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Education

2011 BFA in Studio Art with Concentration in Photography
Ernest G. Welch School of Art and Design
Georgia State University, Atlanta, GA

Select Memberships

2021- *Valley River Arts Guild*, Murphy, NC
Present

2021- *Association for Visual Artists*, Chattanooga, TN
Present

Select Exhibitions

- 2023 *6th Chania International Photo Festival*, Athens, Greece
Max Art Explosion: Anything Goes, Valley River Arts Guild, Murphy, NC
The Absurd, The Chateau Gallery, Louisville, KY (Honorable Mention)
- 2022 *Max Art Explosion: Old and Antique*, Valley River Arts Guild, Murphy, NC
Members Salon, Association for Visual Arts, Chattanooga, TN
Open Gallery, Murphy Arts Center, Murphy, TN
The Absurd Exhibit, The Chateau Gallery, Louisville, KY
- 2021 *Bowls of Hope Art Auction*, Blue Ridge, GA
Juried Members Show, Association for Visual Arts, Chattanooga, TN
Members Salon, Association for Visual Arts, Chattanooga, TN
- 2020 *A Light in the Darkness*, Las Laguna Gallery, Laguna, CA
Members Salon, Association of Visual Arts, Chattanooga, TN
- 2019 *PHOTOGRAPHY ONE, TREE FALLS*, Morganton, GA
Spring Artist Showcase, Commonwealth Joe, Arlington, VA
- 2018 *Juan Gabriel Festival*, Mercado 360, Dallas, TX
May Flowers, A View with a Room, Hoboken, NJ
Mix-n-Mash Latina Legends, Mexic-Arte Museum, Austin, TX
The Heart Deep Within, Tin Whistle Gallery, Austin, TX
The Peoples Gallery, Austin City Hall, Austin, TX
- 2017 *ArtErotica*, The Octopus Club, Austin, TX
Art Will Save Us, Cherry Cola Dog, Austin, TX
E.A.S.T., Tillery Street Darkroom, Austin, TX
- 2016 *November Fundraiser*, The Bedroom Gallery, Atlanta, GA
Drunken Critique, The Low Museum, Atlanta, GA

Publications

- 2023 Sand Hills Literary Magazine, Issue 47, Contributor
- F-Stop Magazine, Issue 119: Open Theme 2023, Contributor,
<https://www.fstopmagazine.com/grouzexhibition.html>
- F-Stop Magazine, Issue 117: Black and White, Contributor,
<https://www.fstopmagazine.com/pastissues/117/index.html>
- 2022 F-Stop Magazine, Issue 113: Open Theme, Contributor,
<https://www.fstopmagazine.com/pastissues/113/index.html>
- 2020 Shout Out Atlanta, July, 2020, Interview,
<https://shoutoutatlanta.com/meet-s-jones-thompson-photographer/>
- 2019 Voyage ATL, *Hidden Gems Downtown*, Interview,
<http://voyageatl.com/interview/meet-tree-falls-summer-hill-outside-atlanta/>
- F-Stop Magazine, Issue 95: Open Theme 2019, Contributor,
<https://www.fstopmagazine.com/pastissues/95/grouzexhibition.html>

Professional Experience

- 2021- *Photographer*, GrubHub, Chattanooga, TN
2019
- 2018 *Lead Photographer*, Inter-State Studios, Austin, TX
Photographer, GrubHub, Austin, TX
- 2017 *Lead Photographer*, Photo Ventures Inc, Atlanta, GA
Photographer, Inter-State Studios, Austin, TX

Volunteer Experience

- 2021- *High Museum of Art*, Atlanta, GA
Present Roles: Assist teachers with public art projects, inform patrons about current exhibitions, direct guests to multiple locations within the museum and surrounding art center, welcome visitors
- Murphy Arts Center*, Murphy, NC
Roles: Founder and host of community art critique, promote classes, open and close the gallery, manage sales of artworks, produce graphics and spreadsheet for classes and events, handle and hang artworks, greet patrons
- Valley River Arts Guild*, Murphy, NC
Roles: Open and close the gallery, promote upcoming classes and events, minor groundskeeping and landscaping, manage sales of artwork, balance register, manage sales of artworks
- Woodruff Arts Center*, Atlanta, GA
Roles: Welcome guests, assisted patrons to specific locations, confirmed ticket purchase and direct visitors to corresponding seating