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EDUCATION

2027	Master of Fine Arts (Candidate), Arizona State University (ASU), Tempe, AZ
2024	Master of Art in Studio Art (Sculpture), Eastern Illinois University (EIU), Charleston, Illinois
2021	Bachelor of Technology in Sculpture, Contemporary Carving, Takoradi Technical University (TTU), Takoradi, Ghana
2019	Higher National Diploma in Commercial Art, Takoradi Technical University (TTU), Takoradi, Ghana

AWARDS/ RESIDENCIES/GRANTS

2026	*The Nathan Cummings Graduate Summer Travel Award,* ASU, Tempe, AZ
2026	*Foundry Educational Foundation Award,* ASU, Tempe, AZ
2025	*Second Place Award, MFA Exhibition Online* – University of Montana
2025	*Martin Wong Scholarship – First Prize in Ceramics/3D Media,* ASU, Tempe, AZ
2025	*Pentaculum Residency, Arrowmont School of Arts and Crafts,* Gatlinburg, Tennessee
2024	*Outstanding Student Achievement in Contemporary Sculpture Award,* International Sculpture Center, Hamilton, NJ
2024	*Irene Couchman Buzzard Scholarship, Student Recognition Art Awards,* EIU Charleston, IL
2024	*Distinguished International Graduate Student Award Art & Design,* EIU, Charleston, IL
2023	*Grant-in-Aid Art Award*, EIU, Charleston, IL
2023	*Graduate School Research/Creativity Activity Award*, EIU, Charleston, IL
2023	*Graduate Teaching Assistantship*, EIU, Charleston, IL
2019	Overall *Best Graduating HND Student*, TTU, Takoradi, Ghana
2019	*Best Student, Faculty of Applied Arts and Technology*, TTU, Takoradi, Ghana
2019	*Best Male Art Student, Faculty of Applied Arts and Technology*, TTU, Takoradi, Ghana

EXHIBITION RECORD

2026	*Open Lab: Work in Progress Exhibition*, Northlight Gallery, Phoenix, AZ
2026	*Nathan Cummings Exhibition,* Harry Wood Gallery, ASU, Tempe, AZ
2025	*Residue,* MFA Exhibition Online – University of Montana
2025	*End of Year Sculpture Exhibition*, Gallery 100 – Mirabella, Tempe, AZ
2025	*Chamber Music in Urban Art Spaces,* Downtown Chamber Series, Phoenix, AZ
2025	*Foundry Exhibition,* Display Case, School of Art Building, ASU, Tempe, AZ
2024	*New Graduate Exhibition*, Harry Wood Gallery, ASU, Tempe, AZ
2024	*Shaping the Future*, National Showcase of Emerging Sculptors, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
2024	*Moving On*, Group Exhibition, Springer Cultural Center, Champaign, IL
2024	Master of Arts in Studio Art Exhibition, Tarble Arts Center, Charleston, IL
2024	*Reflection in Time*, MA Graduate Offsite Exhibition, Vault Gallery, Tuscola, IL
2023	Grads in the Gallery Popup Show, Glenn Hild Gallery, EIU, Charleston, IL
2023	Master of Arts Open House, Ives Studio Hall, EIU, Charleston, IL
2021	Group Exhibition, Accra Art Week, Future Heritage, Kempinski, Galleria, Accra, Ghana
2021	*Artivity Knock on Wood*, Group Exhibition, Societe Generale, Accra, Ghana

2019 Faculty of Applied Arts and Technology Jury Exhibition, TTU, Takoradi, Ghana

COMMISSIONS

2022 Corporate Art Commission (Refurbishment), Praying Hands, large-scale sculpture, Action Chaple International, Accra, Ghana

COLLECTIONS

Tarble Arts Center, Eastern Illinois University, Charleston, IL

PUBLICATIONS

Divide Magazine Issue 15, (September 2025)
Artistcloseup Contemporary Art Magazine, no.32, (July 2025)
Visual Art Journal, no.29, (June 2025)
Sculpture vol. 44, no.1, International Sculpture Center (January/February 2025)
Blue Room Magazine RSO, "Blue Room 2024" (2024). *Blue Room*. 2.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2024 Graduate Teaching Assistant, Wood II/Advanced Wood Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ
2023 Graduate Teaching Assistant, Fundamentals of Drawing, cardboard sculpting, collage making, clay modelling watercolor painting, Eastern Illinois University, Charleston, Illinois
2019 Teaching Assistant Sculpture, Contemporary Carving Takoradi Technical University, Takoradi, Ghana

RELATED EXPERIENCE

2022-23 Art Director, Dominion TV, Accra, Ghana