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Nationality Thai

Date of Birth 09/14/1990

Gender Female

Work Experience

Date August 2015 - Present

Position **Full-time Faculty (Ceramics major)**

Responsibilities Conducting Creative Ceramics III, Pottery Decoration and Illustration class

Employer/Address Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok,Thailand

Type of business Education

Date February 2020 - Present

Position **Part-time Artisan**

Responsibilities Designing and Hand Painting on Hard-sided Goods

Employer/Address Louis Vuitton Store Emporium Department Store, Bangkok,Thailand

Type of business Luxury Goods and Lifestyle

Date August 2014 - July 2015

Position **Freelance Illustrator and designer**

Responsibilities Character and Illustration Design

Type of business Art and Design

Date May 2013 - August 2014

Position **Accessories Designer**

Responsibilities Product design,Trend researcher and Graphic design

Employer/Address Pen Khun Co.,Ltd Bangkok, Thailand

Type of business Art and Lifestyle

Education and Training

August 2016 - May 2019

Master of Fine Art in Ceramics

Institution Edinboro University of Pennsylvania, United States of America

2009-2013

BA summa cum laude, Creative Craft (Ceramics)

Institution Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand

2012 **(3 month-internship program)**

Principal Studies Ceramics

Institution Tao Hong Tai Ceramics Factory, Rachaburee, Thailand

Awards/Fellowships

2021 **Directors Award**, Ceramics' Exhibition, The In Art Gallery, USA (Juried by Chase Gamblin)

2019 **The Raising Star Project Scholarships**, Franz Project,Taipei, Taiwan.

Outstanding Graduate Student, Edinboro University of Pennsylvania,PA

NCECA Graduate Award for Excellence - 3rd place, Soo Visual Arts Center in Minneapolis, MN

Juror Choice's Award, Last Call IV,Companion Gallery, Humboldt,TN

Assistant Fellowship, Edinboro University of Pennsylvania,PA

2018 **The Raising Star Project Scholarships**, Franz Project,Taipei, Taiwan.

Juror Choice's Award,Material Mugs III,UNDERGLAZE, Companion Gallery, Humboldt,TN

1st Place,6th Annual Cup Show Exhibition 2018, Jansen Art Center,WA

3rd Place and Purchase Award,Working Pots III, James May Gallery,WI

Best in Printmaking Award, Edinboro Student show, Bruce Gallery, Edinboro University of Pennsylvania,PA

Assistant Fellowship, Edinboro University of Pennsylvania,PA

2017 **Best in Show Award**, Edinboro Student Juried show, Bruce Gallery,Edinboro University of Pennsylvania,PA

Assistant Fellowship, Edinboro University of Pennsylvania,PA

2016 **Assistant Fellowship**, Edinboro University of Pennsylvania,PA

- 2011 **Best in Show Award**, Cost Saving in Ceramic Process for High efficiency
 ,Museum of Chulalongkorn University, Thailand
Rookie of The Year Award, Thailand Ceramic Award, Phranakhon Rajabhat University, Thailand
- 2009 **Talented Art Student Scholarship**, Chulalongkorn University, Thailand

Exhibitions

- 2021 **Ceramics' Exhibition**, The In Art Gallery, USA (Juried by Chase Gamblin)
Juried Clay National VI, Red Lodge Clay Center, Red Lodge, MT, USA (Juried by Lorna Meaden)
The Annual LUX Gifted Holiday Cup: The Intimate Object XVII, Charlie Cummings Gallery, Gainesville, FL, USA
Relay-21 Ceramic, YIART Gallery, Taipei, Taiwan (Invited by Lingyi Cheng)
Material Mugs VI, UNDERGLAZE, Companion Gallery, Humboldt, TN (Invited by Eric Botbyl, catalogue)
Clayfest, Saratoga Clay Arts Center, NY, USA (Invited by Leigh Taylor Mickelson)
Virtual Spring Sale coinciding with NCECA 2021, Companion Gallery, TN, USA (Invited by Eric Botbyl)
The Impostor Cup Show, Gallery Mostaza, Kansas, USA (Invited by Issac Shue)
Last Call IV, Companion Gallery, Humboldt, TN (Invited by Eric Botbyl)
Crafts in the Air: An International Virtual Exhibition, Chulalongkorn University, Thailand (catalogue)
- 2020 **International Coffee Cup Competition 2020**, New Teipei City Yingge Ceramics Museum, Taipei, Taiwan
Funny Mega Fun, Interns' Showcase, Tao Hong Tai Ceramic Factory, Rachaburee, Thailand
HCCC Cups for Y'all, Houston Center for Contemporary Craft, Houston, TX (Invited by Anna Walker)
Material Mugs III, UNDERGLAZE, Companion Gallery, Humboldt, TN (Invited by Eric Botbyl, catalogue)
DeMark Design Excellent Award Exhibition, DeMark Award, Icon Siam Department Store, Bangkok, Thailand
Collaborative Companions, Companion Gallery, Online Exhibition (Invited by Eric Botbyl)
Collaborative Project, Clay Arts Vegas, Las Vegas, NV (Invited by Peter J Jakubowski)
- 2019 **LUSH: A Contemporary Ceramics Exhibition**, Lighthouse Art Center in Tequesta, FL, USA
 (Juried by Alex Zablocki)
The Thanksgiving Table: The Candlestick Holder 2019, Clay Akar Gallery, Iowa, IA (Invited by ClayAKAR)
Class [Clay and Glass International Symposium] Exhibition, Chula Museum, Thailand
On Origin, The North Seattle College Art Gallery, Seattle, WA (Invited by Soe Yu Nwe)
Bowl-Job, Yer Space, Bangkok, Thailand (Invited by Yer Space members)
The Beautiful and Bizarre: Figurative Ceramics Invitational, Florida Craft Art Gallery, St. Petersburg, FL
 (Curated by Taylor Robenalt)
Eloquent Vessel, Lightwell Gallery, University of Oklahoma, Norman, OK, USA (Juried by Doug Casebeer)
Star-Crossed Event in Dino District, Bates Gallery, Edinboro University, PA (**Solo, Thesis Exhibition**)
Made By Sea, Pottery Northwest, Seattle, WA (Invited by Soe Yu Nwe)
Keystone Clay: West, Baltimore Clayworks, Baltimore, MD (Invited by Baltimore Clayworks Committee)
Hastings College Functional Ceramics Exhibition, Hastings College, Hastings, NE (Invited by Sarah E. Swist)
Companion Gallery NCECA Show, coinciding with NCECA 2019, The Crowne Plaza Hotel's Conference room, Minneapolis, MN
Sea Roots, coinciding with NCECA 2019, Continental Clay's CO Exhibition Gallery, Minneapolis, MN
The 2019 NCECA Juried Student Exhibition, in conjunction with the NCECA 53rd Annual Conference, Claytopia, Soo Visual Arts Center in Minneapolis, MN (Juried by Linda Lopez and Steven Young Lee, national)
You've Been Served, coinciding with NCECA 2019, Urban Forage Winery and Cider House, Minneapolis, MN
When We Collaborate Show, Clay Art Vegas, Las Vegas, NV (Invited by Thomas Bumblauskas, national)
Last Call IV, Companion Gallery, Humboldt, TN (Juried by Carole Epp, catalogue)
Mug Madness 2019, Saltstone Ceramics, Seattle, WA (Juried by Justin Rothshank)
Cup Show, Clay Art Vegas, Las Vegas, NV (Juried by Katie Bosley, national)
- 2018 **The Cup, The Mug**, Main Street Arts, Clifton Springs, NY (Juried exhibition)
The Sculptural Vessel, Clay Centre of New Orleans, New Orleans, LA (Juried by Brett Freund)
Desirnosaur, Bates Gallery, Edinboro University, PA (**Solo, Candidacy Exhibition**)
Graduate Art Association Show (G.A.A.), Bates Gallery, Edinboro University, PA (region)
Euphoric Disorientation, Cashier's House adjacent to the Erie Art Museum, Erie, PA
Material Mugs III, UNDERGLAZE, Companion Gallery, Humboldt, TN (Juried by Renee LoPresti, catalogue)
Plates, Platters and Nothing Else Matters Ceramic Exhibition, The Long Beach Island Foundation of the Arts and Sciences, NJ (Juried by Roberto Lugo)
12th Annual South Texas Ceramic Showdown, Institutional Collaborations, Collaboration with Lee Rexrode (Invited by South Texas Collage)
6th Annual Cup Show Exhibition 2018, Jansen Art Center, WA
 (Juried by Ann Marie Cooper, Ryan Kelly, Brian O'Neill, Jeremy Noet and Jesse Rasmussen)

Working Pots III, James May Gallery,WI (Juried by Liz Pechacek)

The Dog's Eye Gallery Second Mug Show, Eye of the Dog art Center,TX (Juried by Kurt Anderson,national)

Erie Art Museum 95th Spring Show,Erie Art Museum,PA (Juried by Wendy Maruyama,national)

Edinboro Student Juried Show, Bruce Gallery,Edinboro University of Pennsylvania,PA

Edinboro Student Show coinciding with NCECA 2018,Carnegie Library of Pittsburgh,PA(national)

Hot Mud Pop-up Exhibition coinciding with NCECA 2018,The Church on Kincaid,Pittsburgh,PA

Lillstreet Gallery at NCECA Expo,NCECA National Council on Education for the Ceramic Arts,
David L. Lawrence Convention Center,Pittsburgh,PA(national)

Small Favors,The Clay Studio, Philadelphia,PA (Juried by Lauren Mabry,national)

SIP, A Ceramic Cup Show, Savannah Clay Community, Savannah,GA
(Juried by Ben Carter,national)

2017 **Cup Show**, Clay Art Vegas, Las Vegas,NV (Juried by Leilani Trinko,national)

CFile Holiday Group Pop-up Online show,C-file Contemporary Ceramic Art + Design,Santa Fe,NM(national)

Solo Exhibition, Desirnosaur, Candidacy Show, Bates Gallery,Edinboro University,PA

Chimera XV, Erie Art Museum, Erie,PA (juried, student,catalogue,region)

2016 **New Chicks On The Block**,Lillstreet Gallery,Chicago,IL (curated by Michelle Brooks,national)

Graduate Art Association Show (G.A.A.),Bates Gallery,Edinboro University,PA(region)

Edinboro Student Juried Show, Bruce Gallery,Edinboro University of Pennsylvania,PA
(Juried by John Vanco, region)

Chimera XIII, Erie Art Museum, Erie,PA (juried, student,catalogue, region)

Graduate Art Association Show (G.A.A.),Bates Gallery,Edinboro University,PA (region)

2015 **Amity**, Bangkok Art and Culture Centre, Bangkok,Thailand (international)

The Visual Art EX 4th, Museum of Chulalongkorn University,Bangkok,Thailand (international)

2013 **Clay Pop**, Silom Complex Department Store,Bangkok, Thailand (international)

Departure, Senior Project Showcase, Central World Department Store,Bangkok,Thailand (international)

2012 **Stick With Clay**,Interns' Showcase,Tao Hong Tai Ceramic Factory,Rachaburee,Thailand (international)

2011 **From Fine to Finest**, Museum of Chulalongkorn University,Bangkok,Thailand (international)

Cost Saving in Ceramic Process for High efficiency, Museum of Chulalongkorn University,
Thailand (international)

Thailand Ceramic Award,Phranakhon Rajabhat University,Thailand (international)

Dawn of Humanities 4th,Museum of Chulalongkorn University,Thailand (international)

Clay Fever, Silom Complex Department Store,Bangkok, Thailand (international)

Talented Art Student Program Showcase, Museum of Chulalongkorn University,Thailand (international)

Workshop and Demonstration

2021 **Pinching with Punch!** : A Narrative Sculptural Vessel Virtual Workshop, Saratoga Clay Arts Center, NY,USA

Companion Gallery Spring Workshop Series, an online workshop (Invited by Eric Botbyl)

2020 **Ceramics For Charity**, an online workshop (Invited by Vipoo Sivilasa)

Hand building and Surface Decoration, Pottery Clay company, Thailand

2019 **Surface Decoration**, Trampoline Studio, Bangkok,Thailand

Companion Gallery NCECA Show,NCECA 2019,The Crowne Plaza Hotel's Conference room, Minneapolis,MN

Jurying and Curating

2021 **Virtual Makers Market** ,The Ceramics Congress Conference, Japan (curating)

Virtual Makers Market ,The Ceramics Congress Conference, Canada (curating)

Hopefully Tomorrow, Brockway Center of Arts, PA (co-curating)

2020 **Mug Madness 2020**, Salt Stone Ceramics, Seattle, WA (co-jurying)

Publication

2021 **Ceramics Monthly, Clay Culture: Imbalance**, Issue: September 2021

Ceramics Monthly, Clay Culture: Documentation, Issue: February 2021

2020 **Thai Ceramics Journal: (Cover)** Issue: October 2020

2019 **Ceramics Monthly, Clay Culture: Mug Madness**, Issue: September 2019

Companion Gallery, Last Call IV, March 2019

The 2019 NCECA Juried Student Exhibition Catalog, March 2019

2018 **Companion Gallery**, Material Mugs III: Underglaze, September 2018

Ceramics Monthly, Drink Up! 2018, Issue: September 2018

Erie Art Museum, 95th Spring Show catalog, April 2018

Volunteer work

2017 **45th Anniversary Celebration Auction**, Touchstone Centre of Crafts, Farmington, PA

2015 **Clay Therapy**; Art for special needs, Bangkok, Thailand

2012 **Youth Development Camp**, Bangkok, Thailand

Artist Resident

2018 **Watershed Center for the Ceramic Arts**, Newcastle, ME, USA, Session 5: Surface Exchange
2-week long residency

Gallery Representation and Affiliation

Art Axis, Artaxis.org

Companion Gallery, Humboldt, TN (2018-present)

Icon Craft, Icon Siam Department Store, Bangkok, Thailand (2019-present)

ODS- Object of Desire, Siam Discovery Department Store, Bangkok, Thailand (2019-2021)

Lillstreet Gallery, Chicago, IL (2016-2018)

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