

Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

- 2008 – 2010 Masters of Visual Studies, Studio
University of Toronto (Toronto, ON)
Awarded MVS Graduate Award for Studio
- 2006 – 2008 Bachelor of Fine Arts
Ontario College of Art and Design (Toronto, ON)
- 1984 – 1988 A.O.C.A. (Association of Ontario College of Art)
Ontario College of Art (Toronto, ON)
Awarded George A. Reid Award: General Studies (1988); Anne
Adler Kagan Award, Experimental Arts (1987); George A. Reid
Award: Experimental Arts (1986); I.O.D.E., Foundation Studies
(1985).
- 1980 – 1982 Fine Arts, Dance and Visual Arts (partial undergraduate)
York University (Toronto, ON)

EXHIBITIONS

SOLO EXHIBITIONS (SELECTION)

- 2010 *Telling of Green*. University of Toronto Art Centre (Toronto, ON)
- 2007 *Neutrinos They Are Very Small*. With Gordon Hicks and Sally McKay.
Curator Corinna Ghaznavi. Render Art Gallery, University of Waterloo
(Waterloo, ON)
- 2006 *Neutrinos They Are Very Small*. Agnes Etherington Arts Centre,
(Kingston, ON)
BLAZE. YYZ Artists Outlet (Toronto, ON)
- 2005 *Neutrinos They Are Very Small*. Art Gallery of Sudbury (Sudbury, ON)
- 2000 *Pattern Language*. The Red Head Gallery (Toronto, ON)
- 1999 *GRAFTING*. The Lynnwood Gallery (Simcoe, ON)
- 1998 *Considered Vacillations*. Tableau Vivant (Toronto, ON)
- 1993 *Forced Arrangements*. The Gallery, University of Toronto, Scarborough
Campus (Scarborough, ON)

GROUP EXHIBITIONS (SELECTION)

- 2011-2013 *Animal*. Curator Corinna Ghaznavi. Museum London (London, ON),
Kenderdine Art Gallery (Saskatoon, SASK), The Robert McLaughlin
Gallery (Oshawa, ON), Dalhousie Art Gallery (Halifax, NS)
- 2011 Group Exhibition. Robert Kananaj Gallery (Toronto, ON)
- 2009 *EXPO*. Persona Volare. Tom Thomson Art Gallery (Owen Sound, ON)
- 2007 *Granite Club*. Persona Volare. Tree Museum (Gravenhurst, ON)
The Road North/The Road South. Persona Volare. Harbourfront Centre
(Toronto, ON)
- 2005 *Canadian Club*. Persona Volare. Rodman Hall Arts Centre (St.
Catharines, ON)

- 2003 *Canadian Club. Persona Volare. Canadian Cultural Centre (Paris, France)*
- 2003 *Persona Cantare. Persona Volare. 517 College Street (Toronto, ON)*
- 2001 *Commute. Red Head Gallery/ARC exchange. ARC Gallery (Chicago, IL)*
- 2000 *Persona Volare. Persona Volare. 517 College Street (Toronto, ON)*
whorehouse. Curator Jenifer Pappararo. (Toronto, ON)
- 1996 *Duke-U-Menta. Curated by The 23rd Room Collective (Anna Lefsrud, Gretchen Sankey, Barb Webb). Duke of Connaught Tavern (Toronto, ON)*
Limousine. Free Parking (Toronto, ON)
- 1994 *Neo-politan. Place & Show Artists Projects. Dufferin Mall (Toronto ON)*
- 1992 *The State of Viewing: Distinguishing Between Wayne & Shuster. Place & Show Artists Projects. Gallery 101 (Ottawa, ON)*
- 1991 *HOMEFRONT: Current Issues in Interior Decorating. Place & Show Artists Projects. StreetCity, Front and Cherry Streets (Toronto, ON)*
- 1990 *ec: e without the bar is c. Embassy Cultural House (London, ON)*

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- 2000 – present *Persona Volare. Artists' group (currently Carlo Cesta, Michael Davey, John Dickson, Brian Hobbs, Lorna Mills, Lisa Neighbour, Chantal Rousseau, Lyla Rye, Kate Wilson, Johannes Zits). Member*
www.personavolare.com
- 1999 – 2002 *The Red Head Gallery. Member*
- 1996 – 1999 *YYZ Artists Outlet. Board Member*
- 1997 – 1998 *CARO. Board Member*
- 1996 – 2000 *Artists With Their Work. Art Gallery of Ontario. Participating Artist*
- 1989 – 1995 *Place & Show Artists Projects. Artists' collective (Heather Cameron, Peter Cosco, Reid Diamond, Peter Hobbs, Cathy Jones). Member.*
- 1988 – 1989 *Round Up Artists Studio Tour. Committee Member*

PUBLISHED WRITINGS

- 2010 *Imaging Constants: Jimin Lee. Jimin Lee exhibition catalogue. Publisher: AndrewShire Gallery, Los Angeles, CA.*
- 2009 *Imaging Constants: Jimin Lee. Open Studio. Exhibition brochure.*
- 2008 *Colin Lyons' Boom Town. Open Studio. Exhibition brochure.*
- 2006 *Spectrum Shift: Yael Brotman. Open Studio. Exhibition brochure.*
- 2004 *Introduction for Material World: Peter MacCallum Photographs 1986-2004. Published by YYZ Books. Managing Editor.*
- 2003 *Crowding: Bill Leeming. Open Studio. Exhibition brochure.*
- 2002 *Thinking in Minutes. Gordon Hicks. The Red Head Gallery. Exhibition essay.*
but, am I speaking the language? Works by Penelope Stewart, Manuel Lau, Ing-Lu Lucinda Chen, Luke Painter, Open Studio. Exhibition brochure.
Lilianna Rodriguez. Open Studio. Exhibition brochure.
- 2001 *Peter MacCallum in Substitute City. Lola. 9. Shotgun review.*
Alistair Magee. Published by The Red Head Gallery. Exhibition catalogue.

- 2000 *Urgent Witness/Drawn Remains*. Published by YYZ Artists' Outlet.
Curatorial text, exhibition catalogue.
- 2000 *Velocity + Torque = Culture*. Milada Kovacova, Lola 7. Interview.
- 1999 *Hello from Julie Voyce*. Lola 4. Interview.
- Janet Morton, Translate*. Lola 4. Shotgun review.
- David Rasmus, Offering*. Lola 4. Shotgun review.
- 1994 *Neo-politan*. Artist statement, exhibition catalogue.

GRANTS AWARDED & RESIDENCIES

- 2011 Canada Council Research Grant
- 2010 Masters of Visual Studies, MVS Studio Graduate Award
- 2009 Ontario Graduate Studies Grant (OGS)
MVS Research Residency. Bristol, UK.
- 2007 Ontario Arts Council, Project Grant, *Granite Club*, *Persona Volare*
- 2006 Ontario Arts Council, Mid-Career Individual Visual Arts Grant
- 2003 Thematic Residency: Big Rock Candy Mountain, The Banff Arts Centre
Ontario Arts Council, Special Project Grant, *Persona Cantare*, *Persona Volare*
Toronto Arts Council, Special Project Grant, *Persona Cantare*, *Persona Volare*
- 2000 Ontario Arts Council, Special Project Grant, *Persona Volare*, *Persona Volare*
Toronto Arts Council, Special Project Grant, *Persona Volare*, *Persona Volare*
- 1995 The Canada Council, "B" Grant, Individual Visual Arts Grant
- 1994 Ontario Arts Council, Individual Visual Arts Grant
Ontario Arts Council, Special Project Grant, *Neo-politan*, Place & Show Artists Projects
Toronto Arts Council, Special Project Grant, *Neo-politan*, Place & Show Artists Projects
- 1993 Canada Council, Individual Short-Term Visual Arts Grant
- 1992 Ontario Arts Council, Individual Visual Arts Grant
- 1991 Ontario Arts Council, Special Project Grant, Place & Show Artists Projects
Canada Council, Explorations Grant, Place & Show Artists Projects
Toronto Arts Council, Project Grant, Place & Show Artists Projects
- 1989 Ontario Arts Council, Special Project Grant, *ec: e without the bar is c*.
Place & Show Artists Projects