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## Education

**School of the Art Institute of Chicago** | Chicago, IL | May 2019  
Bachelor of Fine Arts, focus in video, art and tech, new media studies  
Merit Scholarship Recipient, Dean's List

**Pratt Institute Summer Program** | Brooklyn, NY | 2014 Focus in Graphic Design

## Work Experience

### **Barista/Server at Hoosier Mama Pie Company | Chicago, IL**

September 2019- Present

Serves pie, pastries, and espresso drinks while providing excellent customer service. Performs daily upkeep of the shop, restocking inventory, answering phone calls, and processing orders.

### **Gallery Manager and Publishing Editor at LVL3 | Chicago, IL**

May 2018 - Present

Manages a team of 4 to oversee organization of gallery programming, communication with artists, curation and installation of shows. Conducts, edits and publishes artist interviews for the LVL3 website. Performs everyday tasks for the artist-run space, including art handling, gallery attendance, working openings, answering emails, and managing scheduling.

### **SAIC Continuing Studies Teaching Assistant | Chicago, IL**

May 2018- August 2019

Worked as a graduate-level teaching assistant for high school art classes in the ECPSI program. Helped prospective art school students with their projects in mediums including sculpture, fibers, 3D modeling and video, 2D animation, and fashion. Worked with SITE staff to facilitate installation of the classes' final exhibition in the Leroy Neiman Center.

### **SAIC Continuing Studies Youth Programs Assistant | Chicago, IL** May 2017- August 2018

Worked in the administration for all SAIC summer and weekend youth programs. Performed daily administrative tasks, oversaw instructors' supplies needs for classes, and provided extra support for children and parents throughout the day.

## Skills

**Proficient** in Adobe Suite, Microsoft Office, Art handling, Gallery management and preparation, Conventional art installation techniques, Digital and film photography, as well as other material artistic processes

**Working Knowledge** in A/V installation, HTML, CSS, and 3D rendering softwares.

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## Exhibitions

2019      *Looped* @ SITE Gallery | Chicago  
*It's Always Spring Above the Frostline* @ Laundry Room | Chicago  
*LTD Wear 4* @ LVL3 and Tusk Chicago | Chicago  
*Dock 6 Collective Open House* | Dock 6 and LVL3 | Chicago  
*SAIC Spring BFA Show* @ Sullivan Galleries | Chicago  
*Data as Art* @ Ford Motor Company Engineering Design Center | Chicago

2018      *Data Viz* @ Neiman Center / SITE Gallery | Chicago  
*Crystal Lattice, Living Stone* @ Adds Donna | Chicago

*The Dangerous Professors* @ Triumph Gallery | Chicago  
*The Importance of Being Earnest* @ Fat City | Chicago

2016      *48.24.12* @ Gene Siskel Film Center

## Publications

*Dead Media Inventory* | Joan Flasch Artist Book Collection | Chicago  
*Artist of the Week Interviews* | 2018 - | LVL3 Publishing | Chicago

## Curation

2020      *something blue* | LVL3 | Chicago  
*Circle Within a Square* | LVL3 | Chicago

2019      *Lasting Impressions* | LVL3 | Chicago  
*Question and Answer* | LVL3 | Chicago  
*Where is the Reward* | LVL3 | Chicago  
SAIC Early College Program Final Exhibitions | Neiman Center | Chicago  
2018      SAIC Early College Program Final Exhibitions | Neiman Center | Chicago

## Events

2018      *Organizer, Students for Justice in Palestine Conversations: Censorship* | Neiman Center | Chicago  
*Organizer, Students for Justice in Palestine Conversations: Boycott, Divestment, and Sanctions* | Neiman Center | Chicago  
*Organizer, Students for Justice in Palestine Conversations: The Balfour Declaration* | Neiman Center | Chicago  
2017