Market*** [*Best in Show*]
Naperville Art League – Naperville, IL
- Sparse*** [*Best in Show*]
Naperville Art League – Naperville, IL
- Illinois Watercolor Society 30th National Exhibition*** [*Honorable Mention*]
The Next Picture Show – Dixon, IL

Comic Relief

If These Walls Could Talk – Aurora, IL

Grounds for Potential

Naperville Art League – Naperville, IL

2013 ***Illinois Watercolor Society Members' Show 2013***

Mayslake Peabody Estate – Oakbrook, IL

VACI Open Exhibition

Leon & Gloria Plevin Gallery – Chautauqua, NY

Façade

Schoenherr Gallery – Naperville, IL

[juried]

Out of the Blue

Naperville Art League – Naperville, IL

Do Not Disturb

Naperville Art League – Naperville, IL

2012 ***Two Years of Cloud Cover***

The Black Cloud Gallery – Chicago, IL

[juried]

Concart 2012

Chicago Art Department – Chicago, IL

Art of Fútbol

Society Art Gallery – Chicago, IL

Embody

The Black Cloud Gallery – Chicago, IL

[trio]

arow Collective presents Word to the Motha

The Gym – Chicago, IL

(Shows at The Gym: April 13, March 9, & February 10)

2011 ***Wake Up***

arow Collective – Chicago, IL

arow Collective Gallery Opening

arow Collective – Chicago, IL

Coyote

The Flat Iron Arts Building – Chicago, IL

Senior Art Major Exhibition 2011 *[Honors Scholarship]*
 Leech, Hoffmaster, & Kholer Galleries, Lawrence University – Appleton, WI

The Social Self
 The Rabbit Gallery – Appleton, WI

New Art 2011 *[juried]*
 Rahr Gallery, University of Wisconsin – Manitowoc, Manitowoc, WI

2010 **Synergistic Synergies**
 Warch Campus Center Gallery, Lawrence University – Appleton, WI

Spontaneous *[juried]*
 Schoenherr Gallery – Naperville, IL

Commotion *[First Place]*
 Naperville Art Gallery – Naperville, IL

The Figure
 Warch Campus Center Gallery, Lawrence University – Appleton, IL

AWARDS & GRANTS

2016 **Honorable Mention** *(“Tago vos”)*
Illinois Watercolor Society 32nd National Exhibition
 The Next Picture Show – Dixon, IL

MFA Fellowship (\$70,000 over 2 yrs.)
 San Francisco Art Institute – San Francisco, CA

Award of Excellence *(“Fructus mysticalus II”)*
Illinois Watercolor Society Members Show 2016
 The Mayslake Peabody Estate – Oakbrook, IL

Best of Show *(“Spiritus umbram”)*
Broken Barriers
 Naperville Art League – Naperville, IL

Best of Show *(“Privitas garrulitas”)*
Famous Fakes
 Naperville Art League – Naperville, IL

2015 **Glady’s Becker Memorial Award** *(“Nudas Vanitas”)*
Illinois Watercolor Society 31th National Exhibition

The Next Picture Show – Dixon, IL

Best in Show

(“*Dedit caput*”)

Encounters

Naperville Art Gallery – Naperville, IL

2014 **Best in Show**

(“*Profunde gutture*”)

Open Market

Naperville Art Gallery – Naperville, IL

Best in Show

(“*Venus renatus*”)

Sparce

Naperville Art Gallery – Naperville, IL

Honorable Mention

(“*Venus renatus*”)

Illinois Watercolor Society 30th National Exhibition

The Next Picture Show – Dixon, IL

Honorable Mention

(“*Strongest Roman Nose*”)

Grounds for Potential

Naperville Art Gallery – Naperville, IL

2011 ***Mellon Senior Experience Grant (\$1,500)***

The Mellon Foundation – Chicago, IL

The Senior Art Prize for Men

Department of Art & Art History – Lawrence University

2010 **First Place (High School & College Category)**

Commotion

Naperville Art Gallery – Naperville, IL

First Place (Art Category)

Tropos 2010

Lawrence University – Appleton, WI

2009 **First Place (Logo Design)**

Identity Forum

Lawrence University – Appleton, WI

2006 **Conservatory Trustee Award (\$50,000 over 5 yrs.)**

Lawrence University – Appleton, WI

Lawrence University Grant (\$21,000 over 5 yrs.)

Lawrence University – Appleton, WI

Woodrow Keith Memorial Music Scholarship (\$1,000)
Glenbard South High School – Glen Ellyn, IL

VISITING ARTIST PRESENTATIONS / CLASSES

2017 **Anatomy (TA - Reichman, Brett)**
San Francisco Art Institute – San Francisco, CA

2016 **Drawing 1 (TA - McCormack, Frances)**
San Francisco Art Institute – San Francisco, CA

Blick & Utrecht : Watercolor Resists
Blick Art Materials – Wheaton, IL

Gelli Printing Plates
Blick Art Materials – Wheaton, IL

Advanced Watercolor - Winter
Naperville Art Gallery – Naperville, IL

2015 **Winsor & Newton Watercolor Marker & Gelli Printing Plates**
Dupage Art League – Wheaton, IL

Dick Blick Sunday : New Products & Demonstrations
Illinois State Museum – Lockport, IL

Winsor & Newton : Water Colour Markers & Sticks
Naperville Art Gallery – Naperville, IL

Winsor & Newton : Water Colour Markers & Sticks
Blick Art Materials – Wheaton, IL
(W&N demos. at Blick: May 15 & July 24)

Watercolor Basics
Blick Art Materials – Wheaton, IL

CONFERENCES & FAIRS

2013 ***Art in the Park***
Miller Park – Chautauqua, NY

2011 ***Self-Employment in the Arts Conference***
Hilton – Lisle, IL

MEDIA

- 2016 Kenosha Public Museum, Transparent Watercolor Society of America. ***TWSA: 40th Annual Juried Exhibition***. p. 29
- Loosey Goosey. ***Loosey Goosey, Vol. 3***. pp. 66 - 67
- Hartman, Allison. ***“Mystical Fruits” exhibit stirs up censorship controversy***. North Central Chronicle, February 12
- 2015 Banowetz, Jen. ***North Central features provocative artist***. Naperville Sun, December 29
- 2014 Wallace, Ian. ***Artist Showcase: Ian Mitchell Wallace***. Suburban Life Magazine, Naperville, IL. April. pp 46 – 47
- 2012 Gibson, Carina. ***Ian Mitchell Wallace***. Colekt. June 27
- Guidry, Jake. ***Chicagoist Mix #18: Posedown***. Chicagoist. Chicago, IL. May 8
- Lam, Jenny. ***arow Collective, Part 2: The Drop Out Kids***. The Chicago Arts Archive, Sixty Inches from Center. February 15
- Lassle, Katryce. ***Body Image: Three artists update figure painting***. Chicago Weekly. April 12

ADDRESSES

Archer Beach Haus
3012 South Archer Avenue, Chicago, IL

arow Collective
1800 South Peoria Street, Chicago, IL

The Black Cloud Gallery
2140 West Fulton Street, Chicago, IL

Blick Art Materials
79 Danada Square East, Wheaton, IL

The Bloomingdale Park District Museum
108 S Bloomingdale Rd, Bloomingdale, IL

Chicago Art Department

1932 South Halsted Street, Chicago, IL

Clothes Optional Vintage
2918 North Clark Street, Chicago, IL

Cobalt Studio
1950 W 21st ST, Chicago, IL

Comet Vintage
1320 West 18th Street, Chicago, IL

Diego Rivera Gallery
800 Chestnut Avenue, San Francisco, CA

Error Plain 206
1932 South Halsted Avenue, Chicago, IL

If These Walls Could Talk
32 South Stolp Avenue, Aurora, IL

The Flat Iron Arts Building
1579 North Milwaukee Avenue, Chicago, IL

The Gym
1804 South Racine Avenue, Chicago, IL

Kenosha Public Museum
5500 1st Avenue, Kenosha, WI

Leech, Hoffmaster, & Kholer Galleries
Lawrence University, Appleton, WI

Leon & Gloria Plevin Gallery
1 Ames Avenue, Chautauqua, NY

Logan Square Tattoo
2352 North Milwaukee Avenue, Chicago, IL

Loose Leaf Lounge
2915 North Broadway Avenue, Chicago, IL

Mayslake Peabody Estate
1717 West 31st Street, Oakbrook, IL

Oesterle Gallery
320 School St, Naperville, IL

Pilsen Vintage & Thrift
1430 West 18th Street, Chicago, IL

The Rabbit Gallery
502 West College Avenue, Appleton, WI

Rahr Gallery
610 North 8th Street, University of Wisconsin – Manitowoc, Manitowoc, WI

Schoenherr Gallery
30 North Brainard Street, Naperville, IL

SFAI Graduate Center
2565 3rd Street, San Francisco, CA

Simone's
960 West 18th Street, Chicago, IL

Society Art Gallery
2140 West Fulton Street, Chicago, IL

Swell Gallery
2565 3rd Street, San Francisco, CA

Warch Campus Center
Lawrence University, Appleton, WI