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# Best Cultural / Historical Award



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# Best Cultural / Historical Award Honourable Mention

**BISON IN CANADA DISCOVER ANCIENT  
PETROGLYPHS, FULFILLING AN  
INDIGENOUS PROPHECY**

**DIANE SELKIRK**



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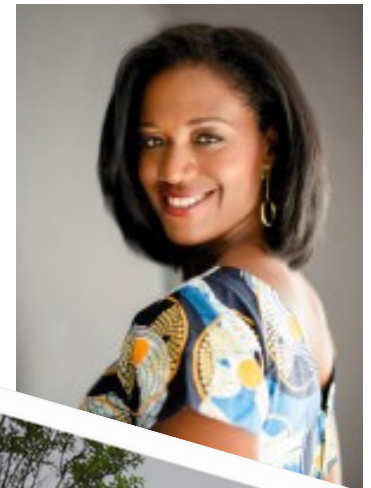


# Best Cultural / Historical Award Honourable Mention

**IN TULSA, AN 'INCREDIBLE AMERICAN  
STORY' OF BLACK RESILIENCE IS  
FINALLY RECOGNIZED**

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GREENWOOD DAVIS**

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# Best Cultural / Historical Award 3rd Place

**DISCOVER A SIDE OF INDIGENOUS  
CANADA AT MÉTIS CROSSING,  
NEWLY EXPANDING IN 2022**

**DEBBIE OLSEN**

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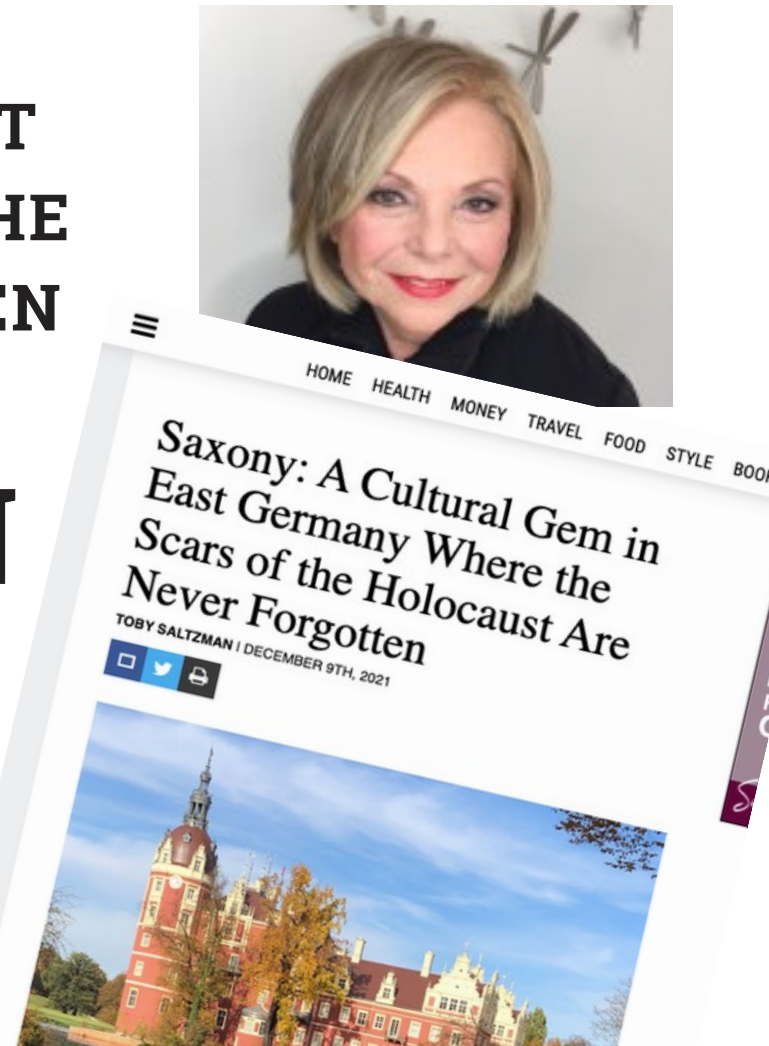


# Best Cultural / Historical Award 2nd Place

**SAXONY: A CULTURAL GEM IN EAST  
GERMANY WHERE THE SCARS OF THE  
HOLOCAUST ARE NEVER FORGOTTEN**

**TOBY SALTZMAN**

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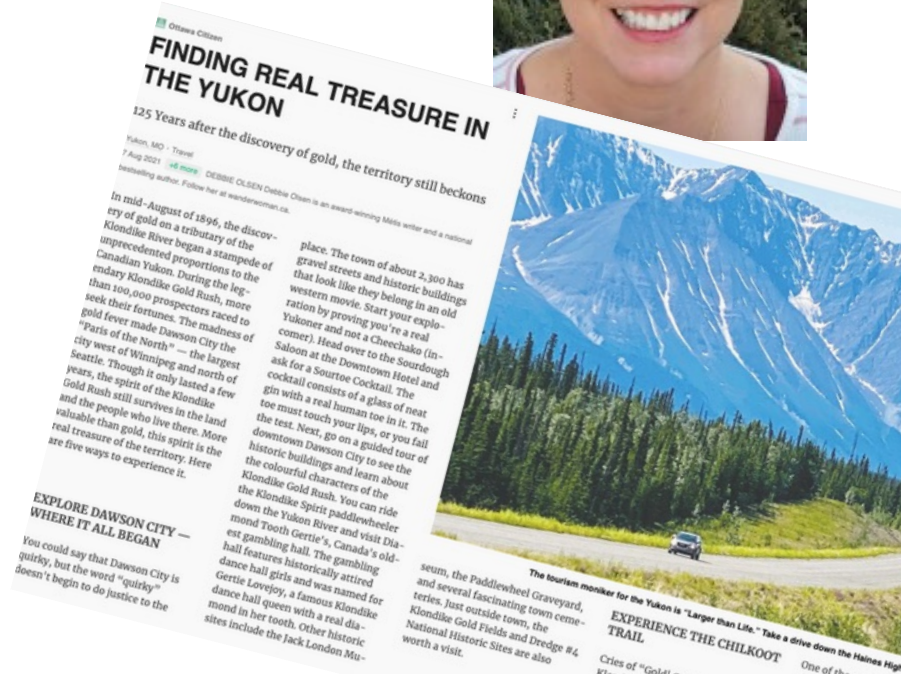


# Best Cultural / Historical Award 1st Place

## FINDING REAL TREASURE IN THE YUKON

# DEBBIE OLSEN

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# Best Food / Drink Award





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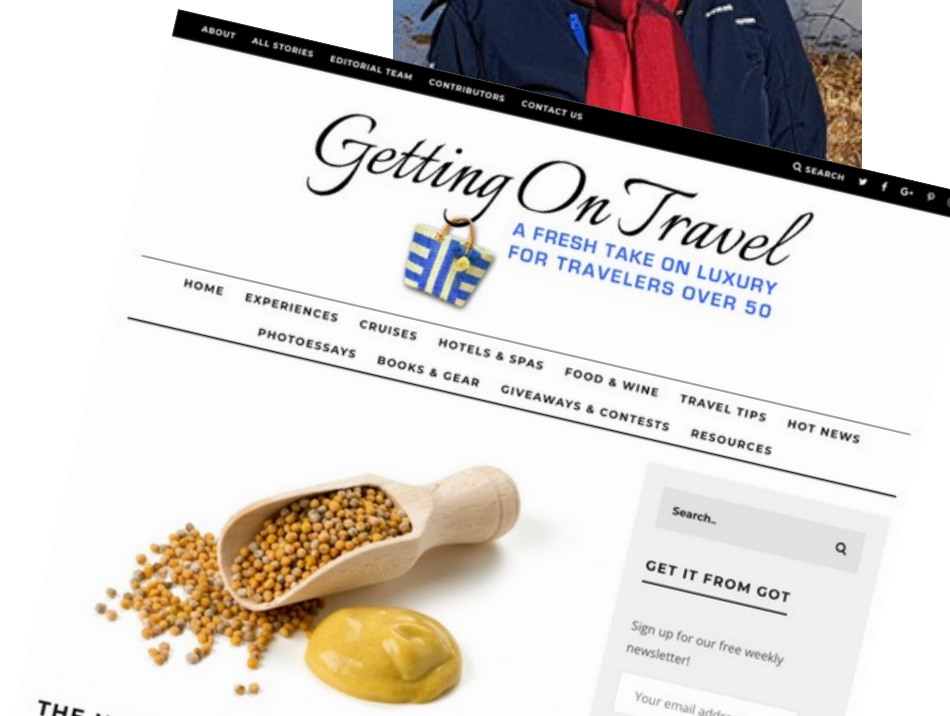


# Best Food / Drink Award Honourable Mention

**MUSTARD MUSEUM IN  
MADISON WISCONSIN**

**JACQUELINE  
SWARTZ**

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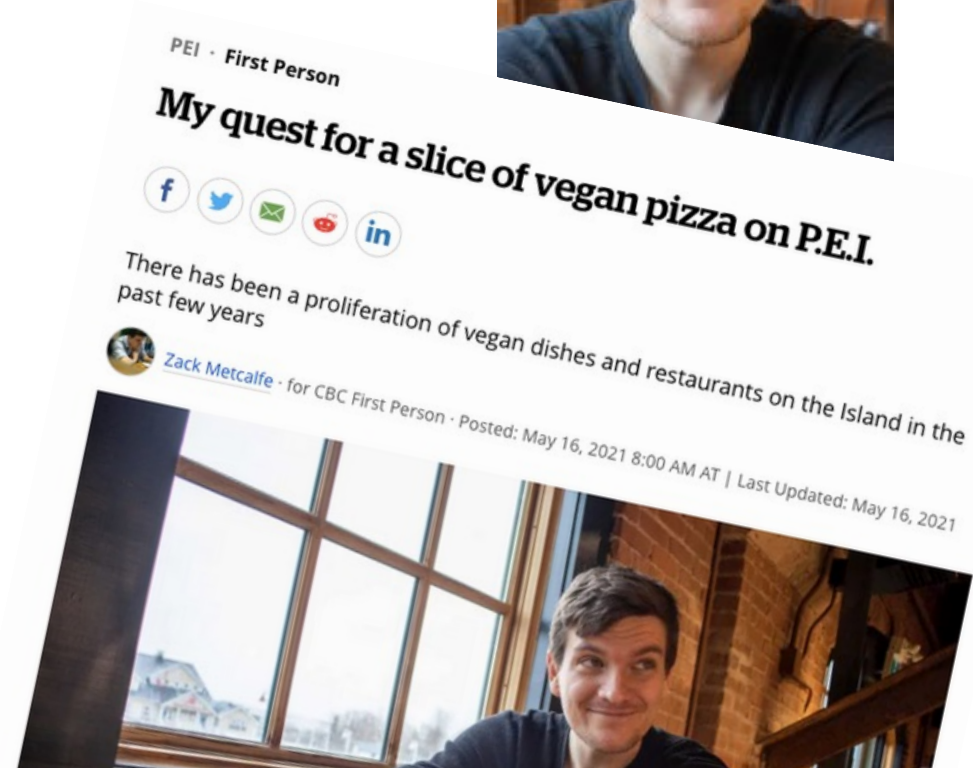


# Best Food / Drink Award Honourable Mention

PIZZA AND OTHER  
MORAL QUANDARIES

ZACK  
METCALFE

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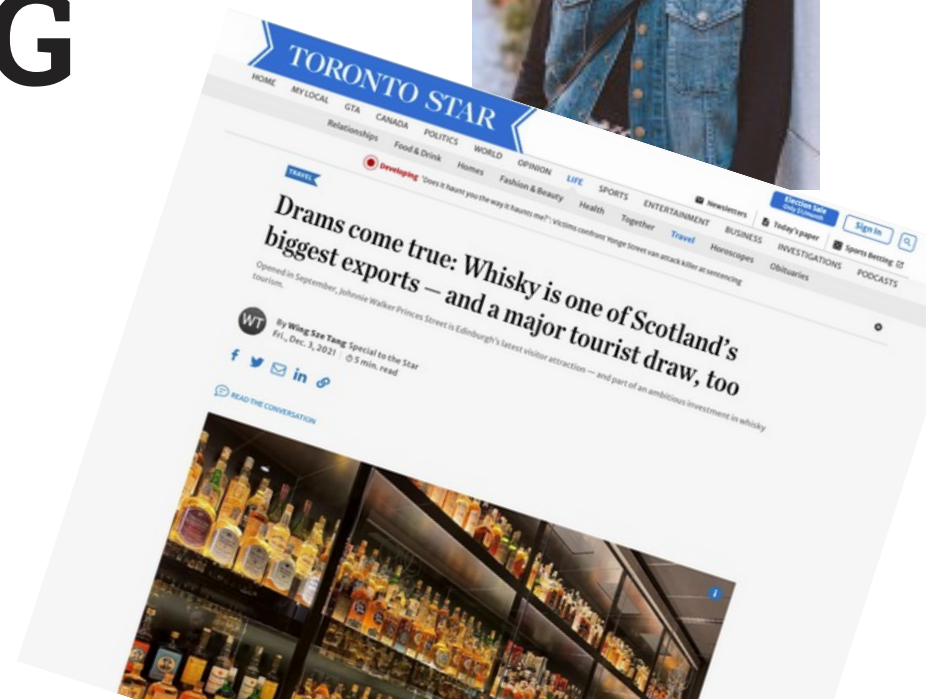
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3rd Place

THE SPIRITS OF SCOTLAND

WING SZE TANG



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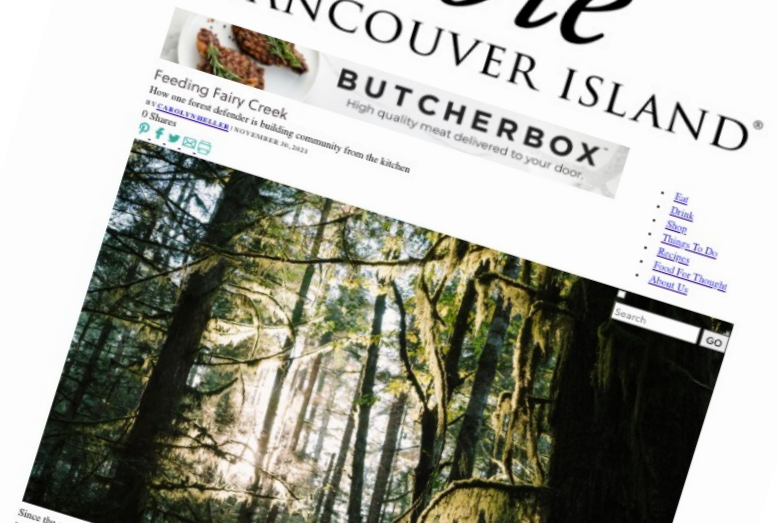
# Best Food / Drink Award 2nd Place

## FEEDING FAIRY CREEK

# CAROLYN HELLER



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# Best Food / Drink Award 1st Place

WHERE TO FIND THE  
WORLD'S BEST JERK

# MARK STEVENS



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# Best Illustrated Award



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**Best Illustrated Award  
Honourable Mention**

**RIDEAU CANAL HOUSEBOAT ADVENTURE  
IN CANADA WITH LE BOAT –  
A MUST DO SMALL SHIP CRUISE**

**JUDI COHEN**



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# Best Illustrated Award Honourable Mention

## EXPLORING GROS MORNE

# GERRY FEEHAN



**Exploring Gros Morne Newfoundland with Gerry Feehan**



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**HOW A 5,000-KM AFRICAN ROAD TRIP  
FORGED A FATHER-DAUGHTER BOND**

# MAUREEN LITTLEJOHN

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**Best Illustrated Award**

**2nd Place**

**THE JOYS OF WINTER**

**ARLENE KARPAN**

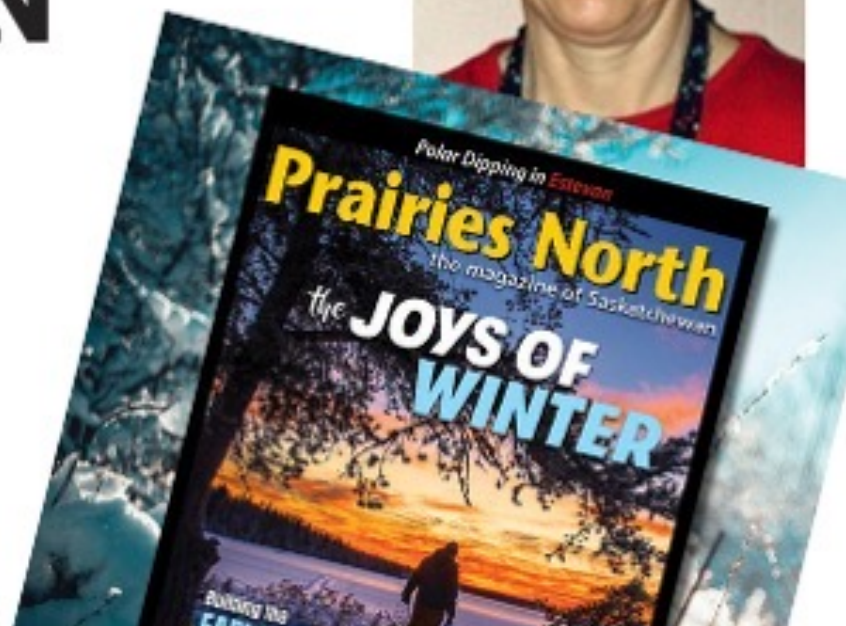


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**Best Illustrated Award**

**1st Place**

**10 INCREDIBLE THINGS  
TO DO DURING WINTER IN ICELAND**

**TAMARA ELLIOTT**



**Globe Guide**  
SAVVY TRAVEL ADVICE FOR EXTRAORDINARY ADVENTURES ✈️

**10 incredible things to do during winter in Iceland**

Winter in Iceland is the ultimate adventure: the kind of place where in a single day you can see a penguin shoot out of the Equator, hunt for geysers and hot springs, and cap off the day with a relaxing soak in natural thermal waters while gazing up at the northern lights.



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**Best Nature or  
Environmental Responsible  
Tourism Award**



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# Best Nature or Environmental Responsible Tourism Award Honourable Mention

**ON A DESOLATE YUKON ISLAND,  
A STORY OF NATURE  
AND CULTURE UNFOLDS**

**JENNIFER BAIN**

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# Best Nature or Environmental Responsible Tourism Award Honourable Mention

## CALL OF THE WILD HORSES ON SABLE ISLAND

# MAUREEN LITTLEJOHN

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**Best Nature or Environmental  
Responsible Tourism Award  
3rd Place**

**A SASKATCHEWAN ROAD TRIP  
IN SEARCH OF WHOOPING CRANES**

**CAROL  
PATTERSON**



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# Best Nature or Environmental Responsible Tourism Award 2nd Place

**REGENERATIVE TRAVEL:  
A STEP BEYOND 'DO NO HARM'**

**DIANE SELKIRK**

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# Best Nature or Environmental Responsible Tourism Award 1st Place

## IS ECOTOURISM HARMING BC BEARS?

# DIANE SELKIRK

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# Best Outdoor Adventure, Sport or Recreation Award



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# Best Outdoor Adventure, Sport or Recreation Award Honourable Mention

**CHALLENGE GOLF -  
EMPOWERING PEOPLE  
OF ALL ABILITIES**

**JANE FINN**

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**Best Outdoor Adventure,  
Sport or Recreation Award  
Honourable Mention**

**HIKING THROUGH A  
CANADIAN NATIONAL PARK  
THAT PROTECTS FARMLAND**

**JENNIFER BAIN**

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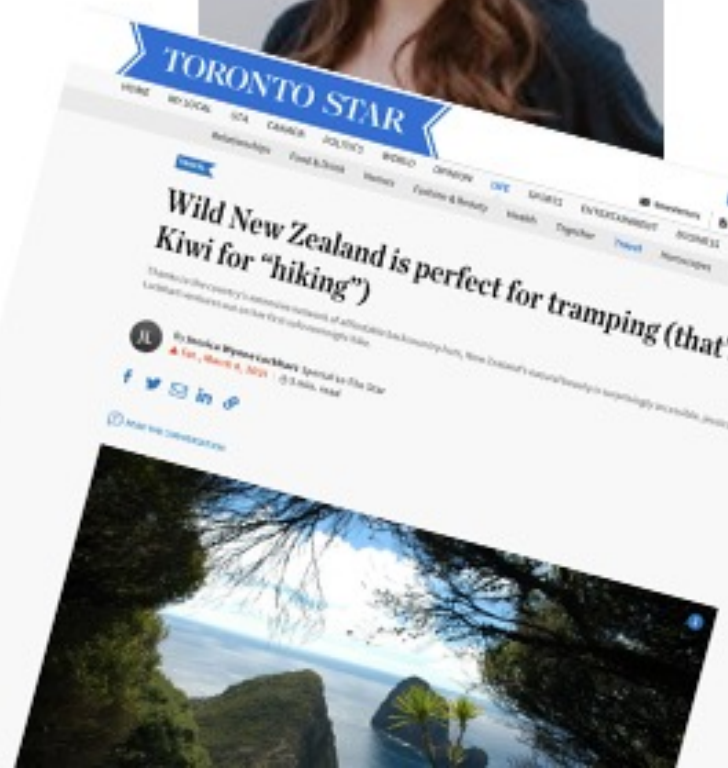


# Best Outdoor Adventure, Sport or Recreation Award 3rd Place

**WILD NEW ZEALAND IS PERFECT FOR  
TRAMPING (THAT'S KIWI FOR "HIKING")**

**JESSICA  
LOCKHART**

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**Best Outdoor Adventure,  
Sport or Recreation Award  
2nd Place**

**IN YELLOWKNIFE, AN ACTION-PACKED  
CHASE FOR THE NORTHERN LIGHTS**

**JENNIFER BAIN**



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# Best Outdoor Adventure, Sport or Recreation Award 1st Place

**EXPLORING THE ORIGINS OF  
SKIING IN CHINA'S  
ALTAI MOUNTAINS**

**JAYME MOYE**

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# Best Spirit of Canada Award





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# Best Spirit of Canada Award Honourable Mention

## 10 REASONS TO LOVE CALGARY, ALBERTA

# TAMARA ELLIOTT



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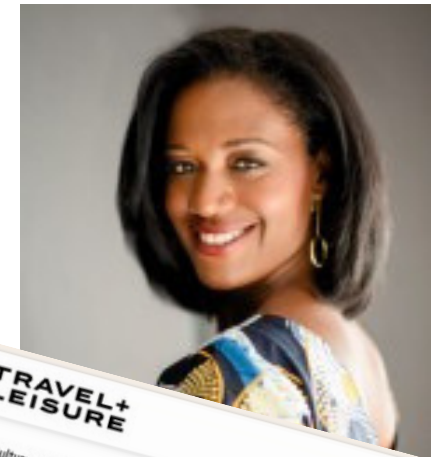
# Best Spirit of Canada Award Honourable Mention

**IN CANADA,  
CARIBBEAN ROOTS RUN DEEP**

**HEATHER**

**GREENWOOD DAVIS**

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# Best Spirit of Canada Award 3rd Place

**COME FROM AWAY  
TO DISCOVER NEWFOUNDLAND**

**LIZ CAMPBELL**



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LARGER THAN LIFE  
PLUS GRAND QUE NATURE

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# Best Spirit of Canada Award 2nd Place

**CHASING ICEBERGS**

**SYDNEY LONEY**

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# Best Spirit of Canada Award 1st Place

**INDIGENOUS RETREAT**

**LINDA BARNARD**

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# Best Travel Blog Posts or Column Award



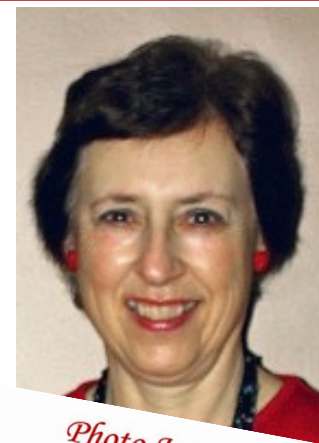
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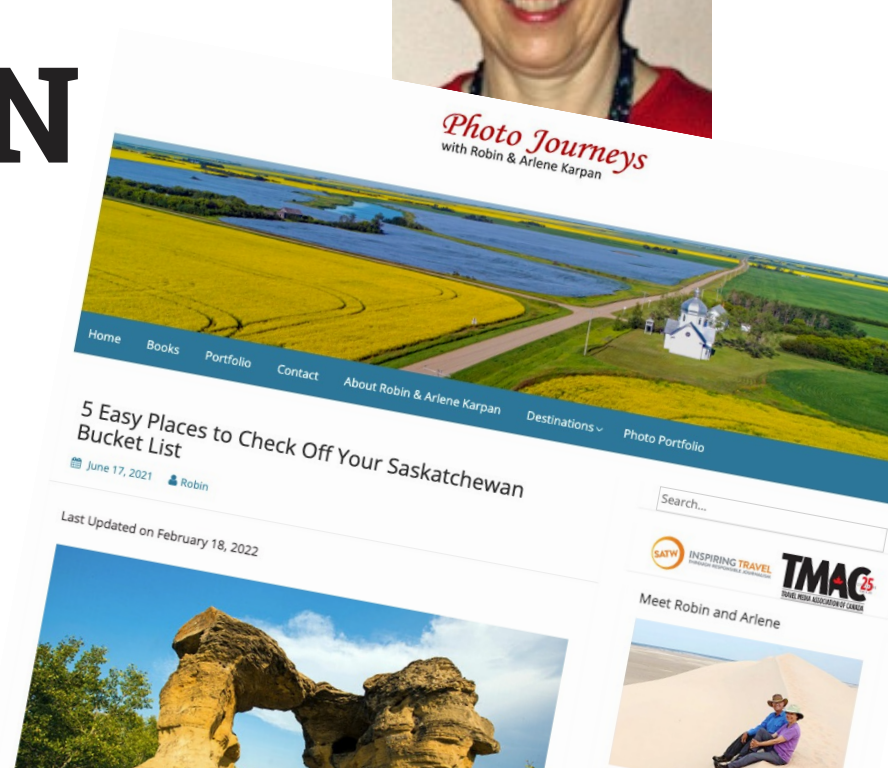
# Best Travel Blog Posts or Column Honourable Mention

PHOTO JOURNEYS

# ARLENE KARPAN



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# Best Travel Blog Posts or Column Honourable Mention

I'VE BEEN BIT! TRAVEL BLOG

LINDSAY DAVIES



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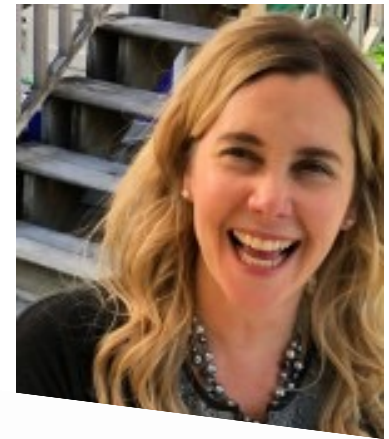
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# Best Travel Blog Posts or Column 3rd Place

**CLAUDIA TRAVELS**

**CLAUDIA LARYOE**



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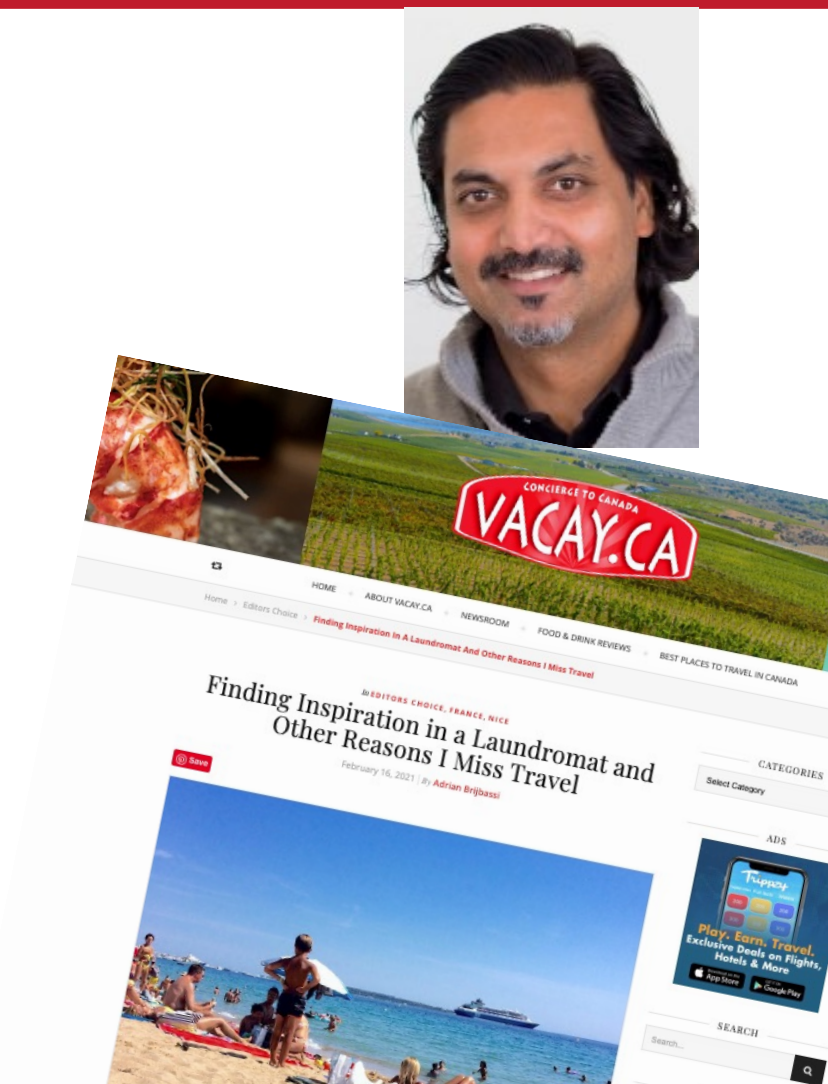
# Best Travel Blog Posts or Column 2nd Place

TRAVEL COLUMNS  
DURING THE PANDEMIC

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BRIJBASSI



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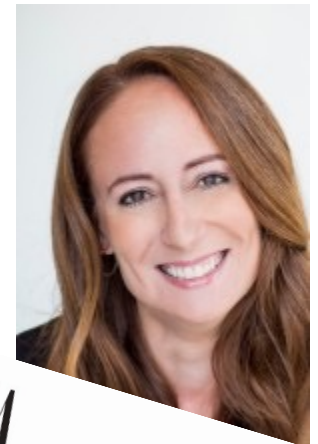
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# Best Travel Blog Posts or Column 1st Place

CHRONIQUE VOYAGE

# MARIE-JULIE GAGNON



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# Emerging & Broadcast Media Award



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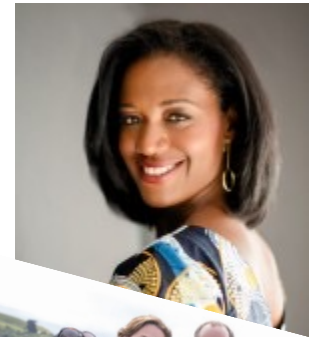


# Emerging & Broadcast Media Honourable Mention

NEW ZEALAND WELCOME

HEATHER

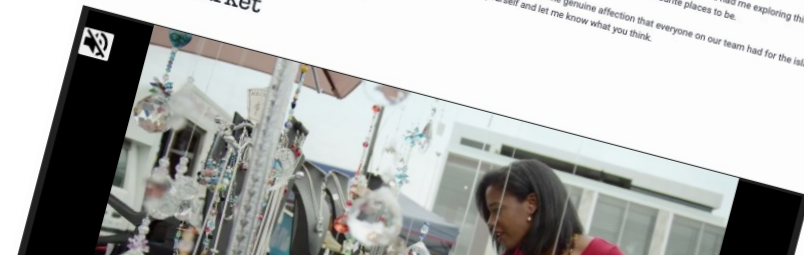
GREENWOOD DAVIS



A few months ago, I set out on an adventure to New Zealand. The assignment in conjunction with National Geographic and Tourism New Zealand had me exploring the landscape in ways that were slightly outside my comfort zone. What I discovered is that "outside my comfort zone" is one of my favourite places to be. The videos below are only a few of the words, movies and photos that are the result of that collaboration. The genuine affection that everyone on our team had for the last the people we met on this trip come through in every single piece produced. Take a look for yourself and let me know what you think.

Have you been to New Zealand yet? Do these inspire you to go?

Nelson Market



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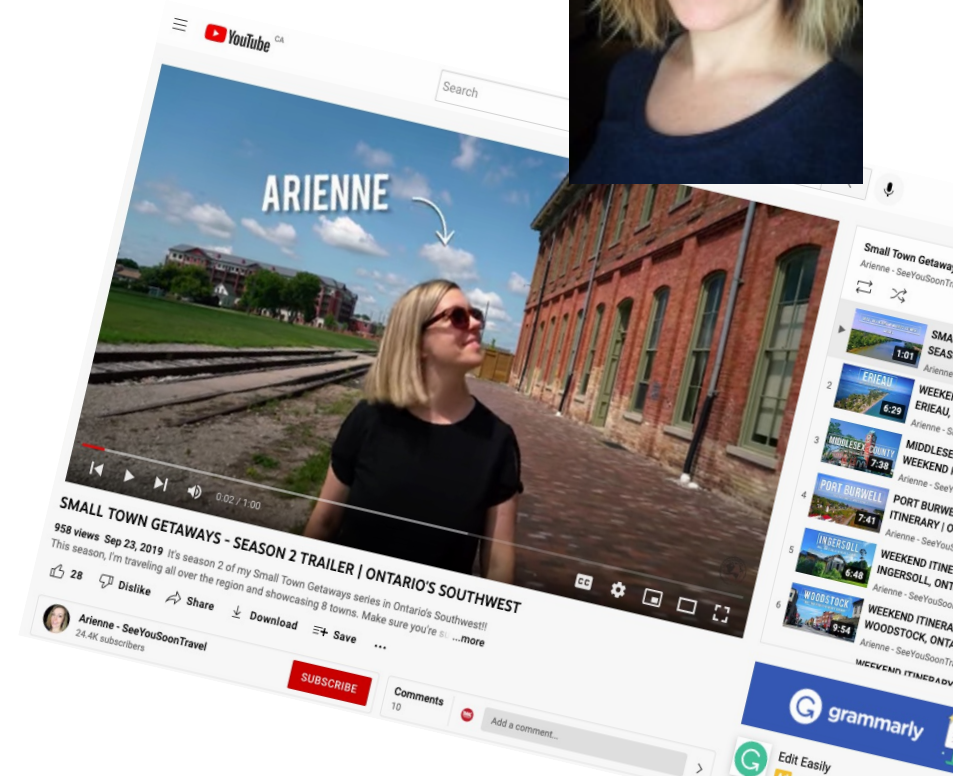
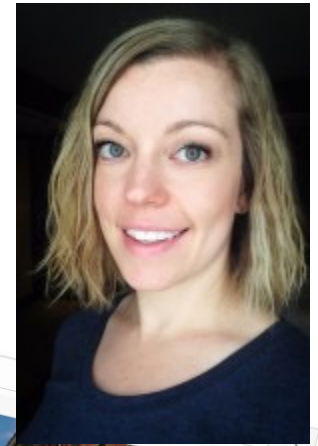
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# Emerging & Broadcast Media Honourable Mention

## SMALL TOWN GETAWAYS IN ONTARIO'S SOUTHWEST REGION

# ARIENNE PARZEI



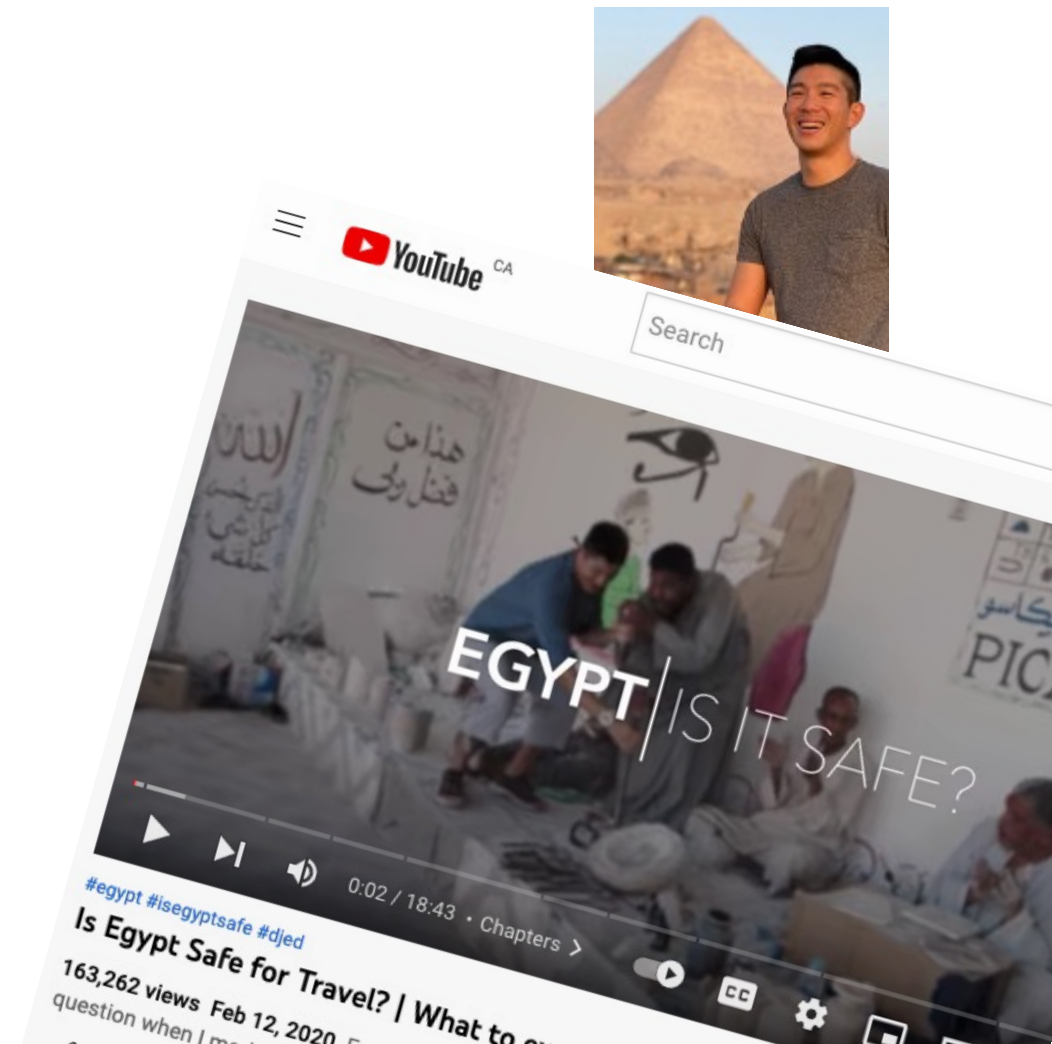
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# Emerging & Broadcast Media 3rd Place

**IS EGYPT SAFE?**

**WILL TANG**



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# Emerging & Broadcast Media 2nd Place

**AS CANADIAN AS A BUTTER TART:  
AN AMERICAN FOODIE DISHES ON  
ONTARIO'S BUTTER TART TRAIL**

**CAROLYN  
HELLER**





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# Emerging & Broadcast Media 1st Place

**TARMAC WARRIORS**

**HEATHER**

**GREENWOOD DAVIS**





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**Ann Britton  
Campbell  
Memorial  
Award**



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**Ann Britton Campbell**

**Memorial Award**

**FINALIST**

**MAKE IT ECO-FRIENDLY:  
AN UNFORGETTABLE MULTI-  
GENERATIONAL JOURNEY  
TO ANTIGUA**

**JOSEPHINE  
MATYAS**

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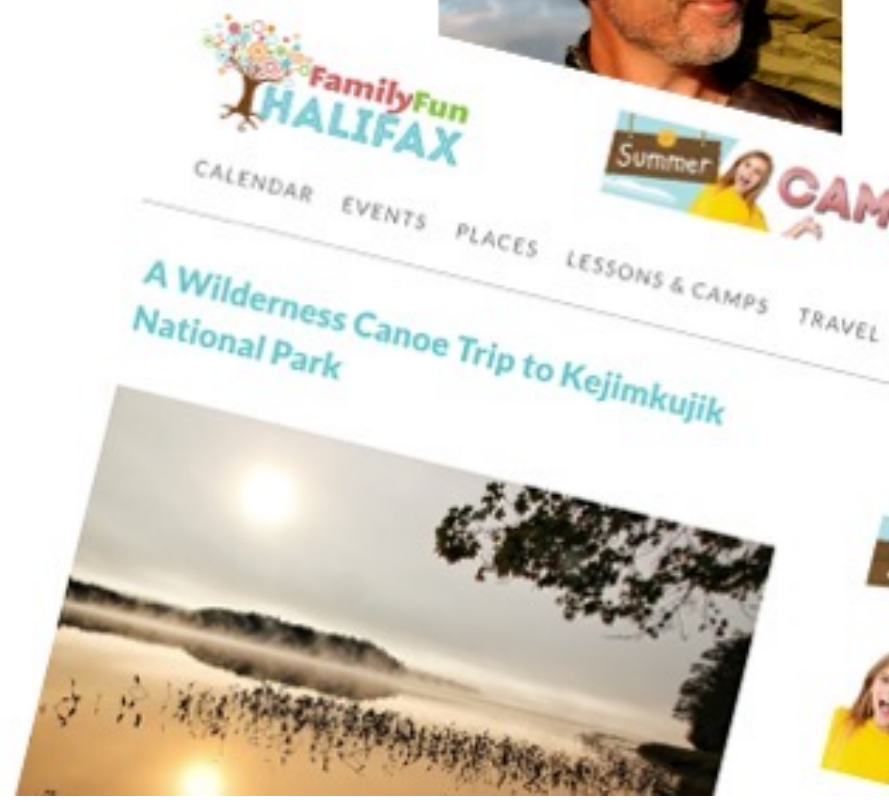
# Ann Britton Campbell Memorial Award FINALIST

**A WILDERNESS CANOE TRIP TO  
KEJIMKUJIK NATIONAL PARK**

**DARCY RHYNO**

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# Ann Britton Campbell Memorial Award FINALIST

**FOR THE LOVE OF TRAVEL  
AND FAMILY**

**CHRIS RYALL**

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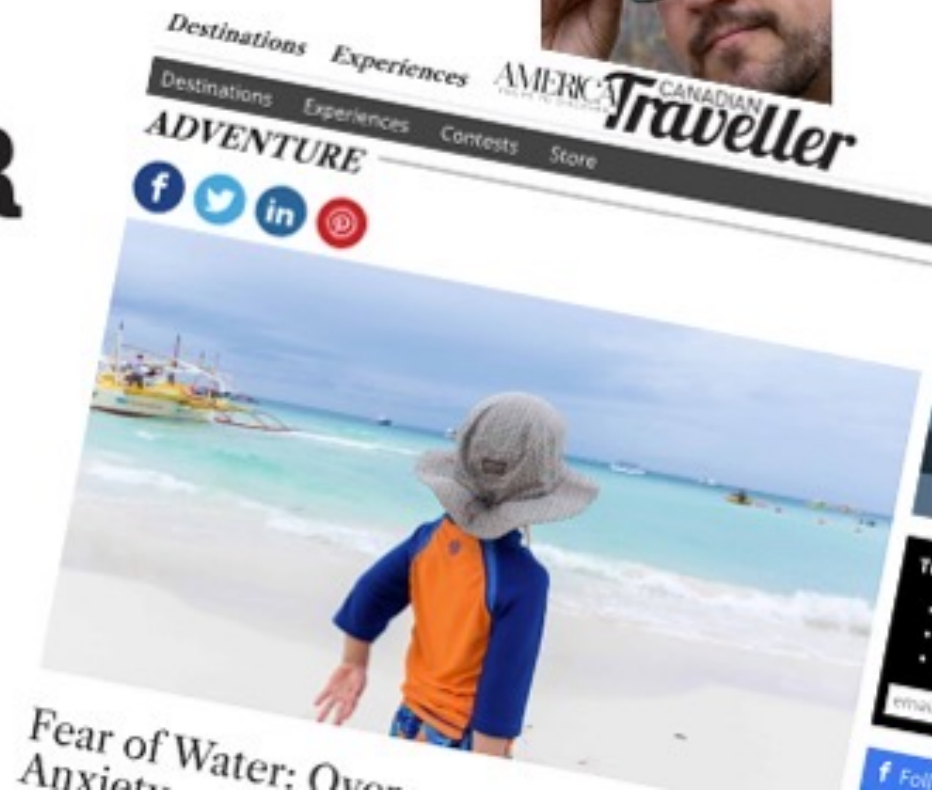
# Ann Britton Campbell Memorial Award WINNER

**FEAR OF WATER:  
OVERCOMING TRAVEL ANXIETY**

**KEVIN WAGAR**

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# Best Landscape or Evocation of Place Award



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**Best Landscape or  
Evocation of Place  
Honourable Mention**

**VERMILION LAKES**

**ROBIN KARPAN**



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Honourable Mention**

**A FOGGY DAY ON THE WEST COAST TRAIL**

**GEMMA TAYLOR**



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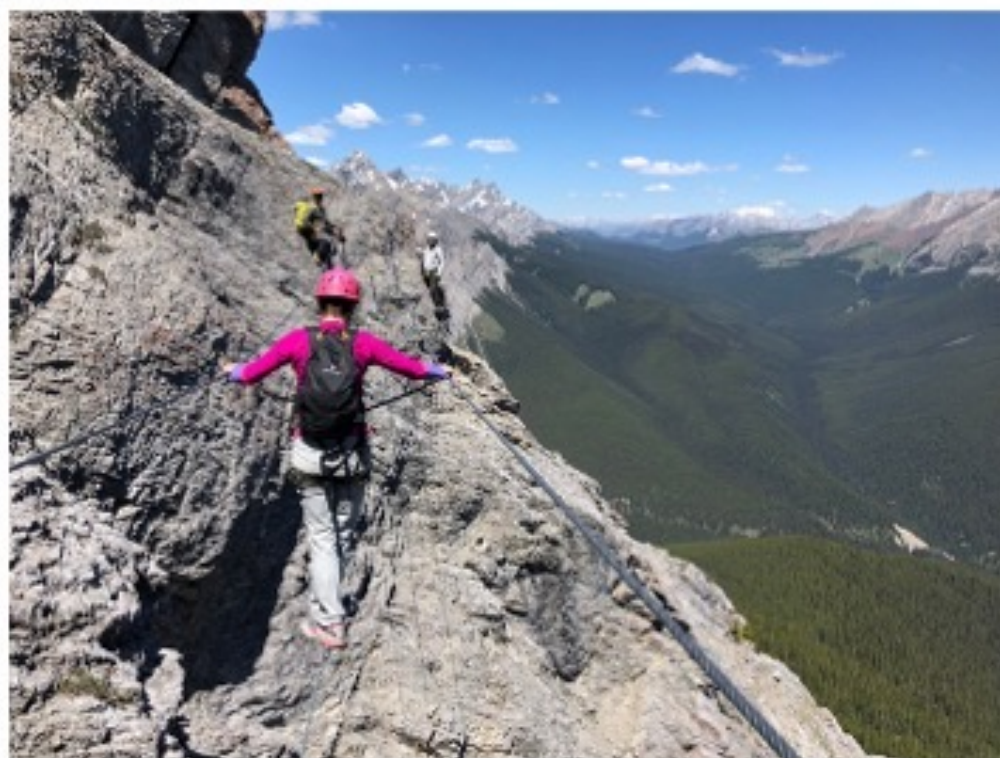
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Evocation of Place**

**3rd Place**

**ON THE HIGH WIRE BANFF NATIONAL PARK**

**DAVE SLAGHT**



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# Best Landscape or Evocation of Place 2nd Place

**SUNSET OVER THE ATACAMA DESERT**

**KEVIN WAGAR**



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1st Place**

**HEADING SOUTH**

**SHARON MATTHEWS STEVENS**



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# Best Nature Photo Award



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# Best Nature Photo Honourable Mention

## FLYING INTO THE STORM **ROBIN KARPAN**



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# Best Nature Photo Honourable Mention

**A TIGER-HERON FINDS HIS MARK**

# DAVID FINN



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**3rd Place**

**HUMPBACK**

**ZACK METCALFE**



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# Best Nature Photo 2nd Place

**RUBY THROATED HUMMINGBIRD**

**ROBIN KARPAN**



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# Best Nature Photo 1st Place Place

**RED FOX**

# **ARLENE KARPAN**



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# Best People Photo Award



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# Best People Photo Honourable Mention

**TRAIL RIDER**

# ROBIN KARPAN



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# Best People Photo Honourable Mention

**WILD RAPIDS**

# **RHONDA KRAUSE**



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# Best People Photo 3rd Place

**FUN ON THE BEACHES OF EL NIDO, PHILIPPINES**

## **KEVIN WAGAR**



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# Best People Photo 2nd Place



**INTO THE MARSHES  
OF SOUTHERN IRAQ**

**LINDSAY**

**NIEMINEN**



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# Best People Photo 1st Place

**THE GOVERNOR IN THE STOREROOM AT PORT ROYAL  
NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE**

# LEIGH McADAM



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# Nathan Fong Award

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# Nathan Fong Award Honourable Mention

## WHEN VANCOUVER'S CHINESE COMMUNITY PROTESTED FOR BBQ CAROLYN HELLER

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Smart Mouth



When Vancouver's Chinese Community  
Protested for Barbecue  
By Carolyn Heller

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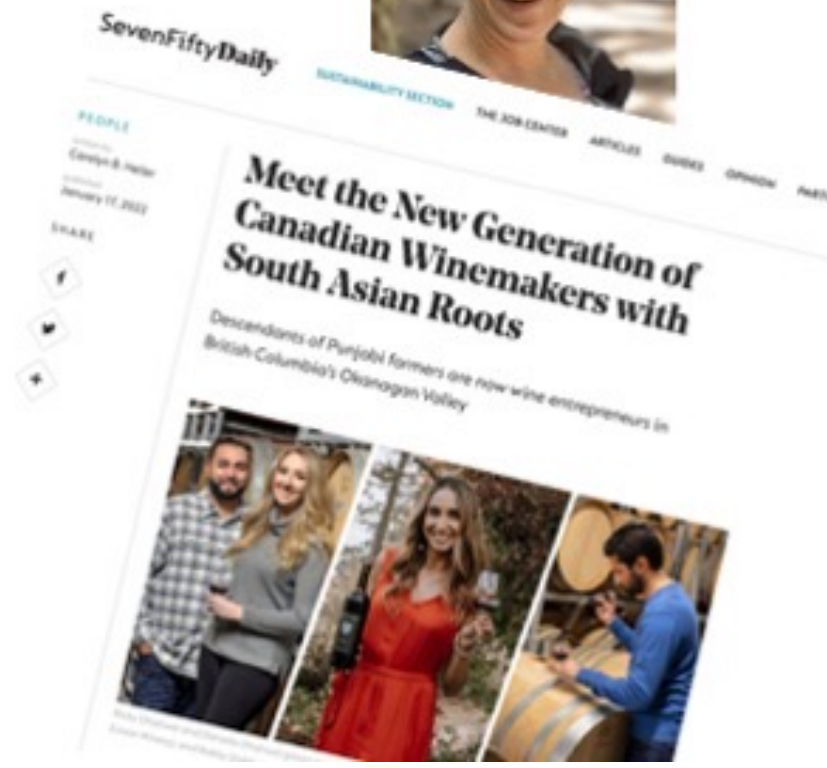


# Nathan Fong Award 3rd Place

MEET THE NEW GENERATION  
OF CANADIAN WINEMAKERS  
WITH SOUTH ASIAN ROOTS

## CAROLYN HELLER

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**Nathan Fong Award**

**2nd Place**

**CALIFORNIA ROLL CREATOR CHEF TOJO  
CELEBRATES 50 YEARS IN CANADA  
WITH A MUST-TRY MENU**

**BIANCA BUJAN**



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# Nathan Fong Award 1st Place

**RICHMOND NIGHT MARKET**

**WILL TANG**



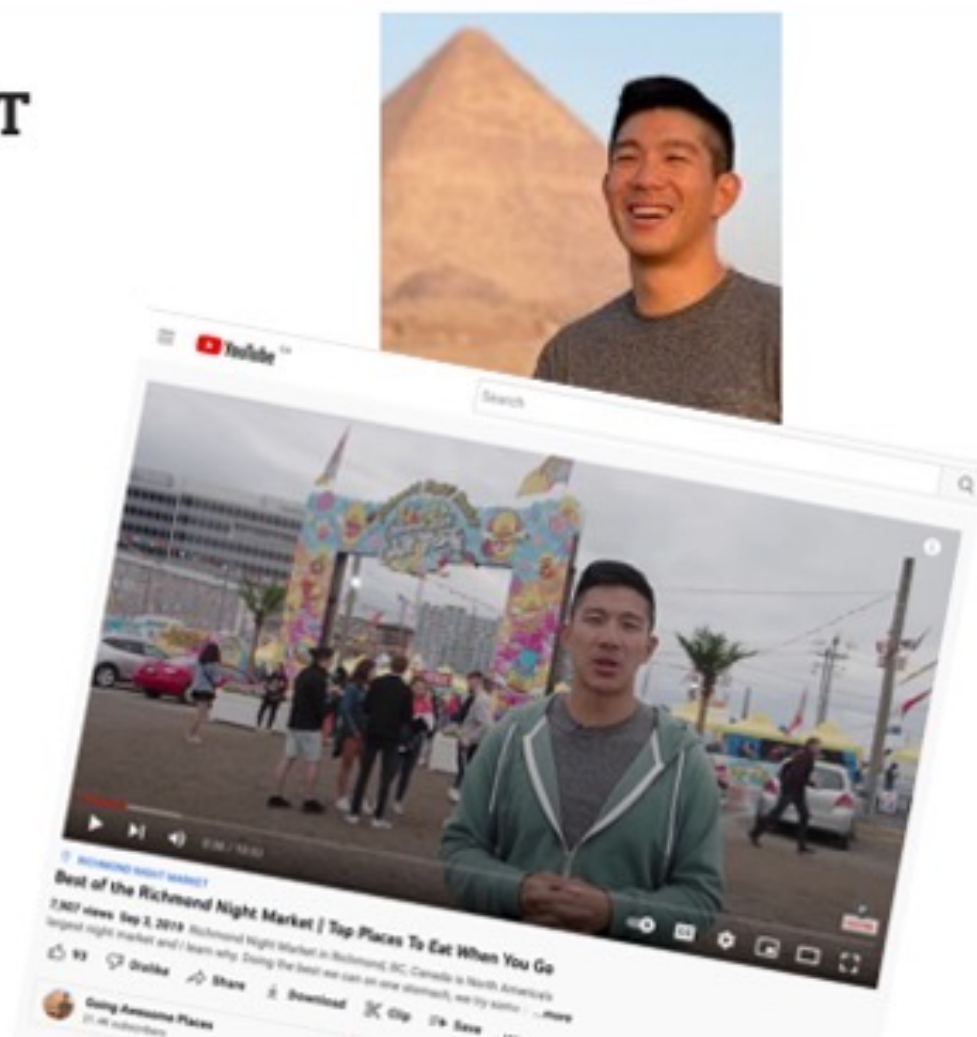
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**People's Choice  
Photo of the Year**

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**People's Choice  
Photo of the Year  
Honourable Mention**

**HUMPBACK  
ZACK  
METCALFE**



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# People's Choice Photo of the Year Honourable Mention

**VERMILLION LAKES**

**ROBIN  
KARPAN**





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# People's Choice Photo of the Year 3rd Place

THE JEWEL OF THE RIDEAU

**LAUREN  
YAKIWCHUK**



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# People's Choice Photo of the Year 2nd Place

**JUMPING FOR JOY IN  
LES ILES DE LA MADELEINE**

**YASHY  
MURPHY**



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# People's Choice Photo of the Year 1st Place

TEATIME IN MESOPOTAMIA

**LINDSAY  
NIEMINEN**





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# Industry Member of the Year

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**Industry  
Member  
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**PAM  
WAMBACK**





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# Volunteer of the Year

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**Volunteer  
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**JAMI  
SAVAGE**



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**ROD**

**CHARLES**







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