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SOLO EXHIBITIONS:

2002	*	<i>Flammable Inflammable</i>	Paul Kuhn Gallery, Calgary
1997		<i>The Museum of Fuel</i>	Paul Kuhn Gallery, Calgary.
1994		<i>Our Nature</i>	Neutral Ground, Regina, Saskatchewan.
		<i>Another Network</i>	A.K.A. Artists' Centre, Saskatoon, Sask.
1991		<i>Furthermore</i>	Paul Kuhn Fine Arts, Calgary.
1990	*	<i>Low Table - High Chairs</i>	Mercer Union, Toronto.
	*	<i>Walter May</i>	The Edmonton Art Gallery, Edmonton
1989		<i>Walter May : Sculpture</i>	Paul Kuhn Fine Arts, Calgary.
1986		<i>Walter May : Recent Sculpture</i>	Paul Kuhn Fine Arts, Calgary.
1985	*	<i>Walter May : Recent Sculpture</i>	Southern Alberta Art Gallery, Lethbridge.
1984		<i>Walter May : New Sculpture</i>	Paul Kuhn Fine Arts, Calgary.
1982		<i>Looks Like Real, Feels Like Real</i>	Optica, Montreal.
1977		<i>Walter May, M.F.A. Exhibition</i>	Norman Mackenzie Art Gallery, Regina.
1975		<i>Walter May, Sculpture</i>	Alberta College of Art Gallery, Calgary.

TWO & THREE PERSON EXHIBITIONS/COLLABORATIONS:

1998		<i>Distant</i> , (with Blake Senini), artweek exhibition, Calgary.
1994		<i>Squint</i> , (with Gordon Ferguson & Laura Vickerson), artweek exhibition, Calgary
1987	*	<i>Gang of Three</i> , (with Gordon Ferguson & Blake Senini). Plug in Gallery & Ace Gallery, Winnipeg.
1984		<i>In Triplicate</i> , (with Alan Dunning & Blake Senini). organized by Latitude 53 Gallery, Manulife Place, Edmonton..
1979		<i>Walter May & Don McVeigh</i> , Clouds and Water Gallery, Calgary.
		<i>Two</i> , (with Carroll Moppett), Walter Phillips Gallery, Banff.
1974		<i>Statues and Pictures</i> , (with Don McVeigh), Latitude 53, Edmonton.

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS:

2004		<i>10X10X10</i> , Triangle Gallery, Calgary
2003		<i>Matchmaker</i> , (with Gordon Ferguson), the New Gallery, Calgary
2002		<i>The Beastiary</i> , Stride Gallery, Calgary
2001		<i>Idols and Icons</i> , The New Gallery, Calgary. <i>Braziers International Artists Workshop exhibition</i> , Braziers Park. Oxfordshire, England
2000		<i>Burn Graceland Burn</i> , Art Gallery of Calgary, Calgary <i>Plant Life</i> , Paul Kuhn Gallery, Calgary <i>Silver</i> , Illingworth Kerr Gallery, ACAD, Calgary. <i>Then and Now</i> , Paul Kuhn Gallery, Calgary.

- 1999 *Presence*, The Works Visual Arts Festival, Edmonton, Alta.
- 1998/99 * *Exquisite Corpse*, (with Blake Senini, Gordon Ferguson) Stride Gallery, Calgary
- 1998/99 * *The Alberta Biennial*, The Glenbow Museum & Edmonton Art Gallery.
- 1997 *Looks Like...*, The Edmonton Art Gallery.
- 1997 *A Duchampian Look at the Glenbow Collection*, The Glenbow, Calgary.
- 1996 *Still Life, a Contemporary View*, Paul Kuhn Gallery, Calgary.
- 1995 *Ark* - Illingworth Kerr Gallery, Alberta College of Art, Calgary.
- 1995 *Basic Tools*, Eye Level Gallery, Halifax, Nova Scotia.
- 1994 *Looking Back II: 1981-85*, Southern Alberta Art Gallery, Lethbridge.
- 1993 *Ten*, Paul Kuhn Fine Arts, Calgary.
- 1993 *Hockey 100*, Truck, Calgary.
- 1992 *Alberta Survey: New Landscapes*, The Edmonton Art Gallery.
- 1990 *Spun Out*, Paul Kuhn Fine Arts, Calgary.
- 1990 *Sculpture '90: Four Alberta Sculptors*, The Triangle Gallery, Calgary.
- 1990 *Within Range*, Traveling exhibition circulated by the Pritchard Art Gallery, University of Idaho, Moscow, Idaho.
- 1989 *Bridge*, Organized by the University of Lethbridge Art Gallery, Lethbridge.
- 1988 * *Contemporary '88*, Paul Kuhn Fine Arts, Calgary.
- 1987 *Wall Space*, The Glenbow Museum, Calgary.
- 1987 * *Drawing Out the Form*, The Nickle Arts Museum, University of Calgary.
- 1987 * *Dreaming Before Nature*, The Edmonton Art Gallery, Edmonton.
- 1987 * *The Exchange Show*, Calgary-Milano - organized by Off Centre Centre, Calgary & Centro Lavoro Arte, Milano.
- 1985 * *The First Ten: 1975-1985*, Off Centre Centre, Calgary.
- 1985 * *Five + Five*, Off Centre Centre, Calgary.
- 1985 * *Alumni MFA Exhibition*, University of Regina Tenth Anniversary Exhibition, Norman Mackenzie Art Gallery, Regina.
- 1983 *The Un-college Exhibition*, James Ulrich Gallery, Calgary.
- 1983 *Studio Sculpture*, Latitude 53 Gallery, Edmonton.
- 1983 * *Locations National*, outdoor sculpture installation organized by Off Centre Centre. in conjunction with ANNPAC, Calgary.
- 1981 *Some Calgary Artists*, Latitude 53 Gallery, Edmonton.
- 1981 * *Furniture as Art*, Alberta College of Art Gallery, Calgary.
- 1980 * *Monuments*, Off Centre Centre, Calgary.
- 1980 * *Some Drawings by Some Albertans*, Alberta College of Art Gallery, Calgary.
- 1979 *Mostly Smaller Works*, Clouds & Water Gallery, Calgary.
- 1979 * *Alberta Works in Wood*, Alberta College of Art Gallery, Calgary.
- 1979 *Summer in the City*, Clouds & Water Gallery, Calgary.
- 1978 *Paper Tigers*, traveling exhibition circulated by the Dunlop Gallery, Regina.
- 1978 * *Obsessions, Rituals and Controls*, The Norman Mackenzie Art Gallery, Regina.
- 1978 *Mostly Smaller Works*, Clouds & Water Gallery, Calgary.
- 1977 *Group Exhibition*, Bau-xi Gallery, Toronto.
- 1977 *Albertawork*, Alberta College of Art & the University of Calgary Gallery.
- 1977 * *Sculpture on the Prairies*, The Winnipeg Art Gallery, Winnipeg.
- 1977 *Self-portraits*, Dandelion Art Gallery, Calgary.
- 1976 *Paper Works*, artist organized touring exhibition, various venues.
- 1976 * *Forum '76*, Montreal Museum of Fine Arts, Montreal.
- 1975 *Four Man Art*, Norman Mackenzie Art Gallery, Regina.
- 1975 *Alberta Art*, Canadian Consul, Atlanta, Georgia.
- 1974 *Manisphere*, Winnipeg Art Gallery, Winnipeg.
- 1974 *Selections from Manisphere*, Alberta College of Art Gallery, Calgary.
- 1974 *9 out of 10*, Hamilton Art Gallery, Hamilton, touring exhibition.

1972 *14th Annual Calgary Graphics*, Alberta College of Art Gallery, Calgary.
Survey of Canadian Art Now, Vancouver Art Gallery, Vancouver.
1971 *11th Annual Calgary Graphics*, Alberta College of Art Gallery, Calgary.
1968-71 Various student exhibitions.
1982-02 Annual faculty exhibitions *indicates
catalogue

PUBLIC COLLECTIONS:

Alberta Foundation for the Arts	The Canada Council Art Bank.
Alberta Culture Jubilee Auditorium Collection.	Alberta College of Art.
The Glenbow Museum and Archives.	The Nickle Arts Museum.
Pan-Canadian Petroleum Collection.	Provincial Museum Collection.
Toronto Dominion Bank Collection.	The University of Regina.
The University of Lethbridge.	Trans-Alta Utilities
Grant McEwen Community College	The Edmonton Art Gallery
City of Calgary	

EDUCATION:

Graduated from the University of Regina with a M.F.A. degree in 1977,
(Major in sculpture, minor in drawing).
Graduated from the University of Alberta with a B.F.A. degree in 1971, (Major in sculpture).

GRANTS, PROJECTS AND AWARDS:

Best Creative Design, ACAD Chair-ity Garden Party, Bow Valley Centre, Calgary, 2003
Sit Down Town, Alberta College of Art & Design 75th anniversary project. 2002
Brazier's International Artists Workshop - residency - 2001
Canada Council Creation/production Grant - established ("A") - 2001
Canada Council Visiting Artists/lecturer Grant - in association with the Alberta College of Art &
Design Faculty Association, to organized the first national meeting of the presidents of
the Faculty Associations of Canada's four College's of Art & Design.
Canada Council Arts Grants "B"- 1992.
Canada Council Arts Grants "B"- 1987.
Alberta Culture Travel Grant (Documenta 8, Kassel, Germany) 1987.
Calgary Region Arts Foundation Impresario Grant, to curate the exhibition
"Construction Works" at Off Centre Centre, Calgary, 1981.
Alberta 75th Civic Grant to curate the exhibition "Monuments". Off Centre Centre, 1980.
Canada Council Arts Grants "B"- 1978.
Fringe Research Holography Project, 1977.
University of Regina travel grant (to assist in installation of Christo exhibition
"Documentation of the Valley Curtain" at the Alberta College of Art Gallery, Calgary).
University of Regina Summer Scholarship, 1976.
University of Regina Graduate Scholarship (T.A.) 1975/76/77.
Government of Alberta Scholarship, 1968.

AFFILIATIONS:

Listed in CCCA (Centre for Canadian Contemporary Art) website.
<www.ccca.ca/start.html?languagePref=en&context=main>
Alberta College of Art & Design Faculty Association , President, 1998/99/00/01, 2003-...
ACADFA representative to ACIFA (Alberta Colleges & Institutes Faculty Assoc.) 98-01.03
ACADFA representative to CAAE (Coalition for the Advancement of Applied Education) 98-00
Faculty Alberta College of Art & Design Faculty Association , Secretary, 1996/97.
Representative to the Academic Council of the Alberta College of Art, 1995/96.
Faculty Representative to the Board of Governors of the Alberta College of Art, 1991-93.
Continuing Faculty member of the Alberta College of Art & Design, since 1981.
President, Off Centre Centre, an artist-run gallery, Calgary, 1981.
Vice-President, Coordinator, Off Centre Centre, Calgary, 1980.
Prairie Region Representative to ANNPAC, 1980.

SELECTED BIBLIOGRAPHY:

Laviolette, Mary Beth, *Finding new meaning in found hardware*, Calgary Herald, Nov. 02,02,ES8
Jonsson, Tomas, *Graceland's burning to rise anew*, FFWD, Nov 16th-22nd. 2000, p.31
Garneau, David: *A Chair is a Chair is a Sculpture*, FFWD, Oct 2-8, 97, p. 20
Dawn, Leslie: *Squint: Laura Vickerson, Gordon Ferguson, Walter May*,
Artichoke, Vol 6 #3 ,Fall/winter 94, pp.66-69
Gogarty, Amy: *Clay Alternatives*, Contact , #92, Spring 93, P.29-31.
Jodoin, Andre: *Walter May*, Espace, Vol. 6, #2, Winter 90, pp. 46-47.
Laviolette, Mary Beth: *From Line to Form*, Artichoke, Vol.1,#1, Fall 89, pp.18-19.
Tousley, N.: *Artists Work Shares Propensity for Drawing*,
Calgary Herald, Thurs. Mar. 5, 87, p.C2.
Butler,Sheila: *Gang of Three*, Vanguard, Sept./Oct. 87. pp.33-34.
O'Neil, Colleen: *Wall Space*, Vanguard, Nov.87, p.35.
Tousley, N.:*Glenbow Exhibits Sculpture, Interacts with Arch...*, Calgary Herald, June 87.
Blanchette, Manon: *Walter May, Paul Kuhn Fine Arts* , Vanguard, Sum. 86. p.43.
Laviolette, Mary Beth: *Walter May, Paul Kuhn.*, Vanguard, Nov. 84, p.35.
Gault, Charlotte Townsend: *Locations National*, Vanguard, Feb. 84, pp. 23-24.
Tousley,N.: *Artworks Link Cities ...*, Calgary Herald, Sept.29, 83.
Locations National, Parallelogram, Dec. 83.