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Arts Curriculum Vitae

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SOLO EXHIBITIONS- selected

2014

"Il était une fois sur une planète/Once upon a time there was on a planet" Alliance Francaise Gallery, Vancouver, BC
Art For Sale. Emily Carr University Library, Vancouver, BC
Mining books. Roundhouse Community Art and Recreation Center, Vancouver, BC

2013

"They say she is bipolar and he's got OCD" DSM Re-Revised and Related Altered Texts. Alternator Centre for Contemporary Arts, Kelowna, BC
Topographies, Tommy Douglas Library, Burnaby Art Gallery, Burnaby, BC

2012

"They say she is bipolar and he's got OCD" DSM Re-Revised and Related Altered Texts. Surrey Central Library, Surrey, BC
"They say she is bipolar and he's got OCD" DSM Re-Revised and Related Altered Texts. Gallery Gachet, Vancouver, BC
Le projet Grassroots, Le Centre Culturel, Vancouver, BC
Grassroots Project, Britannia Art Gallery, Vancouver, BC
Mieux comprendre et prescrire les psychotropes. Centre de documentation Armentières, France
"Ils disent qu'elle est bipolaire et qu'il est TOC" Espace Culturel, Université Lille 1, Lille, France

2011

GrassRoots Project, Britannia Community Centre, Vancouver, BC
"They say she is bipolar and he's got OCD." DSM Re-Revised and Related Altered Texts. Fresh Air Gallery, Columbus, OH, U.S.

2010

Le DSM-IV, Re- Revisé et autres livres détournés (DSM: Manuel Diagnostique et Statistique des Troubles Mentaux), Hopital Louis-H Lafontaine, Montréal, QC

2009

Food Wars - Maple Ridge Art Gallery, Maple Ridge, BC

2007

Batailles d'homme - Le Centre Culturel Francophone de Vancouver, Vancouver BC
From 0 to 13 - Capilano College Gallery, North Vancouver, BC

GROUP EXHIBITIONS- selected

2014

It is a crisis, Gallery Gachet, Vancouver, BC
Nothing About Us Without Us, Gallery Gachet, Vancouver, BC
Engagement, Concourse Gallery, Capilano University, North Vancouver, BC
Contour, Sun Yat-Sen Park, Vancouver, BC
Boobies & Wieners, Hot Art Wet City, Vancouver, BC

2014

Nothing About Us Without Us, Gallery Gachet, Vancouver, BC
Engagement, Concourse Gallery, Capilano University, North Vancouver, BC

2013

Papiers Altérés/ Papeles Alterados, Maison de la Culture de Côte-des-Neiges Montréal, QC, Canada; and International Fair, Bogota, Colombia
Thanks But No Tanks, Haida Guaii Museum, Haida Gwaii, BC
Fonds D'Art Contemporain Frontieres, ARS, Lille, France
Insights 2, University of Alberta, Edmonton, AB

2012

Collective Habitat 1997-2012 ART-i-FACT, Gallery Gachet, Vancouver, BC
Hot One Inch Buttons, Hand Eye Supply, Portland, OR, U.S.

Sustenance, Roundhouse Community Center, Vancouver, BC
 Grassroot Sculptures, Midsummer Fete, Public Dreams Society, Coquitlam, BC
 Fenêtre à Découvrir, Fenêtres Ouvertes, Fache Thusmenil, France
 Dissolve and Thrive, Tomatoes Too Go. Gallery Gachet, Vancouver, BC

2010

In Remembering We Rise, San Francisco Women Against Rape, San Francisco, CA, U.S.
 In Vision, Queen Elizabeth Theater Gallery, Vancouver, BC
 Cabinet de Curiosités, Gallerie Alter Ego, Aix en Provence, France Eco-madness; Gallery Gachet, Vancouver, BC

2009

Creation-sur-le-champ land art, Mont-Saint-Hilaire, QC, Canada
 Cinq Psychiatres Exposit, Gallerie Frezza Lesage, Montréal, QC, Canada
 Timeoff, Art Mur, Montréal, QC, Canada

2008

Art Storm, Salla Rosa, Montréal, QC, Canada Constructed Reality, Exposure Gallery, Vancouver, BC
 This is Green, Concourse Gallery, Emily Carr Institute, Vancouver, BC
 The Art of Food Exhibition, Concourse Gallery, Emily Carr Institute, Vancouver, BC

2007

Art Toys - Gallery Gachet, Vancouver, BC All Creatures Big and Small - Maple Ridge Art Gallery, Maple Ridge, BC
 Nationalism Red, White, Blue Brainwashed, Alliance Française de Vancouver, Vancouver, BC -
 Mad Pride, Gallery Gachet, Vancouver, BC **2006**
 Connecting Flights: An Exhibition of Returning Exchange Students, ECIAD Concourse Gallery, Vancouver, BC
 Painting on the Edge, Federation Gallery, Vancouver, BC

2005

Media Show 05, Emily Carr Institute for Art & Design, Vancouver, BC
 Still Lives, Library Square Public House, Vancouver, BC
 From Past to Present, Emily Carr Institute for Art & Design, Vancouver, BC

CURATORIAL EXPERIENCE & COMMUNITY ENGAGED PROJECTS

2014

Contour, Sun Yat-Sen Park, Vancouver, BC
 I have a dream. Gallery Gachet, Vancouver, BC
 Cycling through, Salon Shop, Gallery Gachet, Vancouver, BC
 Who is afraid of outsider art? Roundhouse Art and Recreation Center, Vancouver, BC

2013

Debridement, Vancouver Maritime Museum, Vancouver, BC
 Maladjusted, Headlines Theater Productions, Firehall Theater, Vancouver, BC
 BorderLines. Gallery Gachet, Vancouver, BC

2012

Windows to Discover: A socially engaged art project on isolation in the community, Lille France

2011

GrassRoots Project, Britannia Community Centre, Vancouver, BC

PERFORMANCE/THEATRE

2013

Nothing about us without us, Gallery Gachet, Vancouver, BC
 Maladjusted, Headlines Theater Productions, Firehall Theater, Vancouver, BC
 Madufractory, Pyraxox, United Steelworkers Conference, Vancouver, BC

2009

Dr. Legumes, an ongoing video series, <http://www.youtube.com/user/DrLegumes/videos> \

ART PUBLICATIONS

Maladjusted: Participatory theater about human centered care, Arts and Health : An International Journal of Research, Policy and Practice in press.

Windows to Discover: A socially engaged art project on isolation in the community. Leichner p., Lagarde E., Lemaire C., Arts and Health: An International Journal of Research, Policy and Practice, 6:1, 2014, p.90-97

From transcendence to altercendence. Leichner P., Journal of Literature and Art Studies, 2012, 2:7, p. 730-739

L'art contre l'isolement! EPSM Mag, Juin 2012, p. 5

DSM III Canyonized, CPS Castle Mountain Mine, Poiesis 14:2012, p. 74-75

Couverture et Iconographie, l'Information Psychiatrique, 87:3, 2011, pgs. 158,174,184, 190, 240

Front and back cover artwork for Renovations in the House of Mirrors (Montréal: Mercuito Press, 2007) by Jason Heroux

AWARDS/GRANTS

Outsider artists dialogues, British Columbia Arts Council Community Grant with Community Arts Council of Vancouver, Vancouver, BC,
 Conduit, with Art Is Land Network, British Columbia Arts Council Grant, Vancouver, BC, 2013
 Debridement, Community Arts Council of Vancouver, with Maritime Museum, Vancouver, BC, 2013
 BorderLines, British Columbia Arts Council Community Grant with Gallery Gachet, Vancouver, BC, 2013
 Résidence d'artiste. Direction Régionale des Affaires Culturelles du Nord-Pas-de-Calais dans le cadre des actions 2011 «Culture a l'Hôpital»
 East Feast grant for Grassroots Project, Britannia Community Centre, Vancouver, BC, 2011
 Graduate Scholar Award, Arts and Society Conference, Berlin, Germany, 2011
 Millenium Graduate Award, Concordia University, Montreal, QC, 2010
 Power Corporation of Canada Graduate Fellowship, Concordia University, Montreal, QC, 2009
 Granville Island Garbage Can Art Contest, Vancouver, BC – Second Prize, 2006
 Granville Island Garbage Can Art Contest, Vancouver, BC – Second Prize, 2005

MEDIA- selected

Day Break, CBC, Radio British Columbia, April 5, 2013 - <http://www.cbc.ca/daybreaksouth/past-episodes/>
 Tele Journal Radio Canada March 12, 2013 - <http://www.radio-canada.ca/widgets/mediaconsole/medianet/6623114#>
 Bld du Pacifique Radio Canada, March 12, 2013
http://www.radio-canada.ca/emissions/boulevard_du_pacifique/2012-2013/index.asp
 C'est la vie Radio Canada March 7, 2013
http://www.radio-canada.ca/emissions/c_est_ca_la_vie/2012-2013/Reportage.asp?idDoc=278702
 Early Edition, Swarm Preview Gallery Gachet, Radio Canada, Sept. 7. 2012
 Entrevue Exposition Espace Culturel, Le magazine "Lille 1– Infos" Lille 106.6 FM, March 14, 2012
http://www.ondesdechene.fr/Lille1-infos_2011-2012
 Entrevue Exposition sur le DSM, Radio Boomerang, 89,7 FM, Lille, France, March 7, 2012
 Interview, Dr Legumes, CJSF http://www.cjsf.ca/vanilla_archives/2011_December_13_19_00.mp3
 Interview, Art Is Land, Radio Canada, Tele Journal, 16 August 2011

SELECTED COMMUNITY ART INVOLVEMENT

Community Arts Council of Vancouver, President of the Board, Dec. 2013–present
 Community Arts Council of Vancouver, Board Member, April 2011–present
 Art Is Land Network, Vancouver, BC, Founding Member 2010–present
 Gallery Gachet, Vancouver, BC - Human Resources Committee, 2012–present
 Gallery Gachet, Vancouver, BC - Programming Committee, 2010–present
 Gallery Gachet, Vancouver, BC - Collective Member, 2010–present

PRESENTATIONS - selected

Maladjusted: Participatory theater about human centered care. Arts and Society Annual Conference, Rome Italy, June 25, 2014
 Gallery Gachet, 20 years of creative engagement, Arts BC Annual Conference, Bowen Island, BC, May 3, 2014
 Engaging the Community since 1946, The Community Arts Council of Vancouver, Arts BC Annual Conference, Bowen Island, BC, May 3, 2014
 Maladjusted: Participatory theater about human centered care. Houston, Texas, Arts and Health Conference, April 9, 2014
 On Why the VAG Needs to Get Dirty. Panel discussion: Vancouver Art Gallery, BC, Jan. 14, 2014
 Thanks, But No Tanks - perceptions put into play. BC Museums Association Annual Conference, Parksville, BC, Oct. 25, 2013
 Entr'ARTS, Program de creation. Banff Center for the Arts, Aug. 27–Sept. 2, 2013
 Land Art to Space Art. Haida Gwaii Museum, Skidegate, BC, Aug. 8, 2013
 Windows to Discover: A socially engaged art project on isolation in the community. Arts and Society Conference, Budapest, Hungary, June 24, 2013
 Intuit: Art of the intuitive. Artist panel. Gallery Gachet, Vancouver, BC, May 9, 2013
 Cost of Caring: How Values Drive Our spending. The Maladjusted Dialogue Series, Firehall Arts Center, Vancouver, BC, March 18, 2013
 Psychosis and Creativity: Brilliance or Imbalance. West Coast Mental Health Network. Vancouver BC, Dec. 20, 2012
 Power to the People: Conversations on Art Against Oppression, Institutions by Artists, Vancouver, BC, Oct. 7, 2012
 Egalité? Fraternité? Liberté? A socially engaged art project on Isolation in the Community in Lille France. Gallery

Gachet, Vancouver, BC, June 21, 2012
 Rehabilite par Apollo, Diplome Inter-Universitaire, Santé Mentale dans la Communauté, Mons en Baroeul, France. March 23, 201
 Classifier sans stigmatiser Table Ronde, Lille, France. March 15, 2012
 Interview, Video for Rhetoric Composition & Literacy (RCL) Program and Disability Studies, Brenda Brueggemann, Ohio State University, Nov. 8, 2011
 DSM Re-Revised, Artist talk. Fresh Air Gallery, Columbus, Ohio, U.S., Dec. 7, 2011.
 Rescued by Apollo, The Value of Art in Healing Symposium, Canadian Psychiatric Association, 61st Annual Conference, Vancouver BC, Oct. 14, 2011
 "A votre santé! To Your Health!" Medicina 2011, Vancouver, BC June, 2011
 The Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders of the American Psychiatric Association Text Re-Revised. 6th International Conference on the Arts in Society. Berlin, Germany, May 9, 2011
 Psychiatrist Artiste en Residence. Creating Space for Arts and Humanities in the Education of Health Professionals Conference, Toronto, ON, May 7, 2011
 DSM Re-Revised, Liminalpositions, Emily Carr University of Arts & Design, April 5, 2011
 Land Art, Differences Between the '60s and the '90s On. Vancouver Community Art Council, Vancouver, BC, Oct. 21, 2010
 From Transcendence to Alterscendence. Mediamodes, New York, NY, Nov. 14, 2009
 Desires and Rituals. Maple Ridge Art Gallery, Vancouver, BC, Feb. 7, 2009
 To Splosh or to Gently Raise One's Pinkie Up? Interdisciplinary Graduate Student Conference, Concordia University, Montréal, QC, March 14, 2009

RESIDENCIES

2012—Artiste en Résidence, Ministère de la Culture/Etablissements Public de Santé Mental (E.P.S.M.) Lille-Métropole, January- April, Lille, France
 2011—Artiste en Résidence, Département de Psychiatrie, Université de Montréal, Montréal, QC
 2011—Annual Residency Garden Bed, Means of Production Artists Raw Resource Collective (MOPARRC) Vancouver, BC

EDUCATION

M.F.A. (Sculpture), 2011: Concordia University, Montréal, QC
 Art Institute Certificate, 2008: Capilano University, North Vancouver, BC
 B.F.A., 2007: Emily Carr Institute of Art & Design, Vancouver, BC
 Certificate in Fine Art Techniques, 2002: Emily Carr Institute of Art & Design, Vancouver, BC
 F.R.C.P.(C), 1977: Psychiatry, Queen's University, Kingston ON
 M.D., 1973: Queen's University, Kingston, ON
 D.E.A., 1970: Degrée d'Etudes Approfondies en Biochimie, Université de Strasbourg, Strasbourg, France
 B.Sc., 1968: Honours in Biochemistry, McGill University, Montréal, QC

VOLUNTEER COMMITTEES AND BOARDS

36 Committees, board memberships and chairs in professional and community organizations from 1974 to present

BIBLIOGRAPHY: 177 refereed journals articles, reviews and letters; and chapters in books

VIDEO PRODUCTIONS: 17 productions

PRESENTATIONS, COURSES AND POSTERS: 386 presentations

GRANTS (research and teaching): 70 grants since 1980

LANGUAGES: Spoken: English, French, Hungarian. Written: English, French

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