Mark Bartkiw

In his photo-based artwork, Demorestville artist Mark Bartkiw creates unique surrealist environments. After studies in photography at Sheridan College, Bartkiw worked as a freelance photographer in advertising, portraiture, and the fashion and music industries.

"The imaginary world has unlimited potential. When I reach back into my childhood where I could create anything and was totally in charge, I created scenes and worlds that were my alternate and necessary reality. As an artist, this has evolved into the opportunity to revive play in order to create implied narratives."

Exhibitions

2023   20th Anniversary Celebration: Summer Group Show, Oeno Gallery, Bloomfield, ON
2022   CREATIVES - Small Gifts, Big Ideas, Oeno Gallery Annex, Prince Edward County, ON
2020   Joe Fafard: The Intimate Canadian Landscape, Oeno Gallery, Prince Edward County, ON
2020   Spring Art Finds, Oeno Gallery, Prince Edward County, ON
2019   Small Walls. Big Ideas., Oeno Gallery, Prince Edward County, ON
2019   Summer Array, Oeno Gallery, Prince Edward County, ON
2015   Grief encounters redux pop up gallery curated by carbon gallery , Picton, ON
2015   Grief encounters, Maison Depoivre, Bloomfield, ON
2015   Grief encounters, Art after dark kingston frameworks, Kingston, ON
2016   Junctures, Maison Depoivre, Bloomfield, ON
2017   Grief encounters, John m. parrott gallery, Belleville, ON
2017   Grief encounters, exposure gallery, Ottawa, ON