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#### **\***RESEARCH INTERESTS**\***

Evolutionary collectivism, social sustainability, eco-technological futurism & symbiosis, sound healing, metaphysical ontology, evocative performance, ethics, AI and emergent tech, and esoteric renewal.

### **#EDUCATION**

2023 BFA in Art (Studio Practices) University of Illinois at Chicago 2021 AA with Honors, Parkland College 2021 Certificate in Diversity, Equity & Inclusion in the Workplace, University of South Florida (Muma College of Business)

## **#**EXHIBITIONS**#**

2021 LOCUS IX group exhibition at The Martin, poem World vs Constructs//Re:Sun

# **#**PUBLICATIONS**#**

2025—philosophy essay, **Devotion Factor**, PhilPapers and PhilArchive 2023—anti-novel, **Belonging V:** Take Pills (Je suis Fleur du Mal), self published 2022—poem, **Beggars Crip Be Choosers**, in Knots Undergraduate Journal of Disability Studies issue 2023

2022—poem, GIVE IT BACK (ART), in the UIC FWD: Museums Journal issue 2022 Manifesto

2022—two poems; **Minor Ode to Earth** and **The Wonder's and Blunder's of Covid Hands**, in the UIC Red Shoes Review Literary Magazine volume 38

# **\$SOLO PROJECTS**

2022-current—**Belonging**, mixed-medium body of work and research 2016—**faulty priestess** (music, self-titled EP), virtual release via Soundcloud and

Bandcamp

2014—**Small Talk** EP (vocals) as saturnskin(fka Suprna) music and production by John Jagos (aka Brothertiger), virtual release via Soundcloud and Bandcamp

#### **COLLABORATIVE PROJECTS**

2023—connected minds (music) as faulty priestess, Single, (released on SoundCloud and Bandcamp)

2022-current—**TBA Board Game** Narrative and Gameplay Writer 2022-current—**TBA Visual Novel** Assistant Writer and Project Manager 2021—**TBA Board Game** Assistant Lore and Wordbuilding Writer

2021—A Swift Impermanence (music) as faulty priestess, for the compilation album AFAP (As Fast As Possible), virtual release on all streaming platforms (Released through Noise Discord Label)

2021—**clairvoyeur** (album) as .(psy)che, (lyrics, vocals, band management, coproduction)Virtual release on all streaming platforms. (Collaboration with Erik Jez) 2020—**Hearts Join With Distant Friends** (vocals) as faulty priestess. Released on Bandcamp. (Collaboration with Outside House and various artists for the album Soothsayer)

2020—**The Eschaton Sermon** (lyrics and vocals) as faulty priestess. Released on Bandcamp. (Collaboration with Mother Desiccant for the album Neon Moloch) 2020—**AI Dungeon 2** (contributing writer) Released on aidungeon.cc and phone app stores. (Collaboration with various writers and AI Dungeon creator Nick Walton) 2019—**AI Dungeon** (contributing writer) Released on aidungeon.io (Collaboration with various writers and AI Dungeon creator Nick Walton)

2018—**Stolen Boats** (lyrics, vocals, and band management) Urbana, IL. (Collaboration with the band Stolen Boats)

2015—**Grass Textures** (album) as Sunflower Sunspot, the contribution of lyrics and vocals. (Collaboration with Heather Sutton)

### AWARDS

2023 Hattie B. Woods-Hayden Award, UIC School of Art and Art History Student Excellence Award, and Mary D. Barnhart Scholarship

## **\$**AFFILIATIONS

2025 Founding Mothers Movement, Womens Congress, Proclamation Circle Member
2022-2023 UIC Chancellor's Committee - Status of LGBTQ+ People member
2022-2023 UIC SAAH Racial Justice Taskforce member
2022-2023 UIC Senate Undergraduate Senator, DEAI Committee
2021 La Pocha Nostra Alumni (Radical pedagogy workshop)
2021-2023 Founder of the Art Collective at UIC
2021-2022 Undergraduate Student Government Representative, Diversity and
Inclusion Committee, Mental Health Coalition member