

# Leah Hicks

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## AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

Solo art Display in Town Hall in Smiths Falls • March 2022

Awards Gala / Auction to raise funds for BMH Art Show (Brain and Mental Health Art Show) • March 2022

Marianne van Silfhout Art Gallery “Honorable Mention Award” • March 2012

Heavily collected by the Federal Government of Canada • March 2014

Held in many private collections and several countries • 2008-Present

## EXPERIENCE

Luxembourg Art Prize Certificate of Participation

- 2020-2021

Sole Proprietor Organic Conception® Art Gallery

- 2011-2014

Compositions® Art Gallery and Art Supply Store

- 2009-2011

Teach Art (painting, drawing, sculpting)

- 1998-present

Ask to Participate in the Biennale Internazionale

- Florence Italy 2011

Vernissage at Brush Strokes - Highest amount of sales

- 2009

## PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Hold Fund-raisers for the Carleton Place and Memorial Hospital Foundation - 2018 - Present

Donate Art to Various Charities

President of the SFDACC (Smiths Falls and District Arts and Culture Council) • 2016 - Present

Rideau Lakes Artist Association • 2016-2017

Job Shadowed by High school student • 2012

OMMA (Ottawa Mixed Media Association) • 2010-2011

Ottawa Artisans Guild • 2009-2011

Signmaker at Golden Triangle Signs, Volunteer • 2009

## EDUCATION

Clay Sculpture; St. Lawrence College, Brockville Ontario • 2022

Poetry; St. Lawrence College, Brockville Ontario • 2019

Digital Music Production; Algonquin college, Ottawa Ontario • 2014

Life Drawing With & Without Model; St. Lawrence College, Brockville Ontario • 2011

Graphic Design; Algonquin College, Ottawa Ontario • 2001-2003

Design Foundations; Algonquin College, Ottawa Ontario • 2000-2001

## BIBLIOGRAPHY

Your TV Interview on SFDACC

• April 2022

Front page newspaper article recognizing Arts & Culture

• November 2019

Regional Contact - CTV News Ottawa, Five minute documentary on “Discovering Creativity through Struggle”

• April 2018

Artwork used for Promotional Purposes in the Toronto Outdoor Art Exhibition

• July 2016

Full Spread in The Humm Newspaper “Come Back Leah Hicks”

• June 2016

Two Newspaper articles regarding vernissage Harmony Gallery

• November 2016

Magazine “Spurge” describing My Art Gallery

• September 2014

Two Newspapers showcasing art Florence Italy

• October 2011

Florence Biennale Participating Artists Book

• October 2011

CBC Radio advertising art gallery Compositions

• February 2011

Jack FM Radio Advertising Vernissage

• September 2010

CKCU-FM Radio - Solo Show for La Petite Mort Gallery

• June 2010

## EXHIBITIONS

SOLO EXHIBITION - United Gratitude  
S22 Gallery -Kingston Ontario  
April 2022

Modern Woman - Showcasing Woman Artists  
ARTA GALLERY - Toronto Ontario  
March 2022

SOLO Exhibition - Appel  
Old Montreal - Quebec  
November 2021

Magazine and Web Display Article  
British Vogue - London England  
January - March 2021

Magazine and Web Display Article  
Adobe 2 - London England  
January - March 2021

S/M/L Show  
Santini Gallery - Ottawa Ontario  
September 2020 & 2022

Woven Dreams Solo Exhibit  
Santini Gallery - Ottawa Ontario  
March 2020

Chicago Art Expo  
FULTON STREET COLLECTIVE - Chicago USA  
September 2019

Art In Motion  
ARTA GALLERY - Toronto Ontario  
September 2019

- The Table Restaurant  
SOLO SHOW - Ottawa Ontario  
July-August 2019

Fantasy the Forest Art Show - Kingston Ontario  
July 2019

Like Art Show  
ARTA GALLERY - Toronto Ontario  
July 2019

Signatures Show - Ottawa Ontario  
November 2018

Gallery Artists Group Exhibition II - Toronto Ontario  
June 2018

Gallery Artists Group Exhibition I - Toronto Ontario  
May 2018

The Table Restaurant - Ottawa Ontario  
March 2018

Dear World - Toronto Ontario  
February 2018

A Golden Glow to Light the Day Exhibit - Toronto Ontario  
November 2016

RAW Natural Born Artists - Toronto Ontario  
February 2017

Harmony Gallery, Vernissage - Smiths Falls Ontario  
Vernissage and Wall Display  
Smiths Falls, January 2016 - 2018

Stewart Park Music Festival - Perth Ontario  
July 2016

Railbender Studio and Gallery -Ottawa Ontario  
February 2015

Stairwell Gallery  
Vernissage and sale  
Almonte Ontario, April-June 2015

Women's Art Festival - Kingston Ontario  
August 2015

The New Art Festival - Ottawa Ontario  
June 2015

Marianne Van Silfhout Art Gallery  
Untapped Art Show  
Brockville Ontario, March 2012

Ottawa Artisans Guild - Ottawa, Ontario  
May 2008-2012

Biennale Internazionale Dell'Arte Contemporanea  
Florence Italy, November 2011

Ottawa Art Expo - Ottawa, Ontario  
October 2009-2011

La Petite Mort Gallery - Ottawa, Ontario  
June 2009-2010

All of the Exhibitions have been Juried

\*Have been in many other shows which I have not included.