Elana Morchower

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Skills

Relief printmaking, Drawing, Ceramics and Slip Cast, Papermaking, Bookbinding, Oil Painting, Acrylic Painting, Gouache Painting, Watercolor Painting, Digital Photography, Adobe Photoshop, Writing, Research, Speaking

Education

APRIL 2024

Birmingham-Southern College, Birmingham, AL — Bachelor of Fine Arts AUGUST 2021 - MAY 2024

Double major in Studio Art and Urban Environmental Studies

SPRING 2021, SUMMER 2022 Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, GA

Savannah College of Art and Design, Savannah, GA (summer sessions) **SUMMER 2018, SUMMER 2022**

Alan C. Pope High School, Marietta, GA AUGUST 2016 - MAY 2020

Exhibitions and Awards

All the Fixins: Artists From the South Juried Exhibition - Reeves House **JUNE 2024**

Visual Arts Center; Woodstock, GA

My work was selected for display by jurors Cynthia Thompson and

Matthew Sheldon Showman.

MAY 2024 Reader's Choice Award in Art, Reader's Choice Award in Poetry, and

Editor's Choice Award in Poetry - The Western Border Literary and Arts

Magazine; Birmingham, AL

MAY 2024 **Arts Student League Juried Exhibition** - Durbin Gallery of the Doris

Wainwright Kennedy Art Center and Azar Art Studios; Birmingham, AL

My work was selected for display.

Assisted in coordinating the layout of the gallery and hanging the pieces.

Branko Medenica Sculpture Award

Student Government Association Award

Bachelor of Fine Arts Exhibition - Durbin Gallery of the Doris Wainwright

Kennedy Art Center and Azar Art Studios; Birmingham, AL

Pop Up for Palestine Show - Joe's East Atlanta Coffee Shop; Atlanta, GA MARCH 2024

SEPTEMBER 2023 LGBTQIA+ Dinner and Panel - Birmingham-Southern College Bruno Great Hall;

> Birmingham, AL **Exhibiting artist**

JULY 2023 Creative Soul Cypher - Crazy Book Lady Bookstore; Acworth, GA

JUNE 2023 Flourish Benefit Show for the Forest, No Tomorrow, Atlanta GA

MAY 2023 Arts Student League Juried Exhibition - Durbin Gallery of the Doris Wainwright

Kennedy Art Center and Azar Art Studios; Birmingham, AL

My work was selected for display. Assisted in hanging the pieces.

• Alabama Art Supply Award

AUGUST 2021 - PRESENT

 $\begin{tabular}{ll} \textbf{Visual Arts Tuition Scholarship} & - Birmingham-Southern College; \\ Birmingham, AL \end{tabular}$

Professional Experience and Publications

MAY 2022, MAY 2023, MAY 2024

The Western Border Volumes 1-3

Published artist in Birmingham-Southern College's Literary and Arts

magazine.

OCTOBER 2022

 $International\ Interdisciplinary\ Conference\ on\ the\ Environment\ Logo$

Design

 $\hbox{Co-designed the logo for the Interdisciplinary Environmental Association's}$

27th Annual International Interdisciplinary Conference on the

Environment, in addition to presenting.

OCTOBER 2022

Cross-Cultural Committee T-Shirt Logo

Designed logo for Birmingham-Southern College Cross Cultural

Committee.

MAY 2022

Alpha Psi Omega and the Magic City Acceptance Center Drag Night

Poster Design

Designed poster for Alpha Psi Omega's annual drag night, benefitting the

Magic City Acceptance Center.

MARCH 2022

Rangoli Poster Design

Designed poster for Birmingham-Southern College Cross Cultural

Committee's Rangoli station at the 2022 Holi Festival.

NOVEMBER 2021, NOVEMBER 2022, NOVEMBER 2023

Día de los Muertos Festival Poster Design

Poster design for Birmingham-Southern College Cross-Cultural

Committee's annual Día de los Muertos festival.

Related Employment

MAY 2024 - CURRENT

Tattoo Assistant for Tahini.jpg, Virtual/Based out of NYC

MAY 2024

Freelance Face Paint Artist, Birmingham AL

JUNE 2023 - AUGUST 2023

The ToonHeadz, Atlanta GA

Face Paint Artist

APRIL 2023, APRIL 2024

Magic City Art Connection, Birmingham AL

Teaching artist at the Imagination Festival for the Magic City Art Connection

DECEMBER 2022 - JANUARY 2023

Studio Named Bermudez, Atlanta GA

Sanded two wooden sculptural awards for the Atlanta Martin Luther King Jr.

Center's annual Beloved Community Gala.

JUNE 2021-AUGUST 2021

Private Children's Art Instructor, Birmingham AL

MAY 2021 - JULY 2021, JUNE 2022, DECEMBER 2022

Birmingham Botanical Gardens Children's Art Workshop Instructor, Birmingham AL

Art instructor for various art and gardening workshops.

The Art Place, Marietta GA

As an intern, helped coordinate art workshops.

JUNE 2019 - AUGUST 2019

Volunteering and Activities

MAY 2022, MAY 2023, MAY 2024

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AUGUST 2021 - PRESENT

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Darter Festival, Birmingham AL

Face painter at the Southern Environmental Center's annual Darter Fest.

Arts Student League Member, Birmingham-Southern College

Helped curate and install juried exhibitions, volunteered for the annual Iron Pour with Sloss Furnaces.

EnAct Club President, Birmingham-Southern College

Planned meetings, including arts and crafts events.

JUNE 2021

AUGUST 2016 - MAY 2020

Critter Crafts and Forest Frolics, Atlanta GA

Organized an all-day children's arts and crafts event as part of a Week of Action to Defend the Weelaunee forest.

Art Service Club Member, Marietta GA

Assisted children in arts and crafts after-school programs and at the High Museum of Art in Atlanta.