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## EDUCATION

- 2006 Degree in visual art (Painting), Academy of Fine Art, Palermo, Italy.
- 2004 Erasmus Scholarship, Akademie der Bildenden Künste, Nuremberg, Germany
- 2001 Arts high school, Eustachio Catalano, Trapani, Italy

## EXHIBITION WORK

2016

- *"2016 days of awesome photo books"*, Flip Photobook Awards, December 10th 2016 - Feb 4th. 2017.

LhGWR gallery The Hague, Netherlands.

- *Der Greif / A Process 2.0*, Group Exhibition, Krakow Photomonth

- Deutsches Hirtenmuseum Hersbruck, January 2017, *"Nei meandri della bellezza"*, curated by Christoph Gerling, Hersbruck, Germany.

2015

- *Still Talking*, Recidency Open Studio Exhibition, IAM, Berlin.

- *Venature, 100 artisti per l'expo*, Group Exhibition, curated by Giancarlo Lepore, Abbiategrasso, Italy.

- *The Selfie Show*, MONA – curated by Jef Bourgeois, Museum of New Art, Detroit, USA

2014

- *Wurzeln mehr Aufmerksamkeit widmen*, Group Exhibition, curated by Kunstverein Familie Montez, Honsellbrücke Frankfurt, Germany.

- *Risguardi, letture in opera*, Group Exhibition, Bookshop Easy Reader, Palermo, Italy.

2013

- *Berlin Speed Darting*, selected photographer, Das Gift, Berlin Neukölln, Germany.

- *Donna Ri-conoscenza, Donne che fotografano le donne*, Group Exhibition, curated by Galleria Luigi Ghirri, Regional Museum of Ceramic, Caltagirone, Italy.

- *Fotografia Europea 2013/Circuito Off*, Group Exhibition, Museo dei Cappuccini di Reggio Emilia, curated by Galleria Luigi Ghirri, Caltagirone, Italy.

2011

- *Werkschau 2011*, Group Exhibition, AEG Nuremberg, Germany.

- *Traffic 2011*, Group Exhibition, curated by Giancarlo Lepore, Urbania, Italy

- *Good 50x70*, Group Exhibition of Posters curated by Good Design Society, Piazza Cordusio, Milan, Italy.

2009

- *Reich Der Stille*, Solo Exhibition, curated by Attilio Gerbino and Sebastiano Favitta, Galleria Luigi Ghirri, Caltagirone (CT), Italy

- *I Ritrattist* , Group Exhibition, curated by Sabrina Falzone, Galleria Il Borgo, Milan, Italy.

2008

- *Gastspiel 2008, Fürther Kunstwochenende*, curated by Peter Fidel, Group Exhibition by Kulturing C Society, Fürth (Bay), Germany. - *Jahresausstellung*, Photography Class Olaf Unverzart, curated by Olaf Unverzart, Akademie der Bildenden Künste, Nuremberg, Germany.

2007

- *Diagnosis*, Group Exhibition, Polish Institute, Budapest, Hungary.

- *Incroci possibili alla Ghirri*, Solo Exhibition, curated by Attilio Gerbino and Sebastiano Favitta, Galleria Luigi Ghirri, Caltagirone , Italy

2006

- *Frauen Ausstellung*, Group Exhibition, Kuenstlerei 68 Galerie, Nuremberg, Germany.

2005

- *Kunststudenten aus dem Ausland*, Group Exhibition, Link 2000-2005 Galerie, Sued West Park Nuremberg, Germany.

- *Jahresausstellung*, curated by prof. Peter Angermann, Group Exhibition, Akademie der Bildenden Künste, Nuremberg, Germany

2004

- *Passport#1*, Group Exhibition, curated by Daniela Bigi, Cantieri Culturali alla Zisa, Palermo, Italia.

2003

- *Palermo, città e mare*, Group Exhibition, curated by Sandro Scalia, Stand Florio, Palermo, Italia.

## **TEACHING**

2007 History of Arts and graphic arts, Istituto Marco Casagrande, Pieve di Soligo, Italy

## **COLLABORATIONS**

- Beingeverywhere by Stefan Riebel, 2016
- My\_Spam / Songs of love by Stefan Riebel.
- Film Your Face by Florian Tuercke, Video Installation, 2015

## **SELECTED PUBLICATIONS & FEATURES**

- Cultartes, by Daniel Alexander, 2016
- Still Talking, self published Artist Book, Berlin 2016
- Viaggioattraverso, self published Artist Book, Italy 2015
- "New Cats in Art Photography", by Humble Arts Foundation, New York City, 2014
- C-41 Magazine, 2014
- Weekly Photo/Week 61, Stefanie Seidl's Berlin Weekly.com, 2013
- Profile of the day, Artconnect Berlin. 2013,2014
- La Beautè de Pandore, 2013

## **PRIZE**

-First Prize, Photography Contest and Competition Occhionirico , Trapani, Italy, 2014.

## **RESIDENCY**

- IAM Berlin, December 2015