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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Senior Lecturer, Photography, *Royal Academy of Art*, The Hague, NL
Trainer and Mentor, *World Press Photo Foundation*, Education Programs
Jury Chair, Documentary Categories, *2015 World Press Photo Awards*
Co-Photo Editor, *Raw View Magazine*, a quarterly 180-page magazine devoted to contemporary documentary and visual storytelling of the highest standard
Leader of numerous workshops and lectures globally

REPRESENTATION

Circuit Gallery, Toronto

EDUCATION

- 2001 Loyalist College, Belleville, Canada, *Honours Diploma*
1996 Ontario College of Art & Design, Toronto, Canada, *Honours Diploma*

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2017 *Interrogations*, Chobi Mela IX, Dhaka, Bangladesh
War Sand, Cortona on the Move, Tuscany, Italy
2014 *War Sand*, Circuit Gallery, Toronto, Canada
Interrogations, Circuit Gallery, Toronto, Canada
Interrogations, Blue Sky Gallery, Portland, USA
2013 *Interrogations*, Foley Gallery, New York City
Interrogations, Installation, Artget Gallery, Belgrade, Serbia
Interrogations, Installation, Photoville, New York City
Interrogations, White Cloth Gallery, Leeds, UK
Interrogations(Prologue), Harbourfront Centre, Toronto, Canada
2012 *Interrogations*, Breda Photography Festival, The Netherlands
2011 *Interrogations*, Hereford Photography Festival, UK
Interrogations, Fotoleggendo Photography Festival, Rome
2009 *The Drunken Bride*, *Russia Unveiled*, Pikto Gallery, Toronto, Canada
Russian Archive, Alice Austen House Museum, New York City
2008 *Bastard Eden*, *Our Chernobyl*, Blue Sky Gallery, Portland, USA
2007 *PHODAR Photography Biennial*, Pleven, Bulgaria
2004 *Welcome To My Country*, 3 Storey Gallery, Toronto, Canada

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2017 *Investigations*, VU Photo, Quebec City, Canada
Fallen, University of Essex Museum of Art, Essex, UK
2016 *Power + Architecture*, Calvert Gallery, London, UK
2015 *Camera Atomica*, Art Gallery of Ontario, Toronto, Canada
2014 *Shift: Photographs of Revolution*, Third Floor Gallery, Cardiff, UK
Barricade: The EuroMaidan Revolt, DokuFest, Prizren, Kosovo
Legacy: Russia, Ukraine, Georgia & The Caucasus, Side Gallery, Newcastle, UK
Qunikjuk, *Qunbuq*, *Quabaa*, Rencontres Internationales de la Photographie, Quebec
2013 *Carbon 14*, *Climate is Culture*, Royal Ontario Museum, Toronto, Canada
Moving Walls 20, Open Society Institute, New York City

- 2012 *True North*, Alaska Museum of Art, Anchorage, USA
- 2011 *Interrogations*, Projection, LOOK Festival of the Photograph, Charlottesville, USA
I Get a Sickening Feeling Every Time I Think of It, VII Gallery, New York City
- 2010 *Les Rencontres d'Arles*, Tbilisi Open Air Festival, Tbilisi, Georgia
FotoGrafia Photography Festival, Installation, Rome, Italy
SIFEST Photography Festival, Savignano, Italy
OjodePez Documentary Festival, Barcelona, Spain
Moment of Truth, Luz Gallery, Victoria, British Columbia
Beyond Place, Portland Museum of Art, Portland, USA
Medecins sans Frontieres, Russia and the Caucasus, Moscow
- 2009 *Afghanistan*, Army Museum, Les Invalides, Paris
Medecins sans Frontieres, 25th Anniversary Exhibition, Amsterdam
The Drunken Bride, Russia Unveiled, Projection, New York Photography Festival, New York City
White Nights, Russia After the Gulag, Projection, LOOK3 Festival of the Photograph, Charlottesville, USA
- 2008 *60th Anniversary of the Declaration of Human Rights*, Traveling Exhibition in more than 50 cities across the globe, in conjunction with the United Nations, French Ministry of Foreign Affairs and VII Photo Agency
Georgia, The August War, VII Gallery, New York City
War Is No Place for a Child, Traveling Exhibition at Universities across Canada, highlighting work from Uganda, Sierra Leone and Democratic Republic of Congo
- 2007 *Festival Voies Off*, Rencontres d'Arles Festival, Arles, France
- 2006 *Magenta Foundation*, Flash Forward, Lennox Contemporary, Toronto, Canada
Chernobyl:20, Travelling Exhibition, Capitol Hill, Washington, D.C. and the United Nations, New York City
Alternative Pick, CroBar Gallery, New York City
- 2005 *The Hidden Sitter*, The Gladstone Gallery, Toronto, Canada
The Life of Water, Allen Lambert Galleria; BCE Place, Toronto, Canada

GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS & AWARDS

- 2017 *Mondriaan Fond*, Publishing Grant
- 2016 *Ontario Arts Council*, Project Grant
- 2015 *World Photography Awards*, First Place, Still Life
PDN Photo Annual, Photo Book of the Year for Barricade
- 2014 *Scotiabank Photography Prize*, Finalist
Canada Council Arts Council Grant, Production Grant Recipient
- 2013 *Photoreporter Fund*, Documentary Photography Production Grant, France
- 2012 *Magnum Foundation, Emergency Fund Recipient*, War is Good*
Paris Photo Aperture Book Prize, Finalist for Interrogations
Moving Walls 20, Exhibition Prize
World Press Photo, First Place, Portrait Series
LEAD Awards, Germany, Gold, Portrait Series
World Photography Awards, First Place, Contemporary Issues
POYi, First Place, Portrait Series
World Report Award, Grand Prize
National Magazine Awards, (Canadian Art Magazine), First Place, Creative Photography
PDN Photo Annual, Two Prizes, Portraiture and Reportage
PDN Photo Annual, First Prize, Photo Book, 'Interrogations'
Aperture Foundation Paris Photo, Shortlist, Photo Book of the Year, 'Interrogations'
- 2011 *Art Director's Club of Canada*, Silver, Portrait Category
Anthropographie Human Rights Competition, Winner
National Magazine Awards, (Canada), Gold, Photo Essay
- 2010 *Canada Council Long-Term Grant (Two Years)* Creation Grant Recipient
Project Santa Fe, Finalist
- 2009 *Duke and Duchess of York Photography Prize*, Winner

- Canada Council Arts Council Grant*, Production Grant Recipient
Communication Arts Photography Annual, Winner, Editorial Category
Anthropographie Human Rights Competition, Winner
Project Santa Fe, Finalist
- 2008 *Aftermath Grant*, Finalist
Hey, Hot Shot!, Winner, Edition Two
PDN 30, Emerging Photographers, Photo District News Magazine
- 2007 *John Simon Guggenheim Foundation*, Guggenheim Fellowship
Fifteen Emerging Photo Pioneers, American Photo Magazine
Critical Mass, Book Publishing Prize through photolucida
PHODAR Photography Biennial, Grand Prize, Pleven, Bulgaria
PDN Photo Annual, Two Prizes, Photojournalism Category
Flash Forward 3, Magenta Foundation
Px3, Second Place, Documentary Photography
Applied Arts, First Place, Documentary Series
- 2006 *Lange–Taylor Documentary Prize*, Center for Documentary Studies, Duke University
World Press Photo, Honorable Mention, Daily Life Category
CIDA (Canadian International Development Fund), Documentary Development Grant
National Magazine Awards, Nomination, Words & Pictures Category
Flash Forward 2, Magenta Foundation
Carte Blanche, a compendium of Canada's most important photographers
Applied Arts, First Place, Documentary Series
International Photography Awards, 'The Lucie's,' Honorable Mention, Photo Essay
AltPick Awards, First Place, Jury, Photography Series
- 2005 *Society of Newspaper Design*, Gold Medal for Photography
2003 *Society of Newspaper Design*, Award of Excellence for Special Coverage
2001 *Gold Medal for Architecture*, Governor General's Awards

COLLECTIONS

Portland Museum of Art, Permanent Collection, Portland, Oregon
Museum of Memory and Tolerance, Permanent Collection, Mexico City, Mexico
Center for Documentary Studies, Permanent Collection, Duke University

BOOKS

War Sand, the meaning of war and sacrifice on the beaches of D-Day, using microscopy, dioramas and landscape photography

Barricade: The EuroMaidan Revolt, documenting the siege apparatus and the smoking language of revolution

Interrogations, documenting individual resistance to State Power in Eastern Europe, published by Schilt Publishers, Amsterdam, 2012. Included in Martin Parr and Gerry Badger's *The Photobook: A History, Volume III*

Bastard Eden, Our Chernobyl, examining the post-atomic world in Ukraine, published by photolucida, 2008.

SELECT LECTURES, ARTIST TALKS AND WORKSHOPS

- 2017 *American Comparative Literature Association*, Lecture, Utrecht, The Netherlands
Ulster University, Artist Talk, Belfast, Northern Ireland
Self Publish Riga, Riga Photo Month, Artist Talk, Riga, Latvia
University Arts London, Artist Talk, London, UK
Chobi Mela Photo Festival, Artist Talk, Dhaka, Bangladesh

- Academy of Fine Arts & Design*, Artist Talk, Bratislava, Slovakia
Fritt Ord Foundation, Artist Talk, Oslo, Norway
- 2016 *Dutch Zilverin Camera*, Artist Talk, Hilversum, The Netherlands
Foam Photography Museum, Panel Discussion, Amsterdam
High Noon at Eastern Neighbours, Artist Talk, The Hague
Organ Vida Photo Festival, Artist Talk, Zagreb
Pages UnBound Festival, Artist Talk, Toronto
- 2015 *World Press Photo Awards Days*, Panel Discuss, The Rules of Photography, Amsterdam
Norwegian Photographers Association, Artist Talk, Oslo
Spui25 and Royal Concertgebouw, Artist Talk, Amsterdam
Joop Swart Masterclass, World Press Photo, Amsterdam
FotoDok, Artist Talk, Utrecht, The Netherlands
Gulf Photo Plus, Artist Talk, Dubai
- 2014 *BagNews Salon*, Exploring the Visual Framing of Kiev and Independence Square
The Photographers' Gallery, Panel Discussion, London, UK
Circuit Gallery, Artist Talk, Toronto, Canada
- 2013 *Joop Swart Masterclass*, World Press Photo, Amsterdam
Oslo Freedom Forum, Lecture, Oslo, Norway
Reporting Change, World Press Photo Workshop for photographers from North Africa
Photoville, Artist Talk, New York
Tufts University, Visiting Scholar, Program for Narrative and Documentary Practice
- 2012 *Night of the Dictatorship*, Artist Talk, Humanity House, The Hague, The Netherlands
Breda Photography Festival, Artist Talk, Breda, The Netherlands
The Photographic Situation Project, Panel Participant, Toronto, Canada
Oslo Photography Forum, Workshop, Oslo, Norway
Questions Without Answers, Panel Participant, London, UK
Photography and Education, Lecture, 'Funding Your Projects,' London, UK
Lodi Ethical World Photography Festival, Lecture, Lodi, Italy
'The Dark Room,' Dutch Photography Series, Artist Talk, Amsterdam, The Netherlands
World Press Photo, Workshop for African Photographers, Angola
Grant Writing Workshop, Los Angeles, Amsterdam
- 2011 *Dutch Day of Photography*, Lecture, Amsterdam, The Netherlands
Hereford Photography Festival, Artist Talk, Hereford, UK
Grant Writing Workshop, Berlin, New York, Washington
- 2010 *OjodePez Photography Festival*, Panel Participant and Lecture, Barcelona, Spain
Victoria College of Art, Artist Talk, Victoria, Canada
Flash Forward Festival, Lecture, Toronto, Canada
World Press Photo, Workshop for Balkan Photographers, Berlin & Balkans
Grant Writing Workshop, Toronto
- 2009 *Ryerson University, Documentary Studies*, Lecture, Toronto, Canada
World Press Photo Exhibition, Artist Talk, Toronto and New York