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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### PRODUCTION MANAGER

Hilltop Artists, Tacoma, WA // 2022 - present

### ARTIST + OWNER

Baso Glass, Tacoma, WA // 2020 - present

### ASSISTANT PRODUCTION MANAGER + INSTRUCTOR

Hilltop Artists, Tacoma, WA // 2012 - 2022

### LEAD GAFFER

Glassybaby, Seattle, WA // 2010 - 2021

### LEAD INSTRUCTOR FOR HOT SHOP HEROES + HOT SHOP TECHNICIAN

Museum of Glass, Tacoma, WA // 2013 - 2020

### GLASSBLOWER

Chihuly, Inc., Seattle, WA // 2017 - 2020

### TEACHING ASSISTANT

Pilchuck Glass School, Stanwood, WA // 2015

### GAFFER OLYMPICS

Pilchuck Glass School, Stanwood, WA // 2015

### PRODUCTION GLASSBLOWER

Bella's Balls, Tacoma, WA // 2011 - 2013

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## ARTIST RESIDENCIES + DEMONSTRATIONS

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| 2023 | <i>[Upcoming]</i> 4-Day Residency, Barrio Glassworks, Carlsbad, CA<br>Demonstration, Terminal City Glass, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada<br>Demonstration, Seattle Glassblowing Studio, Seattle, WA |
| 2022 | 3-Day Visiting Artist Residency, Museum of Glass, Tacoma, WA<br>5-Day Visiting Artist Residency, Museum of Glass, Tacoma, WA<br>Red Hot Featured Artist, Museum of Glass, Tacoma, WA                     |
| 2021 | 3-Day Visiting Artist Residency, Museum of Glass, Tacoma, WA<br>5-Day Visiting Artist Residency, Museum of Glass, Tacoma, WA   |
| 2020 | <i>[Canceled due to COVID-19]</i> Visiting Artist Residency, Museum of Glass, Tacoma, WA   |
| 2018 | Instructor Collaborative Residency (in collaboration with Pavlína Čambalová and Erika Tada), Corning Museum of Glass, Corning, NY  |

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## SOLO + GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2023 [Upcoming] Title TBD, Sandra Ainsley Gallery, Toronto, Ontario, Canada  
BIMA Spotlight, Bainbridge Island Museum of Art, Bainbridge Island, WA  
Group exhibition, Sandra Ainsley Gallery, Toronto, Canada  
*Scanning the Room*, Vashon Center for the Arts, Vashon, WA  
*Living Lineage*, ArtXchange Gallery, Seattle, WA
- 2022 Group exhibition, Auburn City Hall Gallery, Auburn, WA
- 2022 *Riff Raff*, Fulcrum Gallery, Tacoma, WA  
*GATHER: 27 Years of Hilltop Artists*, Tacoma Art Museum, Tacoma, WA
- 2019 *Powerplant*, 171 Elizabeth, Parasol Projects, New York, NY
- 2018 *Sea, Still*, Tacoma Art Museum, Tacoma, WA
- 2017 *New Voices: A Glass Exhibition*, Columbia City Gallery, Seattle, WA
- 2008 - 2009 *Hilltop Artists in Residence (HART) Program*, Vetri / Traver Gallery, Tacoma, WA
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## CURATION, TEACHING, + OTHER RELATED EXPERIENCE

- 2024 [Upcoming] Instructor, Title TBD, Pilchuck Glass School, Stanwood, WA
- 2023 Instructor, Teen Stone Carving class, Pratt Fine Arts Center, Seattle, WA  
Instructor, Sculpting 101, UrbanGlass, Brooklyn, NY  
Participant in the Teaching Artist Training Lab (TAT Lab), ArtsWA, Olympia, WA
- 2022 Featured Speaker, TAM Gala, Tacoma Art Museum, Tacoma, WA  
Gallery Juror for City of Auburn 2023 Gallery exhibitions, Auburn, WA  
Panelist for *Sustaining Success for Young and Emerging BIPOC Artists*, 2022  
Annual GAS (Glass Art Society) Conference, Tacoma, WA  
Curation of *GATHER: 27 Years of Hilltop Artists*, Tacoma Art Museum, Tacoma, WA
- 2021 Artist Talk + Presentation for Aloha Club, Tacoma, WA  
Artist Talk, Museum of Glass, Tacoma, WA
- 2020 Participant in PARC: Public Art Reaching Community Cohort, Office of Arts & Cultural Vitality, Tacoma, WA
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## AWARDS + SCHOLARSHIPS

- 2022 Barrio Glassworks Artist Appreciation Award, Pilchuck Glass School, Stanwood, WA  
2022 Artist Grant: Crafts, Allied Arts Foundation, Seattle, WA
- 2021 People's Choice Award, Museum of Glass, Tacoma, WA
- 2020 Artist Trust Relief Fund, Artist Trust, Seattle, WA
- 2015 John and Mary Shirley Scholarship in Glass, Pratt Fine Arts Center, Seattle, WA
- 2014 Greg Piercy Annual Scholarship Award, Hilltop Artists, Tacoma, WA  
Pilchuck Glass School Scholarship, Hilltop Artists, Tacoma, WA
- 2013 Emerging Artist, Museum of Glass, Tacoma, WA
- 2012 Italo Scanga Scholarship in Glass, Pratt Fine Arts Center, Seattle, WA
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## PUBLICATIONS + APPEARANCES

["artTown - Trenton Quiocho"](#), City of Tacoma YouTube channel, January 2023

["Meet the Artist: Trenton Quiocho"](#), Museum of Glass YouTube channel, October 2022

["3 Western WA glassblowers compete on Season 3 of Netflix's 'Blown Away'"](#), The Seattle Times, July 2022

["Filipino American artist Trenton Quiocho explores his heritage in Gather: 27 Years of Hilltop Artists"](#), International Examiner, July 2022

["Blown Away"](#), Season 3 Contestant, Marble Media Productions, Canada, premiered July 2022

["Gets Real: Tacoma Art Museum celebrates work of Hilltop artists"](#), KIRO 7, May 2022

["27 Years Of Hilltop Artists On Display At GATHER Exhibit"](#), Northwest Public Broadcasting, May 2022

["TAM Presents GATHER: 27 Years of Hilltop Artists"](#), Hilltop Action Journal, pgs 4-5, April 2022

["Tacoma Art Museum's 'GATHER' exhibit highlights 27 years of Hilltop Artists glassblowing programs for young people"](#), The Seattle Times, April 2022

["Tacoma Art Museum exhibit celebrates grassroots program that turns at risk students into artists"](#), King 5, April 2022

["Hilltop glassblowers get their time in the gallery spotlight at Tacoma Art Museum"](#), The News Tribune, March 2022

["Alumni of Hilltop's glass arts program step into the spotlight with Tacoma Art Museum exhibit"](#), KNKX, March 2022

["Tacoma Art Museum to Present a Survey of Hilltop Artists Alumni in GATHER: 27 Years of Hilltop Artists"](#), Artfix Daily, March 2022

["GATHER: 27 Years of Hilltop Artists"](#), Tacoma Art Museum blog, March 2022

["Grit City Stories: Gather - 27 Years of Hilltop Artists at TAM"](#), Tacoma Historical Society, March 2022

["Meet the Artist: Trenton Quiocho"](#), Museum of Glass YouTube channel, August 2021

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## EDUCATION

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|-------------|---------------------------------------|
| 2022        | Pratt Fine Arts Center, Seattle, WA   |
| 2014 - 2016 | Pilchuck Glass School, Stanwood, WA   |
| 2011 - 2016 | Pratt Fine Arts Center, Seattle, WA   |
| 2011 - 2013 | Classes with Boyd Sugiki, Seattle, WA |
| 2005 - 2010 | Hilltop Artists, Tacoma, WA           |