

CURRICULUM VITAE

L.G. (GARY) ROY

L.G. (Gary) Roy is a professional art appraiser, antique dealer, and writer.

EDUCATION

International Society of Appraisers (Affiliation: Northern Illinois University)

Core Course in Appraisal Studies- Personal Property

Completed March 2003

Recertification December 2009

Appraisers Association of America (Affiliation: New York University)

Uniform Standards of Professional Appraisal Practice

Completed April 2003

Updated July 2010

Updated December 2013

New York University School of Continuing and Professional Studies

Corporate Art Collecting Completed April 2005

University of Toronto- St. Michael's University

Honours BA- English Language and Literature Graduated 1972

(University of Toronto Writers' Course 1972- under D W Godfrey)

ACCREDITED PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2000-2010- Canada Revenue Agency. Personal Property Appraiser.

Secondment to Technical Applications and Valuation

Division, Head Office, Ottawa ON.

Appraiser and technical consultant. Identified items of personal property donated as gifts in kind to charities, provided market and value research and analysis; reviewed appraisals relating to charitable donation.

Technical consultant: Department of Justice Canada; Klotz vs;

Tolley Quinn Nash vs; Nuygen Leung vs; several other benchmark cases involving valuation issues.

2011-present- self-employed personal property appraiser- clients include private individuals and public art galleries

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September 2010- Writer- Catalogue essay for "ALIGHT" A 30 year retrospective of paintings by Chris Bacon at Burlington Art Centre

1989-1992- Writer/Editor 'This is London' magazine, London, Ontario

1990-1992- Freelance writer London Free Press, London Ontario

1977- Ontario Arts Council Writer's Grant

RELATED PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE AND ACTIVITIES

May 2021- Writer- Presentation- Montreal West Rotary Club- The Importance of local history for readers and writers of historical fiction.

March 2019- Curator- Historic Images of Niagara Falls and Region- Fort Erie Public Library

June 2016- Organizer/Moderator- The Fenian Raids Historical Authors Conference
(A two-day International Conference presenting Canadian American and Irish authors who have written on the Fenian Raids 1866)

October 2013- Instructor- Mohawk College, Hamilton, ONT. Three session workshop on Collecting Art & Antiques

October 2013- Juror- Arabella Magazine The Great Canadian Landscape Contest

June 2011- Curator- "An Ordinary Aspect"- Women Painting Women- Carrier Art Gallery Toronto ONT.

June/July 2009- Curator- PRAXIS- Beauty and Truth-Inaugural Salon for Classical Realism Canada at the Joseph D. Carrier Gallery Toronto

2009/2010- Writer- features contributor- H Magazine Hamilton ON

October 2008- Curator- The Inspired Line- Group show Classical Realism Canada at the Hamilton Conservatory for the Arts.

2007-present: Owner operator

Under the Moon Fine Arts
Hamilton/Niagara Region
Contemporary/19th century Art, Sculpture and Prints;
antiquarian and trade books; antiques

UTM Press
Publications- 'Babylon Hill'

2004-2006- Curator- Earls Court Gallery Hamilton- various shows

1990- 2007- owner operator L. G. Roy Bookseller-exhibitor Toronto
Book Fair

ASSOCIATIONS AND AREAS OF EXPERTISE

Professional Member Crime Writers of Canada

Professional Member Historical Novel Society

Associate Member/Patron- 2021- 2025 Historical Harp Society of Ireland

Appraiser- Accredited member of the International Society of Appraisers (inactive
membership-currently retired)

Collector- Japanese prints of the Utagawa School; Old Master
engravings

Writer/Collector- Canadian Art- 19th century including the Topographical
painters and the Expatriates

Collector- Early painters of the Royal Scottish Academy

Independent Researcher- The Historical Presence of the Irish in the Niagara Region

