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WORK EXPERIENCE

Freelance wine writing

- 2017 – present: Decanter (Premium online & print)
- 2016 – present: Meininger's Wine Business International
- 2015 – present: Quench Magazine (Canada)
- 2014 - present: Taste Magazine (British Columbia)
- 2014 – 2017: weekly columnist Westender newspaper (Vancouver)
- 2006 – 2017: EAT Magazine (British Columbia)

Judging

- 2018 - present: Decanter World Wine Awards (London, England)
- 2019: Australian Alternative Varieties Wine Show (Mildura, Australia)
- 2015 - 2019: Judgement of BC (Okanagan Valley, Canada)
- 2016 - 2018: Vinaly's 5StarWines (Verona, Italy)
- 2016: Vancouver Magazine's International Wine Awards (Vancouver, Canada)
- 2015: Wines of Portugal Challenge (Lisbon, Portugal)

Speaker/Presenter

- 2015 – 2018: Collisioni Festival (Barolo, Italy)
- 2008 – present: Vancouver International Wine Festival (Vancouver, Canada)
- 2017: Northernlands (Edmonton, Canada)
- 2006 – 2016: Cornucopia (Whistler, Canada)

Teaching

- 2007 – 2017: Guest Lecturer WSET Diploma Programme (LaSalle College, Vancouver)
- 2016 – 2018: Italian Wine Maestro – curriculum development & launch of pilot in Vancouver
- 2012 – 2015: Instructor WSET (British Columbia Liquor Distribution Branch)

Other

- 2003 – 2015: **house wine**, founder & co-owner (British Columbia)
private & public wine tastings and cellar management
- 2004 – 2008: Liquid Art Fine Wines, Marketing/Logistics Manager (Canada)
Supplier relations and French portfolio development
- 1998 – 2003: Marquis Wine Cellar private wine store (Vancouver)
Bordeaux En Primeur campaign manager and French portfolio development
- 1998 – 2002: Terroirs Bourguignons Website, translator (English pages)

WINE EDUCATION

- 2015: Vinaly International Academy, Italian Wine Expert
- 2006: Diploma, Wine and Spirit Education Trust

EDUCATION

- 2000: Bachelor of Arts, University of British Columbia (Linguistics & French)

LANGUAGES

English, French, Italian