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BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION:

- Birthplace: Buenos Aires, Argentina
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EDUCATION:

- PhD, History of Art, The Ohio State University, Columbus
- MFA, Visual Arts, State University of New York, Stony Brook
- MA, History of Art, The Ohio State University, Columbus
- BFA, Visual Arts, Florida International University, Miami

SELECTED SOLO & SPECIAL EXHIBITIONS:

- MARKING THE EARTH (solo) Columbus State Community College Library, Columbus, OH, November-December 2024
- TEMPORARY PASSENGER (2-person) McConnell Arts Center, Worthington, OH, Nov. 2023-Jan. 2024
- MIGRATIONS (solo) Hagerty Hall Gallery, The Ohio State University, Columbus, Spring 2016
- TIERRA (solo) Vincent de Porres Gallery, Columbus, OH, June-August 2014
- FROM ANOTHER PLACE (3-person) Art Access Gallery, Bexley, OH, January-March 2014
- TRANSPLANTED (3-person) Ray's Living Room Gallery, Columbus, OH, May-June 2013
- ESPEJISMOS – MIRAGES (3-person, curator) Ohio Art League, Columbus, August 4-27, 2011
- EVIDENCE (solo) Bexley Public Library, Bexley, Ohio, April-May 2010
- FERTILE GROUND (solo) Ohio Art League Gallery, Columbus, OH, January 2004
- DELPHYS (solo) ACME Art Company, Columbus, OH, October 2000
- 120 MILES: Works from Two Columbus Women Painters (2-person) Studio 615, Cleveland, OH, May 2000
- ATLANTICO (solo) ACME Art Company Spotlight Gallery, Columbus, OH, July 1998
- HOLY GROUNDS (solo) Wholly Ground, Tiffin, OH, September-October 1997
- CORIOLIS (solo installation) ACME Art Company, Columbus, OH, July 1997
- CONO SUR (solo) ROY G BIV Gallery, Columbus, OH, March 1997
- SPIRITS OF THE MOUNTAIN (solo) Moonspinners, Grandview, OH, May 1996
- WHO MADE THE SKY? (3-person) Miami-Dade Community College North Campus Gallery, FL, October-November 1995
- MONTAÑAS (solo) CSG Gallery, Columbus, OH, August-September 1995
- RECENT PAINTINGS (2-person) Mt. Vernon Nazarene College Gallery, OH, September-October 1994
- ESPIRITUS DE LAS MONTAÑAS (2-person) Artemisia Gallery, Chicago, IL, August 1994
- ESPIRITUS DE LAS MONTAÑAS (2-person) Mexican-N. American Institute of Cultural Relations, Monterrey, MEX, July '94
- TEMPLES AND ICONS (2-person) Cultural Arts Center, Columbus, OH, May 1993
- ANCIENT DREAMS... SOUL HOUSES (MFA solo) Stony Brook Library Gallery, NY, March 1992

OTHER SELECTED EXHIBITIONS:

- SMALL WORKS - Woman Made Gallery, Chicago, IL, November-December 2024
- THUMB BOX - Ohio Art League at RAW Gallery, Columbus, OH, December 2024
- SMALL WORKS - ROY G. BIV Gallery, Franklinton, OH, December 2024
- THOSE WHO CAN - Shot Tower Gallery, Columbus, OH, October-December 2024
- OAEA 70th ANNIVERSARY EXHIBIT -- Wild Goose Creative, Franklinton, OH, September 2024
- ART UNBOUND IV - Carnegie Gallery, Columbus, OH, March 30 – July 26, 2024
- MIRROR, MIRROR - Allen County Museum, Lima, OH, January 11 - March 20, 2024
- OAL FALL JURIED EXHIBITION - Schumacher Gallery, Capital University, Columbus, OH, Sep. 7- Dec. 8, 2023
- MIRROR, MIRROR – Art Museum, College of Wooster, OH, 2023
- MIRROR, MIRROR – University of Mary Washington Galleries, Fredericksburg, VA, March – April 2023
- FLOW - The Shot Tower Gallery, Columbus, OH, March 6 - April 22, 2023
- MIRROR, MIRROR - Springfield Museum of Art, Springfield, OH, October 2022
- DIALOGOS – Franklin Park Conservatory, Columbus, OH, June 25, 2022 – November 30, 2022
- SMALL WORKS - Woman Made Gallery, Chicago, IL, December 2021

- 4th MIDWEST OPEN - Woman Made Gallery, Chicago, IL, Jan. 22-Feb. 13, 2021
- MEMBERS SHOW - Woman Made Gallery, Chicago, IL, December 10-20, 2020
- SMALL WORKS – Woman Made Gallery, Chicago, IL, December 6-15, 2019
- VISIONARIES – Carnegie Gallery, Columbus, OH, July 5 – August 23, 2019
- FAMILY REUNION – ROY G BIV Gallery, Columbus, OH, May 3-June 9, 2019
- MEDITATION - CONVERSATION - Pennington Custom Art, Columbus, OH, November-December 2017
- CAFE ASHTRAY: ACME Art Company Resurrected Exhibition - The Vanderelli Room, Columbus, October 2017
- REUNION I - Woman Made Gallery, Chicago, IL, May-June 2017
- DÍA DE LOS MUERTOS - (Installation) Thompson Library, OSU, Columbus, September-December 2016
- POSTCARD SHOW – A.I.R. Gallery, Brooklyn, NY, August 2016
- LANDMARK – Fort Hayes Shot Tower Gallery, Columbus, OH, March 2016
- A LITTLE BIT CLOSER – The Vanderelli Room, Columbus, OH, November-December 2015
- STATE OF THE ARTS – Ohio University Art Gallery, Athens, October 2015
- REMNANTS – OSU Urban Arts Space, Columbus, OH, May-July 2015
- CAW WOMAN AS... -- Tacocat Gallery, Columbus, OH, December-January 2014-15
- CONTAINED – Woman Made Gallery, Chicago, IL, July-August 2014
- GENERATIONS IX – A.I.R. Gallery, Brooklyn, NY, December-January 2013-14
- SEIS LATINAS - Carnegie Gallery, Columbus, OH, September-October 2013
- TRANS-FIBER – Concourse Gallery, Upper Arlington, OH, September-October 2013
- CAW ON FIRE – High-Road Gallery, Worthington, OH, October 2013
- WISH YOU WERE HERE 12 - A.I.R. Gallery, Brooklyn, NY, June-July 2013
- PIECES OF CAW - Riffe Center, Columbus, OH, February-March 2013
- HERE AND NOW – Sweetwater Center for the Arts, Pittsburgh, PA, January-February 2013
- OTROS SOÑADORES – University of North Georgia, GA, January-February 2013
- CAW SMALL WORKS SHOW – Ray’s Living Room Contemporary Gallery, Short North, Columbus, OH, December 2012
- OHIO ONLINE VISUAL ARTIST REGISTRY JURIED SHOW, Ohio Arts Council, Columbus, November-December 2012
- SEEKING HOME (2-person, miniature show) RCM - Rigsby's Contemporary Museum, Columbus, October 2012
- GROUP SHOW – Ohio State University’s Hillel Gallery, Columbus, Ohio, September 2012-January 2013
- ART FOR LIFE – Columbus Museum of Art, September 22, 2012
- COLUMBUS INVITATIONAL ART COMPETITION - Carnegie Gallery, Columbus, OH, September 2012
- FINE ARTS EXHIBITION – Ohio State Fair, Columbus, OH, July-August 2012
- WISH YOU WERE HERE 11- A.I. R. Gallery, Brooklyn, NY, June 21-July 15, 2012
- HOT! (4-person) - Art Access Gallery, Bexley, OH, June 2012
- BIG LOCAL ART TENT - CAW Exhibit - Columbus Arts Festival, June 1-3, 2012
- CAW CREATING OUR HISTORY - Ft. Hayes Shot Tower Gallery, Columbus, OH, March 2012
- CAW STRANDS - Carnegie Gallery, Columbus Metropolitan Library, September 15-October 21, 2011
- PAPERazzi - Creative Arts of Women – MadLab Gallery, Columbus, May 2011
- SMALL WORKS - ROY G BIV Gallery, Columbus, December 2010
- THUMB BOX EXHIBITION - Ohio Art League, Columbus, December 2010
- CREATIVE ARTS OF WOMEN SHOW - Image Optical Gallery, Columbus, December 2010
- WISH YOU WERE HERE - A.I.R. Gallery, Brooklyn, NY, June 23-July 18, 2010
- BIRDS OF C.A.W. - CS Gallery, Columbus, OH, June 18-July 13, 2010
- CAW SADIE HAWKINS SHOW - Junctionview Studios, Columbus, June 2010
- ONE NIGHT. ABSOLUTELY ABSURD (Auction) Ohio Art League, Columbus, May 15, 2010
- DEFINITIONS OF CHARACTER - CAW - Carnegie Gallery, Columbus, January 14-February 19, 2010
- SMALL WORKS EXHIBITION - ROY G BIV, Columbus, December 5-18, 2009
- THUMB BOX EXHIBITION - Ohio Art League, Columbus, December 3-23, 2009
- OAL's 100 LEAGUES UNDER THE C (juried) Carnegie Gallery, Columbus, September 17-October 23, 2009
- WHEN DUFF'S AWAY THE CAW WILL PLAY - Lindsay Gallery, Columbus, September 5-12, 2009
- ONE NIGHT IN A HUNDRED --OAL's 100th Anniversary Show - Smith & High Place, Columbus, June 20, 2009
- HERE AND NOW - Ohio Art League, Columbus, OH, June 2009
- THUMB BOX EXHIBITION - Ohio Art League, Columbus, December 2008
- MEMBERS' SMALL WORKS - Roy G BIV, Columbus, OH, December 2008
- LATINO ARTS/ OHIO 2008 (juried) Concourse Gallery, Upper Arlington, OH, August-September 2008
- REGIONAL EXHIBITION - Art Academy of Cincinnati, OH, February-March 2008
- SMALL WORKS EXHIBITION - Roy G BIV, Columbus, December 2007

- THUMB BOX EXHIBITION - Ohio Art League Gallery, Columbus, December 2007
- FIRST ANNUAL MEMBER EXHIBITION - Jewish Community Center, Columbus, October 2007
- ROCK, PAPER, SCISSORS - Concourse Gallery, Upper Arlington, August-September 2004
- HOLIDAY Fund-ROY-Ser - ROY G BIV Gallery, Columbus, OH, December 2003
- WOMEN'S WORK (curators: Helma Groot/ Deborah Griffing) ROY G BIV, Columbus, October-November 2003
- ONE NIGHT STAND (auction) Ohio Art League, Col., October 25, 2003
- DOCUMENTATION (juried) Woman Made Gallery, Chicago, IL, June-July 2003
- SMALL WORKS - ROY G BIV Gallery, Columbus, OH, January-February 2003
- OHIO ART LEAGUE'S FALL JURIED EXHIBITION - Shot Tower Gallery, Ft. Hayes, Columbus, September 2002
- MIXING IT UP (2-person) Arts Castle, Delaware, OH, September-October 2002
- MEMBER'S SHOW - ACME Art Company Spotlight Gallery, Columbus, February 2002
- RECENT WORK (3-person) Sinclair Community College Triangle Gallery, Dayton, OH, October 2001
- 11th ANNUAL ACME ART AUCTION - Third Avenue Church, Columbus, September 29, 2001
- EL MILENIO LATINO (juried) Cleveland State University Gallery, June-July 2001
- GROUP SHOW - ACME Art Company, Columbus, OH, December 2000
- GROUP SHOW - ROY G BIV Gallery, Columbus, OH, December 2000
- 10th ANNUAL ACME ANNUAL ART AUCTION - Smith Bros. Bldg., Columbus, September 2000
- A TRAVES DEL HORIZONTE - OLAA Show, Cultural Arts Center, Columbus, May-June 2000
- SEVEN ARTISTS: STILL LIFE BY... (juried) Cultural Arts Center, Columbus, March 2000
- EN EL ESPÍRITU DE DOS PUEBLOS - Sinclair Community College Triangle Gallery, Dayton, March 2000
- GROUP SHOW - ACME Art Company, Columbus, OH, December 1999
- GROUP SHOW - ROY G BIV Gallery, Columbus, OH, December 1999
- FALL MEMBER'S SHOW - ACME Art Company, Columbus, OH, August 1999
- OHIO ART LEAGUE'S 88th ANNUAL SPRING JURIED EXHIBITION - Cultural Arts Center, Columbus, May 1999
- 9th ANNUAL ACME ART AUCTION - RPA/Smith Bros. Bldg., Columbus, May 22, 1999
- MFA ALUMNI SHOW (Curator: Howardena Pindell) Staller Center Gallery, SUNY Stony Brook, NY, March-April 1999
- "CONSTELLATIONS AND CRUSTACEANS..." (curator) ROY G BIV Gallery, Columbus, March 1999
- PAINT THE TOWN - 2nd Annual ROY G BIV Auction, Mekka, Columbus, September 18, 1998
- MEMBER SHOW - ACME Art Company, Columbus, OH, August 1998
- CULTURAL CONTEXT: A COMMUNITY SAMPLING - OSU—Newark Gallery, OH, April-June 1998
- GROUP SHOW - ROY G BIV Gallery, Columbus, OH, December 1997
- HOLIDAY EXTRAVAGANZA - ACME Art Company, Columbus, OH, December 1997
- SMALL WORKS SILENT AUCTION - ROY G BIV @ Mekka, Columbus, OH, September 1997
- FALL MEMBER SHOW - ACME Art Company, Columbus, OH, August 1997
- BLAST OFF! ACME 7th ANNUAL ART AUCTION - Battleship Bldg., Columbus, OH, May 1997
- AQUI VIVEN MIS SUEÑOS... 6 LATINO ARTISTS (curator) Columbus Art League, January 1997
- HOLIDAY EXTRAVAGANZA - ACME Art Company, Columbus, OH, December 1996
- GROUP SHOW - ROY G BIV Gallery, Columbus, OH, December 1996
- CONCURRENT WORKS 4 (curated by N. Maciejunes, A. Nill), Shot Tower, Columbus, November-December 1996
- WOMAN'S FORUM - ROY G BIV Gallery, Columbus, August 1996
- FALL MEMBERS' SHOW - ACME Art Company, Columbus, August 1996
- ANCESTRAL LABYRINTHS (solo) Waldo's on High, Columbus, OH, August 1996
- CAL'S 85th ANNUAL JURIED SHOW - ROY G BIV Gallery, Columbus, June 1996
- ANCIENT DREAMSCAPES (solo) Coffee Table, Columbus, June 1996
- ACME 6th ANNUAL ART AUCTION - Battleship Building, Columbus, May 1996
- WOMAN'S FORUM - ROY G BIV Gallery, Columbus, OH, September 1995
- 84th ANNUAL SPRING EXHIBITION – Columbus Art League, Function Factory, June 1995
- ROY RETURNS - ROY G BIV Gallery, Columbus, OH, May 1995
- SHEPHERD COLLEGE WORKS ON PAPER, PRINT COMPETITION (Juried), Shepherdstown, WV, November 1993
- WORKS ON PAPER (2-person) Motorists Tower Gallery, Columbus, OH, June-July 1993
- GROUP SHOW (3-person) Sinclair Community College LRC Gallery, Dayton, OH, May-June 1993
- ANIMAL INSTINCT (Juried) ROY G BIV Gallery, Columbus, OH, May 1993
- PUPPETS, DOLLS, & MARIONETTES (Juried) ROY G BIV Gallery, Columbus, OH, April 1993
- SEAHORSE RODEO (Juried) ROY G BIV Gallery, Columbus, OH, March 1993
- THE 1992 MFA SHOW (4-person) Staller Center Gallery, SUNY Stony Brook, NY, February-March 1992
- EXHIBIT - Hellenic Council of Brooklyn/ Staten Island "25 Centuries" Hellenic Democratic Committee, NY, 10, 1990

- MEMORIES OF CEMENT HEAVEN (solo) Office of the President, SUNY Stony Brook, NY, February 1990
- THERE'S NO PLACE LIKE HOME... OR IS THERE? (Juried) SUNY Stony Brook Union Gallery, NY, March '90
- ROKMABI (2-person) Stony Brook Library Gallery, NY, March 1990
- COLLEGE ART ASSOCIATION MFA SHOW – Hunter College - Voorhees Gallery, NYC, February 1990
- LES TRES AMERIQUES A TONNEIS - Musée du Luxembourg, Paris, France 1989
- ANNUAL STUDENT ART EXHIBIT (juror, Alan DuBois) FIU Art Museum, Miami, Florida, 1989
- EIGHT, EIGHTY-EIGHT (BFA thesis show) FIU Art Museum, Miami, Florida, 1988
- NEW CREATIONS, EMERGING ARTISTS - North Miami Museum Center for Fine Arts, Florida, 1988
- GROUP EXHIBITION - Designers' Exchange Gallery, Coconut Grove, Florida, 1987

ART VOLUNTEER WORK:

- EDITOR – *CAW: Creating Our History*, art publication, 2012
- PRESS RELEASE WRITER - Creative Arts of Women, Columbus, Ohio, 2009-2016
- BOARD MEMBER - Ohio Art League, Columbus, OH, 1999-2005
- SECRETARY - Ohio Art League Board, Columbus, OH, 2000-01, and 2004-05
- SPONSORSHIP COORDINATOR - ACME Art Company's 8th and 9th Annual Art Auctions, 1998-99
- ART INTAKE VOLUNTEER - Ohio Art League, Columbus, OH, 1999-2005

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS:

- WOMAN MADE Gallery – Chicago, IL (current)
- ROY G BIV – Columbus, OH (1992-current)
- OHIO ART LEAGUE – member, non-profit arts organization, Ohio (1994-current)
- ACME ART COMPANY – Columbus, OH (1992-2000)
- ART ACCESS GALLERY – Columbus, OH (2011-2015)
- CREATIVE ARTS OF WOMEN – member, women's art collective, Columbus, Ohio (2009-2016)

VISITING CURATOR:

- REROUTED (co-curated w/Erek Nass, Jason Crabill, Michael Denison, Leslie Herrmann) – BexArts, Bexley Library, July 2022
- THIS IS NOW (co-curated w/April Sturkey Sunami, Marshall Shorts) - Carnegie Gallery/ROY G BIV, Columbus, May-June 2017
- ESPEJISMOS (MIRAGES) - Ohio Art League, Columbus, Ohio, August 4-27, 2011
- INTRICATE SPACES: ROXANNE SMITH-MANSELL - Ohio Art League, Columbus, OH, December 2003
- "CONSTELLATIONS AND CRUSTACEANS..." - ROY G BIV Gallery, Columbus, OH, March 1999
- LATINOS IN CENTRAL OHIO: UNIQUE PERSPECTIVES - Ohio Art League, Columbus, January 1997

OTHER PROJECTS:

- MOTHER TREE - Helen Hiebert installation, long-distance participation in project, Portland Building, OR, 2010
- EXHIBITING MEMBER – CAW: Creative Arts of Women, Columbus, Ohio, Founded summer of 2009
- MURALIST - Fish Dream, Wagner College Lobby, SUNY at Stony Brook, NY, Finished 1990

VISITING LECTURER:

- ARTIST PANEL – Springfield Museum of Art, Springfield, OH – March 11, 2023
- MALCS CONFERENCE – Pre-Conference Artist Talk – OSU – July 17, 2013
- MEMBER OF LATINA ARTIST PANEL: Sponsored by LASER, OSU Union, Monday, May 22, 2013
- MEMBER OF ARTIST PANEL: LATINO ARTS/ OHIO 2008 - Upper Arlington Concourse Gallery, September 2008
- GUEST ARTIST, MIXED MEDIA WORKSHOP - Upper Arlington Concourse Gallery, August 2004
- GUEST SPEAKER - Delaware Arts Guild, Delaware, OH, January 2000
- GUEST SPEAKER: CONVERSATIONS AND COFFEE SERIES - Cultural Arts Center, Columbus, OH, May 1993

SELECTED PRESS:

- *Springfield News-Sun*, OH, Brett Turner, 10/22/22
- *Columbus Underground*, OH, Jeff Regensburger, 7/18/22 (online version)
- *Columbus Dispatch*, OH, Nancy Gilson, 7-17-22 (print version)
- *Columbus Dispatch*, OH, Nancy Gilson, 7-16-22 (online version)
- *Spectrum News*, Columbus, OH, Brionna Rivers, 7-1-22 (cable news segments)
- *Columbus Dispatch*, OH, Elizabeth Trapp, 10-6-13
- *Columbus Dispatch*, OH, Melissa Starker, 6-16-13
- *Columbus Alive*, OH, Jackie Mantey, 5-16-13

- *ColumbusUnderground.com*, OH, Jeff Regensburger, 4-7-12
- *Columbus Alive*, OH, Heather Gross, 2-29-12
- *The Columbus Dispatch*, OH, Amy Davis, 8-14-11
- *Bexley News*, OH, Deborah M. Dunlap, 8-3-11
- *Columbus Underground*, OH, Kyle Shriner, 2-14-10
- *This Week in Bexley*, OH, Ann Tormet, 4-2010,
- *Columbus Underground*, OH, Alexandra Kelley, 1-12-10
- *AbsoluteArts.com*, 8/25/08
- *The Columbus Dispatch*, OH, Kaizaad Kotwal, 8-31-08
- *ShawnOlson.net*, Shawn Olson, 1/06/04
- *The Columbus Dispatch*, OH, Bill Mayr, 1-8-04
- *This Week in Bexley*, Ina Horowitz-Whitmore, 12-25-03
- *AbsoluteArts.com*, 12-31-03
- *Messenger*, Columbus, OH, Shawn Olson, 9-9-02
- *Bexley News*, OH, Roberta Pierce, 10-12-99
- *The Columbus Dispatch*, OH, Jacqueline Hall, 5-27-99
- *Columbus Alive*, OH, Kim Leddy, 1-8-97
- *The Columbus Dispatch*, OH, Kay Koeninger, 1-12-97
- *OutLook*, Columbus, OH, Clare Ross, 6-27/7-10-96
- *Falcon-Times*, Miami, FL, Kelly Hanlon, 10-11-95
- *ABC*, Monterrey, NL, MEX, Aracely Rodriguez, 7-3-94
- *GSO News/ Blues*, SUNY Stony Brook, NY, Jay Grimm, V.2/ #7, 3-17-92
- *The Village Times and The Beacon*, Long Island, NY, photo, 2-20-92
- *Three Village Herald*, Long Island, NY, Marjorie Kaufman, 5-2-90
- *Stony Brook Press*, SUNY Stony Brook, NY, Rudy Rabel, 10-16-90
- *Newsday*, NY, Eileen Swift, 3-25-90

ART AWARDS:

- *Columbus Invitational Art Competition* – Nomination (2012)
- *Special Recognition: Ohio Art League’s Centennial* – One of 100 people supporting the visual arts in Central Ohio (’09)
- *Best of Show NEA Award: Works on Paper Competition*, Shepherd State College, Shepherdstown, WV (1993)
- *Ville de Tonneis Grand Prix D’Aquitaine: ‘Les Très Amériques A Tonneis’ Exhibition*, Musée du Luxembourg, Paris, FR (’89)

ACADEMIC AWARDS:

- *Fulbright-Hays GPA Award*, OSU CLAS Teaching the Andes Program (Summer 2017)
- *Murnane, Pyne, Snow Research/ Travel Grant*, The Ohio State University (Autumn 2014 and Spring 2015)
- *Arts and Humanities Graduate Research Small Grant, Arts & Sciences*, The Ohio State University (2014)
- *Graduate Teaching Assistantship*, The Ohio State University, History of Art Department (2013-2015, Spring 2016)
- *W. Burghardt Turner Fellowship: Academic Scholarship*, SUNY at Stony Brook, NY (1989-92)
- *Coca Cola Scholarship: Academic Scholarship*, Florida International University, Miami (1984-89)

PUBLIC COLLECTIONS:

- Martin de Porres Center, Columbus, Ohio
- Sweetwater Center for the Arts, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
- Mexican-North American Institute of Cultural Relations, Monterrey, Nuevo León, Mexico
- Graduate School, State University of New York at Stony Brook
- Political Science Department, State University of New York at Stony Brook
- Rotary Club’s Camp Paquatuck, Center Moriches, NY
- Fish Dream (Painted Environment), Wagner College, SUNY, Stony Brook, NY

PRIVATE COLLECTIONS:

- Argentina, Ecuador
- US (Arizona, California, Colorado, Florida, Maine, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Ohio, Texas)