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EDUCATION

- 2009 · 2013** School of the Art Institute of Chicago (SAIC) · Bachelor of Fine Arts, Socially Engaged Art/Environmental Activism
- 2012 (Spring)** School of the Art Institute of Chicago Study Abroad, Emily Carr University · Vancouver, Canada · Painting
- 2011 (Fall)** School of International Training (SIT) · Independent Study Abroad · Jaipur, India · Sustainable Development and Social Change/Biomedical Waste Management

GROUPS/ARTIST COLLECTIVES

- 2012 · 2013** SAIC for the Future (SAICFTF) · SAIC Student Group – focused on working with the SAIC administration to divest its endowment funds from the fossil fuel industry · Group Leader/Co-founder
- 2012 · 2013** Student Environmental Action (SEA) · SAIC Student Group - focused on sharing resources and creating a network of environmentally minded students · Group Leader
- 2012 · 2013** Chicago Youth Climate Coalition (CYCC) · Intercollegiate Youth Group - dedicated to ending the consumption of fossil fuels and transitioning into a just and sustainable society · Recruitment Coordinator
- 2012 · 2013** Collective Cleaners (CC) · Artist Collective - performance of cleaning with hand-woven rags to reflect upon a place and honor those who use it · Cleaner

PROJECTS/VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

- 2013** Microcosm: A documentary featuring the microbiology of the oceans – Internship/Grant Writing · Chicago, IL
- 2013** Polyculture: A Locally Resourced Performative Brunch – Co-curated event · Chicago, IL
- 2004 · 2012** A Better Education (ABE) Club - ecology and HIV/AIDS awareness lectures, Moi High School Scholarship Program, teaching math and English · 501(c)3 Non-profit · United States/Kenya · Co-founder/Member
- 2011** 100 Projects For Peace: ABE Club's Sustainable Biofuel Option for Kasigau - introduced the Legacy Foundation's biofuel briquette technology to the Kasigau Villages · 3 Week Program · Kenya · Project Leader
- 2008** Bilingual Education Project · ICA Spanish School · 5 Week Program · Guatemala · English Teacher

AWARDS

- 2013 Graduating Student Leadership Award, Campus Life, SAIC
- 2013 Excellence in Leadership Award, Campus Life, SAIC
- 2011 100 Projects for Peace Grant, Davis Projects for Peace, Kathryn Wasserman Davis
- 2011 First Place, Art and Illustration Contest, Society for News Design, Michigan State University
- 2009 · 2013 Distinguished Scholars Merit Scholarship, SAIC

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2013 *Spring BFA Exhibition*, Sullivan Galleries, Chicago, IL
- 2012 · 2013 *CC: Unfinished Business: 21st Century Home Economics*, Jane Addams Hull House, Chicago IL
- 2012 *CC: Home: Public or Private?*, 6018 North, Chicago, IL
- 2012 *CC: New Blood VI: with/on/our labor*, 280 South Columbus Drive, Chicago, IL
- 2011 *eARTh*, CRS Building, Vancouver, BC
- 2010 *Happiness Show*, Kirk Faber's Apartment, Chicago, IL
- 2010 *Artbash*, Betty Rymer Gallery, 280 South Columbus Drive, Chicago, IL

WORK EXPERIENCE

- 2013 Fnewsmagazine · SAIC · Illustrator and Writer
- 2009 Fnewsmagazine · SAIC · Illustrator