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**EDUCATION**

2016 – 2020: PHD CANDIDATE, LEEDS BECKETT UNIVERSITY, LEEDS  
2013 – 2015: MA (DISTINCTION) PERFORMANCE PRACTICE, YORK ST JOHN UNIVERSITY, YORK  
2012 – 2013: BA (HONS) FIRST CLASS (LEVEL 5) THEATRE PRACTICE, YORK ST JOHN UNIVERSITY, YORK  
2010 – 2012: BA (HONS) FIRST CLASS (LEVEL 4 & 3) PERFORMING ARTS, SALFORD UNIVERSITY, SALFORD

**CURRENT APPOINTMENTS**

2017 – ONGOING: PART TIME LECTURER, FINE ART, LEEDS BECKETT UNIVERSITY, LEEDS  
2016 – ONGOING: PHD CANDIDATE, SCHOOL OF ART, LEEDS BECKETT UNIVERSITY, LEEDS  
2016 – ONGOING: REF RESEARCHER, UNIT 32, LEEDS BECKETT UNIVERSITY, LEEDS

**EXHIBITIONS**

2019: WE ARE ASTEROIDS, ARTCORE GALLERY, DERBY  
2018: ORBIT, THE MIDDLESBROUGH ART WEEKENDER, GLOAM GALLERY, MIDDLESBROUGH  
2018: ASH & AGGREGATES, THE BROWNFIELD RESEARCH CENTRE, AIRSPACE GALLERY, STOKE-ON-TRENT  
2018: TWO PROJECTS, BLOC PROJECTS, SHEFFIELD  
2018: WE ARE ALL... FOUR WORDS MEET'S PARIS 1968, MEDIA WALL, BATH SPA UNIVERSITY, BATH  
2018: AGGREGATES | BRADFORD, SUPPORTED BY EAST STREET ARTS, BRADFORD  
2018: AGGREGATES | YELLOWBELLY, GENERAL PRACTICE, 20-21 VISUAL ART CENTRE, SCUNTHORPE  
2017: LANDFOLD, EVE (EXPERIMENTAL VIDEO EVENING), BLOC PROJECTS, SHEFFIELD  
2017: TRIPTYCH, LEGROOM'S LAUNCH TO NOWHERE, CASTLEFIELD GALLERY'S NEW ART SPACES, MANCHESTER  
2017: A PARADE OF ARCHITECTURAL COMMAS, YORKSHIRE SCULPTURE PARK, WAKEFIELD  
2017: INSERT, PERFORMANCE & UNCERTAINTY, THE TETLEY, LEEDS  
2017: INSERT, PERFORMANCE & UNCERTAINTY, THE INSTITUTE OF CONTEMPORARY ARTS (ICA), LONDON  
2015: HIGH/DRY, PERFORMANCE SALON, BREEZE CREATIVES, ABJECT GALLERY, BAMBURGH HOUSE, NEWCASTLE UPON TYNE  
2015: HIGH/DRY, PERFORMANCE FIELDS, YORK ST JOHN UNIVERSITY, YORK  
2015: IMIMA, GALLERY NUMBER THREE, CARLISLE & MIDDLESBROUGH INSTITUTE OF MODERN ART, MIDDLESBROUGH  
2015: SAMSARA RUPA, PERFORMANCE FRAGMENTS, YORK ST JOHN UNIVERSITY, YORK  
2011: GAMESHOW, COMPANY CHAMELEON, THE LOWRY, SALFORD QUAYS, MANCHESTER

**RESEARCH/ FACILITATION/ SYMPOSIA**

2017: PERFORMANCE & UNCERTAINTY, INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIA, THE TETLEY, LEEDS  
2017: PERFORMANCE & UNCERTAINTY, INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIA, THE INSTITUTE OF CONTEMPORARY ARTS (ICA), LONDON  
2016: (REF) RESEARCH, LEEDS BECKETT UNIVERSITY, UNIT 32, LEEDS  
2015: GUEST LECTURER, BA THEATRE, YORK ST JOHN UNIVERSITY, YORK  
2014: GUEST LECTURER, BA THEATRE YORK ST JOHN UNIVERSITY, YORK  
2013: CULTURES OF MEMORY, UCL, SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY, MASSEY UNIVERSITY, YORK  
2011: THE PERFORMER IN FOCUS, LEEDS METROPOLITAN UNIVERSITY, LEEDS

**RESIDENCIES**

2019: WE ARE ASTEROIDS, ARTCORE GALLERY, DERBY  
2018: THE BROWNFIELD RESEARCH CENTRE RESIDENCY, AIRSPACE GALLERY, STOKE-ON-TRENT

**PUBLICATIONS**

2018: LARC – THE LEEDS ARTS RESEARCH CENTRE (ONLINE)  
2017: DIALOGUE, LEEDS BECKETT UNIVERSITY  
2016: DIALOGUE, LEEDS BECKETT UNIVERSITY

**UPCOMING**

2019: ARTIST TALK – THE UNIVERSITY OF DERBY, DERBY  
2019: EXHIBITION – GLOAM GALLERY, SHEFFIELD