

CAMILLE KERNER



I am a young, queer artist who prioritizes connection and authentic expression. My art has taught me to be assertive, organized, personable, and determined. My work is a vessel to push people out of their comfort zone of heteronormative perspectives and to accept truth which lies in the messiness of our world. Through creating spaces using art installation, performance, and intimate storytelling I make reflection possible and give permission for others to explore the human experience.

SKILLS

Installation & Curatorial Skills
Event Coordination
Digital Photography
Video Production
Adobe Creative Suite
Microsoft Office

Painting & Drawing
Highly Organized
Excellent Verbal & Written
Communication
Spanish

PUBLICATIONS

BEYOND THE RED DOOR; WISDOM & PHOTOS FROM HIGH COUNTRY QUEERS 2024
Using Digital Photography, and the power of active listening to capture untold stories

A MILLION TIDEPOLS LIKE MINE 2021
HoneyBee Poets Society Collaborative

EDUCATION

BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS IN 2024
STUDIO ART, MINOR IN SPANISH

Appalachian State University, NC

EXHIBITIONS

HAPTIC HAPPENINGS AUGUST -
Durham Art Guild, NC SEPTEMBER 2024

ASSEMBLING IDENTITY MAY 2024
Schaefer Center, Boone NC

NTH PROCESS SHOW MARCH 2024
Nth Degree Gallery Boone NC

BIG WORKS SOLO EXHIBITION SEPTEMBER 2023
Nth Degree Gallery Boone NC

THEMINISM AUGUST 2022
Nth Degree Gallery Boone NC

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Relocating to Chicago

EXPERIENCE

DRAG KING, EVENT COORDINATOR 2022- PRESENT

Boone & Durham, NC

Organize and host first time performers, as well as create promotional materials and work with local businesses

NTH DEGREE GALLERY & STUDIOS 2022-2024

Boone, NC

Maintain gallery and host monthly first Friday exhibitions, curate, install, and collaborate with artists

ART MONITOR 2023

Blowing Rock Art & History Museum, NC

Guard specific exhibitions and educate visitors on artwork

MURAL PAINTER 2021- 2023

Durham, NC

Assist professional artists to develop and install large scale murals in public places oriented around local communities

FIGURE MODEL 2020

Appalachian State University, Boone, NC

Assist students in learning the human form

AMERICORPS NCCC 2019

Vinton, IA

Travel around the USA working for various nonprofits such as The Nature Conservancy, and Habitat for Humanity

INTERN & CASHIER 2018-2020

Art Post Durham, NC

Organize, maintain shop, and help customers

