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Education

- 2017 Arizona State University, MFA, Ceramics
2012-14 University of Florida, Post-Baccalaureate Study, Ceramics
2009 Berea College, BA, Studio Art
Ceramics Emphasis; Minor Asian Studies
2008 Murray State/KIIS Japan Summer Study Abroad Program Participant
2007 Murray State/KIIS Italy Summer Study Abroad Program Participant

Teaching Experience

- Spring 2018 Lecturer, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN
2017-present Adjunct Faculty, Concordia University, Saint Paul, MN
2015-17 Instructor of Record, Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ
2013 Teacher, Reitz Union Arts and Crafts Center, Gainesville, FL
2011-12 Guest Artist, Creative Clay, St Petersburg, FL
2009-10 Assistant Language Teacher, JET Program, Japan
2007-9 Teaching Assistant to Tina Gebhart, Berea College, Berea, KY

Selected Exhibitions

- 2017 *Mug Shots*, Lux Center for the Arts, Lincoln, NE
Juried by Doug Peltzman
Juried Alumni Exhibition, Doris Ulmann Galleries, Berea College, Berea, KY
Juried by Kyle and Kelly Phelps
Walking and Thinking and Walking Again,
ASU Art Museum Project Space, Phoenix, AZ
Color • Object • Form, Solo Thesis Exhibition,
Harry Wood Gallery, ASU, Tempe, AZ
Mudworks MMXVII, Shemer Art Center, Phoenix, AZ
Nasty Women: Phoenix Unite, Grand ArtHaus, Phoenix, AZ
2016 *Exchange*, (travelling exhibition), SDSU University Gallery,

- San Diego State University, San Diego, CA
Exchange, Step Gallery, ASU, Phoenix, AZ
ASU Ceramics NOW, ASU Exhibition Hall, Tempe, AZ
Systemic: An Exploration of Human Systems, Step Gallery, ASU, Phoenix, AZ
3 Person Show
College Collective, Genessee Center for the Arts and Education, Rochester, NY
Juried by Peter Pincus
Nathan Cummings Travel Grant Show, Step Gallery, ASU Phoenix, AZ
Ceram-a-Rama Silent Auction, ASU Ceramic Research Center, Tempe, AZ
Mudworks MMXVI, Harry Wood Gallery, ASU, Tempe, AZ
- 2015
Radius II, Livery Studio, Scottsdale, AZ
Radius, Museum of Walking, Tempe, AZ
Where are They Now?: Postcards from the UF Art Alumni, 4Most Gallery,
University of Florida, Gainesville, FL
- 2014
New Grads Show, Harry Wood Gallery, ASU, Tempe, AZ
Trajectories, Xavier Preparatory College, Phoenix, AZ
Coffee, Tea, or...#3, Terra Incognito Studios, Oak Park, IL
Seize the Clay, Icehouse Gallery, McIntosh, FL
Trading Places: Part 3, Central Florida Office Plus, Gainesville, FL
- 2013
Eutectics, Reitz Union Gallery, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL
University of Florida Student Juried Show, University Gallery, Gainesville, FL
Cup: The Intimate Object IX, Charlie Cummings Gallery, Gainesville, FL
Variations in Clay, Icehouse Gallery, McIntosh, FL
- 2012
Trading Places: Part 2, Warphaus Gallery, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL
Currents 2012: Phenomena of the End, Focus Gallery, University of Florida,
Gainesville, FL
Juried by Kathy King
- 2011
Teapot Show, Craftsman House Gallery, St Petersburg, FL
- 2010
Members Show, St Petersburg Clay Company, St Petersburg, FL
- 2009
Senior Art Exhibition, Traylor Galleries, Berea College, Berea, KY

Awards and Honors

- 2017 Completion Grant, Arizona State University
2016 Special Talent Scholarship, Arizona State University
2015 Special Talent Scholarship, Arizona State University
2014 Special Talent Scholarship, Arizona State University
Bobbitt Scholarship, Berea College

- 2005-09 Full Tuition Scholarship, Berea College
2008 John B. Stephenson Scholarship, Berea College
2007 New Horizons Grant, Berea College

Career Related Experience

- 2017 Volunteer, American Pottery Festival, Northern Clay Center,
Minneapolis, MN
Artist Lecture, Graduate Ceramics Symposium, ASU Ceramic Research
Center, Tempe, AZ
- 2015-16 Intern to Garth Johnson, Curator, ASU Ceramic Research Center,
Tempe, AZ
- 2014 Pre-session Volunteer, Watershed Center for the Ceramic Arts,
Newcastle, ME
- 2013 *The Art Lending Project*, Harn Museum of Art, Gainesville, FL
- 2011-12 Resident artist, Craftsman House Gallery, St Petersburg, FL
- 2012 *Spring for the Arts*, Creative Clay Fundraiser Auction, St Petersburg, FL
- 2010 NCECA Conference Volunteer, Tampa, Florida
- 2008 *Empty Bowls*, Contributed Bowls, Berea, KY
- 2006-9 Involvement with Berea College Ceramic Apprenticeship Program

Publications

The Artslant Team "Under the Radar: Nando Alvarez Perez, Santina Amato, Priya Thoresen" Artslant, 7/14/2017
<https://www.artslant.com/ew/articles/show/48186-under-the-radar-nando-alvarez-perez-santina-amato-priya-thoresen>

May, Chaz "Ceramics Alumna Shares Recent Achievements" In the Loop, 2/9/2017 <http://arts.ufl.edu/in-the-loop/news/ceramics-alumna-shares-recent-achievements/>

Dashnaw, Mary "In Case You Missed: Systemic at Step Gallery" The Arts Beacon, 9/9/2016 <http://www.theartsbeacon.com/in-case-you-missed-systemic-at-step-gallery>

Memberships

2016-present Art Axis

2015-17 TAG: The Art Grads, Arizona State University

2012-14 H.O.T Clay, University of Florida

2010 St Petersburg Clay Company