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Solo Exhibitions

2016 *Head Count: Curiosities from Jen Merrill's Year Below Ground*, West Gallery, Mt Pleasant
2008 *Demikhov's Hands of Glory*, Iceberger Gallery, San Francisco
2006 *San Francisco Art Institute Master of Fine Arts Graduate Exhibition*, Fort Mason, SF
2005 *Brains and Disembodied Heads*, Diego Rivera Gallery, San Francisco Art Institute
2000 *The Highway to Fortune, Happiness and Heaven*, Gallery 114, Kresge Art Center, MSU

Group Exhibitions

2020 *5 Years of Artists*, ArtSpace 1616, Sacramento, CA
2017 *Winter Exhibition*, ArtSpace1616
2017 *Old North Sacramento Second Saturday Every Saturday*, Sacramento, CA
2017 *Nasty Women Art Exhibition*, Helmuth Projects, San Diego, CA
2017 *An Evening with Baphomet*, McCune Rare Book and Art Collection, Vallejo, CA
2016 *ArtWalk Central*, University Art Gallery, Mt. Pleasant, MI
2016 *ArtPrize*, DeVos Place, Grand Rapids, Michigan
2016 *Small Works Juried Art Show*, Art Reach of Mid Michigan, Mt. Pleasant
2009 *Tomorrow*, Steven Wolf Fine Arts, San Francisco
2009 *Pop Noir, SoEx's Annual Art Auction*, Southern Exposure, San Francisco
2009 *The Lab's Annual Art Sale*, The Lab, San Francisco
2008 *12th Annual Art Sale and Live Auction*, The Lab, San Francisco
2007 *Artists Go Lightly*, The Temporary Autonomous Museum(s), San Francisco
2007 *Head Trip*, Barbara Anderson Gallery, Berkeley, CA
2007 *Ripples*, Oakland Art Gallery
2006 *Contemplating Inappropriateness*, Crucible Steel Gallery in Cell Space, San Francisco
2005 *Figure Caster Figure Head*, Cachi Art Studio, San Francisco
2004 *Energy: e=(matter) art2*, Swissnex, San Francisco
2004 *The Chicken Show*, Crucible Steel Gallery in Cell Space, San Francisco
2004 *The Postcard Show 8*, The Lab, San Francisco
2003 *Minneapolis 55408*, Intermedia Arts, Minneapolis, Minnesota
2003 *Festival of Appropriation Retrospective Preview*, Theater de la Jeune Lune, Minneapolis
2001 *Festival of Appropriation*, Espresso Royal, Minneapolis
1999 *Otherwise Originals Juried All Media Exhibit*, The Otherwise Gallery, Lansing, Michigan

Projects as TGTG (The Garage on the Grove), Sacramento CA

2019 *CAMP TGTG*, Site Specific Outdoor Installation (primary designer and installer)

2019 *FPO (For Position Only): The Color Organ*, Site Specific Installation (installer)

Curatorial as Cofounder of TGTG

2020 *Smile Now, Cry Later*, work by Vinny Pacheco

2019 *Can't See You When I See You*, work by Noah Greene

2019 *AV/PM*, films by Dan Janos and James Harrar

2019 *IN//BETWEEN*, work by Derrick Allard and Garrett Daniells

2019 *Komorebi*, work by Muzi Li Rowe

2018 *To Circle Shame and Doubt*, work by Rachel Deane

Publications, Books, and Speaking Engagements

2020 *rvers EDGE*, TGTG self-published zine about Sacramento Valley Region artists

2017 *An Evening with Baphomet*, Super Classy Publishing

2016 *My Path as an Artist*, Artist talk, Charles V. Park Library, CMU, Mt. Pleasant, MI

2016 San Francisco Magazine, *Art School Reunion*

2008 SF Bay Guardian/Pixel Vision, *Local Artist of the Week*

2008 FlavorPill.com – review of *Demikhov's Hands of Glory* by Dale Tegman

2008 FecalFace.com – Opening Photos by Kara Bratcher

2006 *SFAI MFA Graduate Exhibition Catalogue*

Honors

2000 *Louis Sudler Prize* for excellence & potential for success in visual or performing arts, MSU

1999 Grand Prize Award, Otherwise Originals Juried All Media Exhibit, The Otherwise Gallery,

Juror: Norbert Freese

1999 Calder Scholarship for outstanding junior, Department of Art, MSU

Education

MFA, painting, San Francisco Art Institute

BFA, painting and sculpture, Michigan State University, East Lansing