

## **Zach Leonard**

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### **Education**

**2021** Master of Fine Arts | Studio Art | Colorado State University | Fort Collins, CO

**2015** Bachelor of Fine Arts | Studio Art | University of Northern Iowa | Cedar Falls, IA

### **Academic Appointments**

**Fall 2021** Adjunct Faculty | Foundations - Form and Observation | Colorado State University

**Spring 2021** Adjunct Faculty | Intermediate Drawing 1 | Colorado State University

Adjunct Faculty | Foundations - Form and Observation | Colorado State University

**Fall 2020** Instructor of Record | Foundations - Form and Observation | Colorado State University

**Spring 2020** Instructor of Record | Foundations - Form and Observation | Colorado State University

**Fall 2019** Instructor of Record | Foundations - Form and Observation | Colorado State University

**Spring 2019** Instructor of Record | Intro to Drawing | Colorado State University

**Fall 2018** Graduate Teaching Assistant | Intro to Drawing | Colorado State University

### **Professional Experience**

**2022-** Membership and Sales Assistant | Minnesota Children's Museum | Saint Paul, MN

**2019-21** Assistant Preparator/Museum Staff | Gregory Allicar Museum of Art | Fort Collins, CO

**2018** Recycling Attendant and Educator | Solid Waste Department | Larimer County, CO

**2017-18** Recycling Coordinator | Solid Waste/Public Works Department | City of Vancouver, WA

**2014-15** Library Art Assistant | Rod Library | University of Northern Iowa

Painting Studio Monitor | Department of Art | University of Northern Iowa

**2013-15** Preparator | Gallery of Art | University of Northern Iowa | Cedar Falls, IA

### **Lectures/Workshops**

**2022** Co-Presenter | Common Ink: The Connection and Process of Art in Libraries | 2022 ILA Annual Conference | Coralville, IA

**2021** Instructor | Mixed Media Workshop | Wolverine Farms Publick House | Fort Collins, CO

## **Residences**

**2021**            Maker in Residence (MIR) Program | Wolverine Farms Publick House | Fort Collins, CO

## **Awards & Scholarships**

**2020**            Undergraduate Choice Award | Graduate Student Showcase | Colorado State University

**2018-20**        Colorado State University Graduate Teaching Fellowship

**2014-15**        Department of Art Scholarship | University of Northern Iowa

**2014**            Office of the Vice President & Provost Purchase Award | University of Northern Iowa

## **Selected Exhibitions**

### **Solo Exhibitions**

**2023**            Awkward Oddities | Lowertown Underground Artist Gallery | St. Paul, MN

**2020**            Alternative Drawing Installation #2 | CSU Directions Gallery | Fort Collins, CO

**2019**            Alternative Drawing Installation #1 | CSU Directions Gallery | Fort Collins, CO

**2016**            Death | Rod Library | University of Northern Iowa | Cedar Falls, IA

**2014**            Progression | Rod Library | University of Northern Iowa | Cedar Falls, IA

### **Group Exhibitions**

**2022**            St. Paul Artist Collective Art Crawl | Northern Warehouse | St. Paul, MN

**2021**            Sprightly | 715 Laporte Ave Gallery | Half Snake Art Collective | Fort Collins, CO

MFA Thesis Exhibition | Gregory Allicar Museum of Art | Fort Collins, CO

**2020**            Graduate Exhibition | Directions Gallery | Colorado State University

**2019**            Environment of Memory | Hatton Gallery | Colorado State University

**2018**            Graduate Exhibition | Directions Gallery | Colorado State University

**2017**            Paper Art: Made, Formed, and Simply Used Up | Boomerang Fine Arts | Vancouver, WA

Responding to Antarctica | UNI Gallery of Art | University of Northern Iowa

The Art of Photography: The Critical Eye | Boomerang Fine Arts | Vancouver, WA

**2015**            Ex Morte Vita - BFA Exhibition | Gallery of Art | University of Northern Iowa

Juried Cedar Valley Biennial | Waterloo Center for the Arts | Waterloo, IA

Annual Juried Student Art Exhibition | UNI Gallery of Art | University of Northern Iowa

Vertigo | UNI Gallery of Art | University of Northern Iowa

- 2014** Annual Juried Student Art Exhibition | UNI Gallery of Art | University of Northern Iowa  
Plaid/Paisley/Polka Dots | Dean's Triangle Gallery | University of Northern Iowa
- 2013** POST2 | Hearst Center of the Arts | Cedar Falls, IA  
Vertigo | UNI Gallery of Art | University of Northern Iowa  
Drawings | Dean's Triangle Gallery | University of Northern Iowa

### **University Service and Community Organization**

- 2022** NWAC Gallery Committee Chair | Northern Warehouse | St. Paul, MN
- 2020** Mural Painter/Team Member | CRUSH Walls Mural Festival | Denver, CO
- 2018-21** Member | Master of Visual Arts Association | Colorado State University

### **Press & Catalogs**

- 2020** Source: CSU News Publication | CRUSH Mural Spotlight  
CSU Spur Video Publication | Rino CRUSH walls @CSUspur