

# Keisha Lopez (b. 1993)

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## **Experience:**

November 2020 – March 2021 MTSU's Power of One Office, Murfreesboro, TN

#### **Student Grant Assistant**

- Broadened awareness against gendered violence on campus and social media
- Created art therapy programing to provide resources for survivors
- Curated 'On the Periphery' to showcase stalking survivorshop on campus and surrounding

November 2020 – November 2021 *The Roaring Artist Gallery, (Virtual Gallery) Austin, TX* **Represented Artist** 

- Creates a breadth of work to supply for clients' needs
- Packages and ships artwork safely to homes of collectors
- Documents and photographs artwork to establish connections and interest

June- October 2020 Brushes with Cancer, Austin, TX

#### Artist

- Developed an original work of art based on Cancer survivor's battle
- Promoted healing and emotional wellness for cancer survivor
- Exhibited original art and auctioned 100% of profits for Twist Out Cancer Philanthropy

August 2020 Stay Home Gallery Residency, Paris, TN

#### **Artist in Residence**

- Brought 'Red, Flesh, and Blues' series to fruition
- Developed social media promotion of 'SHG' for part of residence
- Developed writing, documentation, and painted in relation to the political climate

January 2019-2020 Tinney Contemporary, Nashville, TN

### **Gallery Intern / Art Writer**

- Provided assistance to Gallery Manager based on day-to-day needs
- Art Writer for Tinney Contemporary 'Blog'
- Assisted with installation and de-installation of exhibits
- Kept inventory up to date such as: current photos, organization, and storage

October 2017-2019 Synesthesia, Nashville, TN

#### **Curator/Painter**

- Curated, alongside Case Arnold, a blend of visual artists and musicians
- Live-Painted alongside Hip Hop performers, spoken word, R & B
- Installed artwork of local Nashville Artists
- Promoted event digitally on social media platforms

#### **Exhibitions:**



'Femme & Flora', Solo Exhibition, LabCanna East, Nashville TN	2021
'Hope/Revolution', Stay Home Gallery, Paris TN, Juror: L. Jackson Harris	2020
'Hear us Roar!', Virtual Women's Empowerment Exhibition, The Roaring Artist Gallery	2020
'Esthesia,' Solo Show, Middle Tennessee State University, Murfreesboro, TN	2019
'Synesthesia,' Group Exhibition and Performance, Grow House Method, Nashville, TN	2018
David G. Ledoux's Scholarship Solo Show, Middle Tennessee State University, Murfreesboro, TN	2016
Cummins Station Student Exhibition, Cummins Station, Nashville, TN, Curator: Michael Baggarly	2016
WEHO Holiday Art Crawl, Group Exhibition, Track One, Nashville, TN	2015
Foundation's Showcase, Group Exhibition, Middle Tennessee State University, Murfreesboro, TN Juror: Charles Clary	2013
Publications/Writing:	······································
Tinney Contemporary Blog, JanJan. 2019-2020 Editions, Nashville, TN	2019-2020
Collage: Journal of Creative Expression, Fall 2012 & 2020 Edition, Middle Tennessee State University, Murfreesboro, TN	2015 & 2020
Artist of the Week, FRONTRUNNER Magazine, September 30, 2020 by Yasmine El Shaer	2020
Academics / Awards:	
Bachelors of Science in Painting / Minor in Psychology, Middle Tennessee State University, Murfreesboro, TN	2021
David G. Ledoux Art Scholarship, Middle Tennessee State University, Murfreesboro, TN	2015-2016
Provost Academic Scholarship, Middle Tennessee State University, Murfreesboro, TN	2012-2016
Fiber Sculpture, Arrowmont College & University Partner Scholarship, Gatlinburg, TN	2015

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