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## **Exhibitions**

**Biennale 2011**, Government House, Fredericton, NB, (Group exhibit) July 25-Aug.19, 2011.

**Hooper Studios** (King's County Studio Tour and Summer Group Exhibit) June 11-September 2, 2011, Hampton, NB.

**Atlantic Craft Trade Show**, Halifax, Nova Scotia, (Selected Works in NBCC Showing) February 5-7, 2011.

**Major's Hill Park, National Capital Commission**, Ottawa, Ontario. 'Saint John: Cultural Capitals of Canada.' (Demonstration and display of selected works) July 1, 2010.

**NB Craft Council Gallery**, Fredericton, NB, 'Hand to Hand' (participant in group exhibit)- February 19 to March 29, 2010.

**Kennebecasis Public Library**, NB, Quispamsis, Solo Display, Dec. 28, 2009 to Feb.1 2010.

**Hooper Studios**, Hampton, NB, (Christmas group exhibit) Nov.16 to Dec.19, 2009.

**Sunbury Shores**, St. Andrews, NB, 'Earth Works' (participant in group exhibit) Dec.4 to Dec.16, 2009.

**Sunbury Shores**, St. Andrews, NB, 'The Art of Food' (participant in group exhibit) Oct.9 to Nov.4, 2009.

**Saint John Arts Centre**, Saint John, NB, 'Escape Pod' (Solo Exhibition) Sept. 11 to Oct. 31, 2009.

## **Commissions**

**Dalhousie Medicine New Brunswick**, 'Asclepian Torch' August 2010.

**Town of Quispamsis Qplex**, 'Community Pod' and 'The Swimmer', 30 pieces in total. March- June, 2010.

**Saint John Regional Hospital:** Inter Professional Health Research Dept., Level 1 Amphitheatre and Light Court: 'Discovering Together', Feb. 2009.

**Various private commissions** – Including 'Tree of Andre' 2011, 'River Shelf' 2011, 'River Tables' 2010.

## **Grants and Awards**

**Second Place** and **People's Choice Award** for the sculpture 'String Bean' in 'The Art of food Contest.' Sunbury Shores, St. Andrews, NB, Oct. 2009.

**First and Second Place**, 'Song Birds' Category, Sackville Waterfowl Carving Competition, Aug. 1996.

## **Education/Relevant Experience**

2006- Present. Self-Practice in studio.

2011- New Brunswick Craft Council Juried Member

2009-2011. **Instructor** for carving workshops at the Saint John Arts Centre and Hooper Studios.

2008-2011 **Master Gardener Certification**, (Correspondence Courses) NSAC, Truro, Nova Scotia.

2005-Ongoing, **Landscape Gardener (Self Employed)** Part time seasonal employment. Garden design, installation and Maintenance. Development of business and design skills through on site practice and courses with Landscape NB as well as an ongoing study of nature's forms, textures and colours.

2003-2006, **NB Film Co-op projects** and various artistic and commercial Videos and films. Set design, Prop construction, Special Effects Dept., Cinematography Assistant. Experience with designing and constructing props from basic materials as well as knowledge of lighting for enhancement of shape and form.

2002-2003, **Film Studies Program**, Carleton University, Ottawa, Ontario.

1995-1999- **Attendance of the KV Carvers Club** and mentorship from experienced, local carvers, notably Gordon Willet. With frequent practice and technical training at carving wood, this experience provided a strong foundation for my practice today.

