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## Education

University of North Carolina Chapel Hill, Master of Fine Arts, 2015

Columbia College Chicago, Bachelor of Fine Arts Photography, 2011

## Professional Affiliations

Co-Founder / The Gallery 145 & Mall Pretzel

Executive Board of Directors & Exhibition Committee / The Light Factory

## One Person Exhibitions

### 2017

NoShow, The Médiathèque / Mérignac Photographic Festival / Mérignac, France

### 2016

Removed, Rick Wester Fine Art / New York, NY

The Merchandise Revolt / Lianzhou Foto Festival / Lianzhou, China

### 2015

Constructing Archives, The Carrack / Durham, NC

Removed, MFA Thesis Solo Exhibition, John and June Allcott Gallery / Chapel Hill, NC

Endec - Off the Radar, Golden Belt Studios bldg. #3 / Durham, NC

## Selected Group Exhibitions

### 2017

Hello, Robot. Design between man and machine,\* Traveling exhibition, The Design Museum Gent, Gent, Belgium; Austrian Museum of Applied Arts, Contemporary Art, Vienna, Austria; Vitra Design Museum, Weil am Rhein, Germany

The Photography Show at AIPAD, Rick Wester Fine Art / New York, NY

### 2016

reset, Garis and Hahn / New York, NY

Actual Size: Exploring the Photographic Contact Print, Cassilhaus Gallery / Chapel Hill, NC

Future Tense, 516ARTS / Albuquerque, NM

The Photography Show at AIPAD, Rick Wester Fine Art / New York, NY

The Members Show, The Light Factory / Charlotte, NC

### 2015

PULSE Contemporary Art Fair Miami, Rick Wester Fine Art / Miami, FL

EUREKA!, John and June Allcott Gallery / Chapel Hill, NC

BEYOND CAMERAS, Horace Williams House / Chapel Hill, NC

Neo-Pre-Post-Contra-Para-Anti-Hyper-Pro-Trans-Ultra-Photography, Spectre Arts / Durham, NC

Virtual Insanity, Whitdel Arts / Detroit, MI

Regarding Leisure, The University of Northern Florida Gallery of Art / Jacksonville, FL

The Land of No Things: Selected Works by the MFA Class of 2015, Ackland Art Museum / Chapel Hill, NC

2015 Annual Auction Exhibition, The Light Factory / Charlotte, NC

R.E.C.A.P, The Carrack Modern Art / Durham, NC

### 2014

Press Street & The Blue Library, Antenna Gallery / New Orleans, LA

Pixel and Grain: Regional Photography Exhibition, Durham Art Guild - SunTrust Gallery / Durham, NC

Art Nouveau Winston-Salem 3rd Annual Exhibition, Womble Carlyle Gallery / Winston Salem, NC

Faraway Nearby: Duke and UNC-CH MFA Photography Faculty, Cassilhaus / Chapel Hill, NC

Between the Eyes, Allcott Student Gallery - Hanes Art Center / Chapel Hill, NC

That Makes Me Nervous, Chapel Hill Underground / Chapel Hill, NC

## **2013**

*Icon Industry: The Visual Economy of Human Rights*, Kenan Institute for Ethics, Duke University / Durham, NC  
*Park Pictures*, North Carolina Museum of Art / Raleigh, NC

## **2011**

*Manifest 2011 BA + BFA PHOTO EXHIBITION*, Columbia College Chicago / Chicago, IL  
*CONTACT: an exhibition of 19th century photographic processes*, LivingRoom Gallery / Chicago, IL

## **2010**

*Relative Exposure: Photographs of Family*, 310conTEMPORARY Gallery / Chicago, IL  
*NEEDLESS SUFFERING*, The Drawing Room Gallery at The Hopkinson House / Chicago, IL  
*Images of Home*, Columbia College Chicago / Chicago, IL  
*Low Tech* \*(Directors Choice Award), The Center for Fine Art Photography / Fort Collins, CO  
*Suspicious Minds*, The Light Factory / Charlotte, NC  
*North Carolina Arts Council Fellowship Exhibition*, Green Hill Center for NC Art / Greensboro, NC

## **Artist Residencies**

Artist in Residence, The Contemporary Artists Center / Troy, NY (July-August '14)  
Artist in Residence, Starry Night Retreat / Truth or Consequences, NM (June '14)

## **Artist Talks and Lectures**

Garis and Hahn / New York, NY  
Kibbitznest / Chicago, IL  
TEDxPantheonSorbonne '16 / Paris, France  
TEDxBend '16 / Bend, Oregon  
AIPAD '16, The Photography Show, NY  
Columbia College Chicago  
The Carrack, Durham, NC  
University of North Carolina at Charlotte  
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill  
The Art Institute of Charlotte  
The Light Factory / Charlotte, NC  
Winthrop University

## **Publication**

Starry Night, Artists to Look Out For  
Soak: anything that ails you – The Blue Library

## **Curatorial**

*They Them*, Cassilhaus Gallery / Chapel Hill, NC

## **Selected Collections**

The Joseph M. Cohen Family Collection  
JPMorgan Chase Art Collection  
Cassilhaus Gallery  
Living Room Gallery  
Anne-Marie Ombregt  
Columbia College Chicago  
The Blue Library – RM220  
UNC Chapel Hill / Sloan Art Library

## **Selected Online Publication**

Tech Insider  
CNN  
Wired  
BBC World Service  
The Huffington Post  
The Atlantic  
The Washington Post  
Forbes  
Vice  
Daily News  
BuzzFeed  
SLRLounge  
Interview  
Fast Company  
Photograph  
Musee Magazine  
Slate  
aPhotoEditor  
Amateur Photographer  
PetaPixel  
The Creators Project  
Daily Mail  
The Guardian  
(for full listing visit  
[www.removed.social/about](http://www.removed.social/about))

## **Portfolio Reviewer**

Portfolio Throw Down '16 / The Light Factory  
Atlanta Celebrates Photography '16