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Teaching experience

- 2023 - 2024 Teaching Fellow. Design Media Arts, The University of California, Los Angeles
- 2022 - 2023 Summer institute instructor. Design Media Arts and Sci Art Center, The University of California, Los Angeles
- 2022 - 2023 Teaching Assistant. Design Media Arts, The University of California, Los Angeles
- 2020 - 2021 Professor of New Media. National University of Río Negro (UNRN), El Bolsón, Argentina
- 2017 - 2021 Professor of Arts. La Llave Art School (Escuela Municipal de arte La Llave), Bariloche, Argentina
- 2016 - 2019 Interactive media teacher. Qmark High School, Bariloche, Argentina
- 2011 - 2015 Teaching Assistant. School of the Arts, National University of La Plata (FDA, UNLP), La Plata, Argentina

Other relevant experience

- 2023 - 2024 Graduate Student Employee. Social Software Laboratory, The University of California, Los Angeles
- 2023 - 2024 Graduate Student Researcher. Design Media Arts Fabrication Laboratory, The University of California, Los Angeles
- 2022 - 2023 Graduate Student Employee. Design Media Arts Conditional Studio, The University of California, Los Angeles
- 2021 - 2023 Graduate Student Employee. Design Media Arts Fabrication Laboratory, The University of California, Los Angeles
- 2016 - 2017 Software developer and project manager. Laboratory for Research and

Development in Data Visualization and Creative Code, National University of Río Negro (UNRN), Bariloche, Argentina.

2014 - 2015 Web designer and developer. Publications department, School of the Arts, National University of La Plata (FDA, UNLP), La Plata, Argentina

2011 - 2013 Designer, software developer and project manager. Production department, School of the Arts, National University of La Plata (FDA, UNLP), La Plata, Argentina

2011 - Freelance art, design, install and project development work

Selected shows and screenings

2023 Sur Biennial 2023: MALA MUERTE/bad death, Torrance Art Museum - Torrance, USA
Town Hall, UCLA DMA MFA Thesis Show - Los Angeles, USA

2022 Amid Tears, UCLA DMA MFA Preview Show - Los Angeles, USA
Manifestación, UCLA DMA MFA Solo Show - Los Angeles, USA

2021 Media Arts Biennial (Bienal de artes mediales) - Santiago, Chile
International Multidisciplinary Festival (MIVA) - Quito, Ecuador
International Videoart Festival of Camaguey (FIVAC) - Camagüey, Cuba
Proyector video art festival - Madrid, Spain

2020 Creative Code Festival - New York, USA
Voltaje Arts and Technology Salon - Bogotá, Colombia

2019 Mecha - Bariloche, Argentina
National Salon of Visual Arts - Buenos Aires, Argentina
National Fund for the Arts "Arts and Technology" show - Buenos Aires, Argentina
Proyector video art festival - Madrid, Spain
School for Poetic Computation Spring Showcase - New York, USA

2018 International Video Art Festival (FIVA) - Buenos Aires, Argentina
Bariloche Audiovisual Festival (FAB) - Bariloche, Argentina
Trastienda Show - Trelew, Argentina

2017 Closing show for FASE Residency - Buenos Aires, Argentina

2016 Bariloche Audiovisual Festival (FAB) - Bariloche, Argentina

2015 Graduation Show for the UNLP School of Art - La Plata, Argentina

2013 FASE V (Art, science and technology festival) - Buenos Aires, Argentina
2012 ArTest electronics arts festival - La Plata, Argentina
FASE IV (Art, science and technology festival) - Buenos Aires, Argentina

Awards and recognitions

2022 Clifton Webb Scholarship - Los Angeles, USA
2021 Moss Scholar award - Los Angeles, USA
Finalist, Juan Downey competition - Santiago, Chile
2020 Finalist, Jóvenes Grabadores award - Buenos Aires, Argentina
Selected for the international Loops Expanded Open call - Portugal, Spain, Netherlands, Italy and Brazil
2019 Selected for the National Visual Arts Salon - Buenos Aires, Argentina
2018 Selected for the National Fund for the Arts competition - Buenos Aires, Argentina
Bariloche Audiovisual Festival (FAB) honorable mention - Bariloche, Argentina
2016 Bariloche Audiovisual Festival (FAB) first prize, video art installation category
Bariloche, Argentina
2015 Egresado Distinguido award (UNLP) - La Plata, Argentina
Joaquín V. González award - La Plata, Argentina
2014 Research scholarship awarded by the CIN (Inter-university national council) - La Plata, Argentina
2013 Research scholarship awarded by the CIN (Inter-university national council) - La Plata, Argentina

Residencies

2023 Ikea residency, Fall 2023 cohort - Los Angeles, USA
2019 SFPC Spring 2019 intensive program - New York, USA
2018 Winter Manta residency - San Martín de los Andes, Argentina
2017 First FASE residency - Buenos Aires, Argentina

Education

- 2021 Media Arts MFA program, UCLA School of the Arts and Architecture, Design Media Arts Department - Los Angeles, USA (Graduation June 2024)
- 2015 Bachelor of New Media Arts and Design, School of Arts, National University of La Plata (FDA, UNLP) - La Plata, Argentina

Languages

Spanish. Native language

English. International English Language Testing System (IELTS) and Certificate of Proficiency in English (CPE), University of Cambridge, ESOL Examinations