

ANSLEY WEST RIVERS

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EDUCATION

- 2011-2013 MFA Degree in Photography, California College of the Arts, San Francisco, CA
 2006 BFA BFA Degree in Photography, University of Georgia, Lamar Dodd School of Art, Athens GA

SELECTED SOLO & TWO-PERSON EXHIBITIONS

- 2023 *Holding Time*, Lamar Dodd Gallery, University of Georgia, Athens, GA
 2020 *Seven Rivers*, EUQINOM Gallery, San Francisco, CA
 2020 *Seven Rivers*, Columbus State University, Columbus, GA
 2019 *Seven Rivers*, Telfair Museum, Savannah, GA
 2018 *Seven Rivers*, Laney Contemporary, Savannah, GA
 2017 *Seven Rivers*, Arnall Golden Gregory, Atlanta, GA
 2017 *Seven Rivers*, United Photo Industries, DUMBO, Brooklyn, NY
 2015-16 *Seven Rivers*, Mayo Clinic, Jacksonville, FL
 2014 *Racquet & Rose*, L1 Gallery, Atlanta, GA
 2014 *Seven Rivers*, Southern Light Gallery at Amarillo College, Amarillo, TX
 2011 *Mothers of a Nation*, Champlain College, show & screening, Burlington, VT
 2010 *Mothers of a Nation*, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT
 2009 *Mothers of a Nation*, Emory University Center for Ethics, Atlanta GA
 2009 *Mothers of a Nation*, b(art), Israel
 2009 *Mothers of a Nation*, Wonderroot Gallery, Atlanta, GA
 2007 *Atlanta Celebrates Photography*, Davis & Waldron Gallery, Atlanta GA
 2007 *Disney Crime Scenes*, The Composition Gallery, Atlanta GA

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2023 *Grid*, EUQINOM Gallery, San Francisco, CA
 2022 *South Goes West*, Sarah Shepard Gallery, Larkspur, CA
 2022 Curate Gallery, Vail Valley, CO
 2021 *Curator's Choice Exhibition*, Telfair Museums, Savannah, GA
 2020 *Calm, a group exhibition*, Euqinom Gallery, San Francisco, CA
 2019 *The West*, The Bascom: A Center for the Visual Arts, Highlands, NC
 2017 *Landscapes & Interventions*, Hathaway Contemporary Gallery, Atlanta GA
 2017 *Atlanta Celebrates Photography*, Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport, Atlanta, GA
 2017 United Photo Industries, DUMBO, Brooklyn, NY
 2016 *The Hour of Land*, Euqinom Gallery, San Francisco, CA
 2016 *Southern Abstraction*, Wiregrass Museum, Dothan, AL
 2016 *National Parks*, David Brower Center, Berkeley, CA
 2016 *Edge to Edge*, Museum of Contemporary Art of Georgia, Atlanta, GA
 2016 *Slow Exposures*, juried by Eliot Dudik & David Carol, Zebulon, GA
 2015-16 *Fotofilmic '15 Exhibition*: NYC, Vancouver, Seoul, Korea
 2015 *Georgia Artists Selecting Georgia Artists*, MOCA GA, Atlanta, GA
 2015 *LENS 2015 International Juried Photography Exhibition*, Perspective Gallery, Evanston, IL
 2014 88th Annual International Competition Semifinalist, Print Center, Philadelphia, PA
 2014 *LaGrange National XXVIII*, LaGrange Art Museum, LaGrange, GA
 2014 *Primary Colors*, New Century Artist Gallery, New York, NY
 2013 *Grayscale*, Kiernan Gallery, Lexington, VA

- 2013 *NEXT: New Photographic Visions*, Castell Photography Gallery, Asheville, NC
 2013 *Nude Figure in Landscape*, Carmel Visual Arts, Carmel, CA
 2013 *Image New Mexico*, Matrix Gallery, Albuquerque, NM
 2013 *MFA Now 2013's Juried Exhibition*, Root Division Gallery, San Francisco, CA
 2012 *Keeping Time*, Kala Gallery, Berkeley, CA
 2012 *Slow Exposures Photography Festival*, Concord, GA
 2012 *Decades Magazine Release Show*, The LAB, San Francisco, CA
 2012 *EcoPoesis Symposium*, Wattis Institute of Contemporary Art, San Francisco, CA
 2012 *That Wasn't too Easy*, Leesa Phrang Gallery, San Francisco, CA
 2012 *John Baldessari: Class Assignments*, CCA Wattis, San Francisco, CA
 2011 *Feast Exhibition*, The S.P.A.C.E Gallery, Burlington, VT
 2010 *Alternative Processes*, SOHO PHOTO Gallery, New York, NY
 2010 *Abstraction in Photography*, Vermont Photo Place Gallery, Middlebury, VT
 2010 *Atlanta Celebrates Photography*, Cherry Lion Gallery, Atlanta, GA
 2010 *Georgia Photographers*, Jennifer Swartz Gallery, Atlanta, GA
 2008 *Atlanta Celebrates Photography*, Cherry Lyons Studio, Atlanta GA
 2008 *LaGrange National*, juried by Julian Cox, sold to The Lamar Dodd Art Center, LaGrange, GA
 2007 *21 Under 30*, Mary Stanely Studio, Atlanta, GA
 2007 *Slow Exposures*, juried by Bernie Imes & Sylvia Plachy, Zebulon GA,
 2007 *Works on Paper*, The Spruill Gallery, Atlanta, GA
 2007 *MOCA GA Salutes the Young Movers and Shakers*, Museum of Contemporary Art, Atlanta, GA
 2006 *Photo/Retro: A Retrospective of Photography*, Matre Gallery, Atlanta, GA

AWARDS

- 2017 Feature Shoot Emerging Photography Awards
 2016 Atlanta Celebrates Photography's Ones to Watch
 2015 FotoFilmic '15, Vancouver BC, Canada
 2015 Aperture Award Winner for the 88th Annual International Competition, Print Center, Philadelphia PA
 2014 Reviewers Choice Award, Atlanta Celebrates Photography
 2013 AIR University of Utah, Centennial Valley, Montana
 2013 Review Santa Fe, Santa Fe, NM
 2012 Shifts in Horizons, Headlands Art Institute, CA
 2010 Santa Fe Art Institute Artist in Residency, Santa Fe, NM
 2010 FirstPix Grant Award through NextPix for post production of Mothers of a Nation, NY
 2007 Multiples Project Competition Winner, Museum of Contemporary Art GA, Atlanta
 2007/2008 MOCA GA Working Artists Mentorship, MOCA GA Working Artist Project

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 2019 [Ciel Variable: Art Photo Media Culture](#), Issue 113, Fall 2019
 2019 [NSEW](#), Issue 2, Fall/Winter 2019
 2016 Tempest Williams, Terry, [The Hour of Land](#), Farrar, Straus and Giroux, May 31, 2016.
 2016 The Sun, Issue 482, February
 2015 Bass, Rick (editor), "Growing Up, Getting Older", [Whitefish Review](#): Issue #18, Winter 2015-16.
 "Lay of the Land", *Orion Magazine*, July/August, 2015.
 Rich, Jeff, "Ansley West Rivers: Seven Rivers", [Oxford American](#), February 2015.
 Brooks, Katherine, "Why One Photographer Is Devoted To Capturing America's Disappearing Rivers",
[The Huffington Post](#), January 14, 2015.

- 2014 Hirsch, Caroline, "A Photographer's Evocative Portraits of Rivers in Flux", [The New York Times](#),
December 4, 2014.
Ferro, Shaunacy, "Haunting Pictures Of America's Disappearing Rivers", [Fast Company Design](#), December 14.
Schwartz, Jennifer, "Focal Point Q4.14", [Crusade for Art](#), 2014.
Rich, Jeff, "Racquet & Rose: Eyes on the South", [Oxford American](#), 2014.
- 2013 [MFA NOW 2013](#), exhibition catalogue, Root Division, 2013.
- 2012 [Slow Exposures 2012](#), A Juried Exhibition Celebrating the Rural South 2012 MFA NOW, exhibition
catalogue, Root Division
- 2012 John Baldessari Show at the Wattis Gallery, [San Francisco Weekly](#)
- 2011 [Whitefish Review](#): Volume 5, Issue 2
- 2010 [Shots Magazine](#), no. 108

CATALOG

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COLLECTIONS

Carlson Collection, Minnetonka, MN
Microsoft Art Collection
Telfair Museums, Savannah, GA
Museum of Contemporary Art of Georgia, Atlanta, GA
LaGrange Art Museum, LaGrange, GA
The Judge Realty Collection, Savannah, GA
The Mayo Clinic, Jacksonville, FL