

## CV

b. Rantoul, IL, 1987

### Education:

2015 - 2017 | Laguna College of Art and Design, MFA in Painting - Laguna Beach, CA

2013 - 2015 | Vitruvian Fine Art Studio - Chicago, IL

2005 - 2009 | Bradley University, B.S. in Communication, Minor in Studio Art - Peoria, IL

2008 | Institute of Italian Studies - Florence, Italy

### Experience:

2018 | Commissioned Painting - Untitled (14" x 18" oil on linen) - Chicago, IL

2018 | Girls STEAM Ahead - Professional Mentor Volunteer - Flossmoor, IL

2017 | Commissioned Painting - *The Parents* (14" x 18" oil on linen) - Chicago, IL

2017 | Greater Los Angeles Masters of Fine Arts CSLB Panel Lecture - Long Beach, CA

2016 | Commissioned Painting - *Roxanne* (18" x 24" oil on canvas on panel) - Chicago, IL

2014 | Commissioned Painting - *Beekeeper* (18" x 24" oil on canvas) - Miami, FL

2014 | Women Made Gallery - Volunteer - Chicago, IL

2005 | Commissioned Drawing - *Wink* (18" x 24" drawing) - Flossmoor, IL

### Awards:

2018 | Woman Made Gallery, First Place Award Winner - Chicago, IL

2017 | Beverly Arts Center of Chicago, Best of Show Juried Winner - Chicago, IL

2016 | ArtSlant Prize Competition, Round 3 Juried Winner - Online

2004 | Prairie State College Award of Merit - Chicago Heights, IL

### Exhibitions:

2018 | Woman Made Gallery, Midwest Open Juried Competition - Chicago, IL

2018 | Museum of Science and Industry, Black Creativity Exhibit - Chicago, IL

2017 | Beverly Arts Center 41st Annual Art Competition, Juried Exhibition - Chicago, IL

2017 | Bridgeport Art Center, 4th Floor Gallery Group Showcase - Chicago, IL

2017 | Bombay Sapphire Artisan Series, Gallery Guichard - Chicago, IL

2017 | Q Art Salon, Intuitive Realities II Exhibit - Santa Ana, CA

2017 | Laguna Art Museum, Emerging Masters 2017 - Laguna Beach, CA  
2017 | Pacific Art Foundation, Emerging Artists Group Showcase - Newport Beach, CA  
2017 | Cast of Crowns Gallery, Group Showcase - Laguna Beach, CA  
2017 | Museum of Science and Industry, Black Creativity Exhibit - Chicago, IL  
2017 | Greater Los Angeles Masters of Fine Arts Exhibition 2017 - Los Angeles, CA  
2016 | Irvine Fine Arts Center's *All Media 2016* juried exhibition - Irvine, CA  
2016 | First Street Gallery 2016 MFA National Competition - New York, NY  
2016 | Laguna Art Museum, Emerging Masters 2016 MFA Showcase - Laguna Beach, CA  
2016 | ArtSlant Prize Competition, Round 3 Juried Winner, Chicago - Online  
2015 | Art By America: A Review of 2-D Contemporary Art, The Art House - Chicago, IL  
2015 | Bridgeport Art Center, 3rd Annual Art Competition - Chicago, IL  
2015 | Museum of Science and Industry, Black Creativity Exhibit - Chicago, IL  
2004 | Prairie State College, Christopher Art Gallery - Chicago Heights, IL  
2004 | Illinois Art Education Association Student Art Show - Chicago, IL