# Anne DeGrace: Curriculum Vitae

Writer, editor, illustrator Owner, Ceriph Press Cultural Ambassador for the City of Nelson

# Writing and publishing history

### Literary:

*Flying with Amelia*. Novel; McArthur & Co. (Toronto) 2011; and Cormorant, 2014 *Far From Home*; Novel; HarperCollins/Avon (USA) November 2009 *Sounding Line*. Novel; McArthur & Co. 2009 *Wind Tails*. Novel; McArthur & Co, 2007 *Treading Water*. Novel; McArthur & Co. 2005. Stories: Black Bear Review, The New Quarterly, Room of One's Own, Wascana Review

### Freelance (selection):

Founding editor, *ARTiculate Magazine*, 2002 – 2005 Magazine articles: *Westworld, Kootenay Mountain Culture, Kootenay Living, Articulate, & others* Columnist: *Nelson Star* 2010 – 2020. Columnist, *Nelson Daily News*, 1998 – 2010

### **Publishing and Consulting**

Publisher: *Fred Rosenberg: Nelson Photographs*, Ceriph Press, 2021
Publisher: *Nelson, British Columbia: Second Edition*, Ceriph Press, 2019
Editor/production: *Pairings*, Nelson Public Library 2015
Editor/consultant: *Humans of Nelson*, (photographic book) Ryan Oakley, 2014
Writer/publisher: *Nelson, British Columbia, second edition*, 2019; *Nelson, British Columbia*, 2010; *Nelson, British Columbia in Photographs, 2nd ed*, 2001; *The West Kootenay in Photographs*, 1997; *Nelson, British Columbia in Photographs*, 1996
Co-editor: *Seasonings: a Year of Local Flavour in Words and Recipes*, Nelson Library, 2010
Consultant: *Lost Orchards, Vanishing Fruit Farms of the West Kootenay*, Joan Lang, 2003 *Trail on Ice: A History of Hockey in the Home of the Champions* (1998) and *Historical Portraits of Trail* (2001), City of Trail

# Selected fiction and nonfiction editing and mentoring

Manuscript edit *They Called Him a Radical* by Vera Maloff, Caitlin Press, 2024 Manuscript review/edit *No One Told Us It Would Be Like This* by Fletcher FitzGibbon *(NYP)* Manuscript review/edit *Beyond the Legal Limit* by Pat Henman, Caitlin Press 2021 Mentorship/substantive edit *Our Backs Warmed by the Sun* by Vera Maloff, Caitlin Press, 2020 Manuscript review *In a Field of Silver Trees* by Mark McGivern, 2018 (NYP) Mentorship/substantive edit *Growing Home* by Lee Reid, self-published 2017 Manuscript review/comments *Cascadia* by Avi Silberstein, 2016 (NYP) Manuscript review/substantive edit *Surviving City Hall* by Donna Macdonald, Harbour 2015 Editing/mentoring peers and young/emerging writers since 2005 Anne DeGrace CV, cont'd

# Graphic Arts and book illustration (selection)

What Do You Make? A book For and About Teachers by Tom Hierck, 2004 Toronto Maple Leafs Puzzle Book, Polestar Calendars, 2011 O Canada Puzzles for Kids I and II, Bluefield Books, 2001 and 2003 All-new All-Star Hockey Activity Book, Polestar Publishing, Vancouver, 1996 Amazing All-Star Hockey Activity Book, 1993 and All-Star Hockey Activity Book, 1991 Gamal the Camel and the Elephant's Tusk, Polestar Publishing, Vancouver, 1992 Artist of the year for the B.C. Library Association summer reading program 1993

### Professional presentations, residencies, teaching

### **Literary Festivals:**

Vancouver Word on the Street, 2006, 2008, 2010 International Festival of Authors (Toronto), 2009 Vancouver International Writers Festival, 2009 Ottawa International Writers Festival, 2005

### **Teaching/workshops:**

Blue Pencil mentorship sessions, Elephant Mountain Literary Festival 2021 Powell River, Fernie, Nelson, Nakusp, and Salmo Public Libraries Shuswap, Kamloops and Fernie Writers Festivals Selkirk College, Okanagan College Youth workshops at Nelson Public Library, 2010 and 2012 Write in the Kootenays, Creston, 2008 Oxygen Art Centre, Nelson, 2006 Vertigo Gallery, Vernon, 2005 Workshops with students in Mt. Sentinel and LV Rogers High Schools 2007 – 2014 ArtStarts artist-in-the-classroom at Brent Kennedy School, 2002

## **Other literary:**

Writer-in-Residence, Caetani Centre/Okanagan College, Vernon, fall 2017 One Book, One Kootenay selected author tour, 2010 Canada Council for the Arts grants for emerging writers jury member, 2009 Kootenay Library Federation tours, 2005, 2007, 2011 Solo readings in Canadian libraries 2005 - present

### **Professional affiliations**

The Writers Union of Canada