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PHOTOGRAPHER + VISUAL ARTIST

Savannah, Georgia

Elena Magidson is a visual artist based in Savannah, Georgia. Working mostly with collage and photography, she makes art that indicates her unique style and originality.

Imagery in her work involves bodies of water and the relationship they hold with other items placed in frame. She often incorporates elements of fashion and femininity.

EDUCATION

2020 - 2023 **Savannah College of Art and Design** Bachelor of fine arts in photography Minor in Printmaking

2019 - 2020 **Temple University** Tyler School of Art Year one, foundations of art

WORK EXPERIENCE

Newborn Photographer

Mom365, 2023 - Present

Photograph and pose newborn babies in area hospitals to create unforgettable first memories for families

Sales Associate

Ex Libris Bookstore, 2022 - Present Utilize customer service skills and specialized knowledge to assist clients with purchase of art supplies

Photography Assistant

Hilton Head Island Photography, 2022

Provided set up, greeting and posing services. Collaborated with team to provide clients with personalized and professional vacation photos

SHOWS & AWARDS

<u>First Prize of the Open Photography Competition</u> <u>Exhibition juried by Joyce Tenneson at the</u> <u>International Photography Hall of Fame and</u> <u>Museum (IPHE), 2023</u>

Contributing Artist for Hand Magazine's 41st Issue, 2023

LensCulture Emerging Talents Awards Editors Pick, 2023

LensCulture Critics Choice Awards Editors Pick, 2023

PRAXIS Photo Arts Center Poetic Storytelling, 2023

Musee Magazine Weekend Feature Portfolio, 2023

Featured Image in Der Greif's 15th Anniversary "Past & Present", 2023

The Glassgow Gallery of Photography Monochrome Pt.1, 2023

<u>Possibilities VIII, an Exhibit of Experimental</u> <u>Printmaking, Cedar House Gallery, Savannah, GA,</u> <u>2023</u>