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EXPERIENCE

Harambee Black Arts Festival, PGH — *art handler*

August 2018

Assisted in the installation and breakdown of the festival's first pop up art exhibition, which featured work from local artists and the Braddock Carnegie Library art archives.

CMU staff picnic, Staff Art Exhibition, PGH -*Co founder*

May 2018

Conceptualized the idea for an art exhibition for staff members who were ineligible to participate in the university's faculty show.

CO founded, curated, and coordinated the first pop up art show showcasing the artwork of 15 Carnegie Mellon staff members. Co-founded and coordinated with Krista Campbell, operated with the help of Carol Hernandez and the CMU staff picnic council.

RESIDENCIES | PROGRAMS

Nafasi Artist Residency 2023 - 2025

PGH Office of Public Art, Public Art and Communities

Program Artist in collaboration with FroGang, June 2021 - Sep 2023

CDCP + MONMADE Art Business Coaching Program 2021

EXHIBITIONS

Solo Show, **Reflections**, StopWatch Gallery, Greensburg PA, Dec-Jan 2023

Group Show, **WOV: ReSilience ReImagined**, Bunker Projects, Pittsburgh PA July - Aug 2023

AWARDS | GRANTS

2022 Heinz Endowments Creative Development Award recipient.

CRAFT FAIRS/MARKETS

1Hood media ART AS LIBERATION - PNC Park Juneteenth 2023

Renegade Craft Fair Chicago - Dec 2019|Online June 2020

Pittsburgh Cultural Trust World Market - September 2019

Pittsburgh Festival of Firsts, World Market - September 2018.

COLLECTIONS

Private collection: Braddock Carnegie Library.

MEMBERSHIPS

Women of Visions PGH

The Invisibility Collective

Origins PGH

Group Show, **LAY BARE** curated by Zeal Eva, Brew House, Pittsburgh PA, Feb - April 2023

Group Show, **The Invisibility Collective: Thresholds of Liminality**, Radian Gallery, San Francisco CA, Dec-Jan 2023

Group Show, **WOV: Future Vision**, Carnegie Museum of Art, Pittsburgh PA May - June 2022

Solo Show, Wilksburg CDC Lohr gallery, Wilksburg PA April 23 - Jun 2022

Group show, **WOV Magnificent Motown with Charlotte Ka Reflections**, Wilmer-Jenning gallery at Kenkeleba, NYC March - April 2022

Group show, **Full Spectrum**, PGH Glass Center, Pittsburgh PA February - May 2022

Group Show, **WOV 40th anniversary**, University of Pittsburgh Art Gallery, Pittsburgh PA October 2021 - February 2022.

Group Show, **Women of Visions Magnificent Motown: Art inspired by the Music**, Kelly Strayhorn Theater, Pittsburgh PA June 2021 - January 2022.

Group Show, **Face Value: Portrait show**, Children's Museum of Pittsburgh Museum Lab, Pittsburgh PA, June 2021 - January 2022

Group Show, **Roots Run Deep: A Contemporary Survey of African American Hair Culture**, Brew House Gallery, Pittsburgh PA Jan 2021-March 2021

Group Show, **Seen x Unseen: The invisibility collective show**, Radian Gallery, San Francisco CA, Dec 2020 - Jan 2020

Group Show, **Herstory month**, Braddock Carnegie Library, 2020

Group Show, **Collective Legacy** presented by Boom Concepts, Carnegie Library main, Pittsburgh PA Dec 2019 -Jan 2020

Solo show, **Untitled**, Zeke's Cafe, Pittsburgh, PA Sep - Nov 2019

Solo show, **Don't Forget Your Kitchen's**, Assemble Pgh June 2019

Group show, **Untitled**, Pitt Community engagement center
Homewood, Apr 2019

Group show, **The Glow Up**, Ace Hotel Pittsburgh, Nov 2018

Group Show, **Untitled**, FlowerHouse, Wilkinsburg PA, October
2018

Collection, Braddock Carnegie Library archive, 2018

Solo Show, **These Places I'm From**, Braddock Carnegie Library,
Braddock PA Jun - Aug 2018

Group Show, **Black in the future**, Cohen & Grigsby law firm,
Pittsburgh PA, May- Sep 2018

Group Show, **Allegheny West art show and sale**, Pittsburgh PA,
2017, 2018

Showcase Noir, Pittsburgh PA 2017, 2018

Group Show, **Ladies Room**, Local 412 Pittsburgh 2016, 2017

Spirit Fashion Show, Carnegie Mellon University 2015, 2016,
2018, 2019

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