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BIO

Sam Crocker is a poet interested in formal experimentation, concision, and parataxis. His senior thesis at Bard College, *Settings*, was a collection of poetry which attempted to chart a matrix of relations between geography, language, and personal history. He lives and works in Brooklyn, NY.

EDUCATION

2020 – 2024   Bard College: BA in Written Arts
Graduating GPA of 3.99. Active in student DIY music community. Studied with professors Ann Lauterbach, Jenny Xie, Cole Heinowitz, Hua Hsu, and Jenny Offill.

2017   Juniper Institute for Young Writers, UMass Amherst

AWARDS & PUBLICATIONS

2025   *Girlhood*, forthcoming in Antiphony's November issue
2024   Mark Purlia '71 Memorial Scholar, Bard College
2024   Margaret and John Bard Scholar's Prize in Languages & Literature, Bard College

RELEVANT WORK EXPERIENCE

Summer, 2023   Joshua Beckman (Poet & Editor, *Wave Books*), *Personal Assistant*

- Proofread a poetry manuscript in advance of short run publication.
- Converted archived print manuscripts to digital formats for editing and potential future publication.
- Compiled and organized sources as preliminary research for an anthology of translated poetry.

2022 – 2024   Stevenson Library, *Library Assistant*

- Located books and other materials for library patrons and ensured they were returned on time.
- Helped patrons navigate technical resources, such as printers, ILLiad, and the digital catalog.
- Reorganized the third-floor collection as part of a library restructuring project (*Summer, 2023).

SELECT LIST OF PROJECTS

2024	Author, *Settings*, senior thesis in poetry
2024	Guitarist on *Counseling*, album by Counseling
2024	Performer and installation crew, *That Very Expanse*, senior thesis exhibition by Shannon O'Neill involving live textile weaving between pairs of performers
2024	Guitarist, *Stuck Inside of the Pea Pod with the Little Bean Blues Again*, electronic music thesis concert by Cyrus Kurman Browning
2020 – 2024	Poster design for Counseling concerts

SKILLS

- Computer: Photoshop, Microsoft Programs (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Outlook), Sierra ILS, Square POS, and Apple Logic Pro
- Basic carpentry/wood shop experience
- Basic printshop experience (linocut/woodblock relief, intaglio, heat transfer)
- Gardening/landscaping