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COMMISSIONS/PUBLIC ART

- 2026 Coming up: *Anxious Cat*- curated by Heart of Catskill, Catskill, NY
- 2025 *Anxiety Flag*- curated by Heng-Gil Han, Shared Dialogue, Shared Space in Inwood Hill Park, New York, NY
- 2024 *Anxiety Tower*- Art at The Edge with Waterfront Alliance and South Street Seaport Museum, New York, NY
Anxiety- curated by Heng-Gil Han, Shared Dialogue, Shared Space and NYC Summer Streets, immigrant and underserved communities, NY
Dance: Anxiety Swimming Exercises- curated by Brandon King, Woodside Dance Project, Queens, NY
- 2022-2023 *Tower*- curated by Kenneth Mbonu, Flatbush Nostrand Junction Business Improvement District, Brooklyn, NY
- 2022 *Framing Immigrant Experiences*- curated by Katherine Steinberg, New American Fellows Showcase at Usagi, Brooklyn, NY
- 2021 *Tower*- curated by Danni Shen and Heng-Gil Han, Jamaica Flux: Workspaces & Windows at King Manor Museum, Jamaica Queens, NY
Tower- Performance Mix Festival at Community Center 122, New York, NY
Assembling- curated by Furusho von Puttkammer, Yasmeen Abdallah, Lorelle Pais and Natalie Ortiz, Art in Odd Places, New York, NY

Selected EXHIBITIONS

- 2025 *Anxiety River*- curated by Barbara Pollack and Anne Verhallen, Art at a Time Like This, New York, NY
Anxiety- a solo exhibition curated by Anne Goldfield, Ph.D., Martucci Gallery at Irvington Public Library, Irvington, NY
Anxiety- a solo exhibition curated by Shiela Henderson, Thomas Cole National Historic Site, Catskill, NY
Calming the Serpent- School of Visual Arts Fine Arts Building, New York, NY
Anxiety- curated by Heng-Gil Han, Martin Lucas and Jennifer McGregor, Art as a Collective Experience at AHL Foundation Gallery, New York, NY
Anxiety #4- The Art Exchange at ArtsWestchester Gallery, White Plains, NY
Long Anxiety #5- curated by Patricia Miranda, Jenn Cacciola, Natalya Khorover, Michael Sylvan Robinson and Sarah Valeri, The Future Belong to The Loving, MAPSpace, Portchester, NY
- 2024 *Tower: Landscapes and Memory*- curated by Jennifer Ellis, Daniel Katz Gallery, London, England
Anxiety #2- curated by NYC Arts in Education Roundtable, Recess Art, Brooklyn, NY
- 2023-2024 *Anxiety River*- curated by Kelsey Brow, Streamline at King Manor Museum, Jamaica Queens, NY
- 2023 *Tower: Landscapes and Memory*- Jill Krutick Fine Art, Mamaroneck, NY
Tower: Framing Displacement- Curated by Deb Caponera, Tereza Chanaki, Rachel Daniell, Nick Dease, Xinyi Li, Ted Ngai, Nancy Smith and Chris Alen Sula, HASTAC 2023 Critical Making and Social Justice at Steuben Gallery, Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, NY
- 2022 *Framing Immigrant Experiences*- curated by Katherine Steinberg, New American Fellows Showcase at Usagi, Brooklyn, NY

- Anxiety Work*- curated by Katherine Steinberg, American Heritage Awards at the Javits Convention Center, New York, NY
- 2021 *Tower process*- curated by Danni Shen and Heng-Gil Han, Miller Gallery of Jamaica Center for Arts and Learning, Queens, NY
Awaiting Action- curated by Peter Hopkins, In Situ, Online
- 2020 *Assembling on Ancient Towers*- curated by Mary Annunziata, Allison Cannella, Anna Mikaela Ekstrand and Katya Grokhovsky, The Immigrant Artist Biennial, New York
Building a Tower to Frame Plastic Waste- curated by Mary Annunziata, Allison Cannella, Anna Mikaela Ekstrand and Katya Grokhovsky, The Immigrant Artist Biennial, New York

Selected AWARDS and RESIDENCIES

- 2026 Lower Manhattan Cultural Council, Governors Island, NY- Art Center Residency
- 2025 Bethany Arts Community, Ossining, NY- Fall Multidisciplinary Residency
School of Visual Arts, New York, NY- Interdisciplinary Practices in Bio Art Residency
Frame Contemporary Art Finland- Travel Grant
New York City Arts in Education Roundtable- Teaching Artist Mentorship Program cohort
- 2024 New York State Council on the Arts- Support for Artists Grant
Foundation for Contemporary Arts- Emergency Grant
Finlandia Foundation National- Cultural Grant
Zero Foot Hills, Durham, CT- Artist Residency
- 2023 ArtsWestchester- Arts Alive Regrant
Pratt Institute- Bursary Award
Xenia Creative Retreat, England- Artist Residency
- 2022 American Immigration Council- New American Fellow
Brooklyn Arts Council- Creative Equations Fund
The Upcycle Holiday Tree Contest at the Junction- Prize Winner
Vaasa Wildlife Film Festival, Finland- 2nd Runner Up in Energy and Sustainability Films
Bearnstow, Mount Vernon, ME- Artist Residency
Catwalk Institute, Catskill, NY- Artist Residency
- 2021 The Puffin Foundation- Grant
Finlandia Foundation National- Cultural Grant
RaumArs, Finland- Artist Residency
Catwalk Institute, Catskill, NY- Artist Residency

RELATED PROFESSIONAL WORK

- 2024-2026 Westchester County Department of Corrections with ArtsWestchester- Teaching Artist (dance)
- 2019-2026 NYC public schools with Young Audiences- Teaching Artist (dance & visual arts)
- 2015-2026 NYC public schools with Marquis Studios - Teaching Artist (dance)
- 2025 Re - Flect / Calibrate- "The Environmental Art and Advocacy Collection: Part Two" Podcast
Salvage- "Conversations with Artists Using Repurposed Materials in Their Art Practice" Podcast
Art as a Collective Experience by Korea Art Forum in collaboration with AHL Foundation, New York, NY- Artist Talk
- 2024 Art at The Edge by Waterfront Alliance in collaboration with South Street Seaport Museum, New York, NY- "Climate Art Panel"
Shared Dialogue, Shared Space at NYC Summer Streets, South Bronx Unite and Maria S. Sola Community Garden; King Manor Museum; NYC Arts in Education Roundtable- Teaching Artist (environmental/fiber-art)

- 2023 State of the Arts Night by the Delegation of the European Union to the US in collaboration with the Embassy of Finland and Hirshhorn Museum, Washington DC- "Art x Climate Activism" Panel Discussion
ArtsWestchester- Teaching Artist (environmental/fiber-art)
- 2022 COAL + ICE presented by Asia Society in collaboration with the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts and the Embassy of Finland, Washington DC- "Art as Community Activation" Panel Discussion
- 2021 Hunters Point Library Environmental Education Center, New York, NY- Artist Talk

Selected BIBLIOGRAPHY

- 2025 Sari Nordman "[Tower: Bridging Voices on Climate Change](#)," a podcast
Heng-Gil Han, Martin Lucas, Jennifer McGregor "[Art as a Collective Experience](#)," a catalogue, *Korea Art Forum*
Julian Michael Caldwell "[Environmental issues inspire artist's 'Anxiety' project](#)" *Rivertowns Dispatch*
- 2024 Jennifer Ellis "On Tenderness & Time," a catalogue, *Xenia*
- 2023 Dan Wood "[Artist Q&A: Sari Nordman](#)" *ArtsWestchester ArtNews*
- 2022 OnRaé Watkins "Coal + Ice: [Art as Community Activation](#)" *Asia Society & The REACH at the Kennedy Center*
Thao Nguyen "[This Holiday Season, Flatbush Junction BID says 'No' to Evergreen Conifers and 'Yes' to recycled Materials](#)" *BKReader*
Kelsey Brow "[Climate Change at Home](#)" *Museum Magazine*
- 2021 Danni Shen "Jamaica Flux: Workspaces & Windows 2021," a catalogue, *Jamaica Center for Arts and Learning*
Amy Willis "[Tower: Framing Personal Experiences with Climate Change](#)" *Hunters Point Library Environmental Education Center Program*
Anna Harsanyi "[A Very Abnormal Visit to Art in Odd Places: NORMAL](#)" *Art in Odd Places blog*
- 2020 Anna Mikaela Ekstrand "[The Immigrant Artist Biennial: Sari Nordman](#)" *Art Spiel*
- 2018 Quinn Batson "[Still Looking and Listening for Life](#)" *OffOffOff*
Francis L. Quettier and Dora S. Tenant "[Women Cinemakers meets Sari Nordman](#)" *Women Cinemakers*
- 2013 Quinn Batson "[In The Land of Uhs](#)" *OffOffOff*
Theo Boguszewski "[IMPRESSIONS: FLICFest 2013](#)" *The Dance Enthusiast*

EDUCATION

MFA (Master of Fine Arts) Dance New York University/Tisch School of The Arts
BFA (Bachelor of Fine Arts) Honors in Dance Marymount Manhattan College