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QUALIFICATIONS

- 2023 Certificate II in Engineering, Jewelry, Melbourne Polytechnic
- 2019 Diploma in Community Services, RMIT Melbourne
- 2015 Bachelor of Fine Arts (Sculpture), National Art School, Sydney

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2026 *forthcoming* – THIS IS NO FANTASY, Melbourne VIC
- 2025 Anito of the Forest, THIS IS NO FANTASY, Melbourne VIC
- 2024 Body Field, Incinerator Gallery, Melbourne VIC
- 2023 An H not at 11, Seventh Gallery, Melbourne VIC

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2026 PUNCTUATE. THIS IS NO FANTASY, Melbourne VIC
- 2025 LAST BUT NOT LEAST, THIS IS NO FANTASY, Melbourne VIC
Spring1883 Art Fair, THIS IS NO FANTASY, Hotel Windsor, Melbourne VIC
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Ravenswood Australian Women's Art Prize, Finalist Exhibition, Gordon NSW
MAC Yapang Art Prize, Finalist Exhibition, Museum of Art and Culture MAC Yapang, Booragul NSW
Georges River Art Prize, Finalist Exhibition, Hurstville NSW
- 2024 ARTSLAB, Arts in the Valley Trail, Kangaroo Valley NSW
Mosman Art Prize, Finalist Exhibition, Mosman Art Gallery, Sydney NSW
all but mirrors, AIRspace Projects, Sydney NSW
Fisher's Ghost Art Award, Finalist Exhibition, Campbelltown NSW
Macquarie Group Emerging Artist Prize, Finalist Exhibition, Sydney NSW
Ravenswood Australian Women's Art Prize, Finalist Exhibition, Gordon NSW
Colossal Cyanic Tub, Priscilla's Ship, Melbourne VIC
Hold On, DRIVER ARI, Melbourne VIC
- 2023 Small, Unassigned Gallery, Melbourne VIC
Flood Relief Art Auction, Anti-Gallery, Sydney NSW
- 2022 Ash, PARI ARI, Parramatta NSW
- 2020 Moreland Summer Show 2020: Solitude & Solace, Counihan Gallery, Melbourne VIC
Backlog, Anti-Gallery, Sydney NSW
- 2017 NOW, Bar SK, Melbourne VIC
- 2015 Graduate Exhibition, National Art School, Sydney NSW
DeForm, Library Stairwell Gallery, Sydney NSW
Crossing Borders, Sydney NSW

AWARDS | PRIZES

- 2025 Finalist – Ravenswood Australian Women's Art Prize
- 2025 Finalist – Georges River Art Prize

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- 2024 Finalist – Fisher's Ghost Art Award
- 2024 Finalist – Mosman Art Prize
- 2024 Finalist – Macquarie Group Emerging Artist Prize
- 2024 Finalist – Ravenswood Australian Women's Art Prize

INSTALLATIONS | COMMUNITY PROJECTS

- 2026 Public Art Commission, Ascot Vale Library, Melbourne VIC
- 2024 Body Field, Incinerator Gallery, Melbourne VIC
- 2024 Artist Liaison, Crip Rave Theory, Rising, Melbourne VIC
- 2023 Artist Liaison, TANZ, Florentina Holzinger, Rising, Melbourne VIC
- 2023 Artistic Support Worker, Back to Back Theatre, Melbourne VIC
- 2022 Community Producer, Rising: Multituud by Tamara Cubas, Melbourne VIC
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- 2021 Mosaic community mural, undisclosed women's refuge, Melbourne VIC
- 2017 Installation and mural, Sugar Mountain Festival, Southbank, Melbourne VIC
- 2016 Installation, Red Bull Sound Select, Beach Road Hotel, Sydney NSW
- 2016 Installation, Red Bull Music Academy, Oxford Art Factory, Sydney NSW
- 2016 Installation, Red Bull Music Academy, Marrickville Bowling Club, Sydney NSW
- 2014 Drawing Installation, Cockatoo Island, Sydney NSW

COLLECTIONS

- Macquarie Group Collection
- Shark Island Institute
- Private Collections Australia and United Kingdom

RESIDENCIES

- 2024 Visual Arts Residency, Shark Island Kangaroo Valley
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PUBLICATIONS

- 2025 Olivia Chin: Sketches Outdoors With Friends, Words by Grant Ionatán, 52-page Risograph booklet. Printed & designed by Simon Gardam. Published by Stray Pages Naarm / Melbourne 2025, 1st edition of 100, ISBN: 978-0-646-71660-2