



mickie  
**ACIERNO**

### **About the Artist**

*b. 1954*

Mickie was born in New Westminster, British Columbia and began painting in 1978. Mickie continues to paint full time in oils from her home studio in Nanaimo, British Columbia. She is a Signature member of the Federation of Canadian Artists.

### **Artist's Statement**

For me, the creative process begins with the act of placing objects next to one another. I seek to establish a composition in which those objects compliment and strengthen each other through light, form, value and harmony of colour. Like characters in a play these objects tell stories that are magically endless.

I am filled with gratitude for the ability to live the artist's life. In my studio, being an artist, everyday.

### **Studies**

University College of the Fraser Valley (Deans list)

Workshops with Kiff Holland, Dana Jester and Samara Carrier

### **Awards**

March 2006 – Awarded AFCA Signature Status by the Federation of Canadian Artists

October 2005 – Enraptured wins Honorable Mention

Presented by the Sidney Fine Art Show 2005

June 2005 – Conch & Pears wins the Award of Excellence

Presented by the Federation of Canadian Artists

Isand Perspectives Juried Art Show

April 2005 – 'Calling The Kettle Black' wins the Barrie Chadwick, AFCA Award

Presented by the Federation of Canadian Artists

Black & White Juried Art Show

October 2004 – 'A Perfect Pairing' wins the Award of Excellence

Presented by the Federation of Canadian Artists

Close to Home Juried Art Show

June 2004 – 'Garlic #1' wins the Juror's Choice Award

Presented by the Federation of Canadian Artists



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Close to Home Juried Art Show

April 2004 – 'Oh Fudge' wins the Award of Excellence  
Presented by the Federation of Canadian Artists  
Pears 'R Us II, Still Life Juried Art Show

April 2004 – 'Encore' wins the Peggy & Harry Evans Award  
Presented by the Federation of Canadian Artists  
Black and White Juried Art Show

### **Museum Collections**

Duolun Museum of Modern Art - Shanghai, China

### **Solo Shows**

November 3-17, 2005  
Two Person Show with Ken Kirkby, Gallery 223, Nanaimo, BC

March 1-31, 2004  
Featured Artist, Nanaimo Art Gallery, Nanaimo, BC

### **Shows & Exhibitions**

October 20 - 29, 2006  
From Brush To Bronze: Featuring Five Artists, White Rock Gallery

May 13 - June 10, 2006  
Momentum: An Exhibition Of Chinese and Canadian Women Artists  
Nanaimo Art Gallery

November 14 - December 4, 2005  
Small, Smaller, Smallest, Juried Show  
Federation Gallery, Vancouver, BC

October 14-16, 2005  
Sidney Fine Art Show, Sidney, BC  
October 7 - 28, 2005, Autumn Light, FCA Fall Show  
August 30 - September 18, 2005  
Painting on the Edge, International Juried Show,  
Federation Gallery, Vancouver, BC

June 17 - July 23, 2005  
Island Perspective Show, Juried Art Show  
Nanaimo Art Gallery, Malaspina College

April 29 - May 1, 2005  
Spring Show, Federation of Canadian Artists  
Nanaimo Chapter Group Show, Dorchester Hotel



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April 12 - 28, 2004  
Black & White Juried Show  
Federation Gallery, Vancouver, BC

December 14 - 24, 2004  
Small, Smaller, Smallest Show  
Federation Gallery, Vancouver, BC

November 14 - 20, 2004  
Woman Declaration-Contemporary Woman Artists' Exhibition  
Duolun Museum of Modern Art, Shanghai, China

October 22 - November 19, 2004  
Here & There, FCA Juried Show  
Nanaimo Art Gallery, Nanaimo, BC

October 15 - 17, 2004  
Sidney Fine Art Show/Juried Show  
Sidney, BC

September 4 - 6, 2004  
Artisans' Festival  
Kitty Coleman Woodland Gardens, Courtenay, BC

August 2004  
Originals Only Group Show  
Nanaimo, BC

June/July 2004  
Close to Home, FCA Juried Show  
Nanaimo Art Gallery

April 2004  
Black & White, FCA Juried Show  
Federation Gallery, Vancouver, BC

April 2004  
Pears 'R Us II, Still Life Juried Show  
Federation Gallery, Vancouver, BC

### **Catalogues**

2006 - *Paintings by Numbers*

2005 - *Sidney Fine Art Show*

2004 - *Women's Declaration - Contemporary Women's Artists Exhibition*

2004 - *Sidney Fine Art Show*

### **Publications**

Parkhurst Exchange - September 2006, *The Fruits of Colour*



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Nanaimo's Downtown Magazine - July 2006, Featured Artist  
Magazin' Art - Spring 2006

The Star Nanaimo - *Island Artists Make Their Mark In China*, December 22, 2004

Nanaimo News Bulletin, Nanaimo, November 4, 2004, *Women Artists Take Work To China*

Daily News, Nanaimo, October 25, 2004, *Local Artists Display Wares in China*

The Star Nanaimo, August 28, 2004, *Artist Works With Light*



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