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Education

2015 MFA, SCAD, Atlanta, GA
2012,10,09 Continuing Education, Philadelphia Academy of Fine Art PA
1987 BFA, Miami University, Oxford, OH

Solo Exhibitions

2027 Six10 Art Gallery (upcoming January 2027)
2026 *I See the Universe in the Clouds*, Columbus State University, Columbus GA
2025 *The Network*, Site Specific Installation, Whitespace, Atlanta, GA
2024 *Growth*, The Pollinator Art Space, Atlanta, GA
Magical Meta Meditations, Personal Structures, Palazzo Bembo, Venice Biennale, Venice Italy
2023 *Where Soul Meets Body*, Georgia Southern University, Statesboro GA
2022 *Meet Me in the Middle*, Jennifer Balcos Gallery, Atlanta GA
2021 *What Grows in Your Heart*, Atlanta Central Library, GA
2021 *The Cosmos, The Cipher & The Soul*, Georgia State University, Clarkston GA
2018 *Circuit*, gallery43, Roswell GA
2018 *White Lies*, Whitespace Gallery, Atlanta GA
2017 *Structure of Thought*, Gallery 1740, Atlanta GA
2015 *MindSpace*, Ferrari Fine Art Gallery, Atlanta GA
2009 *Dreamscapes*, Left Bank Art Gallery, St. Simon's Island GA
allison sprock fine art, Charleston SC
2008 allison sprock fine art, Charleston SC
2006 Lyonsview Gallery, Knoxville TN
2004 Lagerquist Gallery, Atlanta GA
2001 Jules Place, Greenwich,CT

Juried Exhibitions

2026 *Swan Coach House Invitational*, Atlanta GA
2025 *New South VI*, Kai Lin Gallery, Atlanta GA
EmpowHer, Aviation Center, Atlanta GA
2024 *Little Things Show*, Swan Coach House Gallery, Atlanta, GA
2022 *6XTOne, City-Wide Art Exhibition*, Atlanta GA
Artfields, Lake City, SC
Fourth LaGrange Southeast Regional, Lagrange Art Museum GA
Pressing Matters 2022, GSU, Clarkston GA
ArtPrize, Grand Rapids, MI
Reimagine Peace: The Art of Resistance!, Sinclair Gallery, Atlanta GA
2021 *Ctrl+Alt+Del!*, Hambidge Cross Pollination Art Lab, Atlanta GA
Repurposed II, 378 Gallery, Atlanta GA
Annual Juried Exhibition, Callanwolde Art Center, Atlanta GA
One Earth, Gallery 378, Atlanta GA
2020 *Printing Matters X*, Atlanta Printmaking Studio, GSU Clarkston Campus GA

- Sights & Insights*, DFAA, Sandy Springs Arts Center GA
One Earth, One Chance, Women Caucus for the Arts, GSU Clarkston Campus GA
Art Papers, Atlanta GA
CreateHer, Kai Lin Gallery, Atlanta GA
- 2019 *Printing Matters*, Atlanta Printmaking Studio Show, Callanwolde, Atlanta GA
EngageMINT, Hathaway Gallery, Atlanta, GA
From the Artist Collection, MINT Gallery, Atlanta, GA
- 2018 *Sights & Insights*, Chastain Art Gallery, Atlanta, GA
New South III, Kai Lin Gallery, Atlanta, GA
Annual Juried Exhibition, Callanwolde Art Center, Atlanta, GA
Abstraction at Large, Site:Brooklyn, Brooklyn, NY
M2R, Outdoor Sculpture Exhibit, Marietta, GA
Bombay Sapphire Artisan Series, Zucato Gallery, Atlanta GA
Tools Show, Acccia/Suraci Gallery, Dunmore, PA
- 2017 *SCOPE*, ArtePonte Gallery, Art Basel, Miami Beach, FL
Open Studio, SCAD, Atlanta, GA
Geoform, ArtePonte Gallery, NYC, NY
Alumni Show, Miami University, Oxford, OH
- 2016 *SCOPE*, ArtePonte Gallery, Art Basel, Miami Beach, FL
Alexandria Museum of Art's 29th Annual September Competition Exhibition, Alexandria, LA
Re I Collections, Miami University Alumni Show, Oxford, OH
Open Studio, SCAD, Atlanta, GA
Small Works 2016, SCAD, Savannah, GA
FOA, Winter Release Expo, TX
- 2015 *Small Works Show*, SCAD, Savannah, GA
- 2013 *Snapshots*, SCAD, Savannah, GA
Summer Scenes, Blue Ridge, GA
- 2012 *Miami University Alumni Show*, Oxford, OH
Small Works Show, Richeson 75, Kimberly, WI
- 2005 *Spring into Art*, Valdosta, GA
- 2004 Decatur Arts Alliance, Decatur, GA
- 2003 Decatur Arts Alliance, Decatur, GA
- 2002 *Southwest Fulton Art Exhibit*, Atlanta, GA
- 2001 *North Fulton Regional Art Show*, Roswell, GA
- 1999 *A Tribute to Jacob Kainen*, Corcoran Gallery, Washington D.C.
- 1998 Decatur Arts Alliance Show, Decatur, GA

Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2026 *MARVEL*, Kai Lin Gallery, Atlanta, GA
- 2025 *Beyond The Cosmos*, Gallery 72, Atlanta, GA
Black and White with Considerations of Gray, The Art Section, April Issue,
Digital Display, SCAD, Atlanta, GA
Spring Into the Arts, Flow Gallery, Bluffton, SC
The Missing Algorithm, Goat Farm, Atlanta GA
- 2024 *Honeycomb*, The Pollinator Art Space, Atlanta, GA

- Beyond Her Eyes II*, Nina Baldwin Gallery, Castleberry Hill
Elemental, South River Studios, Atlanta GA
Little Things, Swan Coach House, Atlanta, GA
Fall Flow, Flow Gallery, Bluffton, SC
Unbound, The Pollinator Space, Atlanta, GA
Boundary Lines, The Bakery, Atlanta, GA
Atlanta Art Fair, Spruill Gallery,, Atlanta GA
GSU, Faculty Exhibit, Clarkston, GA
The Chromatic Palette, The Art Section, October Issue
2023 *PinK Pop Up*, Spruill Arts Center, Dunwoody, GA
Parting Lines, Greenville Center for Creative Art, Three Person show, Greenville SC
2022 *Like + Share + Repeat*, Atlanta Contemporary, Atlanta, GA
2019 *Mind & Body*, Two Person Show, Oglethorpe University, Atlanta, GA
Little Things, Swan Coachhouse, Atlanta, GA
2018 *Something out of Nothing*, Two Person Show, Chastain Art Gallery, Atlanta GA
Aqua, Alessandro Berni Gallery, Art Basel, Miami Beach, FL
Little Things, Swan Coach House, Atlanta, GA
The December Show, Whitespace Gallery, Atlanta, GA
2017 *Life in the Abstract*, Five Woman Show, Glynn Visual Arts Center, St. Simon's Island, GA
An Eye on the Wind: Timeless Creativity, Lelia Murdoch Gallery, Miami, FL
2015 *Art18*, Atlanta, GA
2014 *SCAD Grad Show*, Atlanta, GA
ShapeATL, Decatur, GA
Open Studio, SCAD, Atlanta, GA
2013 *Open Studio*, SCAD, Atlanta, GA
2012 *Two Person Show*, Stellers Gallery, Ponte Vedra, FL
Open Studio, SCAD, Atlanta, GA
2011 *Three Person Show*, Richland Fine Art, Nashville, TN
Tyler White Gallery, Greensboro, NC
Design Works, Kaller Fine Art, NY, NY
2010 *Design Works*, Kaller Fine Art, NYC, NY
2009 *Studio E Gallery*, Palm Beach, FL
Design Works, Kaller Fine Art, NYC, NY
2008 *Richland Fine Art*, Nashville, TN
Design Works, NY, NY
2007 *Light*, Two Person Show, Stellers Gallery, FL
2006 *Launch*, Two Person Show, Stellers Gallery, FL
2005 *Three Person Show*, Kaller Fine Art, Bethesda, MD
Who's Afraid of Abstraction, Left Bank Art Gallery, GA
2003 *Two Person Show*, Lagerquist Gallery, Atlanta, GA
2001 *Painting with the Chatov's*, Quinlan Art Center,, Gainesville, GA
2000 *Three Person Show*, Bennett Street Gallery, Atlanta, GA
Welcoming the Artist, Lagerquist Gallery, Atlanta, GA
Karen Carr Fine Art, Jacksonville, FL
1999 *Three Person Show*, Bennett Street Gallery, GA

The Corcoran Gallery of Art, Washington DC
1998 Heaven Blue Rose, Roswell, GA

Bibliography

Sabre Esler Explores Physical and Ephemeral Connectivity in The Network, Matthew Terrell, *ArtsATL*, November 20, 2025. <https://www.artsatl.org/review-sabre-esler-explores-physical-and-ephemeral-connectivity-in-the-network/>

Black and White with Considerations of Gray, Deanna Sirlin, *The Art Section*, April 9, 2025, <https://www.theartsection.com/blackandwhitewithgrey>

Pollinator Art Space at Goat Farm: small space, big ambitions, Leia Genis, *ArtsATL*, March 28, 2025, <https://www.artsatl.org/pollinator-art-space-at-goat-farm-small-space-big-ambitions/> and *Atlanta Journal & Constitution*, <https://www.ajc.com/things-to-do/pollinator-art-space-at-goat-farm-small-space-big-ambitions/Z4RLTTZHA5HDDNMTVAHZLM5L4U/>

The Pollinator Art Space In Full Bloom at the Goat Farm, Rough Draft Atlanta, Isadora Pennington, February 20, 2025, Rough Draft, <https://roughdraftatlanta.com/2025/02/19/pollinator-art-space-atlanta/>

Three Atlanta Artists Created a Local Exhibition Inspired by Their Showcase at the 2024 Venice Biennale, WABE interview with Summer Evans, <https://www.wabe.org/three-atlanta-artists-created-a-local-exhibition-inspired-by-their-showcase-at-the-2024-venice-biennale/>

Artists Being Considered for Interior Exterior Projects at Brookhaven City Centre, Logan C. Ritchie, December 18, 2024, Rough Draft, <https://roughdraftatlanta.com/2024/12/18/artists-brookhaven-city-centre-finalists-chosen/>

Art Notes: Color, light, sound in Woodruff Park; Atlanta artists to exhibit in Venice, Staff writer, *Atlanta Journal Constitution*, <https://www.ajc.com/things-to-do/art-notes-color-light-sound-in-woodruff-park-atlanta-artists-to-exhibit-in-venice/HXS4VUR3ZFDXTIJ7MNJTVSWOE4/>

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Not Just a Number, The Hastings Center Report, November December 2022

Art Pop Up + Shop in Town Brookhaven, featuring Sabre Esler, Jaya Saxon, Masala Nkomo, and more, Jehan Williams, *Historic Brookhaven Living*, July 2022,

Cullum's Notebook: Summer art exhibits, from "Cherry Picking" to John Coltrane, Jerry Cullum, June 21, 2022, <https://www.artsatl.org/cullums-notebook-summer-art-exhibits-from-cherry-picking-to-john-coltrane/>

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Perspective on Risk Taking, Meet Sabre Esler, *ShoutOutAtlanta*, March, 2021 <https://shoutoutatlanta.com/meet-sabre-esler-painter-sculptor-printmaking-and-installation-artist-avid-gardener-and-reader/>

Jeffrey Wilcox Paclipan & Sabre Esler Make "Something Out of Nothing" at Chastain Arts Center, Burnaway, Matthew Terrell, Feb., 2018
Glynn Visual Arts Eyes Abstract in New Exhibit, *The Brunswick News*, Tyler H. Jones, May 4, 2017
Studio Visit Magazine, *Open Studio Press*, Diana Gaston Curator, Summer, 2017
The Power of Art, Betsa Marsh, *Miamian*, December, 2011
Art Values: Sabre Esler, Wendy Dunning, *Southwest Art*, July, 2010
Launch, Contributor, *Arbus*, January, 2006
Stellers Gallery Launches into 2006 with Six National Artists, Contributor, *Sun-Times Weekly*, 2006
Featured Artist, *Atlanta Style & Design*, 2006
Capturing Moments in Time, Judith Schonbak, *Museums & Galleries*, November, 2004
Feminine Perspective, Karen Lane, *The Brunswick News*, 2003
Figure and Form Create Drama for a Month Long Exhibit on St. Simons Island, Judy Ellington, *Coastal Antiques and Art*, 2002
Sabre Esler: "A Contemporary Artist with Classical Appeal", Mildred Wilcox, *Coastal Antiques & Art*, 2000
Artist and Merchants, Wendy Bass, *Atlanta Journal & Constitution*, 1997

Public & Private Collections

City of Atlanta, Office of Cultural Affairs, Atlanta, GA
Federal Reserve Bank, Atlanta, GA
Fulton County Arts Council, Atlanta, GA
Emily Giffin
Georgia State University at Perimeter College, Atlanta, GA
Miami University, Permanent Collection, Oxford, OH
Tufts University School of Dentistry, Boston, MA
John Wieland
Woodruff Arts Center, Atlanta, GA

Corporate Collections

Acoustic, Atlanta, Ga
Asbury Solomon, Solomons, MD
AdvantEdge Executive Offices, Washington DC
Atlantic Capital Bank, GA
Boardwalk Inn at Wild Dunes, SC
Boston Consulting Group, Atlanta, GA
Cognia, Alpharetta, GA
Crowell & Moring, LLP, Washington DC
Fieldpoint Private Bank & Trust, Atlanta, GA
Georgian Bank, Atlanta, GA
Georgia Power, Atlanta, GA
Hilton Hotels, Orlando, FL
Lure Real Estate Gallery, Dubai, UAE
Marriott Crowne Plaza - Ravinia, Atlanta, GA
NCR, Atlanta, GA
Oglethorpe Bank, St. Simon Island, GA
Preferred Office, Raleigh, NC
Reaction 35, Tampa, FL/ San Francisco, CA

Ritz Carlton, Orlando, FL
Robinson Franzman, LLP Atlanta, GA
Science Square, Atlanta GA
Schell, Bray, Aycock Abel & Livingston, PLLC, Greensboro, NC
Sun Trust Bank, Atlanta GA
The Lofts at Capitol Quarters, Washington, DC
Trammell Crow Company, Twelve24, Atlanta, GA
Wargo, French LLP, Miami, FL
Waycross Bank & Trust, Waycross GA

Awards & Residencies

2026 Studio Faire, Nérac, France
2025 *Premier Artist Prize 2025*, Contemporary Art Station, Madrid, Spain
2024 *Officina Stamperia del Notaio*, Artist Residency, Tusa, Italy
2022 *Hambidge Center for the Arts and Sciences, Artist Residency*, Rabun Gap GA
3rd Place, *Colors of Community*, Grand Rapids MI
2021 Studio Residency, Central Library, Atlanta GA
2020-24 *Atlanta Contemporary Studio Award*, Atlanta GA
2018 *Hambidge Center for the Arts and Sciences, Artist Residency*, Rabun Gap GA
2nd Place, *Sights and Insights*, Chastain Gallery, Atlanta GA
2017 Hambidge Creative Hive, Atlanta GA
2016 *Honorable Mention, 29th Annual September Competition Exhibition*, Alexandria
Museum of Art, Alexandria LA
2014 *SCAD Honor's Graduate Scholarship*
2013 *SCAD Honor's Graduate Scholarship*
2012 *SCAD Scholarship*
SCAD Honor's Graduate Scholarship
2003 *People's Choice Award*, Decatur Arts Alliance Show, Decatur GA
1999 *Merit Award*, Decatur Arts Alliance Show, GA
1998 *Merit Award*, Rinehart College Art Show, GA
1995 *Merit Award*, Dupage County Nature Show, Naperville IL
1994 *Merit Award*, Dupage County Nature Show, Naperville IL

Teaching & Professional Experiences

2026 Art advisory panel, Neuroarts Coalition, Woodruff Arts Center, Atlanta, GA
Juror for Artist Studio Residency, Spruill Art Center, Dunwoody, GA
2025-26 Guest Lecturer, Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, GA
2024 *Foundations Studies Professor*, Georgia Perimeter/GSU, Dunwoody, GA
2024-26 *Founder & Executive Director*, The Pollinator Art Space, Atlanta, GA
Rose Lawn Museum, Juror, Cartersville, GA
2024-26 *Executive Director & Founder*, The Pollinator Art Space, Atlanta, GA
2020-22 *Panelist*, Fulton County Arts & Culture, Atlanta, GA
2020,21 *Foundation Studies Professor*, Georgia Perimeter/GSU, Dunwoody, GA
2019-22 *Panelist*, Office of Cultural Affairs, Atlanta, GA
2018 *Foundation Studies Professor*, Savannah College of Art and Design, Atlanta, GA
2016 *Sharpen the Tools*, Studio classes, Atlanta, GA

- 2014 *Teaching Intern*, Undergraduate Drawing, SCAD, GA
Two Day Painting Workshop, Sandy Springs Arts Center, GA
- 2013 *Loosen Up! Two day Architectural Elements Paintings*, Sandy Springs, GA
- 2012 *Loosen Up! Two day Paintings Workshop*, GA
- 2011 *Going from Good To Great*, Left Bank Art Gallery, St. Simon's GA
- 2009 *Working with Mediums*, Master Class, Sandy Springs Art Center, GA
- 1997-00 *Meet the Masters*, Arts Enhancements Program, New Prospect Elementary, Alpharetta, GA
- 1997 Alpharetta Parks Department, Arts Governance, Alpharetta, GA

Selected Talks

- 2025 *Beyond the Cosmos*, Moderated Talk with Shannon Morris, Gallery 72, Atlanta, GA
- 2022 *Meet Me in the Middle*, Artist talk at Jennifer Balcos Gallery, Atlanta, GA,
<https://youtu.be/BW3Il6ONKY>
- 2021 *"The Cosmos, The Cipher & The Soul"*, Virtual Artist Reception, Clarkston, GA
<https://youtu.be/2DHOe7egCaU>
- 2020 *Connect & Create Series*, Youtube Connect & Create, Episode 30, Corrina Sephora,
- 2019 Conant Performing Arts Center, Oglethorpe University, Brookhaven, GA
- 2018 Chastain Art Gallery, Atlanta, GA
- 2017 *Conversations*, Gallery43, Roswell, GA
Life in the Abstract, Glynn Visual Arts Center, St. Simon, GA
- 2011 Tyler White Gallery, Greensboro, NC
- 2009 Left Bank Gallery, St. Simon's, GA