

# ADAM COOPER-TERÁN

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Freelance Video Editor | Animator for Hire | Digital Producer | Media Designer for Spectacle, Theater, and Activism

## CURRENT

**Ensemble Member, Technical Director** Borderlands Theater | **Technical Director** Storyworks Theater  
**Youth Educator** Photography Without Borders

### EMPLOYMENT

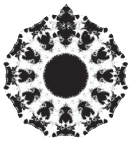
2023 **Animator, Video Editor.** Southwest Folklife Alliance  
2022 **Animator, Video Editor.** UPenn Annenberg School for Communications  
2022 **Animator, Video Editor.** UConn Asian and Asian American Studies Institute  
2020 **Digital Producer, Editor, Sound Mixer.** Tucson Meet Yourself Festival: Re-Framed  
2020 **Digital Producer, Animator, Editor, Guest Artist.** UW-Madison Division of the Arts  
2020 **Digital Producer.** Lunada Open Literary Lounge (Galería de la Raza & Borderlands Theater)  
2019 **Videographer.** Tucson Meet Yourself (University of Arizona, Southwest Folklife Alliance)  
2016 **Media Designer/ Event Coordinator.** Indigenous Alliance Without Borders  
2010 **Tech Manager / Production Assistant.** Movimiento de Arte y Cultura Latinos Americanos  
2007-2009 **Artistic Director.** All Souls International Film Festival  
2003-2006 **Assistant Editor, Youth Mentor, Staff Writer, Photographer, Web Designer.** VOICES, Inc.  
1999-2001 **Apprentice Muralist.** Limberlost Neighborhood Association / Third Hand Art

### TEACHING / PANELS

2023 **Guest Instructor.** PhillyCAM, “Editing to the Beat,” Philadelphia, PA  
2022 **Guest Instructor.** Swarthmore College, “Worldbuilding through Installation”  
2022 **Photography Instructor.** Norris Square Neighborhood Project, Philadelphia, PA  
2019 **Guest Instructor.** Arizona School for the Deaf & Blind  
2018 **Guest Panelist.** Re:Routes Southwest Conference, Network for Ensemble Theaters, Tucson, AZ  
2017 **Guest Panelist.** *Ephemeral Art Resistance to Border Militarism*, Thinking its Presence Conference, Tucson, AZ  
2016 **Teaching Artist.** QTPOC Student Group, University of Arizona  
2015 **Video Instructor.** Pan Left Productions  
2014 **Guest Instructor (Verbobala Spoken Video).** Universität Rostock, Germany  
2008, 2010 **Guest Instructor (Verbobala Spoken Video).** National Hispanic Cultural Center  
2007 **Video Instructor.** Tucson Museum of Art Summer Camp  
2006-2007 **Guest Artist / Video Instructor.** ArtWORKS! Academy Charter School  
2004 **Photography Instructor.** South Park Community Center

### THEATER / PRODUCTION

2023 *Westside Stories* Borderlands Theater  
2022 *Barrio Stories Nogales* Borderlands Theater  
2022 *Now is the Time* Storyworks Theater  
2021 *Antigone at the Border* Borderlands Theater  
2021 *Beautiful Agitators* Storyworks Theater  
2020 *ANNIA JEKKA* Solo Performance  
2020 *CYCLES* Storyworks Theater & Borderlands Theater  
2018 *Barrio Stories in Barrio Anita* Borderlands Theater  
2017 *Shadow Tender* Natalya Kolosowsky  
2017 *Shooting Columbus* Fifth World Collective, Borderlands Theater  
2017 *Fisher’s Wish* Flam Chen Pyrotechnic Theater  
2012-2016 *Sonoran Strange* Verbobala Spoken Video  
2016 *Barrio Stories in Barrio Viejo* Borderlands Theater  
2010-2014 *Code-HEX AILMENTARIUS* Steven Johnson Leyba, Church ov Coyotel  
2014 *Dreams & Silhouettes* Pan Left Productions, Denise Uyehara  
2010-2013 *Dios de la Adrenalina* Carpetbag Brigade, Nemcatocoa Teatro



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## AWARDS / HONORS

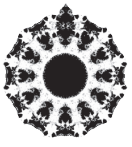
- 2021 Foundation for Contemporary Art COVID-19 Bridge Fund
- 2020 New England Foundation for the Arts Creation & Touring Grant (Borderlands Theater)
- 2020 Arts Foundation of Southern Arizona Pivot Grant
- 2019 Arts Foundation of Southern Arizona New Works Grant
- 2016 Arizona Commission on the Arts Artist Research & Development Grant
- 2015 Tucson Pima Arts Council New Works Grant (Verbobala Spoken Video)
- 2015 MAP Fund Grantee (w/Denise Uyehara & Rachel Bowditch)
- 2013 Network of Ensemble Theaters Development Grant (Denise Uyehara)
- 2013 Tucson Pima Arts Council New Works Grant
- 2011 Arizona Commission on the Arts Artist Project Grant (Verbobala Spoken Video)
- 2011 National Performers Network Creation Fund (Denise Uyehara)
- 2011 Belle Foundation for Cultural Development Recipient (Verbobala Spoken Video)
- 2010 National Performers Network Creation Fund (Verbobala Spoken Video)
- 2008 Tucson Pima Arts Awards *Individual Achievement of an Emerging Artist*

## EXHIBITIONS / SCREENINGS

- 2022 PhillyCAM: *Toxic Clouds and Dirty Data* Philadelphia, PA
- 2022 Arizona State Museum: *Walking Each Other Home* Tucson, AZ
- 2022 Tempe Center for the Arts: *Memorial* Teatro Bravo
- 2021 Station Hope Festival Cleveland Public Theatre
- 2020 Ingenio Festival Milagro Theater
- 2018 Museum of Contemporary Art Tucson: *Blessed Be* Curated by Ginger Shullick Porcella
- 2017 World Stage Design: *Shadow Tender* School of Theater Arts, Taipei, Taiwan
- 2016 Project Row House Round 44: *Shattering the Concrete* Houston, TX (w/ Verbobala Spoken Video)
- 2014 Loft Film Festival: *PAINing POORtraits* Tucson, AZ (w/Steven Johnson Leyba)
- 2013 Hyaena Gallery: *Alchemy, Sex, Food War, and Hollie* Burbank, CA (w/Steven Johnson Leyba)
- 2012 Queens College Art Center: *Amulets, Nazars, and Evil Eyes* Queens, NY
- 2012 Convento de San Hipólito Mexico City (w/Medusa Collective)
- 2010 ConcentArt e.V Gallery Berlin, Germany (w/Simon Donovan)
- 2010 Scottsdale Museum of Contemporary Art Phoenix, AZ (w/Noah Saterstrom)
- 2010 Galería de la Raza San Francisco, CA (w/Verbobala Spoken Video)
- 2009 University of Denver (w/Noah Saterstrom)
- 2009 Tucson Museum of Art Biennial Tucson, AZ

## RESIDENCIES

- 2021 Su Teatro Cultural and Performing Arts Center Denver, CO
- 2016 Project Row Houses *Round 44: Shattering the Concrete* Houston, TX
- 2013 Arcosanti, Arizona Artist in Residence (w/Carpetbag Brigade, Nemcatocoa)
- 2011, 2012 Teatro Tespys El Carmen de Viboral, Colombia (w/Carpetbag Brigade, Nemcatocoa)
- 2010 Movimiento de Arte y Cultura (MACLA) San Jose, CA (w/Verbobala Spoken Video)
- 2009 La Pocha Nostra Workshop Participant Tucson, AZ



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## SELECTED PERFORMANCE | INSTALLATION HISTORY

- 2021 **Franconia Sculpture Park: Summer Solstice** Chisago County, Minnesota  
2021 **Network for Ensemble Theaters: BREAK/through Conference** Philadelphia, PA  
2019 **MOCA Tucson: Contralto** (w/Sarah Hennies)  
2018 **MOCA Tucson Heaven & Earth Magic** (w/Karima Walker & Harry Smith)  
2018 **Fox Theater Cine Mexico Film Festival** Tucson, AZ  
2017 **Bread & Salt** San Diego, CA (w/Lana del Rabies)  
2017 **Casa Grande Domes** (w/PSYCMAP Collective) Casa Grande, AZ  
2016 **The Loft Cinema Negativland presents Content!** Tucson, AZ  
2014 **Stevens Square Center for the Arts Code-HEX VII** (w/USAF) Minneapolis, MN  
2014 **Southwest Terror Fest** Tucson, AZ  
2014 **Peter-Weiss-Haus** Rostock, Germany  
2014 **Global Justice Center** Tucson, AZ  
2013 **Firefly Festival** Flagstaff, AZ  
2013 **ASU Deer Valley Rock Art Center** Phoenix, AZ  
2013 **International Sonoran Desert Alliance** Ajo, AZ  
2013 **National Hispanic Cultural Center** Albuquerque, NM  
2013 **Hopi Cultural Center** Second Mesa, AZ  
2013 **Arcosanti** AZ  
2012 **Highways Performance Space & Gallery Archipelago** Santa Monica, CA  
2011 **Imfoculta Arizona Between Nosotros** Nogales, Sonora, Mexico / Tucson, AZ  
2011 **Phoenix Art Museum Unreal City** (w/Rachel Bowditch & Vessel)  
2010 **Movimiento de Arte y Cultura (MACLA)** San Jose, CA  
2010 **Arizona Western College** Yuma, AZ  
2009 **Bus Stop Gallery** San Francisco, CA  
2009 **La Peña Cultural Center** Berkley, CA  
2010 **NOA Arte Actual Conference** Universidad de Cd. Juarez, Mexico  
2009 **Kinetic Poetry Festival** University of Santa Cruz, CA  
2008 **French Embassy** Mexico City  
2008 **Bar La Bipo** Mexico City  
2008 **College Unions Poetry Slam Invitational** Albuquerque, NM  
2008 **Oregon State University** Corvallis, OR  
2008 **Cathedral of Junk** Austin, TX  
2008 **Crimson Coast Dance Society** Nanaimo, BC (w/Flam Chen, Carpetbag Brigade)  
2006 **Mesa Arts Center** Phoenix, AZ (w/Not Breathing & Flam Chen)

## PUBLICATIONS

- 2023 **CARGO: Those Who Chose Freedom** Jason Chang, Ben Barson, Alexis Dudden, Kim Inthavong  
2023 **West Side Stories** Borderlands Theater  
2023 **Photo Review 2023** Photography Without Borders  
2014 **The Trickster's Torah** Steven Johnson Leyba, Chema Sol-Rojas Salinas, PhD, et al

### AFFILIATES / COLLABORATORS

Borderlands Theater, Storyworks Theater, Network for Ensemble Theaters, Teatro Bravo, Arizona State Museum, Southwest Folklife Alliance, Cultural Coalition, Afro Yaqui Music Collective, Lana del Rabies, Not Breathing, Negativland, IOVXTC, Aesthetic Meat Front, Verbobala Spoken Video, Carpetbag Brigade Physical Theater Company, Third Eye Pushpin Media, International Sonoran Desert Alliance, Galería de la Raza, La Pocha Nostra