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CURRICULUM VITAE

EDUCATION:

- 1993 -**Master of Fine Arts Degree**, Concordia University, Montréal, Québec
1977 -**Diploma of Visual Arts**, Alberta College of Art and Design, Calgary, Alberta

RESIDENCIES / PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT:

- 2010 -**Vermont Studio Center**, Johnson, Vermont, USA
2005 -**Daimon, Research and Creation Program**, Gatineau, Québec
2002 -**Art Gallery of Sudbury**, Sudbury, Ontario
2001 -**Centro de la Imagen**, Mexico City, Mexico, sponsored by Canada/Mexico Creative Artists Program, Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade, Canada and Fondo Nacional para la Cultura y las Artes, Mexico

1998 -**Self-Directed Creative Residency**, Banff Centre for the Arts, Banff, Alberta
1997/98 -**Canada Council Paris Studio**, La Cité Internationale des Arts, Paris, France
1996 -**Canadiana Inn Residency Award**, Co-hosted by Imago Inc., Galerie Sans Nom Co-op and Galerie d'art de l'Université de Moncton
1995 -**International Artist's Exchange**, Big Peg Gallery, Birmingham, U.K.

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS (SOLO):

- 2015 -**DEATH—Retrospective In The Dining Room**, Research In Art (RIA), Ottawa, Ontario
2013 -**Where Old Artwork Goes To Die**, Gladstone Hotel's Fly By Night/Nuit Blanche, Toronto, Ontario
-**Dead Bird**, Galleria Cinco, Ronda, Malaga, Spain
2009 -**SEVER**, Patrick Mikhail Gallery, Ottawa, Ontario
2007 -**Magnificent Corpses**, Patrick Mikhail Gallery, Ottawa, Ontario
2005 -**Street Photos**, AxeNéo7, Gatineau, Québec
2003 -**L'hôtel SofiCalle**, Dunlop Art Gallery, Regina, Saskatchewan
2002 -**L'hôtel SofiCalle***, L'Espace VOX, Montréal, Québec
-**L'hôtel SofiCalle**, Eastern EDGE Gallery, St. John's, Newfoundland
-**Bell Rock***, Art Gallery of Sudbury, Sudbury, Ontario
-**L'hôtel SofiCalle***, Stride Gallery, Calgary, Alberta
2001 -**L'hôtel SofiCalle***, Carleton University Art Gallery, Ottawa, Ontario
1999 -**High Ground***, Ottawa Art Gallery, Ottawa, Ontario
1998 -**High Ground***, Southern Alberta Art Gallery, Lethbridge, Alberta
-**Inside Out**, Struts Gallery, Sackville, New Brunswick
-**Inside Out**, eyelevelgallery, Halifax, Nova Scotia
1997 -**Vera Greenwood**, (Galerie Sans Nom) Galerie Sans Sous, Moncton, New Brunswick
1996 -**Home***, Truck Gallery, Calgary, Alberta
1994 -**Significant/Insignificant**, Galerie Dare-dare, Montréal, Québec

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS (GROUP):

- 2014 -**Art in Odd Spaces – A RIA House Tour**, six Ottawa homes, May 3 and 10
-**Artist's Walks***, Art Gallery of Peterborough, Peterborough, Ontario, curated by Earl Miller
2013 -**Wallpower***, National Gallery of Canada Library and Archives, Ottawa, Ontario
-**Heart of the Moment**, Ottawa Art Gallery, Ottawa, Ontario
2010 -**Toronto International Art Fair**, with Patrick Mikhail Gallery
-**The Triumph of the Therapeutic**, Patrick Mikhail Gallery, Ottawa, Ontario
2009 -**Toronto International Art Fair**, with Patrick Mikhail Gallery
-**Microcosm**, Patrick Mikhail Gallery, Ottawa, Ontario
2008 -**Evidence: The Ottawa City Project**, Ottawa Art Gallery, curated by Emily Falvey
-**Showcase**, Patrick Mikhail Gallery, Ottawa, Ontario
-**Toronto International Art Fair**, with Patrick Mikhail Gallery
2007 -**D&G (Détournement et gommage dans l'édition sur l'art) – Rencontres, Découvertes, Échanges**, Artexte (Montréal), Marseille, France
-**The New Part Two**, Patrick Mikhail Gallery, Ottawa, Ontario

- 2006 -**Fragile Beauty***, Primopiano LivinGallery, Lecce, Italy
- 2005 -included my piece **N.L.Q. (No Leading Questions)**, Patrick Mikhail Gallery, Ottawa, Ontario
- 2003 -**The Bigger Picture–Portraits from Ottawa**, Ottawa Art Gallery, curated by Karen Love
- Art Walks***, National Gallery of Canada Library and Archives
- 2001 -**Ayuntamiento** (video), Centro de la Imagen, Mexico City, Mexico
- 1999 -**Moving & Storage***
- 1997 -**Changing Hands**, Karsh-Masson Gallery, Ottawa, Ontario
- 1995 -**B'ham Evidence**, Big Peg Gallery, Birmingham, U.K.
- 1992 -**Faculty Exhibition**, Concordia Art Gallery, Concordia University, Montréal, Québec
- 1988 -**Heat Wave**, New Gallery, Calgary, Alberta

ARTISTS PROJECT

- 2002 -**The Letter (insert)***, Arts Library Journal, Volume 27, No. 2 / published by ARLIS/UK & Ireland for the international art library community

BOOKWORKS

- 2011 -**The Whole Enchilada – My madcap Mexican adventure**
funded by le conseil des arts et des lettres du Québec, in English with colour photographs
- 2002 -**L'hôtel SofiCalle – The Whole Story / L'hôtel SofiCalle – Toute La Vérité**,
funded by le conseil des arts et des lettres du Québec, in English and French with black and white photographs / short-listed for the Art Gallery of York University's Artist Book of the Moment competition, 2010
- 1999 -**Wallpaper Book**

GRANTS / AWARDS

- 2013 -**Exhibition Assistance**, Ontario Arts Council
- 2011 -**Project Grant**, Canada Council for the Arts
- 2005 -**Recherche et Création**, Conseil des arts et des lettres du Québec
- 2002 -**Travel Grant**, Conseil des arts et des lettres du Québec
- 2001 -**Travel Grant**, Canada Council for the Arts
- Creation / Production Grant**, Canada Council for the Arts
- 2000 -**Recherche et Création**, Conseil des arts et des lettres du Québec
- 1998 -**Creation / Production Grant**, Canada Council for the Arts
- B Grant**, Ontario Arts Council
- Exhibition Assistance Grant**, Ontario Arts Council
- 1997 -**Paris Studio Award**, Canada Council for the Arts
- Travel Grant**, Canada Council for the Arts
- Artists In Education Grant**, Ontario Arts Council
- 1996 -**B Grant**, Ontario Arts Council
- Exhibition Assistance Grant**, Ontario Arts Council
- Artists In Education Grant**, Ontario Arts Council
- 1995 -**B Grant**, Regional Municipality of Ottawa-Carleton
- Exhibition Assistance Grant**, Ontario Arts Council
- Artists In Education Grant**, Ontario Arts Council

SELECTED ARTIST'S TALKS:

- 2015 -**Research In Art (RIA)**, Ottawa, Ontario
- 2014 -**Art Gallery of Peterborough**, Peterborough, Ontario, **Artist's Walks** panel discussion
- 2013 -**National Gallery of Canada Library and Archives**, Ottawa, Ontario, **Wallpower**
- 2009 -**Patrick Mikhail Gallery**, Ottawa, Ontario, **SEVER**
- 2008 -**Patrick Mikhail Gallery**, Ottawa, Ontario, with other **Showcase** group show artists:
Deborah Margo and Uta Riccius
- 2006 -**Patrick Mikhail Gallery**, Ottawa, Ontario, **Magnificent Corpses**
- 2005 -**AxeNéo7**, Gatineau, Québec
- 2003 -**Art Metropole**, Toronto, Ontario
- Dunlop Art Gallery**, Regina, Saskatchewan
- 2002 -**Ontario College of Art and Design**, Toronto, Ontario
- Art Gallery of Sudbury**, Sudbury, Ontario
- Eastern EDGE Gallery**, St. John's, Newfoundland

- 2001 -**Instituto Nacional de Bellas Artes (Esmeralda)**, Mexico City, Mexico
- Centro de la Imagen**, Mexico City, Mexico
- Carleton University Art Gallery**, Ottawa, Ontario
- 1999 -**Ottawa Art Gallery**, Ottawa, Ontario
- 1998 -**University of Lethbridge**, Lethbridge, Alberta
- 1996 -**Nova Scotia College of Art and Design**, Halifax, Nova Scotia
- Mount Allison University**, Sackville, New Brunswick
- Truck Gallery**, Calgary, Alberta
- 1995 -**Gallery 101**, Ottawa, Ontario
- 1993 -**Arctic College**, Cambridge Bay, Northwest Territories

BIBLIOGRAPHY (BOOKS, CATALOGUES, BROADSHEETS):

- 2015 -Steph Hachey, **Millefeuilles 2015**, *Confronting the Abject: Franklin Carmichael's The Nickel Belt and Vera Greenwood's Big (Dead) Bird* — essay
- 2005 -Jean-Pierre Latour, **Les passants**, AxeNéo7, Gatineau, Québec
- 2003 -Jeanne Randolph, Johanna Mizgala, Sylvie Fortin, **High Ground**, catalogue, Southern Alberta Art Gallery and Ottawa Art Gallery
- Jeanne Randolph, **Why Stoics Box** (YYZ Books), *Project Dad* — essay
- 2002 -Sandra Dyck, **L'hôtel SofiCalle**, catalogue, Carleton University Art Gallery, Ottawa, ON
- Kevin Gibbs, **Exploring Bell Rock**, Bell Rock, Art Gallery of Sudbury, Sudbury, Ontario
- John Murchie, **That's A Good One**, L'hôtel SofiCalle, Stride Gallery, Calgary, Alberta
- 1999 -Jack Stanley, **Moving & Storage**, catalogue, the artist's collective HOLD
- 1998 -John Murchie, **Sanctuary Is What Is Not Out There**, Inside-Out, eyelevelgallery, Halifax
- 1996 -Kevin Gibbs, **Home; Exhibition/Concealment**, Truck Gallery, Calgary, Alberta

SELECTED BIBLIOGRAPHY (PROFILES, REVIEWS):

- 2015 -Petra Halkes, **Vera Greenwood: DEATH—Retrospective In The Dining Room**
<https://researchinartottawa.wordpress.com/ria-artist-project-room/growing-up-human/vera-greenwood-death-retrospective-in-the-dining-room/>
- 2014 -Peter Simpson, **Big Beat: 5 best pieces...**, Ottawa Citizen, June 16
- Michael Davidge, **Art in Odd Spaces: A RIA House Tour In Ottawa**, Akimblog (online), May 20
- 2012 -Vid Ingelevics, **Vera Greenwood: The Whole Enchilada**, Magenta (online) Magazine, Fall/Winter issue, Volume 3, No. 3, Book Reviews
- 2005 -Emily Falvey, **Rewind**, Canadian Art, Fall issue, p. 142
- 2003 -David Garneau, **Crossovers**, Border Crossings, Issue No. 87, pp. 96-97
- 2002 -Henry Lehmann, **Stalking the Stalker**, The Gazette, Montréal, Québec, December 28
- Jérôme Delgado, **Mystérieuse Calle**, La Presse, Montréal, Québec, December 15, p.E7
- Andrea Cooper, review for L'hôtel SofiCalle, Arts Atlantic, Fall issue, No. 73, pp. 42-43
- 2001 -Johanna Mizgala, **S Is For Storytelling**, Blackflash, vol. 18.3, pp.12-21
- Anne Bénichou, review for L'hôtel SofiCalle, CV Photo, vol. 54, Spring issue, p. 32
- Lucianne Poole, **I Spy**, National Post, March 17, p. W15
- 2000 -Stephen Horne, review for Moving & Storage, FUSE, Vol. 22, No. 4, pp. 51-52
- 1999 -Anne Marie Todkill, **The Memorabilia of Madness**, Canadian Medical Assoc. Journal, October 19, pp. 1014-1015
- Donna Wawzonek, review for Moving & Storage, Parachute #96, pp. 79-80
- Blake Gopnik, **Lock Up Your Art!**, Globe and Mail (Toronto), May 22, p. C8
- 1998 -Lee Parpart, **House Sitter**, Canadian Art, Spring issue, p. 94
- 1996 -Nancy Tousley, review for Home, Calgary Herald, January 17, p. D6

PUBLIC COLLECTIONS:

- Bibliothèque et Archives nationales du Québec
- Canada Council Art Bank
- National Gallery of Canada Library and Archives
- Library and Archives Canada
- Beaverbrook Art Gallery
- Burnaby Art Gallery
- Ottawa Art Gallery
- Carleton University Art Gallery
- City of Ottawa
- Alberta Foundation for the Arts