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RELATED EXPERIENCE

Architect, worked for three years with urban theorist Rem Koolhaas' Office for Metropolitan Architecture (OMA), Rotterdam, The Netherlands

Trainer and Mentor, *World Press Photo Foundation*, Education Programs

REPRESENTATION

Circuit Gallery, Toronto and *VII Photo*, New York and Paris

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2014 *Interrogations*, Blue Sky Gallery, Portland, Oregon
- 2013 *Interrogations*, Foley Gallery, New York
Interrogations, White Cloth Gallery, Leeds, UK
Interrogations(Prologue), Harbourfront Centre, Toronto
- 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 Galllery, Toronto, Canada
Russian Archive, Alice Austen House Museum, New York
- 2008 *Bastard Eden, Our Chernobyl*, Blue Sky Gallery, Portland, Oregon
- 2007 *PHODAR Photography Biennial*, Pleven, Bulgaria
- 2004 *Welcome To My Country*, 3 Storey Gallery, Toronto, Canada

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2014 *War Sand*, Circuit Gallery, Toronto
Shift: Photographs of Revolution, Third Floor Gallery, Cardiff, Wales
- 2013 *Carbon 14, Climate is Culture*, Royal Ontario Museum, Toronto
Interrogations, Installation, Artget Gallery, Belgrade, Serbia
Interrogations, Installation, Photoville, New York
Moving Walls 20, Open Society Institute, New York
- 2012 *True North*, Alaska Museum of Art, Anchorage, USA
- 2011 *Interrogations*, Projection, LOOK Festival of the Photograph
I Get a Sickening Feeling Every Time I Think of It, VII Gallery, New York
- 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, Oregon
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
White Nights, Russia After the Gulag, Projection, LOOK3 Festival of the Photograph
- 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
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

- 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
Sony 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

PUBLICATIONS

Interrogations, a book 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, a book documenting the post-atomic world in Ukraine, published by photolucida, 2008.

SELECT LECTURES, ARTIST TALKS AND WORKSHOPS

- 2013 *Joop Swart Masterclass*, World Press Photo Workshop
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

EDUCATION

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