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SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2020 FROM THE OSAGE HOUSE**, University City Library, St. Louis, Missouri
- 2019 UNSURVEILLANCED OSAGE HOUSE ROCK (DO ROCKS DIE)**, St. Louis
Artist Guild Window Display, Clayton, Missouri
- 2018 PARTS OF SOMETHING**, Kiosk Gallery, Kansas City, Missouri
- 2017 IT'S GONNA BE SOMETHING**, John & June Allcott Gallery, University of North
Carolina, Chapel Hill, North Carolina
ONE PEACHFUZZY ROCK, Gutter Box, Raleigh, North Carolina
- 2014 SELFSIES**, City Ice Arts, Kansas City, Missouri
FROLICKING RAGAMUFFIN, Jefferson College, Hillsboro, Missouri
- 2010 URBAN ILLUMINATIONS**, Beggars Table Gallery, Kansas City, Missouri
- 2009 CURVES**, Jaqueline B. Charno Gallery at The Kansas City Artists Coalition,
Kansas City, Missouri
- 2007 ACIDULOUS PAINTINGS**, Opie Gallery at the Leedy-Voukos Art Center,
Kansas City, Missouri
- 2006 FEATURED ARTIST EXHIBITION**, Tchoupitoulas, Kansas City, Missouri
- 2005 TRANSCENDING FORWARD**, The Cube at the Beco, Kansas City, Missouri

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2023 VIRAL INTERGATION**, University California Irvine, Irvine, California
- 2022 VISUAL ACUITY**, East Central College, Union, Missouri
- 2021 PRIMER, CHARGED ABSTRACTION**, Troost Gardens, Kansas City, Missouri
- 2020 FACULTY EXHIBITION**, Jefferson College, Hillsboro, Missouri
EXHIBITION #3, Holsum Gallery, Kansas City, Missouri
- 2019 METAMORPHOSIS**, Tugboat Gallery, Lincoln, Nebraska
- 2018 FACULTY EXHIBITION**, Jefferson College, Hillsboro, Missouri
- 2017 OF PAPER**, John & June Allcott UG Gallery, UNC-Chapel Hill, North Carolina
**MATERIA (Dystopia/Dematerialization); A Temporal Collaboration at three
atypical spaces**, Site One Guest Room, Carrboro, North Carolina
SOFT NOSTALIGA, Bowbarr, Carrboro, North Carolina
TIME WILL TELL, Ackland Museum of Art, Chapel Hill, North Carolina
ANXIOUS CONDITION, Anchorlight, Raleigh, North Carolina
- 2016 CAMstellation**, CAM Raleigh, Raleigh, North Carolina
DYNAMIC, Stecklin Gallery, Newman University, Wichita, Kansas
- 2014 KANSAS CITY FLATFILE**, H&R Block Artspace, Kansas City, Missouri
DRUGSTORE OPEN STUDIOS RESIDENTS SHOW, Drugstore, KC, MO
BIENNIAL ART DEPARTMENT FACULTY EXHIBITION, Potter Art Gallery, St.
Joseph, MO
OTHER REALMS, Wheeler Audio, Kansas City, Missouri

- 2013 OBSERVATION/HYPOHESIS/EXPERIMENT: STUDIO AS LABORATORY**, Paragraph Gallery, Kansas City, Missouri
CURRENTS, ABSTRACT, Kiosk Gallery, Kansas City, Missouri
URBAN SUBURBAN, Epsten Gallery at Village Shalom, Overland Park, Kansas
- 2012 KANSAS CITY FLATFILE**, H&R Block Artspace, Kansas City, Missouri
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TANGENTS & DETOURS, Town Pavilion Gallery, Kansas City, Missouri
FRONTIER: CSF 15-YEAR ANNIVERSARY PROJECT, Paragraph & Project Space Galleries, Kansas City, Missouri
XOXO: SALON STYLE SHOW, Spray Booth Gallery, Kansas City, Missouri
- 2011 TOMPKINS PROJECTS WEST: WORKS ON PAPER**, Dan Graham Gallery, Los Angeles, California
MEET ME IN THE MIDDLE, Three Rivers Art Gallery, Poplar Bluff, Missouri
- 2010 THE LAST UNICORN**, Tattoo Factory Gallery, Chicago, Illinois
RIVER MARKET REGIONAL, Kansas City Artists Coalition Galleries, Kansas City, Missouri
KANSAS CITY FLATFILE, H&R Block Artspace, Kansas City, Missouri
HUSTLE 2, Third Eye Event Space, Kansas City, Missouri
URBAN SUBURBAN, Epsten Gallery at Village Shalom, Overland Park, Kansas
- 2009 CULTURAL COMPOSITE**, Mattie Rhodes Art Gallery, Kansas City, Missouri
- 2007 KANSAS CITY SLOP, SWAP, AND SHOP**, Project Space, Kansas City, Missouri
EN LAS CARTES, Mattie Rhodes Art Gallery, Kansas City, Missouri
- 2005 HIP HOP ARTS SHOWCASE**, The Boley, Kansas City, Missouri
URBAN SUBURBAN, Epsten Gallery at Village Shalom, Overland Park, Kansas
- 2003 WEAPONS OF MASS DESTRUCTION**, Arts Incubator Gallery, Kansas City, Missouri
KANSAS CITY ART INSTITUTE BFA EXHIBITION, H&R Block Space, Kansas City, Missouri

AWARDS & ACHIEVEMENTS

- 2015** The Drugstore Studio Resident, Kansas City, Missouri
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- 2013** Charlotte Street Foundation Urban Culture Project Studio Residency, Kansas City, Missouri
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 ART = CRITICAL with Jessica Baran: Art Writing Workshop participant at Plug Projects, Kansas City, Missouri
 Critique Night participant at Plug Projects, Kansas City, Missouri
 Creative Capital: Verbal Communications Workshop, Kansas City, Missouri
- 2011** Charlotte Street Foundation Urban Culture Project Studio Residency, Kansas City, Missouri
 Missouri Bank Crossroads Art Through Architecture "ARTBOARDS",

Kansas City, Missouri
Inspiration Grant Recipient from the ArtsKC Fund, Kansas City, Missouri
2010 Artist, Inc, Kansas City, Missouri
2008 Art Through Architecture Database, Kansas City, Missouri

PRESS

2014 *ABSTRACTION TAKES CENTER STAGE*, Alice Thorson, Kansas City Star, March 6 (preview section)
Cool for Katz, AGENDA, The Pitch, July 17-23, Vol. 34 NO. 3
2012 *In the Studio with Kansas City's Luke Firlie*, NY Post Modern, www.nypostmodern.com
2010 *Rising Flat: Luke Firlie* by Steve Brisendine, ARTKC365 on EREVIEW.ORG, March 31
2009 *Creating on the Curve: Luke Firlie at Kansas City Artist Coalition* by Steve Brisendine, ARTKC365 on EREVIEW.ORG, November 19
2005 *Art Capsules Review of Transcending Forward*, by Rebecca Braverman, THE PITCH, October 13

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2021-2023 **East Central College**
Art Instructor, 2D Design, Drawing 1-3, Painting 1-3, Printmaking, Art Appreciation, Art Club Advisor
2020-2021 **East Central College**
Adjunct Instructor, 2D Design, Drawing 1-3 and Art Appreciation
2018-Present **Jefferson College**
Adjunct Instructor, Drawing I, Art Appreciation and Modern Art
2018-2021 **St. Louis Artist Guild**
Instructor, Intro to Etching & Reduction printing
2020 **Mineral Area College**
Adjunct Instructor, Drawing I & II, Painting I, Survey of Art II
2015-2017 **University North Carolina-Chapel Hill**
Teaching Fellow
104 Beginning Drawing, 102 Core Concepts – Image
Graduate Fellowship BeAM Maker Space
Laser cutter, 3-D printer, Vinyl cutter Supervisor/Instructor
2013-2015 **Missouri Western State University**
Adjunct Instructor, Tools & Techniques
2007-2012 **Nelson-Atkins Museum of Art**
Ford Learning Center Instructor

EDUCATION

2015-2017 **Master of Fine Arts**
UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA, Chapel Hill, North Carolina
2000-2002 **Bachelor of Fine Arts**
KANSAS CITY ART INSTITUTE, Kansas City, Missouri

1996-1999

Associate of the Arts

JEFFERSON COLLEGE, Hillsboro, Missouri

2019

Online Instruction Certificate

JEFFERSON COLLEGE, Hillsboro, Missouri