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### **Education**

**2014** Master of Fine Arts, Sculpture; John Herron School of Art and Design, Indianapolis, IN  
**2007** Bachelors of Fine Art, Interdisciplinary Studio Art, Sculpture and Drawing; School of Art and Design, Purchase College, State University of New York, Purchase, NY  
**2002-03** Studio Art, School of the Museum of Fine Art Boston, Boston MA

### **Relevant Work Experience**

**2018-19** – Audio Visual Technician/Preparator, Indianapolis Museum of Fine Art  
**2017/18** 3D Foundation,(F123) Junior, Senior, Graduate Sculpture,(S300/400/500) Herron School of Art and Design, Indianapolis, IN  
**2015/16** Mellon Digital Arts Fellow, Marlboro College, Marlboro VT, Sound as Material I & II, Sculpture I, Marlboro College, Marlboro, VT  
**2014/15** Sophomore Sculpture (S201/02) Herron School of Art and Design, 3-D Fundamentals of Three Dimensional, Sound as Material (Rotating Topics in Sculpture) Herron School of Art and Design (F123)  
Art Appreciation (ART 110-01), University of Indianapolis  
Americorp Public Allies, Big Car Collaborative

### **Residencies**

**2014** Artist in Residence, Art Farm Nebraska, Marquette NE

### **Solo Exhibitions/Public Commission**

**2018** “Recentering / No Most Fatigue and How to Spend” StorageSpace, Sound and Sculpture Installation Indianapolis, IN  
**2017** “Why Not See?” Solo Painting Exhibition, Middle Space Gallery, Indianapolis,IN  
**2015** “Wood, Metal, Sound” Sound Installation, Drury Gallery, Marlboro, VT  
**2013** The Daniels Leadership Foundation, Artist (creation/fabrication of sculptural award)  
**2013** “Flow II”, Reconnecting Our Waterways at Big Car, Sound Installation, Indianapolis, IN  
**2011** “John Collins McCormick Drawings”, Friends and Relatives Records; Ypsilanti, MI  
**2010** “Flow”, Space Camp Micro Gallery, Indianapolis, IN

### **Selected Exhibitions/Performances**

**2019** “Hacked, Found, Repurposed” Group Show, Center for New Music, San Francisco, CA  
**2017** Midwest Tour with John Wiese (OH, MI, IN)  
**2017** Concentration Club (series curator) Middle Space Gallery, Indianapolis, IN  
**2016** Sound Performance; John Collins McCormick, Feeding Tube Records, Florence, MA  
“Noise-Brunch” Firehouse Gallery, Worcester, MA  
Sound Performance; John Collins McCormick, Pharmacy, Philadelphia, PA,  
Ratchet Series (duo with Aaron Zarutzki) Cafe Mustache, Chicago, IL  
**2015** Sound Installation for Summer Solstice, 100 Acres Sculpture Park, Indianapolis Museum of Art  
Sound Performance; John Collins McCormick “9 Rules of the Avant-Garde” General Public Collective, Indianapolis, IN  
Performance, Excess Gallery, Bloomington, IN  
Performance, Totally Awesome Fest, Ypsilanti, MI  
**2014** Stop Hate in America; Zine Issue 1, Curated by Nick Hoffman, Eugene, OR  
Making Memory; Group Exhibition, Sound Installation, Marsh Gallery, Herron School of Art and Design  
Sound Performance; John C McCormick; Sidney and Lois Eskenazi Fine Art Center, Indianapolis, IN  
**2013** Works for Prepared Library, The Cincinnati Public Library; Cincinnati, OH  
Hammer, Anvil, Stirrup: People Make Things That Make Sounds, Group Exhibit, Sound Installation, Lux Center for the Arts, Lincoln, NE

The Wanderer Project; Transmediale Festival, Group Exhibit, Photography; Berlin, Germany  
"Dum Dum Zine", Drawings, L.A. Zine Fest; Los Angeles Museum of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles, CA  
**2012** Sound Performance; Sky Thing; Indy Indie Artist Gallery; Indianapolis, IN  
Sound Performance, (D)(B)(H); Dreamland Theater, Ypsilanti, MI  
Sound Performance, Sky Thing; The Hideout; Chicago, IL  
Drawing Exhibit, "Systemic Abstraction"; The Fort Wayne Museum of Art, Fort Wayne, IN,  
Drawing Exhibit, "EX: Collaborative Creation", International Arts Movement; New York City, NY,  
Drawing, "Quickest Flippest" Zine; Issues #1,2; Eugene, OR  
**2011** Drawing zine "Book Store"; Drift Station; Lincoln, NE,  
Group Drawing Exhibit, "Psychogenic Fugue"; House Bar; Bloomington, IN,  
Colorless Green Ideas; (Zine) Issues #9,10; London, England,  
Sound Performance; Sky Thing; Totally Awesome Fest 7; Ypsilanti, MI,  
Sound Performance; Madame Gallery; Minneapolis, MN,  
Sound Performance; Myopic Books; Chicago, IL  
**2010** Sound Performance; Sky Thing; It Looks Like It's Open; Columbus, OH  
Sound Performance; Roots and Culture; Chicago, IL  
Sound Performance; Big Car; Indianapolis, IN  
**2009** "Drippy-Droppy, Lovebugs, Haters and Couch Potaters"; Artlink Fort Wayne, IN  
Pro You Zine Release; Fort Wayne Museum of Art; Fort Wayne, IN  
Sound Performance; Sky Thing and The Fort Wayne Ballet w/ David Ingram, Fort Wayne, IN

### **Selected Bibliography**

**2012** David Winship, "John Collins McCormick Mysteries of the Ordinary" MinimalExposition.Blogspot.com April 7  
James Payne, "John Collins McCormick's Line Drawings" BeautifulDecay.com March 26  
Jack Chuter, "Garbage Strike" Attnmagazine.co.uk July 31  
**2011** Demian Johnston, "Cooler Heads Prevail" DeadFormats.Blogspot.com December 15  
**2010** Dan Swartz "Populous" Fort Wayne Reader, February 202009 Dan Swartz "Pro You" Fort Wayne Reader, May 18

### **Discography**

**2019** Trapping Configuration; Audio Recording, Solo, Eminent Observer, Cincinnati, OH  
Ad for Nails; Audio Recording, Solo, Gilgongo Records, Tempe, AZ  
**2018** One Bone in the Arm; Audio Recording, Solo, Pan y Rosas Discos, net label, Digital Release Chicago, IL. No  
Most Fatigue; Audio Recording, Solo, Impulsive Habitat net label, Digital Release, Lisbon Portugal.  
**2016** Pluperfect; Audio Recording, duo w/ Ben Bennett, Eh? Recordings, San Francisco, CA  
There Never Was An Underground; Audio Recording, Solo, Self Released  
**2015** Icky Vicky; Audio Recording, trio w/ Andy Israelensen, Katie Kroko, Pan y Rosas Discos net label, Digital  
Release, Chicago, IL  
**2014** Beyond Antibiotics; Audio Recording; (D)(B)(H) sextet w/ Justin Rhody, Marty Belcher, Daniel Wick, Joe Stone,  
Chris Rall, Human Conduct Records, St. Louis, MO  
**2013** Lisa's Hat; Audio Recording; Sky Thing, solo, Faux Pas Recordings; North Hampton, MA Virgin Journalist;  
Audio Recording; Sky Thing; quartet w/ Stephen Peck, Megan Mirro, Justin Rhody, Eh? Recordings, San Francisco,  
CA  
**2012** Your Reality Check Bounced; Audio Recording; Sky Thing, FM Dust Recordings; Ann Arbor, MI, Master Pieces  
of Objective Reporting; Audio Recording; (D)(B)(H) quartet w/ Marty Belcher, Jay Kreimer, Justin Rhody, Gilgongo  
Records; Tempe, AZ  
**2011** Cooler Heads Prevail; Audio Recording; Sky Thing, Solo, Eggy Records; Portland, OR  
Garbage Strike; Audio Recording, Solo, Pan y Rosas Discos net label, Digital Release, Chicago, IL  
**2010** Howdy Cloud; Audio Recording; Sky Thing, Friends and Relatives Records, Ypsilanti, MI