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EDUCATION

RECURSE CENTER, MANHATTAN, NY. 2016

BFA: OCAD UNIVERSITY, TORONTO, ON. 2010
MAJOR: DRAWING AND PAINTING.
MINOR: DIGITAL MEDIA STUDIES.

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS

"ANTI", ATHENS BIENNALE, ATHENS, GREECE. 2018
(UPCOMING)

"CLICKMINE" GRAY AREA FESTIVAL, GRAND THE- 2018
ATER, SAN FRANCISCO, CA (UPCOMING)

"SUB/HYPER/TEXT" VECTOR FESTIVAL, INTERAC- 2018
CESS, TORONTO, ON (UPCOMING)

"CLICKMINE" ETHEREAL SUMMIT, KNOCKDOWN CEN- 2018
TRE, NYC, NY

"CLICKMINE" MONEYLAB, SOMERSET HOUSE, LON- 2018
DON, UK

"MEDIA ARCHAEOLOGY: EXCAVATIONS" NEON FESTI- 2017
VAL, WEST WARD WORKS, DUNDEE, SCOTLAND

DAMAGE CAMP, DMG TORONTO, TORONTO MEDIA ARTS 2017
CENTRE, TORONTO, ON.

"CAPTIVE PORTAL: CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTEC- 2017
TION" CENTER FOR CONTEMPORARY ART, TEL AVIV,
ISRAEL.

"WORDPLAY: FESTIVAL OF WRITERLY GAMES", 2016
BRITISH PUBLIC LIBRARY, LONDON, UK.

"PROTECTIVE RITUALS FOR POSTHUMANS", RADICAL 2016
NETWORKS, CHEMISTRY CREATIVE, BROOKLYN, NY.

"ROUTERPOP", ATHENS DIGITAL ART FESTIVAL, 2016
ATHENS, GREECE.

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EMPLOYMENT

SOFTWARE ENGINEER, CONSENSYS.	2016-CUR
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SENIOR DESIGNER/PRODUCTION DIRECTOR. GUILD EYEWEAR.	2014-2016
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FOUNDER. SMALL TALK: AN INTERDISCIPLINARY LECTURE SERIES.	2012-2016
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INSTRUCTOR, LASER TECHNICIAN, TORONTO TOOL LIBRARY.	2014-2016
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SPEAKING

"UNDERSTANDING BLOCKCHAINS WITH SCRABBLE," OUR NETWORKS, TORONTO, ON.	2018
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"SMART CONTRACT VULNERABILITIES," NORTHSEC, MONTREAL, QC.	2018
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"UNDERSTANDING BLOCKCHAINS WITH SCRABBLE," ETHEREAL SUMMIT, NYC, NY.	2018
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"UNDERSTANDING BLOCKCHAINS WITH SCRABBLE," MAKE FRIENDS, TORONTO, ON.	2018
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"ARTISTS RE-THINKING THE BLOCKCHAIN," TRANS- MEDIALE, BERLIN, GERMANY.	2018
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"ART AND EQUITY," MONEYLAB, SOMERSET HOUSE. LONDON, UK.	2018
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"MAGIC INTERNET MONEY," MONTRAL INTERNATIONAL GAMES SHOWCASE, MONTREAL, QC.	2017
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"BLOCKCHAINS: HOW DO THEY WORK," CUSEC (CA- NADIAN UNIVERSITY SOFTWARE ENGINEERING CON- FERENCE), MONTREAL, QC.	2017
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"MONTY PYTHON FOR PYTHONISTAS," PYCON CANA- DA, TORONTO, ON.	2016
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"BLOCKCHAIN 2.0", PROJECT IN PROGRESS [MAK- INGxART], STEAM LABS, TORONTO, ON.	2016
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JURIES AND CURATION

"INTERNET YAMI-ICHI", 2018
TORONTO MEDIA ART CENTRE, TORONTO, ON.

"WORDPLAY: FESTIVAL OF WRITERLY GAMES", 2017
TORONTO PUBLIC LIBRARY, TORONTO, ON.

AWARDS AND GRANTS

30 UNDER 30 DEVELOPERS IN CANADA AWARD 2018

CANADA ARTS COUNCIL ARTS ABROAD GRANT 2018

BLOCKCHAIN ART COMMISSION, FURTHERFIELD/NEON 2017
FESTIVAL

GDC SCHOLARSHIP FOR WOMEN IN GAMES, 2017
DMG TORONTO

BEST IN FESTIVAL + JUROR'S CHOICE, TORONTO 2016
DESIGN OFFSITE

PRESS AND PUBLICATIONS

INTERVIEW. NEURAL MAGAZINE. (UPCOMING) 2018

PRESS. "ARTISTS AS CRYPTOFINANCIERS: WELCOME 2018
TO THE BLOCKCHAIN"

AUTHOR. "2017: THE YEAR BLOCKCHAIN GOT 2017
WEIRD" COINDESK.