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EDUCATION

- 2019** MFA Studio Art, Ceramics. University of North Texas (UNT), Denton, TX.
2018 Graduate Academic Certificate in Art Museum Education. UNT, Denton, TX.
2001 Bachelor of Arts. University of Texas at El Paso, El Paso, TX.

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS

- 2021** *Artists for TEA*. Fundraiser for Texas Equal Access Fund. 12.26 Gallery. Online exhibition.
I Carry This Land With Me. Solo Exhibition. 12.26 Gallery, Dallas, TX.
Trail Driver's Park Public Art Project. Arts Council of Fort Worth, TX. (In-progress)
- 2020** *Human/Nature*. Group exhibition curated by Narong Tintamusik. Fort Worth Community Arts Center. Fort Worth, TX.
Nasher Windows: Home and Land Project. Nasher Sculpture Center, Dallas, TX.
Ceramics for Change. Juried and curated by Scholar Dr. Wendy Gers. Ceramics for Charity Online Exhibition and catalogue.
- 2019** *Latin American Contemporary Fine Art Competition*. Juried by Marcela Guerrero, Assistant Curator at Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, and Jaime Cerón, Curator, Researcher and Art Critic, Bogota, Colombia. Agora Gallery, New York City, NY.
Faculty Show. Cliff Gallery, Dallas College - Mountain View Campus, Dallas, TX.
Adjunct Exhibition: 2 hour wait. 500X Gallery, Dallas, TX.
Familiar Endeavors. Group exhibition. Artspace 111, Fort Worth, TX.
Sixth Annual Artspace 111 Regional Juried Exhibition: Juried by Hilde Nelson, Assistant Curator at the Dallas Museum of Art. Artspace 111, Fort Worth, TX.
Graduate Ceramics Showcase. Group exhibition. UNT on the Square, Denton, TX.
Carrito de Memorias. C3 Connections Visiting Artist Interactive Installation. Dallas Museum of Art, Dallas, TX.
Uncertain Ground. MFA Thesis Solo Exhibition. Oak Street Hall Gallery, Denton, TX.
- 2018** *(non)Standard*. Co-curated student invitational exhibition for the "Humanizing the Digital" Symposium. Project Space, Texas Woman's University, Denton, TX.
- 2017** *Clay Guild Expo*. Ceramics group exhibition. UNT Union Gallery, Denton, TX.
Function. Ceramics group exhibition. UNT Cora Stafford Gallery, Denton, TX.
Emerging Artist Student Exhibition. San Jacinto College, Pasadena, TX.
- 2014** *Hispanic Heritage Month Exhibit*. Two-person exhibition. Capital One Headquarters, Plano, TX.

AWARDS

- 2021** Nasher Artist Grant, Dallas, TX
- 2020** Arts Activate Round 3 Project Grant. Dallas, TX. (canceled due to Covid-19 pandemic)
- 2019** Top Prize for "Shadows of Home" artwork. Sixth Annual Artspace111 Regional Juried Exhibition, Fort Worth, TX.
- 2018** UNT College of Visual Art and Design Student Project Award.
- 2018** Onstead Institute Project Award.
- 2018** Toulouse Graduate School Travel Grant.
- 2017** UNT College of Visual Art and Design Student Project Award.
- 2017** Scholarship by the Friends of Arrowmont for a workshop at the Arrowmont School of Arts and Crafts.
- 2015** Tuscan Ceramics Study Abroad Scholarship, La Meridiana, Certaldo, Italy. Awarded by Brookhaven School of Fine Arts, Ceramics department.

PUBLICATIONS

- 2021** *Nasher Sculpture Center. Press Release: Nasher Sculpture Center Announces the 2021 Nasher Artist Grant Winners*. [online] <https://www.nashersculpturecenter.org/press/press-releases/news/id/186>
Here Are the 2021 Nasher Artist Grant Winners. D Magazine. [online]

<https://www.dmagazine.com/arts-entertainment/2021/08/here-are-the-2021-nasher-artist-grant-winners/>
 Singer, Dan. "Pay to the Order Of" Dallas Morning News. August 8 p. 2E.
Nasher Sculpture Center Announces 2021 Artist Grant Awardees. Glasstire Texas. [online]
<https://glasstire.com/2021/08/04/nasher-sculpture-center-announces-2021-artist-grant-awardees/>
In Their Own Words: Stories From Artist Who Are Mothers. By Christopher . Glasstire Texas
 Visual Art. May 2021. <https://glasstire.com/2021/05/08/in-their-own-words-stories-from-artist-who-are-mothers/>
Sound and Vision. Episode 260. Podcast with Brian Alfred. April 2021. [online]
<http://www.soundandvisionpodcast.com/>
Whitewaller. Karla Garcia I Carry This Land with Me. [online]
<https://whitewall.art/whitewaller/dallas/karla-garcia-i-carry-this-land-with-me>
Migration through Clay. Interview with Karla Garcia by Evelynne Schoenmann. [print]
 New Ceramics (Neue-Keramik) magazine. Issue 1/2021.

2020 *In Medias Res* by Hanna Pettyjohn. Review for Silverlens Gallery. Philippines. [online]
<https://www.silverlensgalleries.com/exhibitions/2020-12-05/in-medias-res>
Ceramics Now: Karla Garcia. Featured artist. [online] [https://www.ceramicsnow.org/2020/10/20/karla-garcia/Self/Other/Clay/Skin: reflections on ceramics](https://www.ceramicsnow.org/2020/10/20/karla-garcia/Self/Other/Clay/Skin:reflections%20on%20ceramics) by Dyalvane, Armstrong and Bagley
 De Arte Peer Review. Taylor and Francis Online.
Nasher Windows: Karla Garcia, Home and Land Project Exhibition. [online]
<https://www.nashersculpturecenter.org/art/exhibitions/exhibition/id/1726>
Ceramics for Charity. Home and Land Project Artist Talk and Discussion with Dr. Wendy Gers, Ph.D. [online] <https://www.ceramicsforcharity.com/>
Ceramics for Change. Online catalogue. International ceramics exhibition curated by Dr. Wendy Gers, Ph.D.
Dallas Museum of Art | At Home. Karla Garcia May 18, 2020. [online] YouTube.
<https://youtu.be/XT6lfjmHZ-g>

2019 Butcher, Kerry. March 19, 2019. *Get to Know C3 Visiting Artist Karla Garcia.* (interview). Dallas Museum of Art Uncrated. [online]
<https://blog.dma.org/2019/03/19/get-to-know-c3-visiting-artist-karla-garcia/>

2018 Wright, Charles. *Art & Life with Karla Garcia.* (interview). Voyage Dallas. [online]
<http://voyagedallas.com/interview/art-life-karla-garcia/>, September 5, 2018

SELECTED RESIDENCIES AND WORKSHOPS

2021 Corsicana Artist and Writer Residency. Corsicana, TX.

2020 Ceramics Residency, Rise. St. Raphael, France International Artists Residency Exchange.

2017 Ceramics handbuilding and surface techniques. Arrowmont School of Arts and Crafts. Gatlinburg, TN.

2015 Ceramics handbuilding workshop. La Meridiana, Certaldo, Italy.

2015-16 Private Ceramics Instructor. West Lake, TX.
2014 Teaching Assistant. Dallas Arts Studio. Dallas, TX.

MUSEUM AND EDUCATION WORKSHOPS

2021 Open Arts Workshops. Facebook. Austin, TX.
2019 DISD Workshop. Dallas Contemporary. Dallas, TX. Dallas Museum of Art C3 Connections Visiting Artist Project. Dallas, TX.
2018 Amon Carter Museum Internship. Fort Worth, TX.
2017 Dallas Holocaust Museum Research Assistant. Dallas, TX.

ACADEMIC TEACHING

2019-21 Adjunct Faculty. Dallas College. Dallas TX.
2019-21 Ceramics Lab Assistant. Dallas College. Dallas, TX.
2019-21 Cliff Gallery Assistant. Dallas College. Dallas, TX.
2019-20 Contract Educator. Dallas Contemporary Museum. Dallas, TX.
2018-19 Teaching Fellow. Beginning Ceramics. UNT, Denton, TX.
 Digital Fabrication Lab Technician. UNT. Denton, TX.
2016-18 CVAD Foundations Teaching Assistant. UNT, Denton, TX.

OTHER EXPERIENCE

2014-15 Freelance Designer. Dallas, TX.
2008-13 Design Director and Production Artist. *Direct Selling News* magazine, Lake Dallas, TX.
2003-08 Graphic Designer. *Al Dia Newspaper*, Dallas Morning News. Dallas, TX.
2002-03 Web and graphic design. Dallas, TX.
2001-03 Polar Bear Media. Web design. El Paso, TX.