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Education

2013 — Diploma in Public Space Design — Lorenzo de' Medici Institute, Florence, Italy

2015 — B.Arch., Tecnológico de Monterrey (ITESM), Mexico

2019 — Curating New Media Art: Process, Interaction, Virtuality — NODE Center, online program

2020 — Understanding NFTs: History, Impact, and Future — Christies education, online program

Selected solo exhibitions

2023 — NEXUS 33, Gracias, San Pedro Garza García, Mexico

2023 — 8 Facts About My Monsters in Therapy, Gracias, San Pedro Garza García, Mexico

2022 — Penumbra, Edificio Lolyta, Monterrey, Mexico

2021 — ST_VRS, Gracias, Monterrey, Mexico

2019 — ST_INMERSION, Centro Cultural Plaza Fátima, Monterrey, Mexico

2016 — Pareidolia, Sala de exposiciones ITESM, Monterrey, Mexico

Selected group exhibitions

2026 — Inter affect, Heart Ego, Mexico

2025 — Open Sessame, MAIA Contemporary, CDMX, Mexico

2020 — Worst Case Scenario, La Cresta, Monterrey, Mexico

2020 — Emergencia, Transliterando, Centro Cultural Plaza Fátima, Mexico

2018 — Festival Internacional Santa Lucía, Monterrey, Mexico

2016 — Bienal EXATEC, Museo Reyes Meza, Mexico

Grants and Residencies

2026 — FinanciarTE Second Edition 2026, Conarte NL, Art Grant

2026 — GlogauAir, On-line Residency Program, Berlin (Funded by FinanciarTE 2026, Conarte NL)

2026 — Loma Serena, Virreina Program, Colombia

2022 — Arte AC, Art, Science and Technology Lab, ITESM, Mexico

Major public works

2025 — Ojo de Agua public mural, (in co-authorship with Ximena Subercaseaux), Monterrey, Mexico

2024 — Portal de Aire, public sculpture, Auditorio San Pedro, Monterrey, Mexico

2022 — Portal de Agua, public sculpture, Auditorio San Pedro, Monterrey, Mexico

Art fairs

2020 — Transliterando at Otra Feria de Arte (Online Edition), Argentina.

2019 — Transliterando at F-A-M-A, Parque Arboleda, San Pedro Garza García, Mexico

Artist-Run Space / Cultural Management

2019–2023 — Founder & Director, *Gracias* (Artist-Run Space), Monterrey, Mexico. Independent space dedicated to contemporary art, supporting exhibitions, curatorial projects, and emerging artistic practices.