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Natalia Rocafuerte (b. Ciudad Del Carmen, Campeche, Mexico)

Studio based in La Crescent, MN

EDUCATION:

2022 Master of Fine Arts, University of Michigan - Ann Arbor
2017 Bachelor in Arts associates in Art History at Texas State University.
2012 Psychoanalytic Theory Study Abroad Paris, France. University of Texas-PanAm
2011 Graphics and Video Seminar, Puebla, Mexico. Apolonio Gallery

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Winter 2022 Jr Curator at Automotive Hall of Fame
Spring 2021-2023 Arts Educator - Ypsilanti Independent Film Festival
Spring 2021 Graduate Student Research Assistant, University of Michigan
Sept 2019 - Present [Civic Arts Austin](#), Community Artist in Residence
Winter 2021 Graduate Student Instructor, University of Michigan Ann Arbor
August 2021 [Miraaa Media Fest](#) Collective - Artistic and Digital Director

LECTURE EXPERIENCE:

Winter 2023 Digital Art Lecturer at Eastern Michigan University - Ypsilanti.
October 2021 Guest lecture Alfred University, Alfred, NY.
Winter 2021 GSI Color Theory and Printmaking, University of Michigan - Ann Arbor

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITS & FILM SCREENINGS:

UPCOMING:

2023 *Art Prize* | Salon | Grand Rapids, MI
2023 *Form and Function* | Ivester Contemporary| Austin, TX
2023 *Soy de Tejas* | Center De Artes | San Antonio, TX
2023 *Energy Transfer* | Ann Arbor Art Center | Ann Arbor, MI

2022 *Dream Hotline* | Ivester Contemporary| Austin, TX (Solo)
2022 *Castilian Roses in December* | San Benito Cultural Museum
2022 *MASS+1* | Mass Gallery | Austin, TX
2022 *Michigan Emerging Graduate Artists* | Grand Rapid, MI
2022 *MASA: Mars Needs More Women* | San Antonio, TX
2022 *60th Ann Arbor Film Festival* | Ann Arbor, MI
2022 *STAMPS MFA Thesis Show* | Ann Arbor, MI

2021 *ACROSS* Curated by Jose Villalobos | Urban Arts Center | Dallas, TX
2021 *Fortune Teller Group Show* | Ivester Contemporary| Austin, TX
2021 [Choose Your Own Adventure: First Year MFA Show](#) |Virtual
2021 *Andie and Natalia's Experimental Show* | World Wide Web | Austin, TX
2021 *Living Pixels* | Aztec Theater, San Antonio, TX
2021 *59th Ann Arbor Film Festival* | Ann Arbor, MI
2021 *MULTI* | Emma Barrientos Cultural Center | Austin, TX

2020 Austin Studio Tour | Austin, TX
 2020 Respond/ Resist/ Rethink: A Stamps Student Poster & Video Exhibition
 | Ann Arbor, MI
 2020 Concept Animals Video Art Show | Martha Contemporary | Austin, TX
 2020 SOUNDLOT Mass Gallery Virtual Video Show
 2020 NMASS: Quarantine Virtual Concerts
 2020 Xicanx: New Visions | Centro De Artes | San Antonio, TX
 2020 Artist in Residence The Line Hotel X Big Medium | Austin, TX
 2020 Artist in Residence Future Front Texas | Austin, TX

2019 Exhibiting artist at Austin Public Library | [All Shades Considered](#) | Austin, TX
 2019 Bring Your Own Beamer | Menil Collection | Houston, TX
 2019 HBO X SXSW Human By Orientation | Brazos Hall | Austin, TX

2018 BABESFEST 2018, Museum of Human Achievement | Austin, TX
 2018 Sacramento Zine Fest 2018 | Verge Center for the Arts | Sacramento, CA
 2018 [Young Latino Artists 23: Beyond Walls, Between Gates, Under Bridges](#) |
 Mexic-Arte Museum | Austin, TX

2017 SXSW | Known Unknown Experimental Film Fest | Austin TX

AWARDS

2022 Jean Paul Slusser Honorable Mention Award
 2021 59th Ann Arbor Film Festival Best Michigan Filmmaker Award

FELLOWSHIPS & SCHOLARSHIPS

May 2021 Anne Reek Amendt Scholarship
 January 2019 NYFA Immigrant Artist Mentorship Program. San Antonio, TX

RESIDENCIES

May 2023 Blue Sky Art Center | Cuyama Valley, CA
 June 2021 The Line Artist in Residence| Austin, TX
 March 2021 NALAC Catalyst for Change and Race Forward Immigrant Butterfly Lab
 June 2009 Artist in Residence at Rosales Lugo Gallery, Tamaulipas, MX.

WORKSHOPS

July 2022 Experimental Printmaking, Contemporary Laguna Gloria, Austin TX
 January 2020 OBS and Video Editing Workshop, Big Medium, Austin, TX
 Decr 2019 Abstract Printmaking, The Contemporary, Austin, TX
 June 2019 Summer DJ Camp workshop, Ballroom Marfa. Marfa, TX
 April 2019 Alone, Together: A Workshop On Collaboration, BossbabesATX, Austin, TX
 Nov 2018 Dia de Los Muertos Virtual Lecture for Streamable Learning, Austin, TX
 August 2018 Screen Printing workshop, YLA 23 Closing, Mexic-Arte Museum. Austin, TX
 July 2018 Screen It! Screen Printing Workshops Mexic-Arte Museum, Austin, TX

June 2018 Screen It! Screen Printing Workshops Mexic-Arte Museum, Austin, TX
May 2018 Cinco de Mayo Virtual Lecture for Streamable Learning, Austin, TX
April 2018 Screen Printing Workshop, Mexic-Arte Museum. Austin, TX
April 2017 Summer DJ Camp workshop, Ballroom Marfa. Marfa, TX

ARTIST TALKS:

May 2023 Portland State University
March 2023 STAMPS School of Art and Design
October 2021 Alfred University, Alfred, NY.
March 2021 Choose Your Own Adventure First Year Show Artist Talk, Virtual
May 2019 QFest, Experimental Videos, Houston, TX
May 2019 Future Traditions, Indigenous and Futuristic Music Panel, Austin, TX
July 2018 Young Latinx Artist:23, Artist Talk, Mexic-Arte Museum, Austin, TX

GRANTS:

Art Prize, 2023
Smuckers Wagstaff Grant, Winter 2021
Selected artist for JOLT Artist Grant, February 2017
Selected artist for Go Collaborative City of Austin Mural grant, 2017

COLLECTIONS:

SoHo House Austin, Acquired 2021

COMMUNITY EXPERIENCE:

Winter 2023 Panelist for National Association of Latino Arts & Cultures (NALAC)
Film Arts Fund
2017 - 2022 Member of the vinyl DJ collective [Chulita Vinyl Club](#)
Feb - Dec 2018 Education Associate at Mexic-Arte Museum, Austin, TX
April 2016 - Jan 2019 Tenant Organizer for Texas RioGrande Legal Aid. Austin, TX
August 2016 Organizer Fight for \$15 National conference. Richmond, VA
May 2016 Power of Pink Planned Parenthood advocate training. Pittsburgh, PA
October 2015 Volunteer Councilmember Kshama Sawant campaign. Seattle, WA
September 2015 Speaker at Planned Parenthood Conference, San Antonio TX
August 2015 Lobbyist for Texas Freedom Network State Conference. Austin, TX
July 2015 Texas Lobbyist for Planned Parenthood. Washington D.C.
2014-2015 Representative for Unite for Reproductive & Gender Equality TSU
2014-2015 Vice President for Feminists United at TSU

VIDEO & INSTALLATION CLIENTS:

Pabst Blue Ribbon

HBO

Giphy

REVIEWS:

[AltKino](#)

[Austin Chronicle](#)

[fields Magazine](#)

[How Austin's Queer Community Supports It's Own](#)

[Statesman](#)

[Glasstire](#)

[LUCHADORAS](#)

[Brownsville Herald](#)

[Austin Chronicle](#)

[Lantinx Spaces](#)

SELECTED PODCASTS

August 2019 [Austin 360 Podcast: Episode 93](#)

Sept 2018 [#13 Yo Soy LGBTQ Podcast](#)