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EDUCATION

- 2010 Mills College, Masters of Fine Art, Studio Art
2008 San Francisco Art Institute, Post-Baccalaureate Certificate, Sculpture
2006 Lewis & Clark College, Bachelors of Art, Studio Art, Hispanic Studies, *magna cum laude*

EXHIBITION HISTORY

- 2011 *Drawing Conclusions*, Heart, San Francisco, CA
Deep Structure, Marin Museum of Contemporary Art, Novato, CA
Manufactured Organic, Root Division, San Francisco, CA (curatorial project)
A Live Animal, Root Division, San Francisco, CA
Nature of Icons, Andalu, San Francisco, CA
10th Annual Art Auction, Root Division, San Francisco, CA
2010 *Holidayland*, Compound Gallery, Oakland, CA
9th Annual Art Auction, Root Division, San Francisco, CA
UpRooted, Heart, San Francisco, CA
Sideshow Happening, Root Division, San Francisco, CA
Between You and Me: Mills College MFA Exhibition, Mills College, Oakland, CA
2009 *Holidayland*, Blankspace Gallery, Oakland, CA
Unreal, 31 Rausch, San Francisco, CA
Stimulus Package, Blankspace Gallery, Oakland, CA
Changed, Temescal Contemporary, Oakland, CA
2008 *Museums: Interventions*, Legion of Honor & de Young Museums, San Francisco, CA
Composing Biology, Swell Gallery, San Francisco, CA
POST, Swell Gallery, San Francisco, CA
2007 *City Traffik*, Swell Gallery, San Francisco, CA
2006 *Emerging Artists*, Catlin Gable School, Portland, OR
Recent Graduates Exhibition, Blackfish Gallery, Portland, OR
Senior Art Exhibition, Hoffman Gallery, Lewis & Clark College, Portland, OR

PUBLICATIONS/PRESS

- 2011 Caroline Chen, SF Weekly, *Call of the Wild: A Live Animal Exhibition Explores Human Relationships with Nature*, July 8, 2011
Inside City Limits, Comcast TV Channel 104, Aired March 23-April 5, 2011
Jessica Carew Kraft, East Bay Express, *Toxic Art*, March 23, 2011
Dorothy Santos, artpractical.com, *Shotgun Review: Manufactured Organic*, March 24, 2011
2010 JD Beltran, City Brights, SFGate.com, *State of the Artists*, May 12, 2010
Between You and Me: Mills College MFA Exhibition 2010, Exhibition Catalog, Mills Art Museum, Essay by Stephanie Hanor
2009 *Unreal*, Exhibition Catalog, 31 Rausch St Gallery
2008 *Museums: Interventions*, Exhibition Catalog, Legion of Honor and de Young Museums, Essay by Ian McDonald
2006 *Senior Art Exhibition*, Exhibition Catalog, Hoffman Gallery, Essay by Linda Tesner

AWARDS/AFFILIATIONS

- 2011 Selected for BayVAN Artist Registry
2010-present Root Division Resident Artist
2010 Jay DeFeo MFA Award, Mills College
2009 Nell Sinton Graduate Studio Art Scholarship, Mills College
2006 Departmental Honors in Studio Art, Lewis & Clark College
2002-2006 Leadership and Service Award, Lewis & Clark College