

# April Newsletter 2016

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## CSAC NEWS

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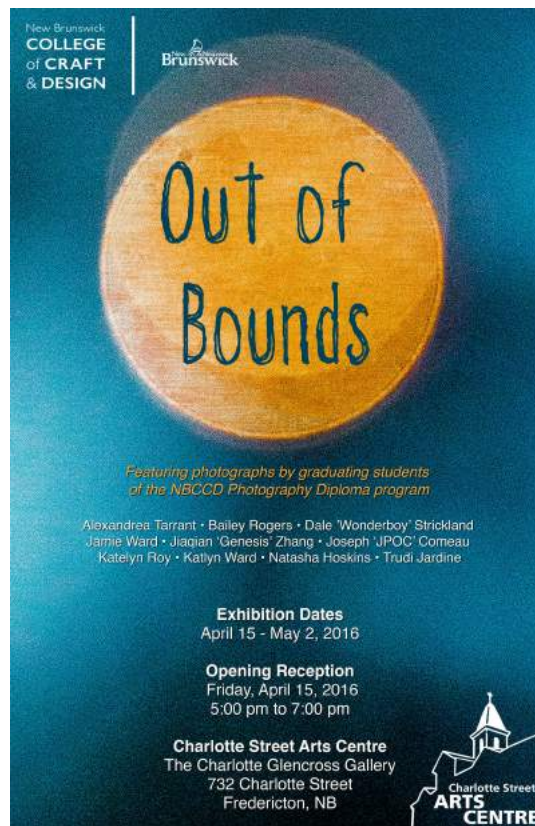
Exhibition Openings, Events, Introducing *Laurel Green* our new Program Coordinator, Tenant Feature: The NB Choral Federation

**HAPPY SPRING!**

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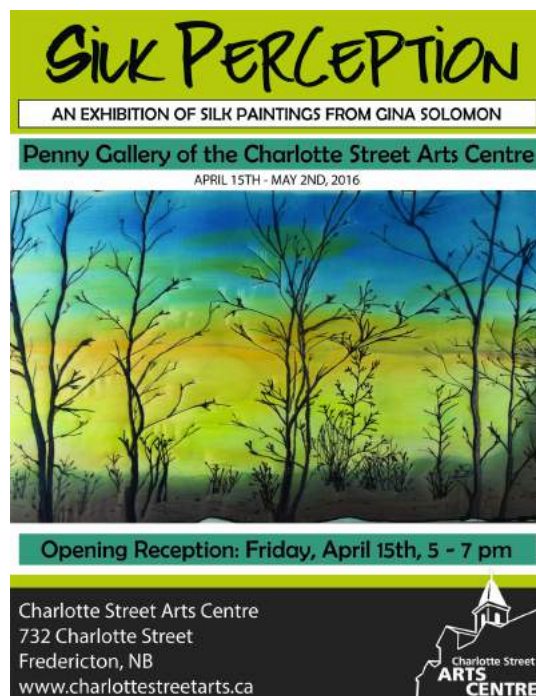
## CHARLOTTE GLENCROSS GALLERY



### Opening Night of Out of Bounds: Friday, April 15th, 5 - 7 PM

Out of Bounds combines the creative photographic experience of ten emerging artists from the 2016 graduating class of NBCCD. The artists are students from the Photographic Entrepreneurship: Gallery and Marketplace class. As a part of their studies, the students were challenged to organize and curate this exhibition. In doing so, they gained behind-the-scenes knowledge required to prepare and display their art, how to use their art to earn a living, and other essential skills as they embark on their photographic careers.

## PENNY GALLERY



***Silk Perception*: Opening night coincides with 'Out of Bounds'  
on:  
April 15th, 2016 5pm-7pm.**

Enjoy Gina Solomon's exquisite silk paintings that were inspired by Alyssa Donaldson's macro photography "Nature of things". Gina reflects the photos in her series of paintings that will be located in the Penny Gallery.

Silk Painting is a unique and beautiful art form, for "silk is soft and delicate but with painted dyes and machine stitching it can become bold, strong and vibrant."

## EVENTS

### Culture Connect Wednesday April 13th

A Networking and Learning Opportunity for Fredericton's Cultural Workers.

In partnership with The Playhouse, Ignite Fredericton, FredTourism and ArtsNB; We encourage anyone who works in Culture to come out to this FREE event. Culture Connect Fredericton was created to promote the development of

professional networking opportunities for people working in the cultural and creative sectors in our community.

**Agenda:**

**3:00 - 3:30 pm - Networking**

**3:30 - 4:10 pm - Short Presentations**

Fredericton Playhouse (A Look Inside the Playhouse) - Tim Yerxa

Solo Chicken Productions (Current Projects and "the coop") - Lisa Anne Ross

ArtsLink NB (Overview & Catapult Program) - Julie Sriver

City of Fredericton's Cultural Laureate - Ian LeTourneau

**4:10- 5:00 pm- "Table Talk"**

**To RSVP:**

<http://www.eventbrite.ca/e/culture-connect-fredericton-tickets-20902580180>

## Community Meeting

Monday, April 25th @ 7:00 PM

Join us for a Community Meeting on April 25th in the Auditorium of 732 Charlotte Street! It is important for us to get feedback from our neighbourhood as well as to give you insight to the vision of the Charlotte Street Arts Centre. As we emerge further into the Arts community we invite you to a small presentation, followed by an informal conversation.

**All are welcome!**

## STAFF





### Program Coordinator: Laurel Green

We are very excited to welcome Laurel Green to our CSAC staff! Laurel is now our new Programmer Coordinator at the Charlotte Street Arts Centre. "Hailing from the rural hills of the Upper Saint John River Valley, Laurel holds a long-standing commitment to strengthening the cultural fabric of her community through art. Creatively inclined from a young age, Laurel obtained her BFA from the University of Maine in Presque Isle, co-founded the River Valley Arts Alliance (RiVA) as well as the annual Dooryard Arts Festival in Woodstock, New Brunswick before assuming the role of Assistant Director at the Andrew & Laura McCain Art Gallery in Florenceville-Bristol. With extensive teaching and programming experience in Nova Scotia as well as rural New Brunswick, Laurel looks forward to contributing to the vibrant cultural landscape in Fredericton and the capital region."

We also want to wish our outgoing Program Coordinator *Kaylee Stevens* the VERY best of luck in her future endeavors! Kaylee dedicated much time and soul into her work here at Charlotte Street (including the last few weeks transferring knowledge to Laurel) and we couldn't appreciate it more. These fabulous ladies are on to a new adventure and we are thrilled for both of them!

## TENANT FEATURE

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### Choral Federation: Room 201 A



The New Brunswick Choral Federation has been a part of the Charlotte Street Arts Centre for 6 years. The Choral Federation's mandate is to promote choral

singing at all levels and sponsor workshops throughout New Brunswick. The NBCF's offers member choirs, individual conductors, teachers, singers to enhance those who are seeking to develop choral singing.

The Executive Director of it all, is Shawn Henry. Originally from Fredericton, NB; he was introduced to voice and piano in Elementary school. Later in life Shawn went to Dalhousie University and graduated with a BMus specializing in voice. He then moved to Toronto, where he worked many years as a music teacher in a private school. Belonging to choirs such as "Opera in Concert" and "Calvin Presbyterian Church Choir", he now directs for the Choral Federation. Conducting events such as the New Brunswick Youth Choir happening in May and their annual Choral Fest, that happens in October here in Fredericton. Their AGM will take place this Sunday April 10, from 1pm-5pm at Charlotte Street Arts Centre, all are welcome!

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