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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

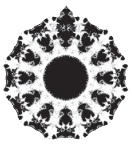
2023 **Animator, Video Editor.** Southwest Folklife Alliance
 2022 **Animator, Video Editor.** UPenn Annenberg School for Communications
 2022 **Animator, Video Editor.** UConn Asian and Asian American Studies Institute
 2020 **Digital Producer, Editor, Sound Mixer.** Tucson Meet Yourself Festival: Re-Framed
 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

2024 *Antigona 3.0* Borderlands Theater
 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

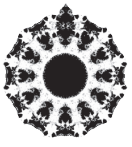
- 2024 Creative Philadelphia Illuminate the Arts Grant
- 2024 Bartol Foundation for the Arts Spring Micro Grant
- 2021 Foundation for Contemporary Art COVID-19 Bridge Fund
- 2020 New England Foundation for the Arts Creation & Touring Grant (Borderlands Theater)
- 2020 Arts Foundation of Southern Arizona 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

- 2024 Icebox Project Space: *20/92 Video Festival* Philadelphia, PA
- 2023 Himdag Ki: *They Don't Love You Like I Love You* Topawa, AZ
- 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

- 2025 **Highways Performance Space: *EVOKE II*** Santa Monica, California
2024 **Los Angeles Theatre Center: Encuentro 2024** (w/Borderlands Theater) Los Angeles, California
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)

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