

KARLY JEAN KAINZ, *she / her*

kjkainz6@gmail.com

karlyjeankainz.com

@karlyjeank

Education

- 2024 MFA in Studio Art (pending), *New Mexico State University*, Las Cruces, NM
2019 BFA in Art with an emphasis in Print & Narrative Forms, *University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee*, Milwaukee, WI, Honors, Dean's List

Teaching Experience

- 2023 Instructor, Foundations in Art, NMSU, Las Cruces, NM
2023 Instructor, Orientation in Art, Online, NMSU, Las Cruces, NM
2022 Instructor, Introduction to Painting, NMSU, Las Cruces, NM
2019 Teaching Assistant, Introduction to Printmaking, UWM, Milwaukee, WI

Work Experience

- 2022-2024 Wood Shop Graduate Assistant, NMSU, Las Cruces, NM
2022-2024 Safety Technician Assistant, NMSU, Las Cruces, NM
2023 Department Summer Work Study, NMSU, Las Cruces, NM
2021-22 Jewelry and Metalsmithing Graduate Assistant, NMSU, Las Cruces, NM
2021 Photography Graduate Assistant, NMSU, Las Cruces, NM
2019-21 Theaster Gates Studio Graphic Design & Printmaking Work Study, Chicago, IL
2018-19 Print & Narrative Forms Area Work Study, UWM, Milwaukee, WI

Scholarships

- 2021-2024 NMSU Graduate Success Scholarship, Las Cruces, NM
2023 Michael Serafino Excellence in Ceramics Award, Las Cruces, NM
2023 NMSU College of Arts & Sciences Graduate Student Travel Grant, Las Cruces, NM
2022 NMSU A&S Dean's Award, Las Cruces, NM
2015-19 UWM Dean's Honor List, Milwaukee, WI
2019 Arrowmont-University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee Matching Scholarship, Gatlinburg, TN

Juried Group Exhibitions

- 2024 *TEXT-TURE 2024*, Czong Institute for Contemporary Art (CICA), Gyeonggi-do, South Korea
Inner Sanctuaries: Exploring Domestic Spaces, Strata Gallery, Santa Fe, NM
2024 Midwest Regional Exhibition, Artlink Contemporary Gallery, Fort Wayne, IN
2023 *Familiar Fragments: Everyday Objects as Art*, La Mecha Contemporary, El Paso, TX
A Sense of Place, Gertrude Herbert Institute of Art, Augusta, GA
Art Rodeo, Doña Ana Village Plaza, Doña Ana, NM
University Art Museum Juried Student Show 2023, University Art Museum, Las Cruces, NM
2022 *University Art Museum Juried Student Show 2022*, University Art Museum, Las Cruces, NM
2019 *FIBER//FORM IV Exhibition*, Kenilworth Square East 3rd Fl. Gallery, Milwaukee, WI
NEWaukee; The Collage, The Magnet Factory, Milwaukee, WI

- 2018 *Crossing Over Juried Exhibition*, UWM Union Art Gallery, Milwaukee, WI
Wisconsin Radical Jewelry Makeover Juried Exhibition, UWM Union Art Gallery, Milwaukee, WI
- 2016 *UWM Contemporary Object Sale & Exhibition*, Kenilworth Gallery, Milwaukee, WI
First Year Program Juried Exhibition, UWM Union Art Gallery, Milwaukee, WI

Invitational Group Exhibitions

- 2024 *Making as Knowing · When I was Here, Thinking of There*, MFA Thesis Exhibition, University Art Museum, Las Cruces, NM
- 2023 *Call it Art: Graduate Seminar Experimental Works*, Serafino Collab Space at NMSU, Las Cruces, NM
Graduate Student Pop-Up at NMSU Department of Art Open Studios, Serafino Collab Space at NMSU, Las Cruces, NM
Free Food Pop-Up, Wells Hall at NMSU, Las Cruces, NM
Papercut Zine Show, Las Cruces, NM
- 2022 *Congruent Forms*, Lunáticus Galerie, Truth or Consequences, NM
High Fibers, Jazz Gallery Center for the Arts, Milwaukee, WI
Graduate Student Pop-Up at NMSU Department of Art Open Studios, Serafino Collab Space at NMSU, Las Cruces, NM
Please Love Me, Cruces Creatives, Las Cruces, NM
Sweet Rituals and Strange Memories, Casa Otro Residency, Las Cruces, NM
- 2019 *BFA/BA Exhibition*, INOVA Kenilworth Square East Gallery, Milwaukee, WI
Turning Pages: Social Justice in Book Art Exhibition, UWM Union Art Gallery, Milwaukee, WI
- 2018 *POP-UP Exhibition*, Frank Juarez gallery, Milwaukee, WI
- 2016 *UWM Print Club Exhibition*, Enliven Hair Salon and Gallery, Milwaukee, WI

Collaborative Projects

- 2024 *(My Character)* at *Making as Knowing · When I was Here, Thinking of There*, MFA Thesis Exhibition, University Art Museum, Las Cruces, NM
- 2023 *Together: Conversations and Collaborations*, La Mecha Contemporary, El Paso, TX (collaboration with Ashley Diane Saldana)
- 2022 *Conditions of Control*, CAV Gallery, Las Cruces, NM (collaboration with Ashley Diane Saldana)

Collections

- 2019 *Wish Bone*, Collaboration with Olivia Lorber, The David Barnett Gallery Collection, Milwaukee, WI
Broadside Collection of Prints, Collective Project, UWM Special Collections, Milwaukee, WI
- 2018 *UWM Print Club Officers' Fundraising Linocut Project*, UWM Print & Narrative Forms Collection, Milwaukee, WI
Apocalypse Collection of Prints, Collective Project, UWM Special Collections, Milwaukee, WI
Broadside Collection of Prints, Collective Project, UWM Special Collections, Milwaukee, WI

Commissions

- 2020 Mural painting at La Taqueria Restaurant, Wisconsin Rapids, WI

2019 Social Caterpillar Collaborative Album Work, Confluence Records, Milwaukee, WI

Curatorial Projects

2022 Co-curator, *Sweet Ritual and Strange Memories, Phase II*, Casa Otro Residency, Las Cruces, NM

Press

2020 Artdose Magazine, Volume 30, Page 21, Online publication, Sheboygan, WI

Visiting Artist Lectures

2021 Lecture, Sheboygan North High School Alum Online Artist Talks, Sheboygan, WI

2021 Lecture, UWM Community Art Guest with Raoul Deal, Milwaukee, WI

Workshops

2023 Screen Printing Make-and-Take at NMSU Open Studios, Las Cruces, NM

2022 Cruces Creatives STEM Paper Making and Screen Printing Workshops, Las Cruces, NM

2019 UWM Studio Arts and Crafts Centre "The Basics of Paper Making," Milwaukee, WI

Print Club's Steamroller Printmaking Event, Milwaukee's Maker Faire, Milwaukee, WI

Paper Making at UWM Kenilworth Open Studios, Milwaukee, WI

Make-and-Take at MKE Zine Fest, Milwaukee, WI

Pulp N' Gulp, Milwaukee, WI

2018 Otto's Linoleum Block Printing Workshop, Milwaukee, WI

Print Club's Steamroller Printmaking Event, Milwaukee's Maker Faire, Milwaukee, WI

Print Club's Live Printmaking Event, Firefly Art Fair, Milwaukee, WI

Make-and-Take at UWM Kenilworth Open Studios, Milwaukee, WI

Residencies

2022-23 Artist Member at Yours Truly, Milwaukee, WI

International Studies

2018 UWM Study Abroad to South Korea & Japan, Printmaking & Paper Studies

Committees

2021-2024 Visiting Artist Lecture and Scholars Committee Member, NMSU, Las Cruces, NM

2023 Chemical Safety Selection Committee Member, NMSU, Las Cruces, NM

2018-19 Black & Gold Committee Member, UWM, Milwaukee, WI

Community Service

2022-23 NMSU Department of Art Open Studios, Coordinator and Marketing, Las Cruces, NM

2021 NMSU 39th Annual Jewelry Sale, Marketing and Branding, Las Cruces, NM

Professional Memberships

2022-23 Potters Guild of Las Cruces Member, Las Cruces, NM

2022-23 National Council on Education for the Ceramic Arts Member (NCECA)

2018-20 Southern Graphics Council International Member (SGCI)