

Mischa Langley (they/them)

Born 1996, Chattanooga, TN
Lives and works in New York, NY

Education

MS Mechanical Engineering, NYU, 2021
BA Mechanical Engineering, California Institute of Technology, 2019

Born and raised in Chattanooga, TN, Mischa moved to LA for undergraduate studies, and then to New York for graduate studies, pursuing an academic career in mechanical engineering and applied math. During their masters program Mischa found woodworking by making home furniture in the student shop between classes. In the physical rituals of woodwork Mischa encountered a manual satisfaction missing from theory and analysis. Upon completing their master's degree in Spring 2021, Mischa declined a funded PhD in control theory at NYU to join Vince in founding Lesser Miracle

Vince Patti (he/him)

Born 1992, Berkeley, CA
Lives and works in New York, NY

Education

BA Sculpture NYU, 2015

Born in Berkeley, CA, Vince grew up surrounded by the rich architectural history of the Berkeley hills. From a young age he was encouraged by his grandmother to study the local work of Bernard Maybeck and Julia Morgan, gaining respect for the American arts and crafts movement. Moving to New York for college Vince expanded his interest in architecture into sculpture and woodworking. While fabricating furniture for friends out of his sculpture studio during Covid, Vince began working with Mischa, and their joint practice grew to become Lesser Miracle in Spring 2021.

Exhibitions

2022
Lesser Miracle, David Lewis, New York, NY