

# JESSICA JUST

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## EDUCATION

2019 MFA – University of Texas at San Antonio. San Antonio, TX (Photography)

2016 BFA – Baylor University. Waco, TX (Photography)

## ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

2022-present Assistant Professor of Art, Temple College. Temple, TX

2019- 2022 Temporary Lecturer, Baylor University. Waco, TX

2019- 2022 Adjunct Faculty, McLennan Community College. Waco, TX

2018-2019 Adjunct Faculty, University of Texas at San Antonio. San Antonio, TX

2017 Teaching Assistant, University of Texas at San Antonio. San Antonio, TX

2017 Graduate Research Assistant, University of Texas at San Antonio. San Antonio, TX

## AWARDS, GRANTS, and HONORS

2023 Development Micro Grant to Embed Adobe Certification into Coursework, Temple College. Temple, TX

2018 Graduate Grant, University of Texas at San Antonio. San Antonio, TX

2018 Various Donors Art Scholarship, University of Texas at San Antonio. San Antonio, TX

2017 Graduate Grant, University of Texas at San Antonio. San Antonio, TX

2017 Various Donors Art Scholarship, University of Texas at San Antonio. San Antonio, TX

2016 Presidential Scholarship, University of Texas at San Antonio. San Antonio, TX

2012 Provost Gold Scholarship, Baylor University. Waco, TX

## SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2019 *All the Other In Betweens*, August 2-31, 2019. Rubio Gallery South, San Antonio, TX

2019 *All the Other In Betweens*, April 4-20, 2019. Terminal 136, San Antonio, TX

2018 *Forget [Me] Not*, Inaugural exhibition for the Mammoth Collective, Waco, TX

## GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2025 The Work of Art Exhibition, Michael Donahue Gallery. Temple, TX

2025 *11<sup>th</sup> International Call Exhibition* at the Rhode Island Center for Photographic Arts, juried by Zora J. Murff and Rana Young

2023 *If It Makes You Happy*, Float Photo Magazine online exhibition. Curated by Lanna Apisukh, portrait and documentary Photographer based in NYC.

2022 *Society of Photographic Education South Central Members Exhibition*, Prize Fest 2022. Shreveport, LA. Juried by Stefan Nodarse, Curator of Collections and Exhibitions at the Masur Museum of Art in Monroe, LA

2022 *Temple College Faculty & Friends*, Temple College Visual Arts Gallery. Temple, TX.

2022 *The Curated Fridge Spring 2022: Interiors*, Curated by Karla Guerrero, founder of *femgrafia* and *The Poetics*. Somerville, MA

2022 Department of Art & Art History Faculty Biennial Exhibition, Martin Museum of Art, Baylor University. Waco, TX

2022 *6th Annual Louisiana Biennial: National Juried Exhibition*, Ruston, LA. Juried by Rebecca R. Hart, Curator of Modern and Contemporary Art at the Denver Art Museum

2021 *Embracing Change: 2021 SPESC Member Exhibition*, SP/N Gallery. Dallas. TX. Juried by Christopher Blay, Chief Curator, Houston Museum of African American Culture

2021 *Alternative Facts: Photography by Any Means*, PACE Center Gallery, Parker, CO. Juried by Fran Forman, Artist and Affiliated Scholar with the Women's Studies Research Center at Brandeis University

2021 *Did that just happen?*, Don't Smile, Online Photography Exhibition and Publication. Edited by Melissa Kreider, Photography & Imaging Coordinator at the Ringling College of Art and Design

- 2021 *Group show 67 'Embracing Stillness'*, Humble Arts Foundation, Curated by Sara Urbaez, Founder and Curator at LISTO & Photo Art Director, and Jon Feinstein, Content Director at The Luupe & Co-Founder of Humble Arts Foundation
- 2021 *Women's Work*, Indianapolis Art Center, Indianapolis, IN. Curated by Jo Banister, Exhibition and Galleries Manager at Indianapolis Art Center
- 2020 *Stories of the South*, Ground Floor Gallery, Nashville, TN. Curated by Mattie Ott, Ground Floor Gallery Manager, and Janet Decker Yanez, Founder of Ground Floor Gallery
- 2019 *no.5*, Mammoth Collective pop up Exhibition, Waco, TX
- 2019 *35th Annual Juried Student Exhibition*. UTSA Main Art Gallery, San Antonio, TX. Juried by Bill Fitzgibbons
- 2019 Contemporary Art Month Open Studios and Exhibition. University of Texas at San Antonio, San Antonio, TX
- 2019 *WIP*, R Space Gallery, San Antonio, TX
- 2019 Mammoth Collective, Cultivate 7Twelve, Waco, TX
- 2018 *Reflections*, Dock Space Gallery, San Antonio, TX. Curated by Jordyn Patrias, Public Art Project Manager at City of San Antonio Department of Arts & Culture Public Art Division
- 2018 *34th Annual Juried Student Exhibition*. UTSA Main Art Gallery, San Antonio, TX. Juried by Jacqueline McGilvray, Photographer, Blue Star Contemporary Exhibitions and Programs Manager
- 2018 *Nomad(s)*, Gallery West at University of Texas at Arlington, Arlington, TX. Hosted by MACHINE, MFA Graduate student organization at UTA
- 2018 "Wild West" Open Studios/Exhibition, UTSA Graduate Studios, San Antonio, TX Collegiate Exhibition, San Antonio Art League Museum, San Antonio, TX
- 2017 #tpsNewVisions: A Student Show, Tammy Cromer Gallery, Dallas, TX. Curated by Kenda North, Professor Emerita in Photography, Art and Art History Department, UT Arlington
- 2017 Contemporary Art Month Open Studios and Exhibition. University of Texas at San Antonio, San Antonio, TX
- 2017 Memorial Branch Library Exhibition, San Antonio, TX. Curated by Libby Rowe, Associate Professor of Art at UT-San Antonio
- 2017 *33rd Annual Juried Student Exhibition*. UTSA Main Art Gallery, San Antonio, TX . Juried by Doug Clark, Associate Professor of Photography, Jacksonville State University, and Sarah Cusimano Miles, Assistant Professor of Photography, Jacksonville State University
- 2016 BFA Senior Exhibition, Martin Museum of Art, Baylor University, Waco, TX

#### **ADDITIONAL PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

- 2016-2020 Production Potter, Black Oak Art, Waco, TX
- 2019 Texas Photographic Society Intern
- 2015-2019 Communications Director, Hewitt Community Church, Waco, TX
- 2017-2019 Lab Technician, UTSA Digital Print Facility, Department of Art and Art History, San Antonio, TX
- 2016-2017 Student Worker, UTSA Visual Resource Center, San Antonio, TX
- 2016 Darkroom Lab Technician, UTSA Department of Art and Art History, San Antonio, TX 2016
- 2016 Photography Intern, The Wacoan Magazine, Waco, TX
- 2016 Design and Media Intern, Baylor University Electronic Marketing, Waco, TX
- 2015 Design Team Intern, The Woodlands Church, The Woodlands, TX
- 2013-2015 Film & Photo Archive Student Worker, Baylor University's Carroll Library, Waco, TX
- 2012 Graphic Design Intern, Department of Multicultural Affairs at Baylor University, Waco, TX

#### **PRIVATE COLLECTIONS**

- Hayden Coie, Houston, TX
- Jeff and Heidi Kuster, Dallas, TX
- Eden Collins, Nacogdoches, TX
- Justin Korver & Alyssa Richards, Kansas City, MO

## PUBLICATIONS

- 2022 [\*Deep Red Press Artist Feature\*](#), invited to participate by Editor in Chief Raul Rodriguez. November 12<sup>th</sup>, 2022.
- 2022 *Color tag Magazine: Volume V*, invited to participate by Editor in Chief Arianna Lucas. April 20<sup>th</sup>, 2022.
- 2022 *Minor League*, Spring 2022 Southern Photographers Index
- 2021 [\*"Meet Jessica Just: Fine Art Photographer and Instructor at McLennan Community College and Baylor University"\*](#). "ShoutoutHTX, March 3<sup>rd</sup> 2021
- 2019 [\*"Meet Trailblazer Jessica Just"\*](#), Voyage Houston, November 5<sup>th</sup>, 2019
- 2018 Oventions Magazine, Vol.13 Back Cover
- 2017 [\*"\\$t@tU.S.?"\*](#) Prints from San Juan to San Antonio" Exhibition Catalog ( Photographic Credit)
- 2017 Black Art in San Antonio, special issue of The International Review of African American Art 27.1 (Photographic Credit)
- 2016 LensCulture Best of High School and College Photography, Hardcover book

## WORKSHOPS, LECTURES, & PANEL TALKS

- 2024 *"Nobody Ever Knows Everything – Confessions of Young Art Professionals for Aspiring Art Professionals"*, a joint talk with Jessica Just and Emily Wiethorn. SPE National 2024 Conference
- 2022 Virtual Artist talk given at the University of Indiana Bloomington, invited by Distinguished Professor James Nakagawa and Graduate Student Albert Sanchez. November 15<sup>th</sup>
- 2022 Virtual Artist talk given at the University of Texas at Arlington, invited by Distinguished Senior Lecturer Scott Hilton. February 22<sup>nd</sup>
- 2021 *" They say you catch more flies with honey than with vinegar: Re-examining and breaking tradition"*, a joint talk with Gabi Magaly and Jessica Just, SPESC 2021 Regional Conference
- 2019 *" Every Picture Tells a Story"*, a Panel Discussion with Frank Hamrick, Jessica Just, and Libby Rowe, SPESC Regional Conference in Lubbock, TX
- 2019 Cyanotype Workshop at Cultivate 712, Waco, TX
- 2018 Professional Practices Panel, University of Texas at San Antonio, San Antonio, TX
- 2017 *"I've Graduated...Now What? The Ins and Outs of Graduate School"*, Panel Talk at SPESC Regional Conference
- 2017 SPESC 2017 Regional Conference, Assistant to Lighting Workshop led by Larsen & Talbert Photography, Baylor University, Waco, TX

## PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS and COMMITTEES

- 2022- Member, College Art Association
- 2021- Present Board of Directors, Texas Photographic Society
- 2015-Present Member, Society of Photographic Education
- 2018-2020 Member, Mammoth Collective
- 2017 Society of Photographic Education – South Central Conference Planning Committee, Waco, TX

## TECHNICAL ABILITIES

Adobe Certified Professional in Visual Design Using Adobe Photoshop  
Proficient in Adobe Lightroom, Camera RAW, Illustrator, and InDesign  
Basic operational knowledge of woodshop tools (frame building, and basic projects)

## EXHIBITIONS JURIED

- 2021 1A-5A Fine Arts Juror, Texas Association of Private and Parochial Schools
- 2021 TPS International Student Competition