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Selected Awards and Honors

- 2021 Creative Support for Individuals, Visual Arts, Minnesota State Arts Board.
- 2020 Art(ists) on the Verge Fellowship, Northern Lights and Jerome Foundation, MN.
- 2019 Jerome Fellow, Artist-in-Residence, Camargo Foundation, Cassis, FR.
Artist Initiative Grant, Visual Arts, Minnesota State Arts Board.
Artist-in-Residence, Anderson Center, Red Wing, MN.
- 2018 COMPAS Teaching Artist of the Year.
- 2017 Jerome Foundation Travel and Study Grant, MN.
- 2016 Artist Initiative Grant, Visual Arts, Minnesota State Arts Board.
- 2015 Next Step Fund Grant, Metropolitan Regional Arts Council, MN.
Harvestworks, independent study and certification in MAX/MSP/Jitter, NY.
- 2014 Jerome Fellow, Artist-in-Residence, Anderson Center, Red Wing, MN.
Artist Initiative Grant, Minnesota State Arts Board.
- 2013 Jerome Fellow, Artist-in-Residence, Tofte Lake Center, Ely, MN.
- 2012 Artist-in-Residence, New York Mills Regional Cultural Center, MN.
- 2010 Naked Stages Fellowship, Jerome Foundation and Pillsbury House Theatre,
Minneapolis, MN.
- 2008 Honorable Mention, Made @ MCAD Exhibition, MCAD, MN.
- 2007 Recipient of MFA Merit Award Scholarship, MCAD, MN.

Selected Solo & Two-Person Exhibitions, Screenings, and Multimedia/Performative Installations

- 2021 *Hot Zone* mobile participatory experience, Southeastern MN (*forthcoming*).
Fallout Shelter, Hair + Nails Gallery, Minneapolis, MN (*forthcoming*).
RadMaps participatory event series, Southeastern MN (*ongoing*).
- 2020 *Radioactive*, MacRostie Art Center, Grand Rapids, MN.
- 2017 *Last Vacation Before the End of the World, Part 1*, Bryant-Lake Bowl,
Minneapolis, MN.
- 2015 *Where Do We Go From Here?*, Harvestworks, New York, NY.

Selected Group Exhibitions, Screenings, and Multimedia/Performative Installations

- 2019 *Video Variant*, Quatrefoil Library, Minneapolis, MN.
Cellular Cinema: CAVE 3, Bryant-Lake Bowl, Minneapolis, MN.
- 2018 *INFRARED: In Celebration of the Compton Transgender District*, CounterPulse,
San Francisco, CA.
MinnAnimate 7, Minneapolis Film Society Theater, Minneapolis, MN.
The Cinema of Gender Transgression, Anthology Film Archives, New York, NY.
Microcinema #2: Mystery Vessel, Altered Esthetics, Saint Paul, MN.
Untitled Group Show, 801 Gallery, Minneapolis, MN.
Made Here: Future, storefronts throughout downtown Minneapolis, MN.
Feminist Video Quarterly #5, Better World Museum, Minneapolis, MN.
- 2016 *I Don't Normally Do This*, Southern Theatre, Minneapolis, MN.
- 2014 *Art/Road/Movie*, Bryant-Lake Bowl, Minneapolis, MN.
- 2013 *Queer Film Series*, Periwinkle Cinema, San Francisco, CA.
- 2012 *Pleasure Rebel: New Performance Art*, Bryant-Lake Bowl, Minneapolis, MN.
- 2011 *Conspire, Aspire, Perspire: Into the Neon*, Chashama Project Space, New York, NY.

Selected Collaborations

Aniccha Arts

- 2018 Creative collaborator, *Parking Ramp Project*, Bloomington, MN.
- 2016 Core collaborator, *Census*, Northern Spark Festival, Minneapolis, MN.
- 2015 Creative collaborator, *Every Other*, Grain Belt Studios Building, Minneapolis, MN.

Exposed Brick Theatre

- 2018 Video Artist, *Freedom Daze*, Southern Theatre, Minneapolis, MN.
- Video Artist, *Freedom Daze*, Intermedia Arts, Minneapolis, MN.

Body Cartography Project

- 2012 Sound artist and performer, *Supernature*, Walker Art Center, Minneapolis, MN.

Sharon Hayes

- 2008 Performer, "Revolutionary Love 2: I am Your Best Fantasy," Saint Paul, MN.

Selected Public Collections

- Minneapolis College of Art and Design, MN.
- Contemporary Art Museum, Saint Louis, MO.
- Frederick R. Weisman Art Museum, University of Minnesota.
- Savannah College of Art and Design Permanent Collection, GA.
- Barnard College, New York, NY.

Related Professional Experience

- current Teaching Artist Mentor, Teaching Artist Practicum, MCAD, MN (since 2019).
- current Teaching Artist, Franconia Sculpture Park, Franconia, MN (since 2017).
- current Teaching Artist, COMPAS Artist Roster, Saint Paul, MN (since 2012).
- current Instructor, Lifelong Learning, Science Museum of Minnesota (since 2009).
- 2021 Visiting Artist, *Art & Ethics*, University of Minnesota.
- Visiting Artist, *Ethnography for Artists and Designers*, MCAD, MN.
- 2020 Visiting Artist, *Teaching Artist Practicum*, MCAD, MN.
- Visiting Artist, *MCAD MFA Critique Class*, MCAD, MN.
- Visiting Artist, *MCAD MFA Mid-Program Review*, MCAD, MN.
- 2019 Visiting Artist, *Tower View Alternative High School*, Red Wing, MN.
- Visiting Artist, *Minnesota State Academy for the Blind*, Faribault, MN.
- Visiting Artist, *Minnesota State Academy for the Deaf*, Faribault, MN.
- 2018 Visiting Artist, *Professional Practices*, University of Minnesota.
- 2016 Visiting Artist, *MFA Teaching Practicum*, MCAD, MN.
- 2014 Visiting Artist, *Minnesota Juvenile Correctional Facility*, Red Wing, MN.
- 2013 Visiting Artist, *Queer Visual Culture*, Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ.
- Visiting Artist, *Creative Technology Leadership Seminar*, MCAD, MN.

Education

- 2008 Minneapolis College of Art and Design, MN, MFA, Visual Studies.
- 2002 Savannah College of Art and Design, GA, BFA, Painting,
minor in printmaking, magna cum laude.
- 2002 Lacoste School of the Arts, Lacoste, FR, term abroad.
- 1999 University of Missouri-Columbia, Honors College,
undergraduate work in painting and journalism.