

Adrian Wood
Long Curriculum Vitae
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EDUCATION

2019
Masters in Fine Arts, Sound
School of the Art Institute of Chicago

2015
Independent Study in Advanced Printmaking
University of Virginia
Charlottesville, VA

2014
Bachelor of Arts
Major: Art & Art History, concentration Studio Art: Painting & Printmaking
Minor: Environmental Science & Policy
College of William & Mary
Williamsburg, VA

2013
Drawing Marathon
New York Studio School
New York City, NY

SOLO SHOWS

2025
“EVIDENCE”
as Coal Dust Kills
Downing-Gross Cultural Arts Center
Newport News, VA

2024
“Voroboros”
Welcome Gallery
New City Arts
Charlottesville, VA

GROUP SHOWS

2025
sound design for “Wet Bulb”
by Conrad Cheung
Flower Festival

Essex Flowers

Imprint: Above & Below, Within & Without
SGCI 2025, Puertograbando
Escuela de Artes Plásticas y Diseño
San Juan, Puerto Rico

2024

“The Threat, The _____”
with Conrad Cheung
Ruffin Gallery
University of Virginia
Charlottesville, VA

2023

sound design for “low fall lands up...”
by nonhumanities
InLight Festival
Richmond, VA

2022

“IMMANENT DOMAIN / EXHIBIT A”
Direct Sow
Curated by Erika Hirugami
Visible Records
Charlottesville, VA

2021

“wilderness”
hot wheelz
curated by M_m-M<3
Chicago, IL

The Quarantine Concerts
with the Field
Experimental Sound Studio
Chicago, IL

“paradise/maybe windows”
Great Lakes Association of Sound Studies Annual Conference

2020

“running water”
Videos on a Loop
Curated by Sandrine Schafer
Vermont Studio Center Gallery
Johnson, VT

“paradise/maybe windows”
Mana Contemporary Virtual Open House

2019

“IMMANENT DOMAIN / EXHIBIT A”
Experimental Sound Studio Annual Gala
Links Hall
Chicago, IL

“i was your girlfriend”
An Empath’s Anarchive
Curated by Linda Jankowska
Hundred Years Gallery
London, UK

2018

“dripping, creaking, flowing”
Arts, Science & Culture Collaboration Grant Exhibition
with Grant MacDonald
Logan Center for the Arts
University of Chicago
Chicago, IL

“home no. 5”
100 Years of Women at the College
Andrews Gallery
College of William & Mary
Williamsburg, VA

2016

Between the Two of Us
with Nina Thomas
WVTF / Radio IQ Gallery
New City Arts
Charlottesville, VA

Paying Attention
Sediment Arts
Richmond, VA

Can’t Complain
Studio Two Three
Richmond, VA

Rainbow Connection

Quirk Gallery
Richmond, VA

Emerging Printmakers Exhibition
Curated by Amze Emmons
Studio Two Three
Richmond, VA

2015
New Bodies: New Works from Emerging Artists
The Writer's House
Charlottesville, VA

2014
Coalesce: A Creative Convergence
Andrews Gallery
College of William & Mary
Williamsburg, VA

PERFORMANCES (AS PERFORMER)

2023
“Someplace Else”
with Frans Van Lent
Curated by Carron Little and Ieke Trinks
Out of Site Chicago
Chicago, IL and Rotterdam, The Netherlands

“Room Tone”
Elastro A/V Festival
Curated by Ruby Que
Elastic Arts
Chicago, IL

2020
Hot Mess
with Sara Zalek, KG Price, Norman Long and Chloe Yu-Nong Lin
Elastic Arts
Chicago, IL

2019
Living for Love
Curated by Mark Jeffrey
Ohklahoma
Chicago, IL

“Homing Signal”

FRACTURED: Digital Topographies
LITHIUM
Chicago, IL

2018
“home no. 3: northeast”
Tri Triangle
Chicago, IL

“homes no. 1, 4, 5 and 6”
SSSHHH #1
Curated by Kamau Amu Patton and Rohan Ayinde
Joan Flasch Artist Book Library
School of the Art Institute of Chicago
Chicago, IL

“home no. 6: south”
Performances On the Present as a Condition to Experience the World Around and/or
Existence
No Nation Art Gallery
Chicago, IL

“home no. 1: sisters”
Emerging Artists: Creative Collisions
Curated by Mary Saran
CC’s Art Garage
Chicago, IL

“Exhibit A”
with Cherrie Yu
They Become Ours
Curated by Celia Wickham
Gallery 062
Chicago, IL

2017
“11-9”
WAVEFORMS
SAIC Sound Department
Experimental Sound Studio
Chicago, IL

PERFORMANCES (AS DIRECTOR)

2024
“The Exact Right Amount of Force”
for “The Threat, the _____”

with Conrad Cheung
Ruffin Gallery
University of Virginia
Charlottesville, VA

“Cut with the Kitchen Knife Our House Screaming through the Last Bunker, Precinct, Mansion, Conference Center, Courthouse”
for “The Threat, the _____”
with Conrad Cheung
Ruffin Gallery
University of Virginia
Charlottesville, VA

“Battle Royale for the Soul of Our Country”
with Conrad Cheung
for “The Trouble with Trouble”
Ruffin Hall
University of Virginia
Charlottesville, VA

2023
“New Normal”
Vocal director
by Jonas Becker
Museum of Contemporary Art
Chicago, IL

2019
“New Normal”
Vocal director
by Jonas Becker
Curated by January Parkos-Arnall
Museum of Contemporary Art
Chicago, IL

PERFORMANCES AS ‘SUGARLIFT’ (Music Moniker)

2025
With Jacques/Cornell duo and DeLaurenti/Goeringer
The Red Room
Baltimore, MD

2024
Halloween Szalon
Curated by Andrea Clearfield
Philadelphia, PA

2023

With Cindy Lee and Carry
Visible Records
Charlottesville, VA

2020

“paradise/maybe windows”
Patch Pulse
Curated by Michelle Seipel
Gray Area
San Francisco, CA

Acorn

Curated by Nomi Epstein
Slate Arts
Chicago, IL

2017

MACROCK XX
with Cherrie Yu
Harrisonburg, VA

Artists for Inclusion ACLU Benefit
with Cherrie Yu
Curated by Megan Jacobs
Studio Two Three
Richmond, VA

Telemetry

curated by Travis Thatcher
The Bridge PAI
Charlottesville, VA

2016

Black Iris Gallery and TinyBar
with Aaron Leitko
Richmond, VA

The Meridian Coffehouse

with Chris DeLaurenti and Tobin Summerfield
Williamsburg, VA

Sound Art Showcase

Sediment Arts
Richmond, VA

Performances to Fill a House

Curated by Katie Schetlick
Charlottesville, VA

SCREENINGS

2023

“A Queer Soundwalk in Washington Square Park”
with JL Simonson
Odds and Ends Experimental Film Festival
Vinegar Hill Theatre
Charlottesville, VA

2020

“running water”
Group Screening
PO Box Collective
Chicago, IL

2019

“running water”
American Life
Curated by Mark Jeffrey
OHKLAHOMO
Chicago, IL

“IMMANENT DOMAIN / EXHIBIT A”
FVNMAS Festival
Gene Siskel Film Center
Chicago, IL

2016

“latent heat”
Brave New World: Beyond the Wall
Curated by Valerio Rossi
Institut für Alles Mögliche
Berlin, Germany

SOCIAL PRACTICE

2025

Artist Talk
Open Classroom Masterclass
#askAFL Presents...
Peabody School of Music
Johns Hopkins University

2024

“Gentrification and Environmental Justice”

Keynote Lecture

Atlantic Estuarine Research Society

Annual Conference

Gloucester, VA

“Crosswinds”

with Lathaniel Kirts

Hampton Roads Social Justice Conference

Christopher Newport University

Newport News, VA

“Coal Dust Kills”

with the Repair Lab

Brown University

Providence, RI

Member

United Campus Workers

University of Virginia

Charlottesville, VA

Treasurer

Midwest Society for Acoustic Ecology

“Narratives of Environmental Justice”

Fall semester course

Department of Environmental Thought and Practice

University of Virginia

Charlottesville, VA

2023

“Augmented Body in the Landscape”

guest lecture for Katie Schetlick’s Performing the Environment class

University of Virginia

Charlottesville, VA

“Wading Between Two Titans”

with Vincent Hodges

Hampton Roads Social Justice Conference

Christopher Newport University

Newport News, VA

“Room Tone”

Visiting Artist Lecture for SUNGJAE LEE’s performance class

School of the Art Institute of Chicago

Chicago, IL

Artist talk
Foundations with Conrad Cheung
University of Virginia
Charlottesville, VA

2022
Co-organizer
Virginia Queer Farmer Convergence
Buckingham, VA

2021
Fieldwork
Group Critiques
The Field
Chicago, IL

Atmo
Reading & Praxis group
Chicago, IL

2020-24
Board member
Midwest Society for Acoustic Ecology
Chicago, IL

2020
HALE
Audio Collective
Chicago, IL

2019
“Augmented Body in the Landscape”
Professional Development Workshop for Teachers and Artists
Chicago Arts Partnership for Education
Chicago, IL

“Sonic Territories”
workshop for voice, space and body
Experimental Sound Studio
Chicago, IL

“Sonic Territories”
workshop for voice, space and body
Vermont Studio Center
Johnson, VT

Artist Talk
Vermont Studio Center
Johnson, VT

2019
Visiting Lecturer
Experimental Geographies
Frances Whitehead
School of the Art Institute of Chicago
Chicago, IL

Admissions Panelist
Sound Department
School of the Art Institute of Chicago
Chicago, IL

2019-2021
Volunteer
Chicago Alliance Against Racist and Political Repression
Chicago, IL

2018
CPS Lives
Drake Elementary School
Chicago, IL

2017
Screen printing workshop
Disrupt J20
Studio Two Three
Richmond VA

Volunteer
NO ACP
Richmond, VA

2016
“Tough Conversations: Talking to Your Folks About Donald T.”
workshop and zine
Old Furnace Artist Residency
Harrisonburg, VA

2014
“The Campus Body: DIY Cartography”
workshop series
College of William & Mary
Williamsburg, VA

AWARDS & RESIDENCIES

2024

The Future of Evidence
Robert Wood Johnson Foundation
with the Repair Lab
University of Virginia

Stove Works
Chattanooga, TN

Climate Workshop Fellowship
Investigative Reporters & Editors
NYC

Shortlist for “Crosswinds”
Regional reporting
Future of Media Awards
Press Gazette

2023

Pod Pod
UnionDocs
NYC

Gold
Signal Award
Sustainability & Environment
for “Wading Between Two Titans”

Silver
Signal Award
Diversity, Equity & Inclusion
for “Wading Between Two Titans”

Virginia Center for the Creative Arts
Amherst, VA

2021

Virginia Center for the Creative Arts
Amherst, VA

Lakeside Lab Art & Science Residency
Milford, IA

ADDS DONNA Residency

ADDS DONNA
Chicago, IL

2020
New Media Residency Program
Mana Contemporary
Chicago, IL

2019
Merit Scholarship
Vermont Studio Center
Johnson, VT

Alba Residency
Experimental Sound Studio
Chicago, IL

Study Trip Scholarship
School of the Art Institute of Chicago
Chicago, IL

2018
Arts, Science & Culture Collaboration Grant
with Grant MacDonald
University of Chicago
Chicago, IL

Steketee Scholarship
Ox-Bow School of Art
Holland, MI

2017
Dean's Scholarship
Sound Department
School of the Art Institute of Chicago
Chicago, IL

2016
Old Furnace Artist Residency
Harrisonburg, VA

Studio South Zero by Torkwase Dyson
Second Street Gallery
Charlottesville, VA

2015
Scuola Grafica di Venezia

Venice, Italy

2014

Alumni Award

2D Art

Studio Art Department

College of William & Mary

Williamsburg, VA

2013

Catron Scholarship

College of William & Mary

Williamsburg, VA

CURATORIAL

2025

All Saints Day Haunted House

Richmond VA

2016

SEE/HEAR sound art series

Second Street Gallery

Charlottesville, VA

2015

Valence Shows

Twisted Branch Tea Bazaar

Charlottesville, VA

BROADCASTS

2025

“Wet Bulb”

Audioflux Circuit 06 Selections

Chicago Audiomakers Collective

2024

“Crosswinds”

With Good Reason podcast, Virginia Humanities, Charlottesville VA

WVPM, National Public Radio, Morgantown WV

WHRO, National Public Radio, Hampton Roads VA

2023

“Wading Between Two Titans”

WRIR, Richmond VA

WTJU, University of Virginia, Charlottesville VA

2019
“Exhibit A”
BOREALIS FESTIVAL
RADIO SPACE
Bergen, Norway

“Exhibit A”
Collective Terrain

2018
“Exhibit A”
Reverse Plane of Cloudy
Curated by Matthew Steinke
Museum of Human Achievement
Austin, TX

2017
End of the Line
with Whit Whiting
WRIR Richmond Independent Radio
Richmond, VA

PUBLICATIONS

2024
KP Fields, T Miller, A Wood, L Kirts, M Jones, SE Pusede, “Practicing Repair: Advancing Community-Based Solutions on Coal Dust Pollution in Hampton Roads, Virginia, Through a Practitioner-in-Residence Program.” Environmental Justice, 2024.

“Transformation is the Goal: Deep Listening in Audio Documentary”
edited by Ariana Martinez
Sound Fields

“paradise/maybe windows (excerpt)”
Small Audio Art

2023
“Augmented Body in the Landscape”
The-Artificial.org

untitled drawings
The Jupiter Review

2020
“paradise/maybe windows”
Viral Ecologies

2019

Contributor, "Ascendants: Bauhaus Handprints Collected by László Moholy-Nagy"
Ed. Jan Tichy and Ribn Shculdenfrei
Chicago: IIT Institute of Design

COMPILATIONS

2017

Volume 8
Seippelabel

Together
Oxtail Records

60 Minute Cities: Richmond
Bivouac Recordings

2016

Odd Comp for Nationz
Moreau

PRESS

"Crosswinds: The Cost of Coal," Lucy Kang, Making Contact, Frequencies of Change Media, 18 Sep 2024.

"New Podcast 'Crosswinds' Explores Coal Dust Pollution in Hampton Roads,' WHRO Public Media, 20 June 2024.

"Downstream Dangers of Coal Dust," Mason Adams, Inside Appalachia, WVPB, 27 May 2024.

"UVA podcast explores racism and sea-level rise in Norfolk," Katherine Hafner, WHRO, 13 Feb 2023.

"Recreating the Sounds of Antarctica," Adam Boffa, Hyperallergic, 22 Oct 2019.

COLLECTIONS

"Tidewater Stories"
University of Virginia Special Collections
Charlottesville, VA

"home no. 5: west"
interactive digital book with text and image

Joan Flasch Artist Book Collection
Chicago, IL

“Homing Signal”
Mana Contemporary
Chicago, IL

President’s Collection
College of William & Mary
Williamsburg, VA

Swem Library Special Collections
College of William & Mary
Williamsburg, VA

Private collections