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CURRICULUM VITAE

PERFORMANCES

“limbic transit system”

October 2007	Mesto Zensk	Kud Preseren	Ljubljana
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“city of sighs”

October 2007	Kontraste	Klangraum Minoritenkirche	Krems
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“the sorrow sponge” – “l'éponge à soucis”

March 2007	Edgy Women Festival	Articule / La Sala Rossa	Montréal
February 2007	National Review of Live Art	Tramway Arts Center	Glagow
October 2005	Now Festival	Cabaret	Nottingham

“subject to change” – “sujet à déterminer”

October 2005	Send + Receive	E. E. Cultural Center	Winnipeg
April 2005	National Review of Live Art	Midlands Railway	Midlands, AUS
April 2005	Santa Fe Arts Cooperative		Los Angeles
March 2005	Festival Edgy Women	La Sala Rossa	Montréal
February 2005	National Review of Live Art	The Arches	Glasgow

selected performances / cabarets / concerts / improvisations

september 2007	Scotiabank Nuit Blanche	Zone C	Toronto, On
august 2007	Kilkenny Arts Festival	Re-Produced	Kilkenny, IR
july 2007	Rub Me Up the Wrong Way	Norwich Arts Center	Norwich, G-B
july 2007	Labor Sonor	Kule	Berlin
february 2007	Temple Bar Gallery & Studios		Dublin
December 2006	Longest Night	Yukon Arts Center	Whitehorse
October 2006	Mesto Zensk- City of Women	KUD	Ljubljana, Slovenia
August 2006	Eclectic Electrics Festival	The Funny Farm	Meaford, On
May 2006	Festival International de Musique Actuelle de Victoriaville		Victo, Qc
March 2006	Performance Mix	Joyce Soho Theater	New York City
February 2006	Festival Voix d'Amériques	La Sala Rossa	Montréal
October 2005	Canadian Fest. of Spoken Word	Heritage Hall	Vancouver
July 2005	Dub Poetry Festival	Harbourfront Center	Toronto
July 2005	West Coast Poetry Festival	Van. Public Library	Vancouver
June 2005	Suoni per il popolo festival	La Sala Rossa	Montreal
May 2005	Digifest	Harbourfront Center	Toronto
January 2005	Words and Music	Champlain College	Lennoxville
November 2004	Hysteria Festival	Buddies in Bad Times	Toronto
September 2004	Mots-dits québécois/Vollevox	Petit Théâtre Mercellis	Brussels
August 2004	Red School House Festival	Red School House	Yarker, On
April 2004	Women Writers Conference	The Guild Complex	Chicago
March 2004	National Review of Live Art	The Arches	Glasgow
February 2004	Festival Voix d'Amériques	La Sala Rossa	Montreal
February 2004	Transmediale Festival	Bootlab	Berlin
January 2004	Les Digitales	Rue Blanche	Brussels, BE
October 2003	Ottawa Literature Festival	National Library	Ottawa
August 2003	Gobsmacked! Festival	Harbourfront Center	Toronto
July 2003	Dawson City Music Festival	St. Andrew's Church	Dawson City
May 2003	Projet-Projo	M.A.I.	Montreal
April 2003	Crash (indie writer's festival)	The Sugar Refinery	Vancouver
April 2003	The Woman Show	Spanganga Gallery	San Francisco
March 2003	Festival Espace Emergeants	American Can	Montreal
June 2000	Detonator	Saw Gallery	Ottawa
March 1999	Poetry Nation	St. Mark's Poetry Project	New York
October 1998	Amazon Poetry Slam	Museum of Fine Arts	Boston
December 1996	Le Christmas Show	Art & Public	Geneva

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audio releases – solo

August 2007	Trout vs. Eagle	Spaghetti Dance
September 2005	Dewop	Spaghetti Dance
July 2004	Suck Machine	Spaghetti Dance
January 2003	Music for Breakups	Spaghetti Dance
August 2002	In Abulia	Grenadine Records

photography exhibits

October 2007	Crotchacha	L'arterie	Montreal
September 2007	Crotchacha	General 54	Montreal
August 2006	Crotchacha	Gladstone Hotel	Toronto
June 2005	Images du Suoni	Casa del Popolo	Montreal
February 2005	Crotchacha	Casa del Popolo	Montreal

publications – anthologies

September 2003	Short Fuse	Rattapalax	New York
November 2001	Impure	Conundrum Press	Montreal
June 2000	Poetry Slam	Manic D Press	San Francisco
autumn 1998	Poetry Nation	Vehicule Press	Montreal

publication – self-editions

summer 2001	(more than) Filthy Lies	Spaghetti Dance
November 1997	Bitte! Crotchless Verse	Spaghetti Dance

publications – periodicals

2002-2003	weekly columnist at The Montreal Gazette
1999-2001	various articles for Hour Magazine

artistic collaborations

2006-present	Mankind	spokenoise band	Montreal
2005-present	Le Suck Machine	art-pop band	Montreal
2000	R<U>R	agit-prop collective	Montreal
1999-2004	JIMMY BRAIN	trash poetry band	Montreal
1998-1999	Pay Per Verse	spoken word troupe	Montreal
1997-1998	Stellaform	electronic improv band	Montreal
1996	Risque de rosée	femini-situationist group	Geneva

grants

2007	Inter-Arts Travel Grant	Canada Arts Council
2007	Inter-Arts Research Grant	Canada Arts Council
2006	Multidisciplinary Arts Travel Grant	Quebec Arts Council
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2004	Spoken Word Creation Grant	Canada Council for the Arts
2004	Invitation Grant	Agence Quebec-Wallonie
2004	Inter-Arts Travel Grant	Canada Council for the Arts
2003	Music Touring Grant	Canada Council for the Arts
2001	Spoken Word Creation Grant	Canada Council for the Arts

residencies

October 2007	Klangraum Minoritenkirche, Kunstmeile Krems, Krems, Austria
August 2006	Banff Center for the Arts, Alberta

workshops and academic presentations

Lo-zero HumDrumming	Mesto Zensk Festival, Ljubljana
Playschool for Adults	Mesto Zensk Festival, Ljubljana, Slo / Edgy Women Festival, Montreal
Games for Writers	John Abbott College, Valleyfield / Phoenix Alternative High School, Laval
Super Sonic Storytelling	Chicago Institute of Technology, Chicago / Butler Gallery, Kilkenny
Page to Stage	Ontario College of Art and Design, Toronto