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Education:

Curtin University: Undergraduate Bachelor of Art (Honours), Perth WA (2016).

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Central Institute of Technology: Advanced Diploma of Visual Art, Perth WA (2014).

Solo Exhibitions:

2017

Pure Sh-ocker. Project Space: Seventh Gallery, Melbourne, VIC.

Group/Duo Exhibitions:

2018

I've been lookin' for you, lone star.... Online exhibition: MEANWHILE Wellington, NZ.

2017

Total Recall, Collaborative Exhibition: Smart Casual, Fremantle, WA.

Light as a Feather... Hobiennale Arts Festival: Domain House, Hobart, TAS.

Pure Contemplation Without Knowledge Vol 9: Nyzistor Studio, Perth, WA.

FLOPFEST Film Festival: Video Screening. Maylands. WA.

2016

SODA Degree Show Graduate Exhibition: Curtin University, WA.

Thank You for Your Time Group Exhibition: Nyzistor Studio, Perth, WA.

Microbition Series Group Exhibition: Art Gallery of Western Australia, Perth, WA.

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Home Open Fundraising Group Exhibition. Perth, WA.

Postcards from Perth Group Exhibition: Spectrum Art Space, Edinburgh, UK.

Stray Alien Ground Exhibition: Moores Contemporary Art Gallery, Fremantle, WA.

2015

SODA Degree Show Graduate Exhibition: Curtin University, WA.

Good Shit Group Exhibition: The Bird, Perth, WA.

HOOKED* Fundraising Group Exhibition: The KoolRoom, Victoria Park, WA.

30x30 Silent Auction: Curtin University, WA.

Cactus Journal Launch Exhibition: Free Range Gallery, Perth, WA.

25 Under 25 Group Exhibition: Moores Contemporary Art Gallery, Fremantle, WA.

Group Exhibition: Crooked Spire Exhibition Space, Midland, WA.

Tangent Gallery Group Show: Curtin University, WA.

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2014

Primed Graduate Exhibition: Central Institute of Technology, Perth, WA.

Perth Fringe Festival Screen Programming: Perth Cultural Centre Screen, Perth, WA.

Light Up Leederville: Public Art Commission, Leederville, WA.

Central Art Auction: Donated Artwork to Central Institute of Technology, Perth, WA.

2013

Happy Dead Things Group Exhibition: Common Ground, Perth, WA.

2011

Graduate Group Exhibition: Mundaring Art Centre, Mundaring, WA.

Performances/Conferences/Lectures:

2019

Mercenaries of Slime, VNS Matrix and Extending the Slime Metaphor: Gender Diversity in Music and Art Conference, University of Western Australia, Perth, WA.

2018

PARASITE Experimental Arts Laboratory: Participant, West Space, Melbourne, VIC.

I went to a bikram yoga class and all I got was a pat on the back and a grande caramel soy latte: Halloween Performance, Cool Change Contemporary, Perth, WA.

Ready Player One. Revelation Film Festival Academic Conference: Performance Lecture, The Backlot, Perth, WA.

2017

I went to a bikram yoga class and all I got was a pat on the back and a grande caramel soy latte: Performance, Hobiennale Arts Festival, Domain House, Hobart, TAS.

Curatorial Projects:

2018

Curator for *Light as a Feather...* for Moana Project Space, at Cool Change Contemporary, Perth, WA.

Curator for *It is a long time since this moment*, for Symbiotica's UNHALLOWED ARTS Festival. Old Custom House, Fremantle, WA.

2017

Curator for *Light as a Feather...* with Moana Project Space for the inaugural Hobiennale Arts Festival, Domain House, Hobart, TAS.

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2016

Curator for *Thank You for Your Time*. Group Exhibition at Nyzistor Studio, Perth, WA.

Awards / Prizes:

Nomination for 25 Under 25 Group Exhibition, Moores Gallery, Perth, WA (2015).

Nomination. for HATCHED, National Graduate Show. Perth institute of Contemporary Art, Perth, WA (2015).

Residencies:

Running on the Smell of an Oily Rag... Studio Development Residency at Perth Institute of Contemporary Art, Perth WA (Current).

Publications:

Don't Rush to Work, Don't be Late for Lunch: Catalog Essay for *Made from Pillars of Spit* at Cool Change Contemporary (2019).

What Dreams May Come: Collaborative Text with Jack Caddy: Island Island (2019).

Text:

Frieze Magazine: Looking Back 2017: <https://frieze.com/article/looking-back-2017-australia>.

Experience/Memberships:

Co-Founder and Co-director, Cool Change Contemporary, Perth, WA (2018-Present).

Gallery invigilator and volunteer at Moore Contemporary (2018).

Co-Director and Exhibitions Manager, Moana Project Space, Perth, WA (2017-2019).

Member of All Conference Australia, Artist Run Network (2017-Present).

Assistant Curator and artist liaison, Nyzistor Studio, Perth, WA. (2016).

Gallery invigilator and exhibitions volunteer at SUCCESS Arts, Fremantle, WA (2016).

NAVA Premium Plus Membership (2013-Present).