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Education

- 2018 *Diploma of Social Work*, Mount Royal University, Calgary, Alberta
2016 *Bachelor of Arts in Sociology*, University of Calgary, Alberta
2010 *Diploma in French Studies (B2)*, International Centre for French Studies, Calgary, Alberta

Published Poems

- 2017 *nighttime*, in *Petal Journal*, Toronto, Ontario
2016 *crabstone, nowhere steps, and skerwink*, in *Riddle Fence 25*, St. John's, Ktaqamkuk
2016 *abandonment issues and reflection*, in *The Murmur House*, Jakarta, Indonesia
2016 *this is not about virginity*, in *The Birds We Piled Loosely 9*, Syracuse, New York
2015 *hips*, in *HYSTERIA Online*, London, England
2015 *entanglement*, in *(parenthetical) issue ten*, Toronto, Ontario
2015 *more*, in *NōD 18*, Calgary, Alberta

Zines, Chapbooks, and Broadsides

- 2017 *t\here* (chapbook), Loft on Eighth Press, Calgary, Alberta
2015 *a Little Golden Book of eating disorders* (chapbook), self-published, Calgary, Alberta

Commissions

- 2017 *a letter to my love*
choral composition by David Latos, text by katie o'brien
private première, Calgary, Alberta
2016 *nighttime*
choral composition by David Latos, text by katie o'brien
premiered by Vocal Group Kiva, Calgary, Alberta
2016 *there is a cavern where my lungs used to be*
choral composition by David Latos, text by katie o'brien
premiered by Spiritus Chamber Choir, Calgary, Alberta

Residencies

- 2016 2 Rooms Contemporary Art Projects, Duntara, Ktaqamkuk (June)

Group Exhibitions

- 2016 *Architec Tonic*, 2 Rooms Contemporary Art Projects, Duntara, Ktaqamkuk
2015 *{+ POIESIS}* International Mail Art Exhibition, Fundação Casa das Artes, Bento Gonçalves, Brazil
2015 *Our Bodies Our Blood*, Plan B, Halifax, Nova Scotia

Readings

- 2017 *Long Lunch/Quick Reads*, LOFT 112, Calgary, Alberta
2016 *Queer Folks Read Things They Wrote in the Closet*, Fairy Tales Film Festival, Calgary, Alberta
2016 *Woolf's Voices 12*, Shelf Life Books, Calgary, Alberta
2015 *spoonful after spoonful after*, LOFT 112, Calgary, Alberta
2015 *Midwinter Harmonies II*, Christ Church Elbow Park, Calgary, Alberta

Lectures, Talks, and Workshops

- 2016 Poetry workshop, St. Mark's All-Grade School, King's Cove, Ktaqamkuk
2015 Poetry workshop, Camp fyrefly, Cochrane, Alberta

Editorial Experience

- 2015 – 2016 Editor-in-Chief, *NōD Magazine*, Calgary, Alberta
2010 – 2011 Editor-in-Chief and Design Lead, *The Iconographer*, Calgary, Alberta