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EDUCATION

- 1991 MFA Sculpture
Concordia University, Montreal, Quebec
- 1988 Honours Diploma 3-Dimensional Studies
Emily Carr College of Art and Design, Vancouver, B.C.
- 1975-1977 Graphic Design Program
Alberta College of Art, Calgary, Alberta

COMMISSIONS / SOLO / ONLINE EXHIBITIONS

- 2020 Online Exhibition, Richard Saltoun Gallery, London, England
- 2019 Newborns/Swaddled, sculpture,
Harcourt House, Edmonton Alberta
- 2017 Getting Big, sculpture and painting,
Latitude 53 Gallery, Edmonton, Alberta
- 2007 Jumping Trout, City of Calgary – Glenmore Trail Retaining Walls
Public Art Project
- 2007 Walking on Orange, Signal Box Public Art Project,
Calgary, Alberta
- 2001 Alberta Jamboree, Short List, Calgary International Airport
Themeworks Project
- 1997 Circus, sculptural installation,
Devonian Art Gallery, Calgary, Alberta
- 1994 Another Tea Party, sculptural installation,
Muttart Art Gallery, Calgary Alberta
- 1992 Crowd II, sculptural installation,
AKA Gallery, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan
- 1992 Repeated Tales, sculptural installation,
Skol Gallery, Montreal, Quebec.
- 1991 Crowd II, sculptural installation,
L'Oeil de Poisson Inc., Quebec, Quebec

- 1991 Crowd I, sculptural installation,
Hamilton Artists Inc., Hamilton, Ontario
- 1991 Tales, sculptural installation,
Complexe du Canal Lachine, Montreal, Quebec
- 1990 Crowd II, sculptural installation,
Bourget Gallery, Montreal, Quebec
- 1990 Horses and Riders, sculptural installation,
Truck Gallery, Calgary, Alberta
- 1989 Runners, sculptural installation,
La Chambre Blanche Gallery, Quebec, Quebec
- 1987 A Gathering, sculptural installation,
Western Front Gallery, Vancouver, British Columbia
- 1986 Birds, audio-visual installation, (with sound by Catherine Costello
Hirata), Grunt Gallery, Vancouver, British Columbia
- 1985 Dance, audio-visual installation, (with sound by Catherine Costello
Hirata), Pitt International Galleries, Vancouver, British Columbia

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2020 Finalist Exhibition, Procreate Project Mother Art Prize, Cromwell
Place, London, England
- 2019 We Buy Gold (art collective Good To Know), Works on Paper,
Miami, FL
- 2019 Finalist Exhibition, Salt Spring National Art Prize, Salt Spring,
British Columbia
- 2017 Fox on a Zebra, This art Makes Me Feel, McMullen Gallery,
Edmonton, Alberta
- 2017 Newborns, Arts Commons Windows Galleries,
Calgary, Alberta
- 1992 Tea Party, Gordon Snelgrove Gallery,
Saskatoon, Saskatchewan
- 1988 Couple, sculptural installation,
First Show, a visual arts exhibit for the First Night Celebration
Vancouver, British Columbia
- 1987 Swimmers, a sculptural installation,
Artropolis, an exhibition of contemporary British Columbia Art
Vancouver, British Columbia

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2006	Artist Roster, The City of Calgary Public Art Program, Calgary, Alberta
2001-2006	Artist Roster, Artist in Schools Residency Program, Alberta Foundation for the Arts, Calgary, Alberta
1999-2005	Visual Arts Instructor, Calgary Arts Partners in Education Society (CAPES), Calgary, Alberta
2000/2002	Visiting Artist Lecture, Mount Royal University, Calgary, Alberta
1993	Visual Arts Instructor, Art Programs, North Mount Pleasant and Wildflower Arts Centre Calgary, Alberta
1991-1993	Instructor, Department of Art and Art History, University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan
1990-1991	Instructor, Department of Sculpture, Ceramics and Fibres Concordia University, Montreal, Quebec

AWARDS

2020	Procreate Project Mother Art Prize Online Award, Richard Saltoun Gallery
2019	Salt Spring National Art Prize Award, Honourable Mention
2017	Alberta Foundation for the Arts Project Grant
2009	Award of Excellence in Concrete, Alberta Chapter American concrete institute (aci), Jumping Trout, Glenmore, Elbow, 5 th Street Interchange Project, Calgary, Alberta
2000	Arts Smarts Grant
1997	Alberta Foundation for the Arts Project Grant
1992	Canada Council Grant
1990	Canada Council Grant
1988, 1989	J.W. McConnell Memorial Fellowships
1986, 1987	British Columbia Culture Awards
1985, 1986, 1987	British Columbia Education Scholarships