

# Annie Robinson

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## SOLO & TWO-PERSON EXHIBITIONS

- 2021** WHEN COLOURS BLEED, two-person exhibition with Amber Friedman, Crucible Gallery – qathet, BC
- 2020** FINDING A PLACE, two-person exhibition with Joshua deGroot, Tidal Art Centre – Lund, BC
- 2020** A SHIFTING LANDSCAPE, a digital exhibition released during lockdown
- 2020** INDIGO & RUST, 32 Lakes Cafe – qathet, BC
- 2019** PRESENT NOSTALGIA, Townsite Market Gallery – qathet, BC

## GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2023** PRESENT, curated by Karen Kamon, qathet Art Centre – qathet, BC
- 2022** REMEMBRANCE DAY FOR LOST SPECIES, mural with Luke Ramsey, Meghan Hildebrand, Joshua deGroot & high school students – qathet, BC
- 2022** EBB & FLOW, curated by Prash Miranda & Nancy Jeakins, Tidal Art Centre – Lund, BC
- 2021** MALASPINA ART, qathet Art Centre – qathet, BC
- 2021** PIGMENTS REVEALED, International Symposium curated by Melonie Ancheta
- 2020 & 2021** ATTACHMENTS, digital exhibitions curated by Edward Westerhuis – Surrey, BC
- 2020** EARTH: AN ABSTRACT, curated by Sarah Jane, Port Angeles Fine Art Center – Port Angeles, WA, USA
- 2018** FRIEND OR FOE, curated by Michael Schwartz, KAFKA'S – Vancouver, BC
- 2017** UNCOMMON, ARC Gallery – Vancouver, BC
- 2017** CULTURE CRAWL, ARC Studios & Narcissus Cafe – Vancouver, BC
- 2015** BRAVE, curated by Gina Ottolenghi, King Arts Complex: The Elijah Pierce Gallery – Columbus, OH, USA

## RESIDENCIES

- 2020** Tidal Art Centre – Lund, BC
- 2023** Artscape Gibraltar Point, into the wilderness: a climate-focused residency led by Lisa Cristinzo – Mnisising/Toronto Island, ON

## GRANTS & AWARDS

- 2023** Canada Council for the Arts, Research & Create Grant

## EDUCATION

- Vancouver Art Therapy Institute** | Vancouver, BC — *Art Therapy Post Graduate Diploma*  
2022
- Maiwa School of Textiles** | Vancouver, BC – *Silk painting, Natural dyeing, and painting with natural dyes*  
2018
- Ohio State University** | Columbus, OH — *Bachelor of Arts*  
2011

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## RELATED WORK

### **qathet Art Centre** | qathet, BC – *Artist*

2022 & 2023

Facilitated wild colour ink-making workshops for adults and spring break camps for youth.

### **Sunshine Coast Health Centre** | qathet, BC – *Art Therapist*

2022 - present

- Offering 1:1 clinical art therapy sessions to clients attending a mental health and addictions facility.
- Facilitating group art therapy and workshops using natural materials, including indigo dyeing and ink making.

### **City of Powell River** | qathet, BC – *Artist*

2022

Led art-based conversations about homelessness in the region and facilitated final artwork presented to the public and lawmakers. Collaborated with SUSTAIN (Substance Users Society Teaching Advocacy Instead of Neglect) to distribute artwork via a printed and digital zine.

### **Clinical Art Therapy Practicums** | qathet, BC – *Art Therapy Student*

2020 - 2022

Completed 700 practicum hours in multiple settings, with varied clients, including pregnant people and new parents with a history of addiction, children in foster care, folks who are unhoused or with unstable housing, and clients who are attending a residential facility for mental health and addiction.

## PROJECTS & VOLUNTEER WORK

### **The Name Matters**, qathet, BC

2022 - present

Member of an advocacy group that reports to the Tla'amin Nation.

Through artmaking and community engagement, this group educates, raises awareness, and elevates Indigenous voices with compassion and understanding. My role is leading art workshops and creating online content promoting inclusive place names and (re)conciliation.

### **JustWork Social Enterprise**, Vancouver, BC — *Social Enterprise Network of Potters, Catering & Renovations*

2018 - 2020

Board Member

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**THRIVE Artist Collective Member**, Vancouver, BC

2017 - 2018

**Atira Women's Resource Center**, Vancouver, BC — *Enterprising Women Make Art (EWMA Studio Drop-In Center)*

2017 - 2018

Led watercolour and poetry workshops for women in the Vancouver Downtown Eastside.

**STAR House**, Columbus OH — *Homeless Youth Drop-In Center*

2015 - 2016

Monthly art studio time working with homeless youth.

**Freedom a la Cart**, Columbus OH — *Supportive Social Enterprise*

2011 - 2015

Led contemplative art workshops