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about

I feel uncomfortable calling myself an artist. So I don't. I paint and I make. Producing what I do gives me a feeling and if I have a goal at all it is maybe to invoke feelings and thought in others...even if the reactions are sometimes negative. While my paintings can be quite dark and a little sardonic, I think it is important to acknowledge the scared parts of us, or the secret feelings we don't share with others.

education

Oklahoma City University; 2002—2006

studied studio art

Columbia College; Chicago, IL - 2003—2004

studied fashion design

exhibitions

2017	nasty woman	current studio	group
2017	oval member gallery	coffee slingers OVAC	solo
2017	CHK central show	CHK boathouse	solo
2017	hodgepodge	the art hall	group
2017	let us be clear	meatmarketrefectory	solo
2018	bleach	clarity coffee	solo
2018	(forthcoming)	IAO	semi
2018	(forthcoming)	the art hall (fringe)	group
2018	(forthcoming)	leslie powell gallery	group
2018	arthall moves	inasmuch foundation gallery	group
2018	(forthcoming)	verbode	group

affiliations

fringe | women artists of oklahoma

collection

private collections held in Chicago, Tulsa and Oklahoma City.

method

I work with different textiles, dyes and acrylics to create curious surfaces and textures that make you want to look closer and touch and feel.