

# Barbara Ursel

## *Curriculum Vitae*

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### **Gallery Representation:**

2019 - present: Koyman Galleries, Ottawa ([www.koymangalleries.com](http://www.koymangalleries.com))

2016 - present: Galerie Annexe, the commercial gallery of the Ottawa Art Gallery ([www.ottawaartgallery.ca](http://www.ottawaartgallery.ca))

2021- present: Canvas Gallery, Toronto ([www.canvasgallery.ca](http://www.canvasgallery.ca))

2021- present: Chase Art Gallery, Montreal ([www.chaseartgallery.com](http://www.chaseartgallery.com))

### **Selected Exhibitions:**

2021: Federation of Canadian Artists ([www.artists.ca](http://www.artists.ca)): Chapter Challenge Exhibition (juried group exhibition)

2021: Federation of Canadian Artists: Limitless Open International Online Exhibition (juried group exhibition)

2021: Federation of Canadian Artists: 365 Online Exhibition and Calendar Project (juried group exhibition) -- selected for 2022 Federation calendar

2020: Federation of Canadian Artists: Limitless Open International Online Exhibition (juried group exhibition)

2020: Federation of Canadian Artists: 365 Online Exhibition and Calendar Project (juried group exhibition) -- Award Winner and selected for 2021 Federation calendar

2020: Federation of Canadian Artists: 2020 Postcard Competition and Online Exhibition (juried group exhibition)

2019: Koyman Galleries; Holiday Exhibition of Smalls (group exhibition)

2019: Art & Parcel 2019: holiday art show and sale of the Ottawa Art Gallery (juried group exhibition)

2019: Federation of Canadian Artists: Limitless Open International Online Exhibition (juried group exhibition)

2019: Federation of Canadian Artists: Annual International Mail-In Exhibition, May – June 2019 at the Federation Gallery on Granville Island, Vancouver, BC (juried group exhibition) – Honourable Mention

2018: Art & Parcel 2018: holiday art show and sale of the Ottawa Art Gallery (juried group exhibition)

2018: Wall Candy: Sweetly Affordable Art Exhibit at the Horticultural Building of Lansdowne Park, Ottawa (juried group exhibition)

2018: Selections 2018: annual show of the Arts Network Ottawa ([www.artsoe.ca](http://www.artsoe.ca)) at the Trinity Art Gallery, Shenkman Arts Centre, Ottawa, (juried group exhibition)

2018: Federation of Canadian Artists: Limitless Open International Online Exhibition (juried group exhibition)

2018: Galerie Old Chelsea ([galerieoldchelsea.ca](http://galerieoldchelsea.ca)) Chelsea, Quebec: *"Market Life"* (guest artist – juried solo exhibition)

2017: Selections 2017: annual show of the AOE Arts Council ([www.artsoe.ca](http://www.artsoe.ca)) at the Trinity Art Gallery, Shenkman Arts Centre, Ottawa (juried group exhibition)

- 2017: Society of Canadian Artists ([societyofcanadianartists.com](http://societyofcanadianartists.com)): 2017 Open International Online Exhibition (juried group exhibition)
- 2016: Art & Parcel 2016: holiday art show and sale of the Ottawa Art Gallery (group exhibition)
- 2016: Open Studio, Ottawa (solo exhibition)
- 2015: Figureworks 2015 ([www.figureworks.org](http://www.figureworks.org)) at Saint Brigid's Centre for the Arts, Ottawa (juried group exhibition)
- 2015: Petit Bill's Bistro, Ottawa (group exhibition)
- 2014: Open Studio, Ottawa (solo exhibition)
- 2007: Landmark Artists Exhibition, Ottawa (group exhibition)

**Collections:**

Individual and corporate collections in Canada and internationally. Corporate collections include: La Maison Simons; Engel & Völkers Ottawa Central; and Proveras Commercial Realty Inc.

**Selected Awards and Recognition:**

- 2021: Selected for 2022 Federation of Canadian Artists calendar
- 2020: Award Winner: Federation of Canadian Artists 365 Online Exhibition and Calendar Project
- 2020: Selected for 2021 Federation of Canadian Artists calendar
- 2019: Admitted to active membership in the Federation of Canadian Artists
- 2019: Honourable Mention: Federation of Canadian Artists Annual International Mail-In Exhibition

**Selected Presentations:**

- 2019: "Beneath the Surface ... The Making of my Acrylic Paintings", Presentation to the Kanata Art Club

**Education:**

The artists I have studied with include:

- Brian M. Atyeo, CSPWC, OSA
- Mike Svob, SFCA
- Andrea Warren, Golden Working Artist
- Mary H. Klunk
- Anne Barkley, SCA
- the late Morton Baslaw, CSPWC, OSA

The institutions where I have studied include:

- Ottawa School of Art
- St. Lawrence College School of the Arts
- Big Arts, Sanibel, Florida

**Selected Professional Affiliations:**

- Active Member of the Federation of Canadian Artists ([www.artists.ca](http://www.artists.ca))
- Affiliate Member of the Federation of Canadian Artists Toronto Chapter ([www.fcatoronto.ca](http://www.fcatoronto.ca))
- Arts Network Ottawa (formerly AOE Arts Council) ([www.artsoe.ca](http://www.artsoe.ca))