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EDUCATION

2011 – 2016 | Ohio University, BFA Photography & Integrated Media, Athens OH
Museum Studies (certificate)
Women Gender & Sexuality Studies (certificate)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2020 - present | Co-founder, Whistlepig Farms, Luttrell, TN
2012 – Present | Owner and operator, Kelsey Tiara Photo
2017 – 2021 | Gallery Manager, Arrowmont School of Arts and Crafts, Gatlinburg, TN
2016 – 2017 | Exhibitions Manager, The Dairy Barn Arts Center, Athens, OH
2014 – 2016 | Exhibitions/Framer/Collections Assistant, Kennedy Museum of Art, Athens, OH
2012 – 2014 | Gallery Assistant, Ohio University Southern Gallery, Ironton, OH

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2023 | *Lens-Based*, Relay Ridge, Knoxville, TN
2022 | *Reality is known by its traces*, The Knoxville Community Darkroom, Knoxville, TN
2021 | *Reality is known by its traces*, Chaddock & Morrow Gallery, The DBAC, Athens OH
2019 | *Reality is known by its traces*, Tile Room Gallery, Abington Art Center, Philadelphia PA

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2022 | *Expressing the Internal - the Self Beyond the Selfie*, Online exhibition, Analog Forever Magazine
2022 | *Ecotone*, IJAMS Nature Center, Knoxville, TN
2022 | *Common Ground*, Gallery 1010, Knoxville, TN
2021 | *Contact*, Vanessa Hartman collaboration, Mighty Mud, Knoxville, TN
2021 | *Garden Party Gala*, Beardsley Farm, Knoxville, TN
2021 | *Knoxville Photo 2021*, Arts & Culture Alliance, Knoxville, TN
2021 | *Women of Appalachia Project*, The Dairy Barn Arts Center, Athens, OH
2020 | *Meet the Board: New Members Exhibition*, Knoxville Community Darkroom, Knoxville, TN
2020 | *The END!*, Gallery 1010, Knoxville TN
2019 | *Off the Clock: Arrowmont Staff Exhibition*, Gallery 1010, Knoxville TN
2019 | *Nuance: Craftsmanship, Imagination & Innovation*, Peters Valley School of Craft, NJ
2019 | *National Juried Exhibition of 2019*, Arts & Culture Alliance, Knoxville TN
2017 | *Monster*, Majestic Galleries, Nelsonville OH

2017 | *Southern Comfort*, Station 116, Athens OH
2016 | *Toil and Trouble*, Collingwood Arts Center, Toledo OH
2016 | *Convergence*, Seigfred Gallery, Ohio University, Athens OH
2016 | *ImageOHIO16*, ROY G BIV Gallery, Columbus OH (catalog)
2015 | *Undergraduate Juried Exhibition*, Seigfred Gallery, Ohio University, Athens OH
2015 | *Senior Highlight*, Test Strip, Ohio University, Athens OH
2015 | *Arts Council of Northeast Kentucky*, Pendleton Arts Center, Ashland KY
2013 | *Student Juried Exhibition*, Ohio University Southern Gallery, Ironton OH
2012 | *Student Juried Exhibition*, Ohio University Southern Gallery, Ironton OH
2012 | *Undergraduate Juried Exhibition*, Seigfred Gallery, Ohio University, Athens OH
2011 | *Undergraduate Juried Exhibition*, Seigfred Gallery, Ohio University, Athens OH

CURATORIAL / JURYING

2020 | *Incremental Signals* | *Kim Mirus & Shanna Fleigel*, Arrowmont School of Arts & Crafts, TN
2019 | *Bridging the Gap: Contemporary Craft Practices*, Arrowmont School of Arts & Crafts, TN
2019 | *In Her Domain* | *Helen Geglio & Angela Caldwell*, Arrowmont School of Arts & Crafts, TN
2019 | *New Traditions* | *Sophie Glenn & Adam Hawk*, Arrowmont School of Arts & Crafts, TN
2018 | Art Slam Competition, Juror, Dogwood Arts, Knoxville TN
2016 | *David Currie: Photographs*, The Kennedy Museum of Art, Athens OH
2015 | *Arnold Gassan: Serigraphs*, Test Strip, Ohio University, Athens OH

TEACHING & RESIDENCIES

2023 | Teaching assistant, Basket Weaving, The Museum of Infinite Outcomes, IJAMS, Knoxville, TN
2022 | Handbound Photo Albums workshop, Arrowmont School of Arts & Crafts, TN
2022 | Pentaculum Invitational Artist Residency, Arrowmont School of Arts & Crafts, TN
2021 | Artist in Collaboration residency, The Museum of Infinite Outcomes, Knoxville, TN
2021 | Lumen Printing, Arrowmont School of Arts & Crafts, TN
2020 | Lumen Printing, Staff Workshop, Arrowmont School of Arts & Crafts
2020 | Lumen Printing, Knoxville Teachers In-Service, Arrowmont School of Arts & Crafts, TN
2019 | Lumen Printing, Leadership Knoxville, Arrowmont School of Arts & Crafts, Gatlinburg, TN
2019 | Lumen Printing, Knoxville Teachers In-Service, Arrowmont School of Arts & Crafts, TN

PUBLICATIONS, DEMONSTRATIONS & PRESENTATIONS

2023 | Public tintype demonstration, McClung Museum of Natural History & Culture, Knoxville, TN
2023 | Tintype demonstration for family day event, McClung Museum, Knoxville, TN
2022 | Maker Monday WATE TV Segment

<https://www.wate.com/living-east-tennessee/maker-monday-kelsey-tiara-photo/>

- 2022 | WVLT TV Segment
www.wvlt.tv/2022/05/20/armed-with-camera-old-techniques-tennessee-photographer-faces-fears/
- 2022 | Ohio University Alumni Presentation, Athens, OH via Zoom
- 2021 | *The Pigeon Parade Quarterly*, Issue No. 4, Knoxville, TN (print)
- 2021 | *International Photography Annual INPHA 8*, Manifest Gallery, Cincinnati, OH (print)
- 2019 | Musée Magazine, Flash Fiction: *Unpacking Suitcase*
<https://museemagazine.com/features/2019/10/11/flash-fiction-unpacking-suitcase>
- 2019 | SPE Women's Caucus, Instagram takeover
- 2019 | The Hand Magazine, Issue No. 24. Pg. 18 (print)
- 2016 | Jettison Magazine, "Feral Temptations," Athens, OH
<http://jettisonarchive.com/uncategorized/1614/feral-temptations/>
- 2015 | Sphere Magazine, Ohio University, Athens, OH (print)
<https://www.ohio.edu/cas/english/research/literary-journals/sphere-magazine>

GRANTS & AWARDS

- 2022 | The Ann & Steve Bailey Opportunity Grant, The Arts & Culture Alliance, Knoxville, TN
- 2016 | Ohio University Provost's Undergraduate Research Fund, Athens OH
- 2015 | Terry Schchat Photography Scholarship, Ohio University, Athens OH
- 2015 | B&H Photography Award, Ohio University, Athens OH
- 2015 | Special Talent Award, Ohio University, Athens OH
- 2014 | Terry Schchat Photography Scholarship, Ohio University, Athens OH
- 2014 | B&H Photography Award, Ohio University, Athens OH
- 2013 | 3rd place, *Undergraduate Juried Exhibition*, Seigfred Gallery, Ohio University, Athens OH
- 2012 | Director's Award, *Undergraduate Juried Exhibition*, Ohio University, Athens OH
- 2012 | Workshop Scholarship, Walter Gropius Master Series, Huntington Museum of Art, WV

COLLABORATIONS & EVENTS

- 2023 | Muddy Roots Music Festival, Cookeville, TN
- 2023 | Southern Skies Music Festival, Knoxville, TN
- 2023 | Dogwood Arts Festival, Knoxville, TN
- 2023 | Big Ears Music Festival, Pretentious Brewing, Knoxville, TN
- 2023 | Purple Heart Tattoo, Knoxville, TN
- 2023 | Remedy Coffee, Knoxville, TN
- 2022 - 2023 | Mabry-Hazen House Museum, Knoxville, TN
- 2022 - 2023 | Historic Ramsey House, Knoxville, TN
- 2022 | Old City Maker Market, Knoxville, TN
- 2022 | Huntington Music and Arts Festival, Huntington, WV

2022 - 2023 | Retropolitan Craft Fair, Knoxville, TN
2021 - 2023 | Old Sevier Sunday Markets, Knoxville, TN
2021 | Glamour City Popup Market, French Fried Vintage, Knoxville, TN
2021 - Present | Punk Rock Flea Market, The Mill and Mine, Knoxville, TN
2021 | Knoxville Community Darkroom Tintype Popup, Knoxville, TN

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

2022 - present | Arts & Culture Alliance, member, Knoxville, TN
2022 - 2023 | Mutual Aid Space Knoxville, member
2020 – 2021 | Knoxville Community Darkroom, Gallery Director / Board Member, Knoxville, TN
2018 – 2021 | Society for Photographic Education (SPE), member

PARTICIPATION / CONTINUED EDUCATION

2022 - 2023 | Maker City Summit conference, Knoxville, TN
2022 | CO.STARTERS, Knoxville Entrepreneur Center, Knoxville, TN
2021 | First Aid Collective Knoxville Art Auction, Knoxville, TN
2021 | Wetplate Collodion Workshop with Lisa Elmaleh, Paw Paw, WV
2020 | Devotional Print Portfolio Exchange, Gallery 1010, University of Tennessee, Knoxville, TN
2019 | Broom Making Workshop with Nikki Jones, Arrowmont School of Arts & Crafts, TN
2018 | SPE Southeast Conference, “The Fierce Urgency of Now,” Penland School of Craft, NC