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**Education**

1982-85 Ontario College of Art, Toronto, ON: Diploma in Experimental Art, A.O.C.A

1983 University of Guelph, Guelph, ON, Fine Arts Program

1981-82 H.B. Beal Tech., London, ON, Certificate of Special Arts

1979-81 Dawson College, C.E.G.E.P., Montreal, PQ, Fine Arts Program

1970-79 McGill University Conservatory of Music, Montreal, PQ, Classical Piano

**Selected Exhibitions****Solo**

2018 *This Earth*, Sunshine Coast Arts Council, Sechelt, BC

*Recent Wax Worx*, Gumboot Cafe, Roberts Creek, BC

2014 *Into the Wilderness*, Sunshine Coast Arts Council, Sechelt, BC

2001 *Paintings*, Levity Bakery & Cafe, Toronto, ON

1999 *Banners*, Levity Bakery & Cafe, Toronto, ON

1997 *Down to Earth*, Rebecca Gallery, Toronto, ON

**Group & Two Person**

2022 *Singular/Serial*, with G. Guzek, Kim LaFave & Jennifer Love, ACT Art Gallery, Maple Ridge, BC

2021 *Singular/Serial*, with G. Guzek, Kim LaFave & Jennifer Love, Sunshine Coast Arts Council, Sechelt, BC

*Present Tense*, Members Exhibition, GPAG, Gibsons, BC

2020 *For the Joy of It*, GPAG, Gibsons, BC, curated by Greta Guzek, with Greta Guzek, Kirsten Guzek, Josefa Fritz-Barnham & Motoko Baum

2019 *The BIG little Art Show*, Christy Sverre Studio & Gallery, Gibsons, BC, with Christy Sverre, Carol LaFave, Judy Pollock

2018 *Coast Creatives, On the Wall-Off the Wall*, GPAG, Gibsons, BC

*Art of Healing*, Sechelt Hospital Foundation, Art Donation, Sunshine Coast Golf & Country Club, Sechelt, BC

*The Art of Loss*, Exhibit & Fundraiser for the Sunshine Coast Hospice Society, GPAG, Gibsons, BC

*Into the Wilderness*, Gibsons Public Market, Gibsons, BC

2017 *ORIGINS, Legacies of the Coast*, curated by Diana Robertson & Jessica Silvey, Sechelt Arts Festival, Sechelt, BC

*FOG*, Friends of the Gallery, SCAC, Sechelt, BC

*123*, Kube Gallery, Gibsons, BC

*Present Tense*, Members Exhibition, GPAG, Gibsons, BC

*50 Canadian Things*, SCAC, curated by Ian MacLeod, Sechelt, BC

*Anonymous*, Kube Gallery, Gibsons, BC

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### **Selected Group Exhibitions cont'd**

- 2016 *It's Not All Black & White*, Christy Sverre Studio & Gallery, Gibsons, BC, with Christy Sverre, Carol Lafave  
*One View Times Two*, with Marina Crawford, Landing Gallery, Sunshine Coast Artists Co-op, Gibsons, BC
- 2015 *FOG*, Friends of the Gallery, SCAC, Sechelt, BC  
*Somewhere Out There*, Feature Artist, with Cindy Cantelon & guest speaker Candace Campo, Landing Gallery, Sunshine Coast Artists Co-op, Gibsons  
*Zocalo Winter Pop-Up Art Show*, with Jan Poynter & Christy Sverre, Gibsons BC  
*4 Points of View*, Christy Sverre Studio & Gallery, Gibsons, BC  
*Small Works*, member's holiday exhibit, Landing Gallery, Sunshine Coast Artists Co-op, Gibsons
- 2014 *Anonymous Art Show*, CityScape Gallery, North Vancouver Community Arts Council, BC  
*FOG*, Friends of the Gallery, SCAC, Sechelt, BC  
*Metamorphosis*, SCAC, Sechelt, BC, juried exhibition
- 2013 *Carte Blanche*, SCAC, Sechelt, BC, juried exhibition
- 2010 *Salon 4*, Propellor Gallery Toronto, ON
- 2009 *Annual Christmas Exhibit*, Strand Fine Art Services, London, ON  
*Recent Works*, Rebecca Gallery, Toronto, ON
- 2007 *Choices*, Woodstock Public Art Gallery, Woodstock, ON
- 2000 *Loop + 1*, Loop Gallery, Toronto, ON  
*The Bar Show*, Rhino Bar & Grill Inc., Toronto, ON
- 2000 *Art Gig 9*, curated by Judith Wilkinson, Club We've, Toronto, ON
- 1999 *Fictions*, Rebecca Gallery, Toronto, ON, two-person exhibition  
*Art Gig 8*, Club We've, Toronto, ON  
*Art Gig 7*, Club We've, Toronto, ON
- 1998 *Art Gig 6*, Tropicana 88, Toronto, ON  
*Bealart: 80 Years of Experiment*, curated by Paddy O'Brien, The London Regional Art & Historical Museums, London, ON
- 1997 *Toronto Outdoor Art Exhibition*, Nathan Phillips Square, Toronto, ON, juried exhibition
- 1996 *Fibreworks*, Cambridge Public Library, Cambridge, ON, juried exhibition  
*Annual Open House*, MacNeill Edmundson Barbato Chartered Accountants, London, ON  
*Homely*, The Poor Trade Union Artist Collective, Toronto Carpet Factory, Toronto, ON
- 1994 *Toronto Outdoor Art Exhibition*, Nathan Phillips Square, Toronto, ON, juried exhibition  
*Four Voices*, Lindsay Public Art Gallery, Lindsay, ON

## **Bibliography**

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*For the Joy of It*, ZOOM Magazine, pg.36-41, July 1, Summer Issue 2020  
*Little Artworks, Big Impact*, Anna Nobile, The Local Weekly, Arts & Culture Review, pg.8, April 19, 2019  
BIG little Art Show this weekend, Rik Jespersen, Coast Reporter, April 18th, 2019  
*Local Artist to Stage Three Exhibitions*, Anna Nobile, The Local Weekly, Arts & Culture Review, pg.8, May 10th, 2018  
*Present Tense*, GPAG Newsletter, Sept. News Update, Sept. 8, 2017

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*Four Points of View*, art show times two, Jan Degraess, Arts & Entertainment, Coast Reporter, pg.39, July 3rd, 2015  
*An Entertaining Year (in review)*, Jan Degraess, Arts & Entertainment, Coast Reporter, pg.28, Dec. 2014  
*Men and Good Old Boys*, Jan Degraess, Arts & Entertainment, Coast Reporter, pg.68, Oct.16, 2014  
*Choices*, Maria Ricker, Director, Woodstock Public Art Gallery Newsletter, pg.1, 2007  
*Bealart: 80 Years of Experiment 1912-1992*, Exhibition Catalogue, The London Regional Art & Historical Museums, London, ON, pg. 67, 1998

**Professional Experience**

2018-21 *Member at Large & Secretary*, Board of Directors, Sunshine Coast Arts Council, Sechelt, BC  
2019 *Introduction to Oil & Cold Wax*, workshop for Sechelt Arts Festival, Seaside Centre, Sechelt, BC  
*Massive to Minute*, 4 day painting workshop, Gibsons School of the Arts, Gibsons, BC  
2018-19 *Introduction to Oil & Cold Wax*, 1 day workshops, Dec.& Jan., Jen's studio, Gibsons, BC  
2017 *Sea Cavalcade* kids' colouring placemat design, Gibsons, BC  
2016 *Juror*, SCAC, Sechelt, BC  
*On Solid Ground*, acrylic painting class for beginners, The Arts Building, Gibsons, BC  
2016 *Open Studio*, painting workshop, March Break, Jen's studio, Gibsons, BC  
*Open Studio*, semi-private painting workshop, Jen's studio, Gibsons, BC  
2015 *Zocalo Winter Pop-Up Art Studio*, workshop, demo, artist talk, with Christy Sverre, Gibsons, BC  
2014-18 *Juror*, Kid's Annual Art Exhibit SCAC, Sechelt, BC  
*Executive Board Member & Artist Member*, Landing Gallery, Sunshine Coast Artists Co-op, Gibsons, BC  
2000-11 *Floor Manager & Buyer*, The Centre Shop, Canadian & International Art & Design, Harbourfront Centre Corp., Toronto, ON  
1997-05 *Art Instructor*, Senior Adult Services, Toronto, ON  
2000-01 *Assistant*, Moya Gillett Art Restoration Services Toronto, ON  
1996 *Illustrator*, B & A Literary Magazine, Toronto ON  
1993 *Assistant Outdoor Sculpture Installation*, Cecilia Varga, Harbourfront Centre, Toronto ON  
1993 *Assistant Outdoor Sculpture Installation*, Cecilia Varga, Artspace, Peterborough, ON  
1987 *Assistant for Art Performance*, Alexandra Z., Metro Toronto Convention Centre, ON  
1985 *Assistant Art Sculptor*, John MacGregor, Isaac's Gallery, Toronto, ON

**Awards**

1994 *Best Fibre*, Terry Martel Real Estate Ltd., TOAE, Nathan Phillips Square, Toronto, ON  
1982 *Highest Standing in Drawing*, C.F.P.L. TV, Grad Exhibition, H. B. Beal Tech., London, ON  
1979 *First in Visual Arts*, Graduating Year, Riverdale High School, Pierrefonds, PQ

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**Professional Affiliations & Art Related Events**

2021 *Guest Artist: Gelpinting Demo*, Marlene Lowden's online workshop, Painting with Confidence

2020-21 *HELP Bolivia*, online silent auction, Canadian Charity, HELP Bolivia Foundation, Airdie, AB

2020 *#WildAuction2020*, Pacific Wild online auction, Vancouver, B.C.

2018 *Gambier Island Community Centre Society*, Annual Fundraiser & Auction, Art Donation, Gambier Island, BC

2018 & 2021 *Art of Healing*, exhibit & event Gala, Sechelt Hospital Foundation, Art Donation, Sunshine Coast Golf & Country Club, Roberts Creek, BC

2018 *Banner Project*, SCAC, Sechelt, BC

2016 *Coats of Paint*, art-fashion show, sale & fundraiser event, Roberts Creek Hall, Roberts Creek, BC, with Trisha Joel

2015-18, *Volunteer for Power of Paint*, Eleven Equal Artists Annual Art Exhibition, Seaside Centre, Sechelt, BC

2015-16, *Annual Wine & Art Festival/Auction*, Gibsons Rotary Club, Gibsons, BC

2014-16, *Sunshine Coast Artists Co-op, Member, Executive Board Member*, The Landing Gallery, Gibsons, BC

*ARTBomb*, online art auction, Vancouver, BC

2014 *The Federation of Canadian Artist*, Active Member, Vancouver BC

2013-19, *Sunshine Coast Annual Art Crawl*, Gibsons, BC, open studio

On-going member of the SCAC, CCA & GPAG, Sunshine Coast, BC