

ERIK PARRA



Education

2004 Master of Fine Arts, Studio Art, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI.

1999 Bachelor of Fine Arts, Studio Art, University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX.

Selected Awards & Honors

2020 Research Fellowship. The Internet Archive (Summer).

2018 The Hopper Prize, Grant Winner (Spring), San Francisco, CA.

2012 Nominated as a Candidate for San Francisco Museum of Modern Art (SFMOMA), SECA (Society for the Encouragement of Contemporary Art) Award, San Francisco, CA.

2010 Creative Capital Professional Development Program, Nominated by Southern Exposure, San Francisco, CA.

2002 Second Place, El Paso Art Association Arts International Exhibit, El Paso, TX.

2001 Advanced Opportunity Fellowship, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI.

1997-98 College of Fine Arts Dean's List, Fall, Spring

Selected Solo Exhibitions

2020 Insides Out, Eleanor Harwood Gallery, San Francisco, CA.

2020 High Rise, Adobe Books Gallery, San Francisco, CA.

2018 History by Choice, Eleanor Harwood Gallery, CA.

2016 In The Same River Twice, State Space, San Francisco, CA.

2015 Each Devil His Own, Transmission Gallery, Oakland, CA.

2013 Capturing the Void, Nisus Gallery, Portland, OR.

2013 This: A Contemporary Situation, Sheppard Contemporary and University Galleries, University of Nevada Reno, NV.

2012 West Facing, Truesilver Gallery, San Francisco, CA.

2010 Between Currencies, Johansson Projects, Oakland, CA.

2009 Marvels of Construction, Online Exhibit, Beefmaster Gallery and Project Space.

2004 This Paradise Spell, MFA Thesis exhibit, Seventh Floor Gallery, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI.

Selected Group Exhibitions

2021 11th Annual Anniversary Group Exhibition, Incline Gallery, CA.

2021 On Location, Peninsula School of art, Fish Creek, WI.

2020 Art Made in Quarantine, Instagram, Curated by Paddy Johnson.

2020 Ransom 2, Brooklyn Wayfarers, Brooklyn, NY.

2020 Chain Reaction 13. SF Arts Commission Gallery, CA.

2020 Sea/ Change, San Francisco Arts Education Gallery, Minnesota Street Projects, San Francisco, CA.

2020 The Future of Space 2020, A+D Museum, Los Angeles, CA.

2019 Bazaar: A Group Exhibition of Small Works, Marrow Gallery, San Francisco, CA.

2019 The Space Between, Marrow Gallery, San Francisco, CA.

2018 The Plant Show, Swim Gallery, San Francisco, CA.

2018 Mixed Tape, Mom and Pop Art Shop, Richmond, CA.

2017 Framework: Elements of Architecture, North Seattle College Art Gallery, Seattle, WA.

2016 How to Build A Foghorn, Samuel Freeman Gallery, Los Angeles, CA.

2016 Perpetual Sunset, 2731 Prospect Contemporary Art, Cleveland, OH.

2016 in this place, c2c project space, San Francisco, CA.

2015 Botanica: All Things Plant Life, Bedford Gallery at the Leshner Center For the Arts, Walnut Creek, CA.

2014 Make Space, Berkeley Art Center, Berkeley, CA.

2014 MAS ATTACK 6, Torrance Art Museum, Torrance, CA.

2014 Artists Across America, Flower Pepper Gallery, Pasadena, CA.

2013 This Will Never Work, Southern Exposure, San Francisco, CA.

2013 Ransom, Brooklyn Wayfarers, Brooklyn, NY.

2013 Paperworks, BJ Spoke Gallery, Huntington NY.

2013 Summer Group Exhibition, Fouladi Projects, San Francisco, CA.

2013 A 2ND Show, Purple Pop-Up Gallery, El Paso, TX.

2012 The End, Big Medium Gallery, Austin, TX.

2012 Myths of Progress, Kala Art Institute, Berkeley, CA.

2011 Juried Annual 2012, PROARTS, Oakland, CA.

2011 Chain Letter, Samson Projects, Boston, MA.

2011 Wild Country, Space Gallery, San Francisco, CA.

2011 The Letter Collector, Gallery Hijinks, San Francisco, CA.

2010 Small Works, Important Presence, WE Artspace, Oakland, CA.

2010 Taste 2010: A Garden of Earthly Delights, Root Division, San Francisco, CA.

2010 Inaugural Flat File Exhibition, Golden Parachutes, Berlin, DE.

2009 Salon09, Matt Roberts Arts, London, UK.

2009 Formations, Blankspace Gallery, Oakland, CA.

2009 Front + Center, Headlands Center for the Arts, Sausalito, CA.

2007 Grounded?, Southern Exposure, San Francisco, CA.

2006 Works on Paper, Flux Factory, Long Island City, Queens, NY.

2005 Point-to-Multipoint, Elsewhere Artist Collaborative, Greensboro, NC.

2005 Corporate Bodies, Momenta Art, Brooklyn, NY.

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