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Education:

Sociology, California State University, Sacramento

Studied painting under Abel Rodriguez, MFA Drawing and Painting, Yale School of Art

Employment:

2015 - Current - Co-Founder, Director, El Comalito Collective Cultural Arts Center, Vallejo, CA.

- I Manage and maintain the organization's online presence including social media analytics, strategies, and campaigns.
- I manage the programming schedule which includes artist conversations across social media platforms, virtual workshop facilitation, and website maintenance.
- I create all content for all social media platforms using digital tools, and original art using digital content creation platforms like Adobe Suite, Canva, and Procreate.
- Manage all social media public engagement.
- Maintain all reports for grants received as well as research and apply for grant opportunities.

2018 - 2020 - Chair, Vallejo Art Walk, Vallejo, CA.

- Maintained online presence across social media platforms for the Vallejo Art Walk and updated website.
- Created all content using proper citation and/or original content as well as maintained all public engagement across all social media platforms.
- Maintained monthly social media and event analytics and reports for compliance with city grant agreements.
- Managed monthly art walk event, volunteers, and staff of 10.
- Grew social media following for the platform by more than 60% during my time as the Chair.

Workshops:

2016 - Current - weekly art (painting, day of the dead, greeting card, poetry) workshops for youth and adults, El Comalito Collective

2020 - 2021 - Painting workshop, Norco College Upward Bound

2020 - Current - art workshops, Santa Clara Unified School District (Davis Elementary, Mt. Pleasant)

2020 - Day of the Dead workshop, Museum of Latin American Art

2018 - 2020 - quarterly painting workshop, St. Helena Public Library

2019 - 2020 - painting workshop, California State University Maritime Academy

2020 - voter's painting campaign, Modesto Junior College

2020 - painting workshop, California State University, Long Beach

Residencies:

2021 - Current - American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU, NorCal)

Solo Exhibitions:

- 2020 - STRUT "Queer and Trans People of Color" San Francisco, CA
- 2019 - BLUSH! "Pieces of Me" San Francisco, CA
- 2017 - Santa Clara Water District "Works by Edgar-Arturo" Santa Clara, CA

Group Exhibitions:

- 2021 - Museum of Contemporary Arts, Marin "Latinx Contemporary Artists" Novato, CA
- 2019 - Cal Maritime Community Art Gallery "Sights Unseen" Vallejo, CA
- 2019 - Sanchez Contemporary "Day of the Dead" Oakland, CA
- 2019 - Napa Valley College "Still We Rise" Napa, CA
- 2019 - El Comalito Collective "Closing Ceremony" Vallejo, CA
- 2018 - Empire Tattoo "Puente" Sacramento, CA
- 2018 - Beauty Botanica "Love & Diversity" Oakland, CA
- 2017 - Diablo Valley College "A space of Resistance" Concord, CA
- 2016 - St. Helena Public Library "Latinx Heritage Month" St. Helena, CA

Lectures/Publications:

- 2020 - Publication: "We Rally Together" Carquinez Magazine, Summer 2020 issue
- 2018, 2019 - Lecture: "Cafecito con El Comalito" Dialogue on the Arts and community", El Comalito Collective Cultural Arts Center
- 2017 - Lecture: "Raise Your Voice", Diablo Valley College Art Department
- 2016 - Publication: "Artists in Collaboration for Human Rights", Doctors for Global Health Vol. 20.1
- 2014 - Publication: "Queer in Aztlán: Chicano Male Recollections of Consciousness and Coming Out", Cognella Press, San Diego State University

Public Art:

- 2019 - "Domestic Violence Campaign", Napa Emergency Women's Services & Napa Police Department. Art on billboards, digital mural, public transit vehicles, bus stops.
- 2016 - "Collective Works", Napa Valley College, Humanities Department. Visual Art on Campus.

Collections:

- Napa Emergency Women's Services, Napa, CA
- Napa Police Department, Napa, CA
- El Comalito Collective Cultural Arts Center, Vallejo, CA
- Napa Valley College, Napa CA

Awards & Recognition:

- 2021 - Grant: The City of Vallejo, "Commission on Culture and Arts Grant"
- 2020 - Grant: California Arts Council, "Artists and Cultural Practitioners Grant"
- 2020 - Grant: New Pacific Studio, "Visual Arts and Community Building Grant"
- 2020 - Recognition: KRON 4, "Community Hero, recognition"