
Fraser Radford



Fraser Radford was born in 1987 in Brockville, Ontario. He holds an Honours Bachelor of Arts in Art History, with a minor in Religious Studies (graduated in 2009) from Queen's University in Kingston, Ontario, Canada, a Fine Arts diploma from St. Lawrence College in Brockville, Ontario (2014), and a post-graduate certificate in Studio Process Advancement from the Haliburton School of the Arts (2014). He has held numerous volunteer and paid positions at galleries and museums in Kingston, Toronto and Brockville. He has apprenticed with Shayne Dark, one of Canada's prominent sculptors based out of Kingston, Ontario.

His work is held in numerous private collections in Canada, the U.S., the U.K., Australia, and New Zealand, and has been exhibited across North America. His work has also been published in several magazines in Canada, and the U.S, as well as The Peace Project, a catalogue produced by Gallery 9 in Culver City, California in 2010.

Education

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| 2014 | Studio Process Advancement Post-Graduate Certificate, Fleming College, Haliburton, ON |
| 2014 | Visual and Creative Arts – Fine Arts Diploma, St. Lawrence College, Brockville, ON |
| 2012 - 2014 | Apprenticeship with Shayne Dark, Kingston, ON |
| 2009 | Bachelor of Arts (Honours – Art History), Queen's University, Kingston, ON |

Selected Solo Exhibitions

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| 2021 | Recent Work, Medium Effort, Brockville, ON |
| 2021 | Floating into the Void, Marianne van Silfhout Gallery, Brockville, ON (online) |
| 2019 | Pouring Galaxies, O'Connor Gallery, Gananoque, ON |
| 2019 | Between the Sun and the Sky, Yellow Brick Wall Gallery, Brantford, ON |
| 2018 | Soft Pleasures, Brockville Public Library, Brockville, ON |
| 2018 | Senbazuru (for Sadako Sasaki), Japanese Embassy, Ottawa, ON |

- 2017 Notes from the Centre of Nowhere, Hang Ups Creative Picture Framing, Brockville, ON
- 2017 Pouring Galaxies, Foyer Gallery and Library Exhibition Space, St. Lawrence College, Brockville, ON
- 2016 Pouring Galaxies, Brockville Public Library, Brockville, ON
- 2015 Fraser Radford: Recent Paintings, Hang Ups Creative Picture Framing, Brockville, ON
- 2014 What A Drag, St. Lawrence College Library, Brockville, ON
- 2014 Senbazuru (for Sadako Sasaki), Japanese Embassy, Ottawa, ON
- 2013 What A Drag, My Mother's Basement Gallery, Toronto, ON
- 2012 What A Drag, SLC Student Gallery, St. Lawrence College, Brockville, ON

Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2023 Outdoor Sculpture Garden, Oeno Gallery, Bloomfield, ON
- 2022 "I'm Fine", and Other Lies We Tell Ourselves, Brockville Public Library, Brockville, ON (two-person exhibition with Christina Chrysler)
- 2021 Creativity Through Crisis: Works from a Global Pandemic, Spencerville Mill, Spencerville, ON
- 2021 Celebrating Ten Years of Brockville Pride Virtual Exhibition, Brockville Public Library, Brockville, ON
- 2019 Re: UNION - 25th Anniversary Exhibition, Union Gallery, Kingston, ON
- 2019 Abstraction in the 1000 Islands, Brockville Public Library, Brockville, ON
- 2019 Sculpture Garden Exhibition, Oeno Gallery, Bloomfield, ON
- 2019 Society of Canadian Artists 2019 Open International Juried Online Exhibition
- 2019 heART, O'Connor Gallery, Gananoque, ON
- 2018 11th Annual Juried Exhibition, Marianne van Silfhout Gallery, St. Lawrence College, Brockville, ON
- 2018 11th Annual Alumni Exhibition, Marianne van Silfhout Gallery, St. Lawrence College, Brockville, ON
- 2018 Late Spring/Early Summer group exhibition, TAG Art Gallery, St. Catharines, ON
- 2018 Before the Summer, Firehall Theatre, Gananoque, ON
- 2018 Brockville Big Group, Kingston General Hospital, Kingston, ON
- 2017 Salon of Inclusiveness 2017, The Black Cat Artspace, Toronto, ON
- 2017 Soul Confessions and Guilty Pleasures, Marianne van Silfhout Gallery, St. Lawrence College, Brockville, ON
- 2017 Before the Rush, The Ivy Restaurant & Clubhouse, Lansdowne, ON
- 2016 Before the Rush, The Ivy Restaurant & Clubhouse, Lansdowne, ON
- 2016 Perspectives, Marianne van Silfhout Gallery, St. Lawrence College, Brockville, ON
- 2015 Modern Yule, Modern Fuel Artist-Run Centre, Kingston, ON
- 2015 pARTicle, Propeller Centre for the Visual Arts, Toronto, ON
- 2015 Bliss, Marianne van Silfhout Gallery, St. Lawrence College, Brockville, ON
- 2015 6x6, Rochester Contemporary Art Centre, Rochester, N.Y.
- 2015 Sculpture Garden Exhibition, Oeno Gallery, Bloomfield, ON

- 2015 Winter '15 Group Show, TAG Art Gallery, St. Catharines, ON
- 2014 - 2015 Snap to Grid-Eleventh Annual Un-juried Exhibition, Los Angeles Centre for Digital Art, Los Angeles, CA
- 2014 This Winter Light-Annual Juried Members' Show and Sale, Modern Fuel Artist Run Centre, Kingston, ON
- 2014 16th Annual Juried Members' Exhibition, Modern Fuel Artist Run Centre, Kingston, ON
- 2014 Along the River's Edge, Thousand Islands Arts Centre, Clayton, NY
- 2014 Shadow and Light, Black Box Gallery, Portland, OR
- 2014 The Creator's Hand, White Flag Gallery, Brockville, ON
- 2013 Modern Fuel Members Show and Sale, Modern Fuel Artist Run Centre, Kingston, ON
- 2013 Freedom, Marianne van Silfhout Gallery, St. Lawrence College, Brockville, ON
- 2013 Your Own Grad School, Modern Fuel Artist Run Centre, Kingston, ON
- 2013 Salon Prize Exhibition 2013, Studio 22, Kingston, ON
- 2012 Modern Fuel Members Show and Sale, Modern Fuel Artist Run Centre, Kingston, ON
- 2011 - 2012 AWOL Square Foot, AWOL Gallery and Twist Gallery, Toronto, ON
- 2012 Open Walls: An Open Photo Salon, Black Box Gallery, Portland, OR
- 2010 - 2012 Kingston Pride, The Artel/Window Art Gallery, Kingston School of Art, Kingston, ON
- 2012 Art on the Danforth 2012, Toronto, ON
- 2012 By the Pound 2: Re-weighed, Goodfellas Gallery, Toronto, ON
- 2011 Intersecting Messages, Propeller Centre for the Visual Arts, Toronto, ON

Fundraising Exhibitions

- 2023 Cézanne's Closet, Union Gallery, Queen's University, Kingston, ON
- 2022 Cézanne's Closet, Union Gallery, Queen's University, Kingston, ON
- 2021 Cézanne's Closet, Union Gallery, Queen's University, Kingston, ON
- 2020 Cézanne's Closet, Union Gallery, Queen's University, Kingston, ON
- 2019 Charity Art Auction for Dense Breasts Canada, Stratford, ON
- 2018 '2018 Rotary Golf Classic', Brockville Country Club, Brockville, ON
- 2017 'Battle of the Brushes', Fundraiser for the Brockville Museum, Brockville, ON
- 2017 'Chair-ity' Auction, Fundraiser for ACOTTI (Arts Council of the Thousand Islands), Marianne van Silfhout Gallery, St. Lawrence College, Brockville, ON
- 2014 Caring for Our Community, Connell Homestead, Spencerville, ON

Public Art

- 2015 - 2016 'Spark', Tett Centre for Creativity & Learning, Kingston, ON

Residencies

2014 Spark Box Studio, Prince Edward County, ON
2013 Your Own Grad School (led by Cliff Eyland, and Jeanne Randolph),
Modern Fuel Artist-Run Centre, Kingston, ON

Awards

2014 People's Choice Award, St. Lawrence College, Brockville, ON
2014 SLC Foundation Award, St. Lawrence College, Brockville, ON

Publications

2021 The Pinch, Issue 41.1, Spring 2021, pg. 70
2020 Diafano (online), February 2020 issue, pg. 19
2019 Create Magazine, Issue 16, August 2019, pgs. 146-147
2019 The Pinch, Issue 39.1, Spring 2019, pgs. 71-72
2019 William Perehudoff: Architect of Colour (wrote catalogue essay), Berry
Campbell Gallery, NYC
2016 The Grog Boat – Pouring the Cosmos with Fraser Radford, April 30th, 2016
(<https://grogboat.com/2016/04/30/pouring-the-cosmos-with-fraser-radford/>)
2015 The Grog Boat – The Artist's Cove: Fraser Radford, August 11th, 2015
(<http://grogboat.com/2015/08/11/artists-cove-fraser-radford/>)
2015 St. Lawrence College-Visual and Creative Arts program website - Alumni profile
(<http://www.stlawrencecollege.ca/programs-and-courses/full-time/programs/other-information/fine-arts-alumni-fraser-radford/>)
2015 Fleming Ties PDF, Winter 2015 issue, pg. 10
(<http://flemingcollege.ca/PDF/FlemingTies/fleming-ties-winter-2015.pdf>)
2014 Fleming College, November 14th, 2014
2014 The Haliburton Echo, July 29th, 2014 issue pg. 12
2014 The Queen's Journal, July 29th, 2014 issue pg. 20
2014 Shadow and Light exhibition catalogue, May 2014, pg. 40
2014 SNAP'D Brockville, May 2014 issue, pg. 19
2014 Art Freak – CFRC 101.9 FM, Queen's University, April 2014
2013 PhotoEd Magazine, Winter 2013 issue "Travel Photography", pg. 37
2013 Kingston This Week, July 11th, 2013, pg. 14
2013 The Pinch, Issue 33.1, Spring 2013, pgs. 117-118
2013 2013 Rotary Cash Calendar (month of January)
2012 SLC Navigator, Vol. 16, October 2012, pg. 4
2012 Artist Portfolio Magazine, Issue 6, Anniversary edition, April 2012, pgs. 132 - 133
2012 Artist Portfolio Magazine, Issue 5, Photography edition, January 2012, pg. 58
2011 PhotoEd Magazine, Fall 2011 issue "The Environment", pg. 36
2011 Artist Portfolio Magazine, Issue 3, Abstract Painting edition, August 2011, pg. 41
2010 The Peace Project, Gallery 9, Culver City, California, November 2010, p. 90
2010 Kingston EMC, Kingston, Ontario, June 2010, p. 13

Professional History

* indicates volunteer position

- 2022 Professor, two-day workshop (Soak Stain Abstracts in the Style of Helen Frankenthaler), St. Lawrence College, Brockville Campus, Brockville, ON
- 2020 Participant (online), Fall Issue Release Party, The Pinch, Memphis, TN
- 2019 Professor, Art History and Appreciation II, St. Lawrence College, Brockville, ON
- 2019 Hosted private workshop 'No Brushes Allowed', Lyn, ON
- 2019 Juror for Visual and Creative Arts – Fine Arts Graduation Exhibition, St. Lawrence College, Brockville, ON*
- 2017 Professor (one day workshop), Haliburton Summer School of the Arts, Haliburton School of Art & Design, Haliburton, ON
Guest speaker, St. Lawrence College, Brockville, ON*
- 2016 Guest speaker/artist, Youth Opportunities for the Arts, Brockville, Ontario
- 2016 - 2018 Participant, Brockville Culture Days, Brockville, ON*
- 2016 Professor (weeklong course 'No Brushes Allowed!'), 1000 Islands Summer School of the Arts, St. Lawrence College, Brockville Campus, Brockville, ON
- 2015 Gallery Assistant, Agnes Etherington Art Centre, Kingston, ON (temporary position)
- 2012 - 2014 Apprenticeship with Shayne Dark, Kingston, ON*
- 2012 - 2013 Exhibit Assistant at Marianne van Silfhout Gallery, St. Lawrence College, Brockville, ON (bursary position offered through College for 2012 – 2013 school year)
- 2011 - 2012 Gallery Volunteer at Marianne van Silfhout Gallery, St Lawrence College, Brockville, ON*
- 2012 Gallery Volunteer and Programming Committee Member at Modern Fuel Artist Run Centre, Kingston, ON*
- 2011 General Assistant at Brockville Museum, Brockville, ON*
Gallery Assistant at Propeller Centre for the Visual Arts, Toronto, ON*
- 2008 - 2009 Gallery Attendant, Union Gallery, Queen's University, Kingston, ON*
Gallery Attendant and Committee Member (appointed position of Gallery Sitting Co-ordinator), The Artel Artist Accommodation and Venue, Kingston, ON*
Summer volunteer library organiser, Museum of Health Care, Kingston, ON*