

CV
Anna Bowen

Education

- 2007 MA Sociology and Equity Studies in Education, Critical Anti-Racist Studies and Women and Gender Studies, Ontario Institute for Studies in Education -- OISE/UT
- 2003 BA Contemporary Studies, Environmental Studies and Women's Studies University of King's College, Halifax
- 2010 Diploma in Creative Writing, Humber College, Fiction

Employment

- 2016-present Eden Mills Writers' Festival - Writer, editor, and podcaster
Composing e-newsletters, e-blasts, website copy, press releases and grant applications, contributing to social media.
Interviewing authors, producing and editing audio using Adobe Audition
Liaising with authors, publishers, and Arts Councils
Off-season events coordination -- securing authors, venue, equipment
Introducing authors at the festival
Secured a three-year Arts Across Canada Public Outreach Grant from the Canada Council for the Arts, 2017

- 2013-present Freelance editing, grant writing and writing services.

Clients include:

- RedLab - Project Re:Vision and Professor Carla Rice, Grant writing and editing, editing academic articles for journal publication
- Professor Andrew Millward, Ryerson University. Grant writing, editing and consulting; awards applications, NSERC application, academic article editing for journal publication. Assisted in securing a multi-year NSERC Discovery Grant
- Nexus Magazine - Fact-checking, editing

- 2013-2014 News editor for *This Magazine*, Toronto

Assessing pitches, liaising with authors, editing articles for publication

- 2010 Communications Coordinator for Second Harvest, Toronto
- 2009 Community garden Coordinator for L'Arche Cape Breton
- 2007 Editing and Publishing Intern at *This Magazine*, Toronto

Readings, performances and workshops

- 2018 Upcoming reading, FLOW 2018 for Action Read, Guelph
- 2018 CFRU workshop panelist on "Interviewing for Radio"
- 2018 Upcoming reading, Ignatius Loyola Center of Guelph, The Poetry and Ecology Project
- 2018 Guest Lecturer, Ecological Restoration, Ryerson University "Re:Mediate, ecology, and poetry" with Christina Kingsbury
- 2018 Poetry reading, The Poetry and Ecology Project, Redeemer University College

2017 Guest Lecturer for “Bee Land”, University of Guelph “Ecopoetry and Reciprocity”
2017 Emcee ACT Decolonizing Thanksgiving Dinner, Guelph
2017 Introducing Michael Redhill, Michael Helm and Linden MacIntyre at the 2017 Eden Mills Writers’ Festival
2017 Guest Lecturer, Ecological Restoration, Ryerson University May 2017 and 2016
“Re:Mediate, ecology, and poetry”
2017 Pollination Symposium (Guelph), ReMediate, talk with Christina Kingsbury
2016 Poetry “Dream Secret” collaborative reading, Guelph
2016 Open Sesame Gallery (Kitchener), artist talk with Christina Kingsbury
2016 Ryerson University (Toronto), Social and Aesthetic Dimensions of Ecological Restoration in Art, lecture co-presented with Christina Kingsbury
2016 Boarding House Art Gallery, Guelph ReMediate, writing workshop on site
2016 Re:Mediate -- Alt/Futures: Eco_Hack, Video installation on Mary Mattingly’s Swale, Brooklyn New York. Curated by Biome Arts.
Alt/Futures: Eco_Hack, Archipiélago Art Space, Taipei, Taiwan. Curated by Biome Arts
2016 Gladstone GrowOp: Cultivating Curiosity, The Gladstone Hotel, Toronto.
Curators: Christine Leu, Graham Teeple, Alan Webb
2014 Poetry ((Pollen)) InConversation, Collaborative art installation, Spectrum Project Space, Edith Cowan University, Mt. Lawley Western Australia

Grants and awards

Gladstone GrowOp Jury’s Choice Award 2016
Ontario Arts Council Multi and Integrated Arts Projects Grant 2015
Elevator Project Community Innovator Grant 2015
Guelph Community Foundation Musagetes Arts and Culture Grant 2014, 2015
Ontario Arts Council Integrated Arts Projects Grant 2013
Ontario Arts Council Writers’ Reserve grant 2012

Volunteering

2018 Bookish Radio host -- CFRU 93.3FM, Guelph’s Campus and Community Radio Station
A literary show, co-hosted by Kim Davids Mandar, Thursdays at 10AM
2017 Anti-Colonial Thanksgiving Dinner organizing committee. Securing speakers, emceeing, social media

Publications

Please refer to annabowen.org - Portfolio

Websites

Annabowen.org
Bookishradio.ca

