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Curriculum Vitae

Education

- 2018 Fine Arts Advanced Program, Honours, Georgian College, Barrie
- 2014 Registered Yoga Instructor Program Georgian College, Honours, Orangeville
- 1983 Nurse, R.P.N. McEachern Training Centre for Nursing Assistants, Honours, Collingwood

Upcoming Exhibitions

- 2021 *Hope and Perseverance*, Shoreline Artists, Southampton Gallery, November 3, 2021

Solo Exhibitions

- 2018 *The Resuscitators Hands*, Live Sculpture, Westminster Church, Orangeville
- 2016 *Scholarship Exhibit*, in the Quaint Hamlet of Horning's Mills
- 2008 *Through the Artists' Eyes*, 423 Olde Village Lane, Shelburne

Two-person and Group and Public Exhibition History

- 2021 *Dufferin Funny Farm Chickens*, Mural, Orangeville Public Art Collection, Alder Arena, Orangeville
- 2021 *The Ride*, Utility Box Art, Orangeville Public Art Collection, Kaycee Gardens Park, Orangeville
- 2021 *Legacy Leaves*, Utility Box Art, Orangeville Public Art Collection, Alexandria Park, Orangeville
- 2021 *The Ride*, watercolour, featured in The *International Watercolour Society Magazine*, online, June 2021, International
- 2020 *Artful Revival*, accepted Juried exhibition September 16th, 2020, Headwaters Arts Gallery, Alton
- 2020 *Becoming*, Mural, Orangeville's Public Art Collection, Alder Arena, Orangeville
- 2020 *Dufferin Bovines*, Utility box Art, Juried and chosen, Orangeville's Public Art Collection

Two-person and Group and Public Exhibition History continued

- 2020 ***In The Mix***, accepted Juried exhibition March 11th, 2020, Headwaters Arts Gallery
- 2020 ***Inspired By***, accepted Juried exhibition, Headwaters Arts Gallery, Alton
- 2020 ***Re-Launch***, accepted Juried exhibition, Headwaters Arts Gallery, Alton
- 2019 ***Westminster Church***, OAG Group Exhibit, Orangeville
- 2019 ***The Holiday Market***, OAG Group Exhibit, Orangeville
- 2019 ***Daydreams***, Guest Artist, October 6 - November 1st, 2019, BAC Gallery, Barrie
- 2019 ***Waves of Inspiration***, Group Exhibit, Shoreline Artists, West Links, Port Elgin
- 2019 ***Autumn Artistry***, OAG Group Exhibit, September 27th, 28th and 29th, Town Hall, Orangeville
- 2019 ***The Winds of Change***, Barrie Art Club, Barrie Art Club Gallery, Barrie
- 2019 ***Turning up the Heat***, accepted Juried Show, Headwaters Arts Gallery, Alton
- 2019 ***Spring***, Headwaters Health Care Centre Gallery, Orangeville
- 2018 ***Celebrate the Arts 2***, Culture Days festival, Maggiolly's, 158 Broadway, Orangeville
- 2018 ***Scholarship Exhibition***, Campus Gallery Georgian College, Barrie
- 2018 ***Becoming***, MacLaren Art Centre, 37 Mulcaster St., Barrie
- 2017 ***Hot off the Press***, Campus Gallery Georgian College, Barrie
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- 2016 ***Transitions***, Campus Gallery Georgian College, Barrie
- 2015 ***Best in Snow***, Campus Gallery Georgian College, Barrie
- 2000 ***Christmas Show*** Holiday Home Tour, Group Exhibit, Hyland Artists, Shelburne
- 1999 ***Fabulous Fall***, OAG Group Exhibit, Mono Centre, Orangeville



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Community & Volunteer Work

- 2021 - Present Shelburne Arts and Culture Board, member/volunteer
- 2019 - Present Gallery assistant, Headwaters Arts, Alton Mill
- 2019 - Present Orangeville Art Group member and, workshop Coordinator
- 2018 - Present Teaching – Maggiolly's Art Centre
- 2018 - Present Shoreline Artists / Headwaters Arts/ Barrie Art / Club member / volunteer
- 2018 - Present Teaching - DAC Artists in the School program, Dufferin Artist Council member and volunteer

Artist Statement

What inspires me to create? Well, it's all about my love of people, mother nature, and a love of nurture and change. My works are a snapshot in time, frozen for you to see what I see, what I hold near and dear.

Orangeville, Shelburne, and Dufferin County not only have magnificent views, but we also have an unusual combination of town, country, and farms. It is an amazing landscape with a variety of subject matter, people included! This is a great way to embrace our rural roots, celebrate our heritage, ecosystem, and good citizenship visually. As an artist, and a nurse it is a unique journey, as one possesses a soulful eye for beauty and a yearning for connection and inspiration.

It is the eye of an artist, and that of a nurse that compels one to recognise beauty and bring to the viewer's attention to moments, locations and views that people may not have previously considered. It's through works that I can really express myself and demonstrate my connection and engagement with my surroundings, using the muse and magic of painting or sculpture.