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b. 1992, Guadalajara, Jalisco

EDUCATION:

2025 - 2028 MFA in Studio Art, Hunter College, City University of New York (CUNY), NY
2015 Degree in Visual Arts for Plastic Expression of the University of Guadalajara
2014 Academy Internship at the Rennes 2 University, France

SOLO EXHIBITIONS:

2023 *Sopa de Anguilas*, CURRO Gallery, Guadalajara, México
2020 *Fuerzas Vivas*, SINDICATO, Guadalajara, México
This Wild Darkness, MASIN, Museum of the Arts of Sinaloa, Culiacán, Sinaloa
2019 *Instant Gratification* with Nadia Leonhard, Cuadro 22, Chür, Switzerland
2018 *Possible Image*, Juan Soriano Gallery, Guadalajara, México
2016 *The sunset of things*. (In collaboration with Gustavo Salazar), Jorge Martínez Art Laboratory, Guadalajara, México
Conflagration, Interior 2.1, Guadalajara, México

GROUP EXHIBITIONS:

2026 *Memento*, Hunter College, New York
2025 *Propositions*, Hunter College, New York
NADA Art Fair, Miami
Untitled Art Fair, Miami
Late Check Out, Plast Space, Leipzig
ROOMS, Plataforma, Guadalajara
Material History, Chilli Gallery, London
Independent HQ, New York
LAS Begins, London Art Services, London
Crossing the Chasm, Third Born, CDMX
2024 Material Fair, Guadalajara
And the Safe Spots Became Impassable, at M Place, Hong Kong
2023 *Quinceañera*, Curro Galería, Guadalajara
2022 *Andajes Lentos*, Proyecto Caimán, Guadalajara
Este fino alambre de púas, Lanao, CDMX
2.1 Jaliscos, Sala GAM, CDMX
Ser-Tierra, BALA, CDMX

- Screen Strokes, Pequod Co, CDMX
Torrente, Garage.gpf, Guadalajara
- 2021 De Pictura, Espacio Cabeza, Guadalajara
Simulacro y Simulación, Galery CURRO, Guadalajara
ABLAR HA DEFESIOS, HABLAR ADEFESIOS, DEFESIOS ABLAR HA, Pequod Co, CDMX
- 2020 *don't get 2 close 2 my fantasy*, Karen Huber Gallery, CDMX
- 2020 *INMANENTE*, Disoluciones en el paisaje en OPC, Vallarta
- 2019 *ABSINTHE*, Spit & Sawdust, London
Julio Castillo Biennial, Libertad Gallery, Querétaro.
- 2018 *Extended Call pt. 3*, London
- 2017 XII "Joaquín Clausell" Painting Biennial in Campeche
Standby, OFFQUAY, London
Second Landscape Biennial at the Carrillo Gil Art Museum
- 2016 Undocumented Emerging Room, Miami, Florida
Winter Collective at Ajolote Arte Contemporáneo Gallery
Here and There, Chelsea London School, London
ArteCareyes, Playa Careyes
Habitat, Galería Juan Soriano
SALON ACME, Mexico City.
- 2015 XI Biennial of Painting "Joaquín Clausell" in Campeche
Tenth Puebla de los Ángeles Biennial
National Meeting of Young Art Aguascalientes 2015
- 2013 October Hall in the former convent of the Carmen (Honorable Mention)

SELECTED AWARDS AND DISTINCTIONS:

2018 November – First place in the category of Young Creators of the National Bienal José Atanasio Monroy

2015 October - First place in the category of Young Creators of the contest Salón de Octubre.

Grants / Residencies:

2022 August- Cobertizo, Jilotepec, Edo. de México.

2020 January- FONCA Young Creators.

2019 Residence Air-Montreux, Montreux, Switzerland.

2017 August - FONCA Young Creators.

Recipient of the APCE Grant (Support for Art and Culture Professionals for Graduate Studies Abroad)

Recipient of the Fundación Jumex Arte Contemporáneo Scholarship