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## EDUCATION

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2010 to present-Graduate studies through University of New Brunswick, St.Thomas University, and Crandall University

2005-completed NB Teachers Certificate 5. Courses included painting, photography, critical studies, and education through New Brunswick College of Craft and Design, University of New Brunswick, and St. Thomas University.

1983-completed Bachelor of Arts in Art Education, Nova Scotia College of Art and Design, Halifax, Nova Scotia.

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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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2006 to present- Visual Artist

1997 to present- Art educator, Sussex Regional High School, Sussex, New Brunswick

1996/97- Art educator Hampton High School, Hampton, New Brunswick

1985-1996- Art educator, Quispamsis Junior High School, Quispamsis, New Brunswick

1983- Art instructor, Halifax County Correctional Centre, Halifax, Nova Scotia

## EXHIBITIONS AND AWARDS

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Surveillance Studiowatch: Emerging Artists Series on loan from the Lord Beaverbrook Art Gallery, AX Arts and Culture Centre of Sussex, Sussex, N.B., 2017

Surveillance Studiowatch: Emerging Artists Series on loan from the Lord Beaverbrook Art Gallery, Restigouche Galley, Cambellton, N.B., 2017

Surveillance Studiowatch: Emerging Artists Series, Lord Beaverbrook Art Gallery, Fredericton, N.B., 2016

Solo show, *I Don't Know Anything About Art. I Just Want Something Nice to Hang Over My Sofa to Match my Living Room*, Frazee Gallery, Saint John Arts Centre, Saint John, N.B., 2016

Solo show, *I Don't Know Anything About Art. I Just Want Something Nice to Hang Over My Sofa to Match my Living Room*, Sunbury Shores Arts and Nature Centre, St.Andrews, N.B., 2015

Art NB Merit Award for Arts and Culture, 2013

DC21YCC National Creativity Challenge- first place. Sponsored by ArtsSmarts and Heritage Canada, 2013

*Canadian Society For Education Through Art*, Art Educator of the Year, (Secondary Level), 2011

Solo show, *re:Surfaces*, Frazee Gallery, Saint John Arts Centre, Saint John, N.B., 2011

Solo show, *On the Surface*, Sunbury Shores Arts and Nature Centre, St.Andrews, N.B., 2010

ArtsNB creation grant, 2010

Solo show, *Surface/Image*, Gallerie Capitol Gallery, Moncton, 2008

Artsnb creation grant, 2007

Solo show, *Surfaces*, Frazee Gallery, Saint John Arts Centre, 2006

## MEMBERSHIPS

Director, Arts and Cultural Centre of Sussex, Canadian Society for Education Through Art, Visual Arts Education Association New Brunswick, ArtsLink, New Brunswick Teacher's Association, Sussex Choral Society

## VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES

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Director of SRHS productions- "Grease", 2017, "Mary Poppins", 2016, "Annie", 2015, "Guys and Dolls", 2010, "The Glee Show", 2011

Set design, painting, and construction and choreography for Sussex Regional High School productions "Grease",1998, "South Pacific", 1999, "Oklahoma!",2000, "Anything Goes",2001, "Annie",2002, "Bye,Bye,Birdie",2003, "The Boyfriend",2004, "Thebes High",2005, "Aladdin", 2006, "Footloose", 2007, "Little Shop of Horrors", 2008, "Grease", 2009, Guys and Dolls, 2010, "Fame", 2011, "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers", 2011, "Joseph and His Amazing Technicolour Dreamcoat", 2012, "Beauty and the Beast", 2014

NB Dramafest supervisor 2003-present

Student Art exhibits: "Leaning From Our own Backyard" with Mount Allison University fine arts faculty 2013, Sussex High Fine Arts Night 1998-2014, Sussex Artists' Coop 1998-2014, Aiken Bicentennial Exhibition Centre 1992-1996, National School Board Trustees Conference 2003, International Women's Day Exhibit 2004, UNB Lorenzo Society Student Art Show, 'Deep Sea' Student Art Show, NBTA Building .

Member of New Brunswick Department of Education Curriculum Advisory Committee for high school Visual Arts 1999-present

Secretary, New Brunswick Art Education Council 1990-1992

Member of NBTA Combined Council Planning Committee 1991

Kidstuff Theatre committee member 1997-present

Sussex Artists' Coop volunteer 1997-present

Sussexfest volunteer

"Making Waves" fundraiser on Ministers Island, Rothesay Netherwood art auction, "Bloomin' Artists" fundraiser, Hampton, "Guess Who" fundraiser, Sunbury Shores Arts and Nature Centre, "What's in the Box" fundraiser, SJAC.

Founding member of S.L.I.C.E.- Sussex Literary Initiatives and Cultural Events. Recent SLICE events include book launch for Beth Powning's Sea Captain's Wife, 2010, community and school events around author visits by Sally Armstrong (Veiled Threat), 2009, and Carla Gunn (Amphibian) , 2010, Bee in this Place: a Celebration of Bees, 2010, and Word Spring, 2011.

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## INTERESTS AND ACTIVITIES

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Theatre performances- member of "A Class Act" productions "Godspell"1999, "Around the World in 80 Days" 2004, "Polar Express

2004, "Harvey Shlumfenburger's Christmas Present" 2003, "Wee Three Pigs" 2002, "Sussex Off the Record" dinner theatre 2004, "That's Not Santa!" 2006, "The Very Lonely Christmas Tree" 2007, "The Christmas Witch" 2009, "Three Little Pigs" 2010, "Three Christmas Stories" 2011, "The Magic Snowman" 2013, "A Beary Merry Christmas" 2014, "Trouble at the North Pole" 2015, "A Christmas Carol" 2016, "The Grinch" 2017

Gardening, yoga, book club, food and wine, catering