

Victoria Singh

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Victoria Singh is a multi-media and performance artist from New Zealand now living in Canada.
Victoria Singh performs as "Satina Saturnina" a self created concept performance artist and art rock diva.

EDUCATION:

Bachelor of Arts (Art History major) 1994
Victoria University
Wellington
New Zealand

Diploma of Teaching (Art major) 1994
Wellington College of Education
Wellington
New Zealand

RELEVANT POST GRAD COURSES: Art Experiences For Young Children (1997) Marie Bassett,
Wellington College of Education, N.Z.

RELEVANT EVENING COURSES: Life Drawing (1988) Tom Kreisler, Taranaki Polytechnic, N.Z.

ART RELATED EMPLOYMENT:

SATINA SATURNINA PRODUCTIONS: Managing Director (1992-present)

Performance and wearable art company. Functions also include designing, composing music, performing and making art.

EARLY CHILDHOOD TEACHER: (1995-1997) Teaching pre-school children within an art centered learning program.

ART ASSISTANT: Weta Special Effects Workshop (1997)

Included making props for the internationally recognized TV shows; Hercules and Xena: Warrior Princess
Australia/New Zealand Wine and Food Festival (1994)

Television New Zealand Christmas Party (1994)

Royal New Zealand Ballet Company (1992)

COSTUME/PROP MANAGER: (1990-1998) Voluntary work with various independent film makers and performers.

EXHIBITIONS AND PERFORMANCES:

Solo Exhibitions : Deluxe Gallery/Cafe, Wellington, New Zealand (1992) (see article).

Lizard Lounge, Wellington, New Zealand (1989)

Group Shows: Their View There (1990) Shown within various New Zealand galleries as a touring exhibition. (see catalogue and article)

TSB Review, Govett Brewster Art Gallery, New Plymouth, New Zealand (1988)

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Renonsance, New Plymouth Town Hall, New Plymouth, New Zealand (1986)

Commissions: Wellington City Council (1992) To produce three paintings for The St. James Theatre in conjunction with the International Festival of the Arts.

The above mentioned shows deal with non-performance exhibitions. Notable performance work is documented in the attached biography "Satina Saturnina" and selected press clippings.

GRANTS: Creative New Zealand Arts Grant (1997) To produce a CD of spoken word poetry and art rock.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

DEREK CHAMPION: An integral part of Victoria's performance work is Derek Champion. He is the co-creator and performer within the art concept that is "Satina Saturnina". Derek has a Diploma in Teaching with an art major. His performance career includes performing with Mime International (1990-1994), throughout New Zealand and the Pacific Islands. He has worked with various artists including Bill Direen, a famous, avant garde, New Zealand singer/song writer. This involvement saw him tour the U.S.A. with Bill performing at venues including the Knitting Factory in New York. Derek has also immigrated to Canada from New Zealand.