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EDUCATION

- 2006 **The School of the Art Institute of Chicago** • Chicago, IL • MFA in Studio Art
1999 **Oberlin College** • Oberlin, OH • BA, German • Graduated Phi Beta Kappa

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2025 **Color is My Dopamine** • Lubeznik Center for the Arts, Michigan City, IN
2021 **Reliquaries for Clinging and Letting Go** • Material Exhibitions, Chicago
Stay Right Where You Are • Zoom screening premiere
2020 **The Thin Line Between One Thing and Another** • Finlandia University, Hancock, MI
2019 **Practice** • Kent State University at Stark, North Canton, OH
2018 **Where Do We Go from Here?** • Moraine Valley Community College, Palos Hills, IL
2017 **Sacred Secular** • Indianapolis Art Center, Indianapolis
Nowhere Room Presents: Witness • The Stolbun Collection, Chicago
2014 **When Things Fall Apart** • Lillstreet Gallery Annex, Chicago
Everything You Need is Already Here • Heaven Gallery, Chicago
2013 **I Still Haven't Found What I'm Looking For** • Klemm Gallery, Adrian, MI
2012 **Over and Over Again** • BOLT Project Space, Chicago
2011 **Everybody Hurts** • Strawdog Theatre, Chicago
2004 **Addict** • Gallery X, The School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago

SELECTED GROUP AND TWO-PERSON EXHIBITIONS

- 2024 **Character Creator** • Seager Gallery, London
2022 **The Bigger the Fear and Despair. . .** • Riverside Art Center, Riverside, IL (with Mayumi Lake)
2022 **Repetitious Accumulation** • Governors State University, University Park, IL (with Jennifer Mannebach)
2019 **Manifestations** • One After 909 • Chicago (3-person show)
2018 **Through Her Eye** • Curated by Ysabel Pinyol, Mana Contemporary, Chicago
Work in Progress Benefit • Chicago Artist Coalition, Chicago
2017 **I Have Vivid Memories of Lightning** • Curated by Kate Pollach, The Donnelley Foundation, Chicago
2016 **Resist the Urge to Press Forward** • Riverside Art Center, Riverside, IL (with Brent Fogt)
Show Room • Chicago Artists' Coalition, Chicago. Curated by Edra Soto.
Sentience • Ukrainian Institute of Modern Art, Chicago, IL
2015 **This Party's Over** • The Soap Factory, Minneapolis, MN
Form Unbound • Dominican University, River Forest, IL (with Aimee Beaubien)
2014 **HERE | NOW** • Design Cloud, Chicago, Curated by MK Meador (with Jason White)
The Condition of the Frog is Uncertain • President's Gallery, Harold Washington College, Chicago
NEXT: Emerging Virginia Artists • Peninsula Fine Arts Center, Newport News, VA
Fail-Safe • St. Louis Craft Alliance Gallery, St. Louis, MO
2013 **Abstracting the Seam** • Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago
Exchange: Detroit<>Chicago • Public Pool, Detroit, MI

- 2012 **Second Day Scenery** • Azimuth Projects, Chicago, IL (with Morgan Simms)
The Great Refusal: Taking on New Queer Aesthetics • The Sullivan Galleries, Chicago
PreOccupation • The Fine Arts Building, Chicago
- 2011 **Please Stand By** • Baang and Burne Contemporary, New York, NY (with Readymade)
ARTIFACT • BOLT Project Space, Chicago
PREVIEW • BOLT Project Space, Chicago
Video Village • Index Art, Newark, NJ. Curated by Noah Collier and Stephanie Szerlip
- 2010 **Super/prime: Pavillion** • AT1 Projects, Los Angeles, CA. Curated by Naomi Gassel
Performance Anxiety • Gallery 400, Chicago, IL. Curated by Alicia Eler and Jefferson Godard
Beyond Pixeltorialism • Robert T. Wright Gallery, Grayslake, IL
Fuzzy Logic • Des Lee Gallery, St. Louis, MO, Curated by Audry Mast
Losing Yourself in the 21st Century • Maryland Art Place, Baltimore, MD
- 2009 **Losing Yourself in the 21st Century** • Ernst G. Welch School of Art & Design Gallery, Atlanta, GA
RE: Figure • Glass Curtain Gallery, Chicago
MP3: Volume II: Midwest Photographers Project • Museum of Contemporary Photography, Chicago
The Politics of Video Sampling: Slash and Remix Culture • Boston Cyberarts Festival, Cambridge, MA
- 2008 **Rewind, Remix, Fast Forward** • The Miller Gallery, Pittsburgh, PA
14th Annual Parnu International Video and Film Festival • Estonia, Curated by Andrew Hicks
Ladylike: A Proper Take on Feminist Art • Koscielak Gallery, Chicago, IL, Curated by Joanne Hinkle
New American Talent 23 • Arthouse at the Jones Center, Austin, TX, Juried by Nato Thompson
under current • Claremont Graduate University, Claremont, CA
New York Photo Festival • Tobacco Warehouse, New York, Curated by Natasha Egan and Karen Irvine
Henbane: Dialectics of the Feminine Sublime • Medicine Park Gallery, Chicago
- 2007 **New Art 2007** • Orleans Street Gallery, St. Charles, IL, Juried by Adam Brooks
Around the Coyote Arts Festival • Video and New Media Lounge, Chicago
Girl on Guy: The Object of My Desire • A+D Gallery, Chicago, Curated by Marci Rae McDade
Gameplay • Around the Coyote, Chicago, Curated by Jessica Cochran
Her Shorts Women's Video Festival • Austin, TX
- 2006 **Around the Coyote Arts Festival** • Spa Soak, Chicago, Curated by Jessica Cochran
Spun from the Web • G2, Chicago
Graduate Thesis Exhibition • G2, Chicago

PUBLICATIONS AND PRESS

- 2022 Raab, Annie. "(Re)Materializing Dread: An Interview with Mayumi Lake and Stacia Yeapanis" www.sixtyinchesfromcenter.org (April 20)
- 2019 Wachunas, Tom. "Variations on the Theme of Living." www.artwatch.blogspot.com (April 13)
- 2016 Mansfield, Brontë. "I'm Your Biggest Fan" www.medium.com (April 17)
- 2014 Koch, Paige Marlene. "The Triumph of the Contemporary" www.altdaily.com (June 22)
Annas, Teresa. "Emerging Local Artists: Youths with a View." The Virginian Pilot (June 18)
- 2013 Eler, Alicia. "Closing The Loop: Fan Art, Part 2." www.hyperallergic.com (June 18)
Eler, Alicia. "New Bonds and Studio Space Lead to Creative Leaps." www.blog.art21.org (Feb 25)
- 2012 Foumberg, Jason. "Eye Exam: Borrowing Time." *New City Chicago* (May 22)
- 2010 Gassel, Naomi. "The Art of Losing Yourself in the 21st Century." www.radarredux.com (Feb 22)

- 2009 Waxman, Lori. "Television, nature and the news, mediated." *The Chicago Tribune*. (Aug 21, 2009)
 Yeapanis, Stacia. "My Feminism is 80s Teen Movie Flavored." www.badatsports.com (Dec 3)
 Ise, Claudine. "Chicago Curators' "Performance Anxiety" on Souvenirs from the Earth TV." www.badatsports.com (Dec 2)
 Grabner, Michelle. "Critics' Picks" www.artforum.com (Aug31)
 Yeapanis, Stacia. "Cross-stitch Contemplations." *Fiberarts Magazine* (Summer)
MP3: Volume II: Midwest Photographers Publication Project • Co-published by Aperture and The Museum of Contemporary Photography
 Yeapanis, Stacia. "Confessions of an Aca-Arti-Femi-Fan." www.henryjenkins.org (March 11)
- 2008 Eler, Alicia. "Who's Who: Stacia Yeapanis." www.centerstagechicago.com (Sept 1)
 Eler, Alicia. "Critics' Picks" www.artforum.com (July 8)
 Eler, Alicia. "Henbane: Dialectics of the Feminine Sublime." *Time Out Chicago* (April 10-16)
 McClure, Kelly. "The Stinking Nightshade." *New City Chicago* (March 25, 2008)

GRANTS AND HONORS

- 2021 **Marion Kryczka Excellence in Teaching Award** • The School of the Art Institute of Chicago
 2020 **Nominated for the Joan Mitchell Foundation Painters & Sculptors Grant**
Diversity Infusion Grant • SAIC's Diversity Advisory Committee
 2019 **Individual Artist Grant** • Illinois Arts Council Agency
 2018 **Nominated for the Joan Mitchell Foundation Painters & Sculptors Grant**
 2017 **DCASE Individual Artist Grant** • City of Chicago Department of Cultural Affairs
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 2012 **Community Arts Assistance Program** • City of Chicago Department of Cultural Affairs
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 2009 **Community Arts Assistance Program** • City of Chicago Department of Cultural Affairs
 2007 **Community Arts Assistance Program** • City of Chicago Department of Cultural Affairs
Vermont Studio Center Fellowship • Johnson, VT

ART WALKS, MAKER MARKETS AND POP-UP EVENTS

- 2025 **Ravenswood Art Walk Studio Tour**• Chicago
 2024 **is/was Brewery Spring Market** • Chicago
Ukrainian Institute of Modern Art Vendor Market • Chicago
Dovetail Brewery Holiday Makers Market • Chicago
Ravenswood Art Walk Outdoor Vendor Market • Chicago
 2023 **Ravenswood Art Walk Studio Tour**• Chicago

RESIDENCIES

- 2021 **Zócalo Spring Artist-in-Residence** • Houston, TX
 2018 **Facebook Artist-in-Residence** • Chicago, IL
 2012 **BOLT Residency** • Chicago Artist Coalition • Mentor-in-Residence
 2011 **BOLT Residency** • Chicago Artist Coalition • Artist-in-Residence
 2007 **Vermont Studio Center** • Johnson, VT

WORKSHOPS AND SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

- 2023 **The Dharma is Everywhere** • Artist talk, The Center for Mindful Living, Washington, D.C.

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- 2021 ***Daily Practice and the Sacred Secular*** • Mitchell Lecture in Fiber and Material Studies, SAIC
- 2020 ***Embroidery as Meditation*** • Zoom workshop, The Arts Club of Chicago
- 2020 ***The Thin Line Between One Thing and Another*** • Artist talk, Finlandia University, Hancock, MI
- 2019 ***It Goes On and On*** • Artist talk, Columbus College of Art and Design, Columbus, OH
It Goes On and On • Artist talk, Kent State University at Stark, North Canton, OH
- 2016 ***Crafting Consciousness*** • Workshop, University of Illinois, Chicago
- 2014 ***Being and Doing*** • Artist talk, Dominican University, River Forest, IL
- 2013 ***Being and Doing*** • Artist talk, Siena Heights University, Adrian, MI
- 2012 ***Get Out of the Vacuum: The Importance of Peer to Peer Support for Artists*** • Organizer/
Moderator, panel discussion/Speed-networking event, Chicago
Demystifying the Art Critic • Moderator, panel discussion, Chicago
- 2010 ***Internet Copyright Workshop*** • Artist talk, Maryland Art Place, Baltimore, MD
- 2009 ***MP3: Volume II: Gallery Talk*** • The Museum of Contemporary Photography, Chicago, IL
Burning Bright: Creative Freedom in the Age of New Media • Panel discussion, Columbia
College
We Have a Right to Be Angry: Feminism, Fanvids and Fair Use • Artist talk at Version 09,
Chicago
- 2007 ***Exploratory Media*** • Artist talk, The School of the Art Institute of Chicago
Game Culture • Artist talk, Columbia College, Chicago, IL
SW/TX Pop Culture Conference • Performative lecture, Albuquerque, NM
- 2006 ***Slayage Conference on the Whedonverses*** • Performative lecture, Barnesville, GA

COLLECTIONS

J.G. Wentworth Collection • New York, NY

Museum of Contemporary Photography • Permanent Collection, Chicago, IL

Various private collections

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2020 **Juror**, Medium-size organization grant review • Houston Arts Alliance

2019 **Juror**, Oxbow Fellowship • Ox-bow School of Art

2018 **Juror**, Student Art Exhibition • Moraine Valley Community College

2015 **Juror**, BOLT Residency • Chicago Artists' Coalition

2011-2022 **OtherPeoplesPixels Featured Artist Blog** • Writer, artist interviews posted every week