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### **Languages**

English, German

### **Education**

*Brown University, Bachelor of Arts, magna cum laude* — Double Degree in Comparative Literature & German Studies 2014

*Fulbright International Scholarship Grant* 2015-16

*Doula Trainings International Full Spectrum Doula Certification* 2015

### **Teaching & Facilitation**

Founding Educator (Doula Trainings International) 2022

Queer Infant Feeding Masterclass (Birthing Advocacy Doula Trainings) 2021

Self Care For Birth Workers (Doula Trainings International) 2021

Building Your Doula Business Abroad (Doula Trainings International) 2021

The Role of the Doula in Queer Reproductive Justice (Freie Universität Berlin) 2021

BDSM & Birth (Other Nature Alternative Sex Shop) 2021

Caring For Queer & Trans Families (Center For Doula Pathways) 2020

Providing Care For Queer & Trans Families (Birth Kweens Podcast) 2020

How We Birth with Michel Odent (Co-organizer) (Birth to Birth) 2016

## **Training**

Crisis Response for Birth Workers (Project LETS & BADT)	2022
Born Into This (DTI)	2020
Rebozo Culture, History & Uses (Gena Kirby)	2020
The Doula's Doula (Gena Kirby)	2020
Midwifery Finishing School (Karly Nuttall)	2019
Womb Care: Remedies and Massages with Ramiro Romero, Fundación Mujeres Bachué	2019
Art & Science of Breastfeeding with Indira Lopez Bassols, IBCLC	2017
Birth Beyond The Binary   Models of Care Queer Practitioner Training	2017
Birth Beyond The Binary   INTENTION: Pathways to Conception & Supporting Fertility - for Care Providers	2017
AngelBirth Level 2 Practitioner Certification (The Women School)	2016-18
Spinning Babies Practitioner Training (Jennifer Walker)	2016
Yoga Practitioner: Vinyasa & Yin, since	2004