

# Ysabel Flores | CV

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## EDUCATION

- 2026** MFA in Studio Art, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL  
**2019** BA Studio Art w/ Art History and Religious Studies minors, Stetson University, Deland, FL  
**2017** AA in General Education - Studio Track, Seminole State College, Sanford, FL

## UNIVERSITY TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2025-2026** Instructor of Record at Florida State University, Department of Art, Tallahassee, FL

## COURSES TAUGHT

Painting and Drawing for Non-Majors, Spring 2026  
Painting and Drawing for Non-Majors, Fall 2025  
2D Foundations, Spring 2025

## TEACHING ASSISTANTSHIPS

- 2024** Teaching Assistant, Beginning Painting for Jiha Moon, Spring 2024, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL  
**2018** Teaching Assistant, Beginning Ceramics for Dan Gunderson, Fall 2018, Stetson University, Deland, FL

## K-12 TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2021–2022** Substitute Teacher, Seminole County Public Schools, Seminole County, FL  
**2012–2013** Art Instructor, Homeschool Co-Op, Metro Life Church, Casselberry, FL

## GRADUATE ASSISTANTSHIPS

- 2024** Lab Assistant for BFA/MFA studios at Carnaghi Arts Building, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL  
**2023-2024** Gallery Assistant, Museum of Fine Arts (MoFA) at Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL

## OTHER ART ASSISTANTSHIPS

- 2025** Studio Assistant to Jiha Moon, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL  
**2024** Mural Assistant to Jiha Moon, Stanley Museum of Art, University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA  
**2010–2013** Set Design Assistant to Jessica Brice, Parents-Night-Out Program, Metro Life Church, Casselberry, FL  
**2010–2012** Mural Assistant to Jessica Brice, Metro Life Church, Casselberry, FL

## SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2024** *Between Here and There*, Wall Space at Grassroots Coffee, Thomasville, GA  
**2023** *Wanderlust*, Gallery Dupont at Stetson University Dupont-Ball Library, Deland, FL  
**2021** *Pause 2020*, Trilogy Coffee Co., Deland, FL

## GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2027** (scheduled) *10 Years of Fresh Squeezed*, Morean Art Center, St. Petersburg, FL
- 2026** (Scheduled) *Playing House* – Duo show with Alexia Benavent-Rivera, 621 Gallery, Tallahassee, FL  
*Decentered Reframed MFA Exhibit*, FSU Museum of Fine Art, Tallahassee, FL  
*Fresh Squeezed 10 for Emerging Artists*, Morean Arts Center, St. Petersburg, FL  
*The Corridor Art Trail Project*, Orlando, FL  
*Home and Away: Diasporic Perspectives on Belonging*, William Johnston Building Gallery, Tallahassee, FL  
*Lost in Translation*, Working Method Contemporary Gallery, Tallahassee FL
- 2025** *Horizons: Contemporary Approaches to Land*, Art Link Contemporary Gallery, Fort Wayne, IN  
*Looks Good on Paper*, Casselberry Art House, Casselberry, FL  
*HSF Award Exhibition*, Honors, Scholars & Fellows House, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL  
*Locust Technician*, Venvi Art Gallery, Tallahassee, FL  
*In Relation*, Working Method Contemporary Gallery, Tallahassee, FL
- 2024** *Burgermeat*, Working Method Contemporary Gallery, Tallahassee, FL  
*Little Things*, Swan Coach Gallery, Atlanta, GA  
*My Job Is Art*, Working Method Contemporary Gallery, Tallahassee, FL  
*Before Night Falls*, Terrace Gallery, Orlando, FL
- 2023** *Self-Dissection*, Working Method Contemporary Gallery, Tallahassee, FL  
*Under Pressure*, The Hub on Canal, New Smyrna Beach, FL

- 2022**      *52nd Annual Juried Art Exhibition*, Seminole State College, Sanford, FL  
*Gallery on First Spring Show*, Gallery on First, Sanford, FL  
*Hindsight 2020*, Orlando CityArts Factory, Orlando, FL
- 2019**      *Woven*, Senior Art Exhibition, Hand Art Center, Deland, FL
- 2018**      *Stetson Undergraduate Art Exhibition*, Hand Art Center, Deland, FL
- 2017**      *Stetson Undergraduate Art Exhibition*, Hand Art Center, Deland, FL  
*Emerging Artists Exhibition*, Gallery on First, Sanford, FL  
*48th Annual Juried Art Exhibition*, Seminole State College, Sanford, FL
- 2015**      *46th Annual Juried Art Exhibition*, Seminole State College, Sanford, FL

#### PUBLIC ART EXHIBITIONS

- 2025**      Muralist at Carnaghi Arts Building, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL
- 2018**      Contributing Muralist, “Stack on French Ave,” with Jennifer Lindquist, Sanford, FL

#### AWARDS/GRANTS

- 2025**      Graduate Student Excellence in the Visual Arts Award, *Tablescape*, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL  
Congress of Graduate Students (COGS) Presentation Grant for Edinburgh, Scotland
- 2024**      Dean’s Travel Grant, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL for Indiana, IN
- 2022**      Merit Award for Monotype Print, *Winter Walls*, Seminole State College, Sanford, FL
- 2019**      Ed Hamill Award for Outstanding Senior, Stetson University, Deland, FL
- 2018**      Friends of Art Purchase Award, *Formal Gatherings*, Stetson University, Deland, FL  
Award of Excellence, *The Search for Self*, Stetson University, Deland, FL
- 2017**      Award of Excellence, *An Array of Unrelated Things*, Stetson University, Deland, FL  
Philip Anthony Award for Junior Review, Stetson University, Deland, FL  
Best of Show, *An Array of Unrelated Things*, Gallery on First, Sanford, FL
- 2016**      Eleanor J. Matthews/Altrusa Art Scholarship, Seminole State College, Sanford, FL  
Best of Painting, *Dueling Uke’s*, Seminole State College, Sanford, FL  
Student Choice Award, *An Array of Unrelated Things*, Seminole State College,

Sanford, FL

**2015** Merit Award for Wire Sculpture, *Mallard V*, Seminole State College, Sanford, FL

#### PERMANENT COLLECTION

**2018** *Formal Gatherings*, Stetson University (Public Collection)

#### CONFERENCE

**2025** Co-Presenter, “Lost to the Canon: Reframing Art History Through Arts-Based Research,” European Congress of Qualitative Inquiry (ECQI), Edinburgh, Scotland

#### WORKSHOPS / ARTIST TALKS

**2026** (Virtual) artist talk for Fresh Squeezed 10: Emerging Artists in Florida, Morean Arts Center, St. Petersburg, FL  
*Re-imagined Viewfinders* Workshop, Museum of Fine Arts (MoFA), Tallahassee FL

(Virtual) artist talk with Hannah Keats’ 3D Design class at Chipola College, Marianna, FL

*Looking In/Looking Out: Reflections on Lafayette Heritage Trails*, MFA Thesis Talk, Museum of Fine Arts (MoFA), Tallahassee, FL

Visiting artist talk with Hsin Fang’s and Hung-Chi, Chu’s Intro to Art Education class at Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL

**2025** Teaching Assistant Artist Talk in Jiha Moon’s Intermediate Painting class, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL

**2024** Weaving demonstration for *Make it with MoFA* series, Museum of Fine Arts (MoFA), Tallahassee, FL

Button making workshop for *Make it with MoFA* series, Museum of Fine Arts (MoFA), Tallahassee, FL

Visiting artist talk in Jiha Moon’s The Iconic Spectacle class, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL

**2022** Visiting artist talk and monotype demonstration in Larry Viennau’s Printmaking I class, Seminole State College, Sanford, FL

#### PUBLICATIONS/PRESS

**2024** “Five questions: Jiha Moon merges art experience with education” at Florida State University, Florida State University, College of Fine Art News, Tallahassee, Florida, October 23, 2024

“A Reflection on Working with Jiha Moon The Stanley Museum”, Written by, Shaun Mallonga, University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa, August 29, 2024  
Winning artists announced at THOM Collective Exhibition, The Thomasville Times- Enterprise, Thomasville, Georgia, June 7, 2024

**2018** Rick de Yampert, “Ceramic Brahman bull wins Best of Show at Student Art Exhibit,” *Stetson Today*, Nov. 30, 2018  
Jessica Pirani, “The Stack to Celebrate Unveiling this Weekend,” *Sanford Herald*, Feb. 27, 2018

**2017** “Seminole State Hosts 48th Annual Juried Student Art Exhibition,” *Lake Mary Life Magazine*, May 2017

#### PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

The Southeastern College Art Conference (SECAC)

Association of Academic Museums and Galleries (AAMG)

Museum Computer Network Inc. (MCN)