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Born 1985, Cleveland, OH
Lives and work in Cleveland, OH

Education

2014 MFA, Cornell University
2009 BFA, Cleveland Institute of Art, Photography

Solo Exhibitions

2018 *(forthcoming)* Akron Art Museum, Akron, OH
2017 *Stagger When Seeing Visions*, The Cleveland Museum of Art at Transformer Station, Cleveland, OH
2015 *You Are Not, Except As A Joke, Blaming Them*, Angela Meleca Gallery, Columbus, OH
Yes, They Were Made to Level, the sunroom, Cleveland Heights, OH
Mr. In-Between, William Busta Gallery, Cleveland, OH
2014 *Back and Fill*, MFA Thesis Exhibition, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY
2013 *Exercise N/or Exorcise*, William Busta Gallery, Cleveland, OH
2012 *Record of Wrongs*, Cleveland Institute of Art, Cleveland, OH
2009 *BFA Thesis Exhibition*, Cleveland Institute of Art, Cleveland, OH

Selected Group Exhibitions

2018 *(forthcoming)*, Denison Art Space, Newark, OH
2017 *(forthcoming)*, Forum Artspace, Cleveland, OH
Constructions, Gallery W, Westlake, OH
2016 *All Together Now*, 2731 Prospect, Cleveland, OH, Curated by Lauren Davies
Faculty Show, Reinberger Gallery, Cleveland Institute of Art, Cleveland, OH
Black is the New Black, Foley Gallery, New York, NY, Curated by Michael Foley
2015 *Works On Paper*, 2731 Prospect, Cleveland, OH, Curated by Lauren Davies
Volume II: Black & White, Schema Projects, Brooklyn, NY, Curated by Mary Judge & Enrico Gomez
Faculty Show, Reinberger Gallery, Cleveland Institute of Art, Cleveland, OH
It's All Been Done Before, Forum Artspace, Cleveland, OH, Curated by Brandon Juhasz
2014 *Can't Cant*, Cornell MFA Group Show, Site 109, New York, NY
2013 *The New York School(s)*, Pingyao International Photo Festival, Pingyao, China, Curated by Susan Dooley
Realization is Better than Anticipation, Museum of Contemporary Art, Cleveland, OH
Curated by Rose Bouthillier & Megan Lykins Reich
Explicit Protocol, Tjaden Gallery, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY
Nick Foster & Jerry Birchfield, Experimental Gallery, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY
Free School, Cornell MFA Group Show, Gary Snyder Project Space, New York, NY
Homegrown, The Cleveland Print Room, Cleveland, OH, Curated by Nancy McEntee & Jonathan Wayne
A Tale In Two Cities, Reinberger Gallery, Cleveland Institute of Art, Cleveland, OH
Curated by Bruce Checefsky & Ivy Garrigan
2012 *Shaking Paper*, Tjaden Gallery, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY
Beautiful Data, School of Art Gallery, Kent State University, Kent, OH, Curated by Howard Anderson Turner
Illusion, The Center for Fine Art Photography, Fort Collins, CO, Juried by Terry Etherton
Let's Get Digital, Riffe Gallery, Columbus, OH, Curated by Alexandra Nicholis Coon
After Zero, Cuyahoga Community College, West, Curated by Julie Friedman
2011 *One to Another*, ROYGBIV Gallery, Columbus, OH (two person exhibition with Dragana Crnjak)
Portability & Network, SPACES, Cleveland, OH, Curated by Christian Wulffen
Image/Object/Material: Recent Works by Christi and Jerry Birchfield, Arts Collinwood Gallery, Cleveland, OH
Celestial Skies: Real & Imagined II, Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland, OH, Curated by Jennifer Finkel
2010 *Degrees of Separation*, Cleveland Institute of Art, Cleveland, OH, Curated by Karl Anderson
84th Annual International Competition: Photography, Print Center, Philadelphia, PA, Juried by Ingrid Schaffner
Building Peers, Reinberger Gallery, Cleveland Institute of Art, Cleveland, OH, Curated by Saul Ostrow
2009 *Terra Non Firma*, Front Room Gallery and Legation Gallery, Cleveland, OH, Curated by Mark Keffer
This Is Not A Photograph: Contemporary Approaches To Photography, Cleveland Foundation, Cleveland, OH
Curated by Jennifer Friess
Print Center 83rd Annual Exhibition, Print Center, Philadelphia, PA. Juried by Shelly Bancroft & Peter Nesbett
2008 *Positioning the Real: The Authentic Artifice*, Cleveland Foundation, Cleveland, OH. Curated by Paula Burleigh

Presentations & Projects

- 2017 Transformer Station, Contemporary Art Society, Cleveland, OH, Artist talk,
Unfettered: Artists Who Work Across Media, The Sculpture Center, Cleveland, OH
Moderator: Kristen Cliffler, Panel: Steve Locke, Irina Koukhanova & Jerry Birchfield
- 2016 *Bound: Art Book & Zine Fair*, MOCA, Cleveland, OH, Artist Book Release: *Yes, They Were Made to Level* (book)
Ink House, invitation to make a series of mono prints
World Building, SGC International print portfolio
- 2015 *Mimeo Revolution, Book & Zine Fair*, MOCA, Cleveland, OH, Artist Book Release: *Yes, They Were Made to Level* (zine)
Publications and Multiples Fair, Baltimore, MD, Artist Book Release: *So To Speak*
- 2014 Cleveland Institute of Art, Painting & Drawing departments, Artist talk
Cleveland Institute of Art, Photography & Video department, Artist talk
International Center of Photography, Alternative Art class with Bernard Yenelouis, Artist talk
Caring for the Commons, SGC International print portfolio
- 2013 *LaTableRonde #2.3 On Photography: How, Where, and When Will We Talk About Photography?*
Critical Practice Inc. New York, NY Moderator: Saul Ostrow
Bellwether Summer Film Series, curated film and TV segments and feature for screening at the Transformer Station
- 2011 Cleveland State University, Photography II & III classes with professor Mark Slankard, Artist talk
ROGBIV, *One to Another*, Artist talk
Monothon, Zygot Press, invitation to make a series of mono prints

Awards

- 2013 The John Hartell Graduate Award, Cornell University
2011 Ohio Arts Council 2011 Individual Excellence Award
2009 The First Agnes Gund Traveling Award, Cleveland Institute of Art

Residencies

- 2017-18 Cleveland Institute of Art, Photography & Video Department, Artist in Residence
2015 Vermont Studio Center

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http://www.dispatch.com/content/stories/life_and_entertainment/2015/11/29/1-through-a-lens-darkly.html
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<http://www.columbusunderground.com/event/exhibit-jerry-birchfield-shifting-photography>
- David Andrew Frey, "New Artists Feature, Spring 2015" <http://culturehall.com/>
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Max Marshall "Sore" <http://latentimage.us/2014/01/21/jerry-birchfield-sore>
- 2013 Sarah Demeuse, "Jerry Birchfield: On Levity, Bad Camouflage, and Mutual Seeing"; Rose Bouthillier, "One Thing, Then Another, And: An Interview with Jerry Birchfield," Exhibition Catalog, *Realization is Better than Anticipation*
- Gary Sampson, "A *Dispositif* Engaged: Jerry Birchfield" Cornell MFA Exhibition Catalog
- 2012 Christopher A. Yates, "Power of computer to transform creativity energizes Riffe Gallery show"
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- 2011 Association Vol. 5: "untitled, Jerry Birchfield MFA '14"