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EDUCATION

- 2023 Bachelor of Fine Arts, Sculpture Intermedia, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT
- 2020 Associate of Fine Arts and Associates of Arts, Snow College, Ephraim, UT

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2023 *Just a Material Test*, 79 S Rio Grande St., Salt Lake City, UT
- Pre-Packaged Couture: High Fashion, Great Value!*, Gateway Storefronts, Salt Lake City, UT
- 2020 *What Remains*, Annex Gallery, Snow College, Ephraim, UT
- 2014 *Girl Next Door*, Alt Space Gallery, Snow College, Ephraim, UT

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2023 *Ministrations: Graduating BFA Exhibition*, 150 S Rio Grande St, Salt Lake City, UT
- 2022 *Utah Division of Arts and Museums Statewide Annual Exhibition 2023: Painting, Sculpture, and Installation*, Ogden Contemporary Arts, Ogden, UT
- From One Outlet to the Next*, J. Willard Marriott Library, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT (installation and performance in collaboration with Alix Twiggs)
- Conflux: Acquainted*, Gittins Gallery, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT
- Conflux: Blind Date*, Shepherd Union Gallery, Weber State University, Ogden, UT
- Annual Student Art Exhibition*, Gittins Gallery, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT
- View from the Shore: Utah Lake Preservation*, Writ & Vision, Provo, UT
- 2021 *Annual Student Art Exhibition*, Gittins Gallery, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT (catalog)
- 2020 *From Before to Now*, Utah Museum of Contemporary Art, Salt Lake City, UT
- Lawn Gnomes 2020*, Granary Arts + Utah Museum of Contemporary Arts, Ephraim, UT

- Artists of Utah: 35x35 (35 Artists Under the Age of 35)*, Finch Lane Gallery, Salt Lake City, UT
- RECALL: 2020*, Snow College Art Gallery, Ephraim, UT
- Bookworks*, Utah Cultural Celebration Center, Salt Lake City, UT
- 2019 *Utah Division of Arts and Museums Statewide Annual Exhibition 2019: Mixed Media and Works on Paper*, Rio Grande Gallery, Salt Lake City, UT (catalog)
- Artists In Residence: Works in Progress*, Snow College Gallery, Ephraim, UT
- Panel Delivery*, Annex Gallery, Ephraim, UT
- 2018 *Pressing Matters*, San Luis Obispo Museum of Art, San Luis Obispo, CA
- Borders, Boundaries, and Limits*, New Grounds Gallery, Albuquerque, NM
- 2017 *North Sanpete Arts Annual*, Hub City Gallery, Mount Pleasant, UT
- 2016 *Sanpete Print Makers*, Spring City Arts Gallery, Spring City, UT
- 2014 *Artists in Residence: Works in Progress*, Snow College Art Gallery, Ephraim, UT
- If You Don't Get It, You Don't Get Me: Adah x Sommer*, Annex Gallery, Ephraim, UT
- Imaging the Self*, Annex Gallery, Ephraim, UT
- POP-UP: Superficiality*, Snow College Sculpture Studio, Ephraim, UT
- 2013 *Artists in Residence: Works in Progress*, Snow College Art Gallery, Ephraim, UT

AWARDS, GRANTS, SCHOLARSHIPS

- 2023 Outstanding Student Achievement in Contemporary Sculpture Award Honorable Mention, The International Sculpture Center, nominated by Sculpture Intermedia Professor Wendy Wischer
- Ethel Armstrong Rolapp Endowed Award for Excellence in the Department of Art & Art History, Rolapp Family & Committee, University of Utah, Salt Lake City
- Anderson Ranch Workshop Scholarship, Summer '23 (Sculpture, full tuition), Anderson Ranch + University of Utah Department of Art and Art History, Salt Lake City, UT
- Undergraduate Research Opportunities Program (UROP) Award, The Office of Undergraduate Research, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT

- College of Fine Arts Fine Arts Fees Grant, BFA Club, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT
- College of Fine Arts Fine Arts Fees Grant, Sculpture Club, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT
- Dean's List, Spring '23 Semester, University of Utah College of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, UT
- 2022 Department Tuition Waiver Scholarship 2022-23, College of Fine Arts, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT
- Dean's List, Fall '22 Semester, University of Utah College of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, UT
- PhotoSpace Merit Award for *North American Detritus (After Anna Atkins)*, Annual Student Art Exhibition, Gittins Gallery, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT
- Dean's List, Spring '22 Semester, University of Utah College of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, UT
- College of Fine Arts Fine Arts Fees Grant, Sculpture Club, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT
- 2021 Dean's List, Fall '21 Semester, University of Utah College of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, UT
- 2019 Printmaking Merit Award for *Self at 26, Artist in Residence: Works in Progress*, Snow College Gallery, Ephraim, UT
- Cover Image Award, *Cyclical Patterns of Behavior No. 2*, (competitive cash prize) Weeds Student Literary Magazine, Ephraim, UT (competitive cash prize)
- Second Place Visual Art Award for *Static States No.6*, page 65, Weeds Student Literary Magazine, Ephraim, UT
- 2014 Photography Merit Award for *Baptism, Artist in Residence: Works in Progress*, Snow College Art Gallery, Ephraim, UT
- 2013 Juror's Choice: Best in Show for *Wizard & I #2, #3, Artists in Residence: Works in Progress*, Snow College Art Gallery, Ephraim, UT

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- Jaclyn Wright, *Field Work*, University of Utah Photobook, cover image, pages 32-39, June 28, 2022, <https://www.art.utah.edu/photography-class-publishes-field-work/>
<https://www.magcloud.com/browse/issue/2214925>
- 2021 University of Utah College of Fine Arts Annual Student Exhibition Catalog, page 52, April 28, 2021
- 2020 Darren Jones, "Contemporary Art and Ambition in the American West", *New Art Examiner*, July / August, 2020, Vol 34, no 6,
<https://www.newartexaminer.net/contemporary-art-and-ambition-in-the-american-west/>
- Chuck Wing, "Utah Museum of Contemporary Art reopens with new exhibits, hours and safety protocols", *Deseret News* <https://www.deseret.com/utah/2020/7/15/21325702/utah-museum-of-contemporary-art-reopens-with-new-exhibits-hours-and-safety-protocols>
- Scott D Pierce, "An exhibit of Utah's top artists under age 35 is 'waiting, unappreciated,' thanks to COVID-19", *Salt Lake Tribune*, May 03, 2020,
<https://www.sltrib.com/arts/living/2020/05/03/an-exhibit-utahs-top/>
- Shawn Rossiter, "Artists of Utah Announces the 5th Iteration of 35×35", *15Bytes*, Feb. 12, 2020, <http://artistsofutah.org/15Bytes/index.php/artists-of-utah-announces-the-5th-iteration-of-35x35/>
- 2019 Utah Division of Arts and Museums 2019 *Statewide Annual Exhibition: Mixed Media and Works on Paper* Exhibition Catalog, Juror's essay mention, page 6; color reproduction of B, page 15
- Bea Hurd, "A Visit to UDAM's Statewide Annual" *15Bytes*, Dec. 23, 2019,
<http://artistsofutah.org/15Bytes/index.php/48807/>
- Weeds Literary Magazine, color reproductions of *Cyclical Patterns of Behavior No. 2*, cover image
- Weeds Literary Magazine, color reproductions of *Static States No.6*, page 65
- 2016 Shawn Rossiter, "Call of the Local: Ten Sanpete Printmakers at Spring City Arts", *15Bytes*, Feb. 26, 2016, <http://artistsofutah.org/15Bytes/index.php/32491/>

PUBLICATIONS

- 2015 Adah Bennion, *BELONGS IN THE NIGHT VOL I - II*, self-published photobook, 300 color images (ea.)
- 2013 Adah Bennion, *Wizard & I*, self-published photobook, 25 color images

AFFILIATED EXPERIENCE

2016 - 2020 Gallery Manager, Granary Arts, Ephraim, UT

2022-2023 University of Utah BFA Club Vice President, University of Utah

University of Utah Sculpture Club Treasurer, University of Utah

Soapbox Committee Founder and Co-President, Department of Art and Art History, University of Utah

2021-2022 University of Utah Sculpture Club Co-President, University of Utah