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Education

- 2022 BFA in Craft/Material Study, Virginia Commonwealth University, Magna Cum Laude, Richmond, Virginia
- 2018 Architecture and Interior Design, Design and Architecture Sr. High, Miami, Florida
- 2017 Sculpture, Painting and Drawing, California College of the Arts, Oakland, California

Work Experience

- 2023 Design and Build, Museum of Outdoor Arts, Denver, Colorado, Intern
- Collaborated with other interns
 - designed and fabricated site specific sculptures
- 2022 Fine Art Handcrafted Lighting, Hialeah, Florida, Glassblower
- Hot shop production
 - Cold working various glass products
- 2020/2021 Metal Artist, Carolina Sardi, Little Haiti, Florida, Intern
- Cataloged and organized pieces for exhibits
 - Engraved metal
 - Plasma cut metal
 - Painted steel
- 2019/2020/2021 Wood Shop, Fabio Designs, Miami, Florida, Apprentice
- Sanded and finished custom orders
 - Installed foam insulation on a tiny house project
 - Burned wood shingles for a tiny house
 - Measured, cut and sanded basic accessories
- 2017/2018 Exhibit Design, Phillip and Patricia Frost Museum of Science, Miami, Florida, Intern
- Collaborated on an in-house exhibit "Design Lab: *Engineering*"
 - Assisted in constructing exhibits

Exhibitions

- 2023
- 3 collaborative pieces, Museum of Outdoor Art, Denver, CO
- 2021
- 2 furniture pieces, Craft Consciousness, The Anderson, Richmond, VA

Skills & Abilities

- Advanced Glass Fabrication
- Advanced Woodworking and Furniture
- Advanced Metal Fabrication
- Mig/Tig Welding
- Oxy Acetylene Welding
- Foundry and Forging
- Mold Making
- Adobe Photoshop and After Effects
- Microsoft Word, Excel and PowerPoint