

NA'YE PEREZ

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Education:

Pratt Institute of Art. M.F.A., Painting and Drawing, 2018-2020.

University of Toledo. B.F.A., 2D Studies and Specialization, 2011-2015.

Solo Exhibitions:

Jan 2021- Feb 2021- **Regularnormal Gallery**, “**Their Eyes Were Watching God**”, Chinatown, Manhattan, NY.

Sept 2019- Oct 2019- **CFAC Gallery, Syracuse University**, “**Still I Rise...**”, Syracuse, NY

May 2018- **129 Studios & Gallery**, “**Book of Life**,” Columbus, OH.

Selected Group Exhibitions:

Nov 2020-Dec 2020- **Regularnormal Gallery**, “**The Privilege of Getting Together**”, Chinatown, Manhattan, NY.

Aug 2020- **Super Dutchess Gallery**, “**inheritance**,” Lower East Side, Manhattan, NY.

May 2020- **Steven Zevitas Gallery**, “**All Dressed Up with No Where to Go**,” Boston, MA.

Mar-Current 2020- **Cuchifritos Gallery**, “**You Don't See Me**,” Lower East Side, Manhattan, NY.

Feb 2019- **South Hall Gallery, Pratt**, “**Pretty Small**,” Brooklyn, NY.

Jan 2019- **DeKalb Gallery**, “**Half- Life**,” Brooklyn, NY.

Nov 2018- **Van Der Plas Gallery**, “**Call of Walls**,” Lower East Side, Manhattan, NY.

Sep 2018- **South Hall Gallery, Pratt**, “**Retrospective**,” Brooklyn, NY.

Sep/ Oct 2018-**Steuben Gallery**, “**Breaking Down Primaries**,” Brooklyn, NY.

June 2018- **Vanderelli Room**, “**Renegades X: Harlem Renaissance 100 Years**,” Columbus, OH.

May 2017- **Vanderelli Room**, “**Family Matters**,” Columbus, OH.

April 2017- **Vanderelli Room**, “**Fools for Hip Hop**,” Columbus, OH.

March 2017- **Franklinton Arts District: Vanderelli Room, Promenade, and 400 Days Gallery**, “**Silence is Death**,” Columbus, OH.

Oct 2017- **129 Studios**, “**Grim and Grime**,” Columbus, OH.

2015- **Garden Theatre**, “**Play Like Hell**,” Detroit, MI.

2015- **CVA Gallery, Toledo Museum of Art**, “**B.F.A Exhibition**,” Toledo, OH.

2014- **Secor Gallery**, “**C.A.S.T. Exhibition**,” Toledo, OH.

Residencies:

May – Aug 2019: **Pratt Institute, DeKalb Gallery**, “**Project 3rd Residency**”

Social Engagement at Social Practice Laboratory, DeKalb Gallery, Brooklyn, NY.

-Developed a curriculum involving research and interactive based workshops.

-Directed weekly events based around accessibility, arts, empowerment and mental wellness within black communities.

Nov 2018 – June 2019: **The Shed, Ravenswood Housing**, “**DIS OBEY**”

Teaching Artists at Ravenswood, Long Island City, Queens, NY.

-Developed a curriculum around Black Presence, Empowerment through art based workshops.

-Mentored high school teens and young adults teaching art and leadership skills.

-Collaborative with participants to create a culminating event in Manhattan to showcase participants' projects.
"Reunion" culminating event with teaching artist and participant work at Parking Garage, June 2019

Honors and Awards:

2020 Black Artist Fund, Grant Recipient for month of August

2020 New American Paintings, No. 147 MFA Issue.

2020 Pratt Circle Award, Department of Fine Art, Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, NY.

2020 Outstanding Merit Award, Department of Fine Art, Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, NY.

2019-2020 Gelman Endowed Scholarship Recipient. Department of Fine Art, Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, NY. 2019.

Collegiate Finalist. Photographer's Forum: Best of Photography College and High School, United States. 2014.

2015 College Outstanding Student Award. College of Communication and the Arts, University of Toledo, Toledo, OH. 2015.

2015 Outstanding Student Award. Department of Art, University of Toledo, Toledo, OH. 2015.

Magna Cum Laude. University of Toledo, Toledo, OH. 2015.