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Education

H.S. Diploma	1999	Visual Arts	L.A. County High School for the Arts (With Honors)
BFA	2003	Sculpture	San Francisco Art Institute
MFA	2008	Wood/Sculpture	Cal State University Long Beach
	2010- 2019	Butoh Studies	Harupin-Ha Butoh with Koichi and Hiroko Tamano
	2011 & 2020	Body Weather Studies	Body Weather Laboratory with Oguri
	2019	Butoh Studies	W/ Kudo Taketeru

Residencies/Grants/Awards/Publication Features

1999	SFAI High School Partnership Scholarship Program
2007	Arts Affiliate Scholarship (Cal State University, Long Beach)
2009	California Gold with Huell Howser, "SOUNDWALK-#1612.". 1600 series. PBS. Los Angeles. 23 Jan.
2013	Long Beach Post "Long Beach Soundwalk". https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FRkITWKTtMc
2019	Harrison House (Joshua Tree, California), Residency and Scholarship
2019	Water in the Desert (Portland, Oregon), Residency at Prior Day Farm
2019	Residency w/ La Pocha Nostra at The PASEO in Taos, Mexico
2020	Raze theWhitebox Live Streams www.twitch.tv/divinebrick
2020	Marfa Open Honorarium Award
2021	Marfa Open Residency
2021	Department of Cultural Affairs Artist Grant
2021	Center for Cultural Innovation Artist Grant
2022	Flowering Tree Permaculture Institute Residency
2022	Automata Chinatown LA Residency
2023	Espacio Ailanto Artist Residency, Santiago, Chile
2024	Contributing Artist at The Philosophical Research Society, LA, CA

Exhibitions/Performances

September 16, 2023	"Towards The Infinite Sunset/ Sunrise: A Performance Lecture" (The Philosophical Research Society, LA, Ca)
March 12, 2023	Night Market, In collaboration w/ Gregory Allison (Coaxial, Los Angeles, Ca) performance
November 06, 2022	In Collaboration with Sobbing Honey (Zebulon, LA, Ca)
October 22, 2022	Circle of Sighs Band Concert (Transplants, Palmdale, Ca) Dancer
October 14-15, 2022	Bare Bones Butoh (Studio 210, SF, Ca) Solo
August 1-17, 2022	Automata Chinatown Residency (Los Angeles, Ca) Residency/ Dance Opera/ WIP
April 30, 2022	Native Guitars Tour (Kimo Theatre, Albuquerque, NM) Dancer/ Model for Rose B. Simpson
Various 2021	30 Offerings (Public Spaces of Los Angeles) Dance Solos with Musicians
Nov. 4,5,6, 2021	Shomei: Butoh Series, (2220 Art Archives, LA, Ca) Dance Solos
Sept. 04, 2021	Only Skin Deep #3 (Redwood Raks, Acata, Ca) Dance Solo
Aug. 06, 2021	Performances After Peavey, (Beyond Baroque at Furst Wurld, Joshua Tree, Ca) Group Performance
May. 30, 2021	Outer Roominations, (Loteta, Ca) Group Performance
Jan. 12-22, 2021	Film Maudit, Highways Performance Space (virtual) Film
December 05, 2020	Sanity, EdgeCut Arts (virtual) Performance
Sept. 25-Oct. 18,2020	Marfa Open (Marfa, Tx) Video Installation and Virtual Performance
Sept. 17-18, 2020	Int. Forum of Performance Art (Drama, Greece) Dance Performance
June 27, 2020	Online Performance Art Festival (Live Streaming from Los Angeles) Dance Solo
May Various 2020	Living Poetics: Tuesday Night Live Stream (www.twitch.tv/divinebrick) Solo Works and Collaboration
Feb. 29-Mar. 01 2020	Bare Bones Butoh (Studio 210, SF, Ca) Dance solo

Sept. Various, 2019	Cellista's Transfigurations National Tour (Various Locations) Dancer
October 2, 2019	This Crooked Seed Will Always Grow (Prior Day Farm in Portland, Oregon) Solo
Sep. 13-14, 2019	The Western Enchilada w/ Guillermo Gomez-Pena and La Pocha Nostra (Paseo Project in Taos, New Mexico) Group performance
August 31, 2019	Boderlandnoise Festival (Instituto Municipal de Arte y Cultura, Playa de Tijuana, Mexico) In Collaboration w/ Sobbing Honey
March 23, 2019	Third Annual Ankoku Butoh Gathering (Berkeley Art Center in Berkeley, CA) Dance Solo
March 16, 2019	Other Places Art Fair (Angels Gate Cultural Center in San Pedro, CA) Mike Meastreetz in Collaboration with divinebrick, Tingo Tango Tapes booth
Feb. 17, 2019	Facade of Time (Various Locations in Venice, CA) Large-scale public work with Oguri
Jan. 14, 2019	Athame 4 (Coaxial Arts Foundation in Los Angeles, CA) In collaboration with Julia Hayes and Zachary Paul
Sep. 11, 2018	Unusual Tuesdays (Sunspace in Sun Valley, CA) Dance Solo
Aug. 25, 2018	Meditative Play (Zorthian Ranch in Altadena, CA) Facilitated group Meditative Play
July 08, 2018	Fundraiser for Family Reunification (Flora y Tierra in Long Beach, CA) Meditative Play "In Each Garment I Swallow Myself Whole"
May 13, 2018	Face The Music Dance Festival (Zebulon in Los Angeles, CA) With the Harupin-Ha Dance Theater
March 18, 2018	Second Annual Ankoku Butoh Gathering (Berkeley Art Center in Berkeley, CA) Dance Solo
June 10, 2017	PRESENT band in Concert (Mini-plex in Arcata, CA) Solo Sound and Body Work
June 09, 2017	LA artist Showcase (Pro-Art in Oakland, CA) Solo Sound and Body Work
June 3, 2017	SoundPedro (Angels Gate Cultural Center in San Pedro, CA) Collaborative Multimedia Meditative Play
May 28, 2017	Project Portals (Live Feed to Mexico City, Mexico) Dance Performance

April 9, 2017	Wonder Valley Experimental #9 (Joshua Tree, Ca) Performance w/ Brennan Lowe
May 2-11, 2016	Decolonize LA (Human Resources in Los Angeles, CA) Gallery Exhibit
May 10, 2016	Decolonize LA (Human Resources in Los Angeles, CA) "Raze the Whitebox: Cleaning the Space": DivineBrick in collaboration with Mike Meanstreetz/PRESENT Band & Z. Vital/poopdood
Winter 2014-2015	West Coast Tour: (Kunst-stoff in SF, KALA in Astoria, The Blue Moon in Astoria Life Changing Ministries, including other venues) Solo Performances
Nov. 18, 2014	Island of the Misfit Toys Experimental Night (La Cita, LA, Ca) Solo Performances
Nov. 16, 2014	Domeland (Joshua Tree, Ca) Group Performance
April 20, 2014	Whereas Group Show (FurstWurld, Joshua Tree, Ca) Group Performance
Dec. 9, 2013	Sean Carnage Monday Nights (Pehrspace in Los Angeles, CA) Multimedia Performance with Parallax Beach
Dec. 6, 2013	Parallax Scroll (Highway Performance Space in Santa Monica, CA) Multimedia Performance with Parallax Peach
Nov. 2, 2013	Day of the Dead (Highway Performance Space in Santa Monica, CA) Noise/Non-Dance & Performance with La Pocha Nostra Performance Workshop
Oct. 5, 2013	Parallax Scroll (Soundwalk, Long Beach, CA) Multimedia Performance with Parallax Peach
Feb. 8, 9, 2013	Solo Dolo #2 (Highway Performance Space in Santa Monica, CA) Solo Performance
Oct. 29, 2011	NukeWave BlastZone (Sancho Gallery, Echo Park, Ca) Collaboration w/ Aaron Moreno
July 29, 2011	Bare Bones Butoh #22 (Studio 210 in San Francisco, CA) W/ Loku Dance Troupe
Dec. 10, 2010	L@te Friday Nights-The Transformation Call (Berkeley Art Museum in Berkeley, CA)

Dance Performance with Harupin-ha Butoh Dance Theater Company

July 10, 2010

Zoom 2 (Torrance Art Museum w/ Flood Torrance, Ca)
divinebrick Installation and Performance

Oct. 3, 2009

Soundwalk: sound art fest. (long Beach, Ca)
divinebrick w/ Aaron Moreno

Sept. 20, 2008

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Sept. 5, 2007

Tar Fest Los Angeles (Korean Cultural Center, Los Angeles, Ca) Group Performance

Various 2007

Sweep Meditations: Sweeping City Sidewalk (Long Beach, Ca) Solos