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Teresa Seaton Stained Glass Studio
Aldershot, Ontario.
Visitation by Appointment Only
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Artist Statement

Using the inherent beauty of stained glass, Teresa asks the viewer to ponder the bigger questions of life, nature and personal choices.

Biography Summary

After a long career in marketing and graphic design, paired with her diploma from Sheridan and a Fine Arts degree from York University, Teresa embarked on a successful artistic journey, starting in 2000, creating her own designs in stained glass.

Teresa's uniquely sculptural fine art stained glass is an artistic trademark featuring multi layers of glass panels with spun wire. Her use of a refined colour palette creates a mood and atmosphere that is distinctive to Teresa, making her one of this region's most notable Fine Art, Stained Glass Artists.

She has had numerous exhibitions and shows over the last 20 years in local galleries such as the Burlington Art Gallery, Carnegie Gallery, McMaster Innovation Park, Burlington Art in Action, the Dundas Studio Tour as well as her inclusions into the **Dan Lawrie International Sculpture Garden at the Royal Botanical Gardens**. Other notable exhibitions have been at: McMichael Gallery, Kleinburg ON., Royal Botanical Gardens, Burlington ON., and the Hamilton Frostbite Fringe Festival.

As a founding member of Artist Group of Glass (AGOG), she achieved national success with **"The Rose Window Revisited and Reimagined"** at the **Canadian Clay and Glass Gallery on display in Waterloo, ON** from June - September 2022.

Teresa has been awarded, to date, four public art commissions and fabricates the Awards for **Burlington's Key to the City**, the Burlington Performing Art Center's Hall of Fame Award and recently she was awarded the contract for the Hamilton Halton Brant Regional Tourism Recognition Program Award.

Her artwork can be found in her Home Studio, the Canadian Clay and Glass Gallery in Waterloo or the Carnegie Gallery in Dundas ON. Studio commissions are accepted.

Notable Commissions / Public Art

2023 > 2026	Fabrication of the HHBT Regional Tourism Award for 2024, three year contract.
2019 > 2025	Burlington's Key to the City Recipients Include: 2024 Dan Lawrie, The Spoons 2023 City of Apeldoorn, the Netherlands, Beverly Kingdon 2022 Burlington Teen Tour Band, Renata Fast, Emma Maltais 2021 Jean Longfield, Linda Lunski 2020 Kendall Cooper, Ian Elliott and Mr. Gordon Schottlander 2019 Itabashi Mayor Takeshi Sakamoto, Itabashi, Japan, and Mike Taylor of Walk Off the Earth
2013 > 2025	BPAC Annual Hall of Fame and Life Time Achievement Awards
2023	Sculptural inclusion into the Dan Lawrie International Sculpture Collection at the Royal Botanical Gardens . Installation TBA
2022	Celebrating Diversity, Install Date November 2022, Maples Community Garden, Burlington
2022	Burlington Waterfront Sculpture Trail, Spencer Smith Park, Sept - Oct
2020	Traffic Signal Box Wrap, Appleby Line & Longmoor Drive.
2017 > 2022	Aldershot BIA Business Award
2013 > 2018	Burlington's Best Awards Annual

2014 > 2016	Burlington Green Eco Awards Bi Annual
2016	Burlington Philanthropist of the Year Award
2015 Awarded	Burlington Mural Project, Amhurst Park, Ward 3, Burlington ON
2015	St Catharine's, short listed, Art Awards
2014	Burlington, Short listed, Public Art Mountainside Recreation Centre

Exhibitions

2025	Hamilton Winterfest Mini Figure, Hamilton
2024 Jury	McMichael Canadian Gallery Autumn Show, Klienburg ON
2024 Group	"Proof" Carnegie Members Exhibition, Dundas ON.
2024 Group	"Suserrations" Four artists interpret life with birds. Carnegie Gallery , April, Dundas, ON.
2023 AGOG	The Rose Window Exhibiton, Paul Elia Gallery Hamilton, ON
2022 AGOG	The Rose Window, Revisited & Reimagined, Canadian Clay& Glass Gallery , Waterloo ON
2018 Invitation	Artfest Featured Artist, Waterdown ON
2018 AGOG	Group Christmas Glass, Teresa Seaton Studio & Gallery, Burlington ON
2018 Jury	Art in Action 16th Burlington Studio Tour, Burlington ON
2018 Invitation	Art in Action Pre Tour Reception at the Art Gallery of Burlington, Burlington ON
2017	Hamilton Art Gallery Frostbite Fringe Festival , Performance /Installation Hamilton ON
2017 AGOG	Art Gallery of Burlington , AGOG Group Show, "Glass Wynd"
2017 Jury	Art in Action 15th Burlington Studio Tour, Burlington ON
2017 Invitation	Art in Action Pre Tour Reception at the Art Gallery of Burlington, Burlington ON
2017 Performance	"Ropes" Frostbite Fringe Festival , Performance/Installation, Hamilton ON
2016 jury	Art Gallery of Burlington , Urban Rural, Lee Chin Family Gallery, Burlington ON
2016	Art Gallery of Burlington Silent Auction, Burlington ON
2016 Jury	Art in Action 14th Burlington Studio Tour, Burlington ON
2016 Invitation	Art in Action Pre Tour Reception at the Art Gallery of Burlington, Burlington ON
2016 Performance	"Ropes" With Dan Murry Art Gallery of Burlington No Vacancy MoonGlade , Burlington
2015	Burlington Art Centre Live Auction, Burlington ON
2015	Carnegie Gallery, Biennial Craft Show , Dundas ON
2015 Jury	Art in Action 13th Burlington Studio Tour, Burlington ON
2015 Invitation	Art in Action Pre Tour Reception at the Art Gallery of Burlington, Burlington ON
2015 Performance	"Feathers for the Fallen" No Vacancy, Performance/Installation, Burlington ON
2015 Group	McMaster Innovation Park , 17th Art in the Workplace, Hamilton ON
2014 AGOG	Burlington Art Centre , Community Room Art in Action Pre Tour Exhibition. Denis Longchamps Curator
2014 AGOG	Carnegie Gallery , Dundas ON AGOG Glass Group Show "Confluence"
2014 Invitation	No Vacancy Cirque , Burlington ON
2014 Group	McMaster Innovation Park , 16th Art in the Workplace, Hamilton ON
2014 Performance	No Vacancy , Performance/Installation, Burlington ON
2014 Jury	Art in Action 12th Burlington Studio Tour, Burlington ON Pre Tour
2014 Invitation	Art in Action Pre Tour Reception at the Art Gallery of Burlington
2014 Jury	Art Gallery of Burlington Live Auction, Burlington ON
2014 Invitation	Oakville Artists Art Show and Sale, Oakville ON
2014 Group	McMaster Innovation Park , 14th Art in the Workplace, Hamilton ON
2013 Group	McMaster Innovation Park , 13th Art in the Workplace, Hamilton ON
2013 Jury	McMichael Canadian Gallery Autumn Show, Klienburg ON
2013 AGOG	Art Crawl June, Hamilton ON

2013 Jury	Art in Action 11th Burlington Studio Tour, Burlington ON
2013 Jury	Art Gallery of Burlington Silent Auction, Burlington ON
2013 Invitation	Evening of Jade, PAC Burlington, ON
2013 Solo	Open Fine Art Stained Glass Studio and Gallery, Burlington ON
2012 Invitation	Mayor Rick Goldring Residence, Burlington ON
2012	Burlington Art Centre Live Auction, Burlington ON
2012 Jury	McMichael Art Collection Show and Sale, Kleinburg ON
2012 Jury	Art in Action 10th Burlington Studio Tour, Burlington ON
2012 Group	Burlington Gardens Artisan Show and Sale Burlington ON
2012 Invitation	A Taste of Local Art Springhill Marriott Suites Vaughan ON
2012 Jury	8 Square Show, 377 Sketch Gallery , Ottawa St. Hamilton ON
2012 Group	McMaster Innovation Park , 8th Art in the Workplace, Hamilton ON
2012 Invitation	Glass Under Glass, Royal Botanical Gardens , Burlington ON
2011 Invitation	Something Special Artisan Sale, Port Stanley ON
2011 Jury	Art in Action 9th Burlington Studio Tour, Burlington ON
2011 Jury	McMichael Canadian Gallery Autumn Show, Klienburg ON
2011 Jury	Dundas Studio Tour, Dundas ON
2011 Group	Springtime in Paris, Paris ON
2010	McMichael Gallery , Kleinburg ON
2010 > 2012	Studio Works , Gallery Artist, Paris ON
2010 Group	McMaster Innovation Park , 6th Art in the Workplace, Hamilton ON
2010 Jury	Art in Action 8th Burlington Studio Tour, Burlington ON
2009 > 2014	Angie Strauss Gallery , Gallery Artist, Niagara on the Lake ON
2009 Group	McMaster Innovation Park , 4th Art in the Workplace, Hamilton ON
2009 Jury	Art in Action 7th Burlington Studio Tour, Burlington ON
2008 Jury	Art in Action 6th Burlington Studio Tour, Burlington ON
2007 Jury	Art in Action 5th Burlington Studio Tour, Burlington ON

Teresa Seaton Studio and Gallery Exhibitions 2013 - 2021

In 2013 Teresa opened her Studio Gallery. This allowed her to share her love of the many artistic talents in the region with the general public. She was proud to have facilitated, promoted and curated the 45 following exhibitions. In 2019 she organized a regional art exhibition called "Adapted for Flight or Fancy" in which 35 applicants were juried down to 9 participating artists by **Chris Bacon, Mary Philpot and Kim Selman**. She was proud to offer, Thanks to the City of Burlington, a First, Second and Peoples choice awards of up to \$2,000.00. Due to a rise in rental costs she was forced to close the studio in 2021.

2021	Jason Diesbourgh, Digital Artist- Sept > Oct AGOG Christmas Glass Group Show – Nov-Dec
2020	John Stirling Fine Art – Feb > March AGOG Christmas Glass Group Show – Nov-Dec
2019	Don Grave Landscapes – Feb - March A. Linda VanWyk, Collage Artist – April - May Anna Kutishcheva, Landscape Artist – June - July Birds Adapted for Flight or Fancy – Aug - Oct Art in Action – November AGOG Christmas Glass Group Show – Nov-Dec
2018	Mike Deboni and his Rusty Remnants – Feb - March Judy Anderson and her Games board Collages – April - May Franz Rood, Pottery – June - July

	Nikola Wojewoda-Patti, Pottery and Collage – Aug - Sept Mary Philpot and the Hamilton Potters Guild Mentors Show– Oct Art in Action – November AGOG Christmas Glass Group Show – Nov-Dec
2017	David Galway – April - May Johdan Stone Art – June - July Lorraine Roy – Aug - Sept Tzvia Devor – Oct Art in Action – November AGOG Christmas Glass Group Show – Nov-Dec
2016	Michele Van Maurik – April - May Tamara Kwapich – June - July Michael Zarowsky – Aug - Sept Barry E – Oct Art in Action – November AGOG – Christmas Glass Group Show
2015	Mat Zangrando – Digital Fine Artist Doug Mays – Water Colourist Sue Gunter – Fine Artist Peter Schlotthauer - Artist Balcksmith Art in Action – Group Show AGOG – Christmas Glass Group Show
2014	Aubry Denomy – Fine Art Clock Maker Kristina Kirkwood – Sculptor Ed Robin Hoyer – Fine Artist Julie Donec – Fine Artist Art in Action – Group Show AGOG – Christmas Glass Group Show
2013	David Galway – Photographer Helen Griffiths – Fine Artist Art in Action – Group Show Cheryl Goldring – Fine Artist

Committees

2012 > 2023	AGOG Artistic Group Of Glass Founding Member Through the exchange of ideas and knowledge AGOG strives to evolve both cooperatively and individually. Their goal is to share their appreciation for the true value of art glass in a fine arts genre pushing it past the limitations of the “craft “ stereotypes.
2007 > 2019	Art in Action Chair Helping to define Art in Action Burlington Studio Tour as a, go to, cultural event that showcases many talented local artists and artisans and brings a growing number of art lovers to the community. Art in Action awards a substantial scholarship each year to a graduating Halton Region High School student enrolling in a post secondary arts program.
2013 > 2017	Arts and Culture Collective (Council) of Burlington Steering Committee Helping to Advocate for the Arts & Culture in Burlington.
2015 > 2016	External Body Sub Committee for the Cultural Action Plan Burlington ON

Grants/Juries/Awards

2023	Burlington Arts and Culture Fund Jury
2018	Burlington's Best, Teresa was awarded Artist of the Year
2018	Hamilton Arts Awards Jury
2017	Public Art Jury for the Plains Road Traffic Median
2007 – 2018	Art in Action Scholarship and Application Jury
2010	Ontario Arts Council Grant

Memberships

2010 > 2024	GAAC - The Glass Association of Canada
2011 > 2023	Fusion - The Ontario Clay & Glass Gallery
2014 > 2018	Artisan Ontario
2013 > 2018	Arts and Culture Council of Burlington
2012 > 2018	AGOG - Artistic Group of Glass, founding Member
2012 > 2018	IGGA - The International Guild of Glass Artists, Inc.
2007 > 2018	Art in Action Burlington Studio Tour Chair
2012 > 2016	Craft Ontario

Teaching/Workshops

2017 > 2025	Dundas Valley School of Art. Both Intro and Original Fabrication Classes
2022 > 2025	Niagara Falls History Museum, Niagara Falls
2023	Whitehern Historic House and Garden National Historic Site, Hamilton
2022 > 2023	Canadian Clay and Glass Gallery, Waterloo
2015 > 2018	Art Gallery of Burlington Stained Glass Introduction and Design/Fabrication Classes

Education

2016	John Martin Glass Painting, Hamilton ON
2000 > 2007	Stained Glass Education, Burlington ON
	Abbey Stained Glass Studied with Paul Beatty and Sam Harrington
1984 > 1986	Sheridan College, Oakville ON
	Graphic Design Degree
1978 > 1982	York University, Toronto ON
	Bachelor of Fine Arts Honours, Drawing, Sculpture

Career

2022 > Present	Teresa Seaton Home Studio
2013 > 2022	Opened Teresa Seaton Studio & Gallery
2010 > 2014	Stained Glass Full Time Artists
2001 > 2010	Stained Glass Hobbyist
2000 > 2011	Freelance Graphic Designer, Clients Toronto to New York
1998 > 2000	Creative Director, Jag Communications, Burlington ON
1996 > 1998	Senior Designer, Otis Sauter & Patners, Toronto ON
1986 > 1996	Senior Designer & Associate Creative Director, King Creative, Oakville ON

Media

2024	IWW 2024 Digital Gallery for conference in Rhodes Greece
2024	Hamilton Spectator Arts and Life April
2023	The Welding Journal, USA, November

2023	Hamilton Spectator Arts and Life July
2022	Hamilton Magazine Sept
2022	Fusion Magazine Fall Issue
2019	Hamilton Spec Jan 19, Teresa Seaton review by Regina Haggo
2018	Hamilton Spec Sept 8, Nikola Wojewoda Exhibition
2018	Burlington Post March 1, Mike Deboni Exhibition
2017	Hamilton Spec Sept 8, Lorraine Roy Exhibition
2016	Burlington Post Dec 8, AGOG Show and Sale. Hamilton Spectator, November 4 th . Art in Action Tour Burlington Post November 3 rd . AGB Pre Tour Show and Sale Burlington Post June 17. Urban Rural AGB, ON Snap'd Burlington, Numerous Entries Cogeco T.V. @ Home October
2015	Hamilton Spectator, Go Section Front Page, Hamilton ON @ Home Cogeco TV Interview, Milton ON Burlington Post December, Burlington ON The Bay Observer December, Burlington ON
2014	Fusion Magazine Autumn Issue, AGOG @ Home Cogeco TV Milton ON Artisan Ontario, Notable Artist, St. Catharines ON Snap'd Burlington October, Burlington ON Burlington Culture "Many Voices One Vision" Video, Burlington ON Burlington Post May – Burlington Best Awards, Burlington ON Burlington Post March, Burlington ON Snap'd Burlington Feb, Burlington ON
2013	Cogeco TV Arts Matter Interview, 30 minutes, Burlington ON Cogeco TV Civic Awards, Burlington ON Burlington Post, Burlington ON Hamilton Spec, the Shopper, Hamilton ON
2012	Our Burlington, Website newspaper, Burlington ON (2) Pic Talk TV, vision AREA Networking Café Burlington ON Burlington Post, Burlington ON Our Burlington, Website newspaper, Burlington ON Hamilton Spectator/Burlington Life, Burlington ON Our Burlington, Art in Action Scholarship Awards Burlington ON Burlington Post, Art in Action Scholarship Awards Burlington ON
2011	AM900 CHML, Art in Action Hamilton ON Our Burlington, Website newspaper --- Art in Action Burlington ON Arts Matter, Cogeco TV, Burlington ON Burlington Post, Art Section Art in Action Burlington ON Arts Matter, Cogeco TV, Art in Action Burlington ON FYI, Cogeco TV, The Source, Burlington. ON
2010	Burlington Post --- Art Section Arts Matter, Cogeco TV, Burlington ON FYI, Cogeco TV --- The Source, Burlington. ON The Source, Burlington. ON