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EDUCATION

- 2006** **Bachelor of Fine Arts**
Interdisciplinary Major, NSCAD University, Halifax, NS, Canada
- 2002** **Visual Arts Diploma**
Camosun College, Victoria, BC, Canada

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2004 – present** **Principal**
John van der Woude Designs, Kelowna, BC
- 2009 – present** **Graphic Designer**
Concordia University, Montréal, QC
- 2007 – 2009** **Creative Director**
iPerceptions Ltd, Montréal, QC
- 2007** **Digital Photography Youth Teacher**
LeBrun Community Centre, Bedford, NS
- 2004 – 2005** **Production Assistant / Graphic Designer**
Orca Book Publishers, Victoria, BC
- 2002** **Installation Worker**
for 'Chrysalides' by Fran Benton
Art Gallery of Greater Victoria, Victoria, BC
- 2000 – 2001** **Outreach Co-ordinator**
Open Space Arts Centre, Victoria, BC

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS

- 2009** **Google Earth**
Gallery 44, Toronto, ON, Canada (group)
- 2008** **Flash Foward 2008 Exhibition**
Lennox Contemporary Gallery, Toronto, ON, Canada (group)
- Reshelving Initiative: 3**
eyelevel Gallery, Halifax, NS, Canada (group)
- 2007** **jen'yoo-in**
Whippersnapper Gallery, Toronto, ON, Canada (group)
- BMO Financial Group's 1st Art! Competition Exhibition 2007**
Museum of Contemporary Canadian Art, Toronto, ON, Canada (group)
- Make Do: Y Level Exhibition**
eyelevel Gallery, Halifax, NS, Canada (group)
- 2006** **Power Houses: Canada's First Ministers**
Anna Leonowens Gallery, Halifax, NS, Canada (solo)
- Power Houses: Halifax Regional Municipality's City Council**
Anna Leonowens Gallery, Halifax, NS, Canada (solo)
- 2003** **Final Straws**
Fifty-fifty Arts Collective, Victoria, BC, Canada (group)
- 2002** **Dear Father**
Pandora Street Art Space, Victoria, BC, Canada (group)
- Transitions: Camosun College Graduation Show 2002**
EC4 Gallery, Victoria, BC, Canada (group)

COLLECTIONS

BMO Financial Group's Corporate Collection, Toronto, ON

Starfish Properties Corporate Collection, Halifax, NS

Also included in numerous other private collections

SELECTED PUBLICITY & CRITICAL REVIEWS

- 2009** **Globe and Mail**, Dault, G. M., "Google airport photos attractive and troubling", 7 November 2009, pR10.
Torontoist, Gould, A. "An Aerial Earth", 3 November 2009.
torontoist.com/2009/11/google_earth_at_gallery_44.php
Now Toronto Magazine, Sandals, L., "Down to Google Earth", 18-25 November 2009.
Black Flash Magazine, "Politician in Residence", Spring/Summer 2009, p64.
- 2007** **CNW Group**, "BMO Names Best Student Artists in Canada", 14 August 2007. Online.
Halifax Daily News, Lisk, D., "Artist takes 'Where's Waldo' look at airports," 9 May 2007, p26.
CBC Radio's Q, 1 May 2007, radio interview.
L'Actualité Magazine, "Premiers Ministres en la Demeure", 1 April 2007, p19.
- 2006** **Maclean's Magazine**, "The Man Behind the House", 18 December 2006, p70.
CBC.ca Arts Online, "Photo collection of premiers' homes 'great Canadiana'", 18 December 2006. Online.
CBC Newsworld's Morning News, 18 December 2006, television interview.
The Coast Magazine, "Political Platforms", 17-23 December 2006, p40.
CBC Nova Scotia's Evening News, 15 December 2006, television interview.
Halifax Chronicle Herald, "Power houses blend in with surroundings." 10 August 2006, pF6.

AWARDS & GRANTS

- 2008** **Magenta Foundation's** Flash Forward 2008 Award Winner (Canada)
- 2007** **BMO Financial Group's** 1st Art! Invitational Art Competition Winner—Nova Scotia
- 2006** **British Columbia Arts Council** Senior Scholarship
NSCAD University's Roloff Beny Photography Scholarship
NSCAD University's Homer Lord Memorial Fund Scholarship
- 2003** **Camosun College's** Jessie Allen Forsyth Memorial—Visual Arts Award of Merit

PUBLICATIONS

- 2009** **Gallery 44's** *Google Earth* Exhibition Catalogue, essay by Marco Avolio
- 2008** **Magenta Foundation's** Flash Forward 2008 Catalogue
- 2007** **BMO Financial Group:** 1st Art! Invitational Art Competition Catalogue, 2003-07