ACADEMIC HISTORY

2002 – MA in Art and Design, First Class Honours, AUT, Auckland.

PRIZES, AWARDS, RESIDENCIES

- 2021 Senior Pacific Artist Award, Creative New Zealand
- 2018 Artist in Residence, ISCP, Brooklyn, New York
- 2017 Paramount Award, Wallace Arts Trust.
- 2013 Artist in Residence, Bridge Guard, Sturovo, Slovakia.

 CNZ funding towards exhibition and writing of Le Tumau.
- 2012 Artist in Residence, Uni-tech, Auckland.
- 2011 CNZ funding to towards group exhibition in London, England.
 Wallace Arts Trust Funding towards solo exhibition, New York, USA.
- 2010 Team McMillan BMW Finalist Art Awards, Newmarket, Auckland. Artist in Residence, McCahon House, Titirangi, Auckland. CNZ funding to travel within Taiwan and to Hong Kong. Artist in Residence, Taipei Artist Village, Taiwan.
- 2009 Artist in Residence, BCA, Rarotonga, Cook Islands.

 CNZ funding towards solo exhibition, Chelsea, New York, USA.
- 2008 CNZ funding towards Le Onoeva Misunderstood Aitu catalogue. Research Scholarship, M B Centre, Ilam University, Canterbury.
- 2006 Charles Southwell Award, Association of Rationalists & Humanists. CNZ funding towards solo exhibition at Whitespace, Auckland.
- 2001 CNZ funding towards solo exhibition, Salamander Gallery, Christchurch. CNZ funding towards solo exhibition, Salamander Gallery, Christchurch. Recipient of the James Wallace Post Graduate Award
- 2000 CNZ funding towards solo exhibition at Dowse Museum, Wellington. First recipient of AUT School of Art and Design Pasifika Scholarship.
- 1999 Artist in Residence, M B Centre, Ilam University, Canterbury.
- 1998 First recipient of Martin Hughes Interior Architects Travel Grant.

 Artist in Residence, Casula Powerhouse, Liverpool, Sydney Australia.

 Funding from the Australian Arts Council for a Residency in Sydney.
- 1997 CNZ funding towards solo exhibition at Pumphouse Gallery, Auckland.

 Certificate of Appreciation, Mayor of Manukau for supporting local arts.
- 1996 CNZ funding to travel to the Sixth Festival of Arts in Samoa.
- 1995 Merit Award, Pumphouse Art Awards, Pumphouse Gallery, Auckland. CNZ funding towards solo exhibition at Mangere Arts Centre, Manukau.
- 1994 Artist in Residence, Mangere Community Arts Centre, Mangere.

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2021 AN UNCANNY CATHARSIS OF UNREQUITED BONES, Artis Gallery, Auckland. Umbically Brown, PG192 Gallery, Christchurch.
- 2020 Conciliation Gatherers, Milford Gallery, Queenstown
- 2019 Kamoan Mine, Hastings City Art Gallery, Hastings.

 An Unwished Heart, Franklin Arts Centre, Pukekohe.

Diasporic Pulse, Bergman Gallery, Rarotonga, Cook Islands.

Dispersed Humanoids, PG192 Gallery, Christchurch.

Embryonic Uslands, Milford Galleries, Dunedin.

Kamoan Mine, Wallace Art Gallery, Morrisville.

Kamoan Mine, The Pah Homestead, Auckland.

2018 – Diasporic Pulse, ISCP Open Day, Brooklyn, New York.

A Clouded Diaspora, Milford Galleries, Queensland.

Mar Mangere Aroha, Bergman Gallery, Rarotonga, Cook Islands.

2017 – Samoa mo Samoa, Mangere Town Centre, Auckland.

An Unlovely Sorry, Fresh Gallery, Auckland

UFO Islands, Bergman Gallery, Rarotonga, Cook Islands.

Homonoia People, PG192 Gallery, Christchurch.

Ufological Islands, 12 Gallery, Auckland.

2016 - The Blue People, All Goods Gallery, Auckland.

Ubiquitous People of Erodipolis, Milford Galleries, Dunedin.

2015 – Ghosts of a Second Samoan, MAC – Nga Tohu o Uenuku, Auckland.

Quaint People of Nuanua, PG gallery 192, Christchurch.

Atmosphere People of Moana, Milford Gallery, Dunedin.

The Checkmate of Wild Rainbows, PP Gallery, Auckland.

2014 – Waking up to the Obsolete People, 12 Gallery, Auckland.

Waking up to the Obscurity People, Te Uru Gallery, Auckland (3 days).

Waking up to the Obscurity People, PP Gallery, Auckland.

Waking up to the Oculus People, Milford Galleries, Queenstown.

The Crucifixion Studies, Chambers241, Christchurch.

2013 – World of Trylapid, BCA Gallery, Rarotonga, Cook Islands.

The Choirs of Lupotea, Milford Galleries, Dunedin.

Rubik Sunflowers, Bridge Guard Gallery, Sturovo, Slovakia.

Rainbow You, Rainbow Me, Kaleidoszkop, Ezstergom, Hungary.

Episades of Pino'nati, Auckland Art Fair, Auckland.

Le Tumau, Whitespace, Auckland.

2012 – Imaginary Park, Snowhite Gallery, Uni-tech, Auckland.

The Quixotic Cruxifiction of lesu, Whitespace, Auckland.

Olaga People, Cosset Café, Auckland.

Immigrant Mind, TSB Bank Wallace Arts Centre, Auckland.

Dandelion People, BCA Gallery, Rarotonga, Cook Islands.

Quasimodo Love, Papergraphica, Christchurch.

Polyneitus Spring, Milford Galleries, Dunedin.

2011 - Op City, Whitespace, Auckland.

World of Lemeads, ROAR! Gallery, Wellington.

World of Erodipolis, Milford Galleries, Dunedin.

Arytipidal, Blue Oyster, Dunedin.

Ufological City, VOLTA, New York, USA.

2010 - Cryptid Illuminati, Whitespace, Auckland.

Andy Leleisi'uao, McCahon House, Titirangi, Auckland.

Wandering Through Pandemonium Quiet, COCA Gallery, Christchurch.

Andy Leleisi'uao, Thistle Hall, Wellington.

- Andy Leleisi'uao, Taipei Artist Village, Taipei, Taiwan.
- 2009 Asefeka of the Unmalosa, Kips Gallery, Chelsea, New York, USA. Areatures of the Arctaur People, BCA, Rarotonga, Cook Islands. Anchored Violetus, Kermadec, Auckland. Le Onoeva – Misunderstood Aitu, Whitespace, Auckland. Mangere Aroha, Whitespace, Auckland. Aroha Mangere, Mangere People's Centre, Mangere, Manukau.
- 2008 Andy Leleisi'uao, McCarthy Gallery, Auckland.

 Angipanis of the Abanimal People, Whitespace, Auckland.
- 2007 Lost Kamoans of the Godly and Godless, Whitespace, Auckland.
- 2006 Ballad of a Cheeky Darkie, Te Tuhi The Mark, Pakuranga, Auckland.
 Catch a Sparkling Spirit, Salamander Gallery, Christchurch.
 I Need to See Alien, Whitespace, Auckland.
 Empowered Wallflower, Whitespace, Auckland.
- 2005 We're Not Black, Salamander Gallery, Christchurch. Cheeky Darkie, Whitespace, Auckland
- 2004 The Ballad of Tinou'amea and Pepe, Whitespace, Auckland.

 Dressed to Kill, Salamander Gallery, Christchurch.
- 2003 Tribute to Western Samoa, Salamander Gallery, Christchurch.
 The Umu Collection of Titles, Whitespace, Auckland.
- 2002 Minoi, Minoi Mai, Salamander Gallery, Christchurch.
- 2001 My Samoan Accent, Artstation Gallery, Ponsonby, Auckland. The Brown Corner, Salamander Gallery, Christchurch. Seta Blue, Mangere People's Centre, Mangere, Manukau. Tired of Silence, Dowse Art Museum, Lower Hutt, Wellington.
- 2000 Polynesian Grotesques, Muka Studio, Ponsonby, Auckland. Crashed Presbyterian, Te Taumata Art Gallery, Auckland.
- 1999 Patterns of My Lavalava, Ilam University, Christchurch.
- 1998 Furious (with G. Hookey), Casula Powerhouse, Sydney, Australia. The Brownest Dawn, The Pumphouse, Takapuna, Auckland.
- 1997 Selected Works, Pakuranga Cultural Centre, Pakuranga, Manukau. Waking Up To My Polynesian Spine, Aotea Centre, Auckland.
- 1996 Selected Works, Aotea Centre, Auckland Central, Auckland.
- 1995 Selected Works, Manurewa Nathan Homestead, Manukau. Selected Works, Papatoetoe Library, Manukau. Early Escapades, Mangere Community Arts Centre, Manukau.