

**SHIRLEY RIMER**  
**RESUME** (Abbreviated)

**EXHIBITION RECORD**

- 2008 "In the Land of the Goddess", Two Person Show, Red Deer Museum and Art Gallery, Red Deer, AB.
- 2007 "Made In China", Juried, Solo Show, Harris-Warke Gallery, Red Deer, AB.  
"Interpretations", Juried, Solo Show, Espace Pebeo, Moganshan Lu, Shanghai, China
- 2006 "Bring It On", P'Artisans, Invitational, Red Deer and District Museum, Red Deer, AB.
- 2005 "Viewpoint", Juried, City of Red Deer Culture Services Artist's Cooperative (ongoing), Red Deer  
"My House is Your House", Solo Show, Discovery Gallery, Alberta Craft Council, Edmonton, AB.  
"An Indelible Era: 25 Influential Years", Invitational, The Works Visual Arts Festival, Edmonton, AB.  
"Have A Heart" Invitational, The Works Gallery at Commerce Place, Edmonton, AB.  
"Alberta Scene", Juried, National Arts Centre Theatres, Ottawa, Ontario  
"All About Alberta", Juried, Alberta Craft Council Lower Gallery, Edmonton, AB.
- 2004 "Tea and Roses", Invitational, Leighton Arts Centre, Calgary, AB.  
"P'Artisan's Exhibition", Invitational, Red Deer and District Museum, Red Deer, AB.
- 2003 "P'artly Natural", Invitational, Kerrywood Nature Centre, Red Deer, AB.  
"Educational Exhibitions: Culture Services Instructor's Show", Culture Center, Red Deer, AB.
- 2002 "All the Best", Invitational, A.C.C. Gallery, Edmonton, AB.  
"Culture In The Making", Invitational, A.C.C., Devonion Gardens Gallery, Calgary, AB.
- 2001 "10 Plus 10", Eric Harvie Theatre Gallery, The Banff Centre, Banff, AB.  
Go Figure, Invitational, A.C.C., Alberta Craft Council Gallery, Edmonton, AB.  
Canada In Mexico, Invitational, The Works Festival, Edmonton, AB.  
Cover Stories, Invitational Travelling Exhibition, 2 years, Alberta Foundation for the Arts  
Collected Visions, Invitational, A.C.C. and A.F.A., McMullen Gallery, Edmonton, AB.
- 2000 Canada/Mexico Exchange Exhibition, Museo Poblano de Arte Virreinal, Puebla, Mexico  
Wetlands 2000, Juried, Red Deer & District Museum, Red Deer, AB.  
On The Cover, Group Show, Alberta Craft Council Gallery, Edmonton, AB.  
2000 Outside: Nature Issues and the Millenium, Juried, Kerry Wood Nature Centre, Red Deer, AB.
- 1999 Legacies, Group Show, Medicine Hat Public Library, Medicine Hat, AB.  
Then and Now; Now and Then, Solo Show, Red Deer & District Museum, Red Deer, AB.
- 1998 Keramos, Group Show, The Works Festival, Edmonton, AB.  
Collecting Alberta Art: The Legacy Celebrating 25 Years, Alberta Foundation for the Arts,  
Triangle Gallery of Visual Arts, Calgary, AB.
- 1997 Greek/Canadian Artists Working In Greece, Centre for Contemporary Art, Rethymnon, Crete  
Greek/Canadian Artists Working In Greece, Vorres Museum, Athens, Greece  
A Blast From The Past, Artists-In Res. at Red Deer College, Old Court House Art Gallery  
Landmarks, Four Person Travelling Exhibition, 2 yrs. (1996/1997), sponsored by Muttart Art Gallery, funded  
by Alberta Foundation for the Arts  
Alberta Voices, Three Person Travelling Exhibition,  
-Alberta Craft Council Gallery, Edmonton, -Wallace Gallery, Calgary, AB.
- 1996 Greek Canadian Exchange Exhibition, Banff Centre Gallery, Calgary, AB.  
Folktales of My People, Solo Exhibition, Collections Gallery, Fireworks '96 Seminar, Edmonton
- 1995 Tribute: Fifteen Years of Alberta Craft, McMullen Gallery at University of Alberta, Edmonton  
Art at Terminal 3, Solo Show, Toronto International Airport/Canadian Airlines, Toronto, Ontario
- 1994 A Taste of the Claridge Collection, Canadian Clay & Glass Museum, Waterloo, Ontario  
Alberta Made Home, Juried Travelling Exhibition,  
-The Triangle Gallery, Calgary, AB. - Alberta Craft Council Gallery, Edmonton, AB.  
Images in Fused Glass, Solo Exhibition, Alberta Craft Council in Holt Renfrew, Edmonton, AB.  
Altars to a Time and Place, Solo Exhibition, Edmonton Art Gallery, Edmonton, AB.
- 1993 Clay North – 10 Artists from the Canadian Prairies, Northern Arizona University Museum and  
Galleries, Flagstaff, Arizona, U.S.A.  
Canadians In Greece, Pots From All Over Greece, Athens, Greece  
Canadians, Canadian National Archaeological Institute, Athens, Greece
- 1992 Oppperthausser Gallery, Juried , 2 Person Show, Stony Plain, AB.  
Champagne Breakfast, Albert Craft Council Juried Travelling Exhibition,  
-The Triangle Gallery, Calgary , AB. (1991) -Alberta Craft Council, Edmonton, AB.
- 1991 A Tradiation of Excellence: The Development of Clay and Fibre In Alberta, Juried, Alberta  
Foundation for the Arts Collection, Alberta Craft Council Presents Gallery, Edmonton, AB.  
Ceramics Selects, Travelling Exhibition (1990-1991), -Beaver House Gallery, Edmonton, AB.  
-Medicine Hat Museum and Art Gallery , -Provenance Gallery, Calgary, AB.

- Whyte Museum of the Canadian Rockies, Banff, AB. -Old Court House Art Gallery, Red Deer  
Sixth Annual Monarch Tile National Ceramic Competition, Juried, San Angelo Museum of Fine Arts, San Angelo, Texas, U.S.A.
- 1990 Clay Connection, Gallery at Hopkins Hall, Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio, U.S.A.  
Canadian Contemporary Ceramics In Oslo, Kunstlubben Gallery, Oslo, Norway  
Haystack Mountain School of Crafts, Deer Isle, Maine, U.S.A. (also 1989)  
Sculpture, The Franklin Silverstone Gallery, Toronto, Ontario
- 1989 Galerie Franklin Silverstone, Montreal, Quebec
- 1988 Survey '88, Juried, Alberta College of Art, Calgary, AB.  
Alberta Potters Association, Juried, Red Deer & District Museum, Red Deer, AB.
- 1987 Another Roadside Attraction, Four Person Travelling Exhibition  
 -Red Deer & District Museum, Red Deer -City of Fort McMurray  
 -Beaver House Gallery, Edmonton, -Prairie Gallery, Grand Prairie  
 -Sun Life Plaza, Calgary, -Sir Alexander Galt Museum, Lethbridge
- 1987 Ten – Making Art, Red Deer College Instructors & Staff, Red Deer & District Museum
- AWARDS/PURCHASES (Juried)**
- 2004 City of Red Deer, Mayor's Recognition Award for Fine and Performing Arts  
 2007/06/03/02/01/00  
 Alberta Foundation for the Arts, Project Grant
- 2002/1994/92/90/89/86/85/82  
 Alberta Foundation for the Arts Purchases for Permanent Collection
- 2000 Chosen to participate in Mexico/Canada Intercultural Exchange; Juried Competition, Puebla, Mexico,  
 Scholarship from the Banff Center for the Arts  
P'Artisan Artists Network Scholarship
- 1997/93/91  
 Alberta Foundation for the Arts, Project Grant
- 1998 P'Artisan Artists Network Scholarship
- 1995 Commission, Mural Installation, Red Deer Public Library Link, Red Deer, AB.
- 1993 1st Place, Idea Bank Awards, City of Red Deer Culture Department, Red Deer, AB.
- 1991 Gulf Oil Corporation Purchase for Permanent Collection
- 1990 Claridge Collection, Bronffman Corporation, Purchase for Permanent Collection
- 1990/1989 Mary Beason Bishop/Francis Sumner Merritt Scholarship, Haystack Mountain School of Crafts, Deer Isle, Maine, U.S.A.
- 1989 Gulf Oil Corporation Purchase for Permanent Collection
- INTERNATIONAL/RESIDENCIES, TRAVEL**
- 2008 Medalta International Artist in Residence, Medicine Hat, AB.
- 2007 China, 6 weeks, The Pottery Workshop Experimental Factory, Jingdezhen, China  
 Red Deer College, Artist in Residence, 6 weeks, Red Deer, AB.  
 U.S.A., 4 months, The Pottery Coop, Tucson, AZ.
- 2005 China, 4 months, The Pottery Workshop, Shanghai, China
- 2003 Turkey, 3 weeks, studio work in Avanos, Turkey
- 2001 Canada/Mexico Ceramics Exchange, Juried, 6 weeks, Banff Centre, Banff, AB.
- 2000 Mexico/Canada Ceramics Exchange, Juried, 6 weeks, Talavera Tile Factory, Puebla, Mexico
- 1999 Mexico, 3 weeks, kiln building in Huayapan, Oaxaca, Mexico
- 1997 Greek/Canadian Intercultural Ceramics Exchange, Juried, 4 weeks, Athens, Crete, Greece
- 1996 Canadian/Greek Intercultural Ceramics Exchange, Juried, 2 weeks, Banff Centre, Banff, AB.
- 1993 Greece, 3 weeks, Candili Mountain Studio in Procopi, Euboea, Greece
- EMPLOYMENT/TEACHING**
- 2007/06/04 Basic Pottery, City of Red Deer Culture Services, Red Deer, AB.  
 2008/05/04/01/00/99/98  
 Alberta Foundation for the Arts Artists in The Schools Residency Program, Clay Tile Murals, Schools throughout Alberta
- 2004/03 School Program, Clay Masks, Red Deer & District Museum, Red Deer, AB.  
 2004/03/02/01  
Home and Garden Clay Tiles, Culture Services, City of Red Deer
- 2001 Mini-mural In Clay, Culture Services, City of Red Deer
- 2000 Clay Impressions, Culture Services, City of Red Deer  
Sculpture and Handbuilding, Athabasca Pottery Club, Athabasca Alberta
- 1999 Handbuilding, Rocky Arts Guild, Rocky Mountain House, AB.  
Wheelwork, Red Deer College, Red Deer, AB.  
Personal Expressions In Hand-built Clay Forms, Fairview College, Fairview, AB.

- 1997 Throwing Workshop, Trochu Recreation Center, Trochu, AB.
- 1995/94 Art 230; ceramics, 3 credits, Canadian Union College, Lacombe, AB.
- 1994 Color and Clay and Primitive Firing, Medicine Hat Potters' Assoc., Medicine Hat, AB.  
Handbuilding and Moldmaking, Fairview Pottery Club, Fairview, AB.
- 1993 through 1981 (except 1985)  
Beginner, Intermediate and Advanced Wheelthrowing, Red Deer College, Red Deer, AB.
- 1992 Wheelthrowing, Athabasca River Potters, Hinton, AB.  
High Fire/Stoneware Glazing, Parkland Potters, Stony Plain, AB.  
Lowfire Techniques, Athabasca Pottery Club, Athabasca, AB.
- 1991 Color and Clay, Series Summer Art Program, Red Deer College, Red Deer, AB.
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- 1988 Color and Clay, Weekend Workshop, Continuing Education, Red Deer College
- EMPLOYMENT/ART RELATED**
- 2006 Slide Presentations (2), "China", Red Deer College Programs, Red Deer, AB.
- 2005 Slide Presentations (3), "Travel Influences", Red Deer College Programs, Red Deer, AB.
- 2004 Slide Presentation, Opening Doors, A Community Conference, Red Deer, AB.
- 2002 Juror, Art Acquisitions, Alberta Foundation for the Arts, Edmonton, AB.
- 2001 Guest Curator, The Works Visual Arts Festival, Edmonton, AB.  
Programmer 1, Culture, City of Red Deer Culture Services
- 2000 From 1997 to 2000 Curator, Old Court House Art Gallery, Red Deer, AB.  
Culture Programmer, "Execution at The Old Court House", performance event, Red Deer
- 1999 Culture Programmer, City of Red Deer Culture Services, Recreation, Parks and Culture  
Artist-In-Residence, Medalta International Artist-In-Residence Program, Medicine Hat, AB.  
Presenter, Slides, "Contemporary and Historical Ceramics in Greece and Mexico, Red Deer School District Professional Development Workshop
- 1996 Slide Presentation, Alberta Potters Association 25th Annual A.G.M., Red Deer, AB.  
Juror, Canadian Centennial Scholarship and Princess Margaret Scholarship, Red Deer & District Allied Arts Council, Red Deer, AB.
- 1994 Coordinator, Art Walk '94, City of Red Deer, Red Deer, AB.  
Slide Presentation, Canadian Potters In Greece, Fireworks '94, Edmonton International Ceramics Seminar, Edmonton, AB.
- 1993 Curator, (one year), Brock Gallery, Red Deer, AB.  
Juror, Study Grants, Alberta Foundation for the Arts
- 1992 Guest Curator, View From The 52nd Parallel, Old Court House Art Gallery, Red Deer, AB.
- 1991 Guest Curator, Contemporary Ceramics on the Wall, Old Court House Art Gallery, Red Deer, AB.  
Program Manager, Artist-In-Residence Program, Red Deer College, Red Deer, AB.
- 1990 Slide Presentation, Teaching Ceramics in Junior and Senior High School, Alberta Teachers Association Regional Convention, Red Deer, AB.  
Slide Presentation, The Psychology of Color/Inlaid Colored Clays and Exotic Firing Processes, Medicine Hat Ceramics Seminar, Medicine Hat, AB.  
Slide Presentation, My Work, Student League of Independent Potters, Columbus, Ohio
- 1989 Assistant/Technician, Walter Ostrum, Haystack Mountain School of Crafts, Deer Isle, Maine
- 1988 Program Manager, Series Program, Red Deer College, Red Deer, AB.  
Program Manager, Summerscapes Program, Red Deer College, Red Deer, AB.  
Juror, Project Grants, Alberta Culture, Visual Arts Branch, Edmonton, AB.
- 1987 Events Co-ordinator, Series Program, Red Deer College, Red Deer, AB.
- PROFESSIONAL INVOLVEMENTS/COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION**
- 2006 Slide Presentation (x2), Experiences In China, Red Deer & District Museum, Red Deer, AB.  
Slide Presentation, Travel Experiences, Culture Services, City of Red Deer, Red Deer, AB.  
Slide Presentation, Experiences in China, A.P.A. A.G.M., Medicine Hat, AB.
- 2005/04 Board Member, Alberta Craft Council, Provincial Organization, Alberta
- 2005/04/03 Board Member, Red Deer & District Museum Society,  
Gift Shop Committee Member, Accessions Committee Member, Red Deer, AB.
- 1994 to Present Board Member, Artwalk Festival, Red Deer, AB.
- 2004 Viewpoint, Juried, City of Red Deer Artists's Coop, Red Deer, AB.
- 2004 Committee Member, Arts and Wellness Initiative, Red Deer, AB.
- 2003 Slide Presentation, Artists' Experiences (Turkey), Culture Services Centre, Red Deer, AB.
- 2003/02 Mentor, Lindsay Thurber High School IB Art Students, Red Deer, AB.
- 2002 Slide Presentation, My Work, Phoenix Ceramics Community, Phoenix, AZ., U.S.A.  
Slide Presentation, Mexico, Red Deer Museum, Anthropology Series

- 1999 Gallery Committee Chair, Fireworks 2000, Edmonton International Ceramics Seminar  
 1998 Slide Presentation, Greek Culture/Pottery, Red Deer & District Museum, Anthropology Series  
Slide Presentation, Canadians In Greece, Alberta Craft Council, A.G.M.  
 1997 Slide Presentation, Greece, 1000 Miles Apart, Red Deer, AB.  
 1996 Paper Kiln Construction, Fire & Earth Celebration, Red Deer, AB.  
 1995 Sagger Kiln Construction, Fire & Earth Celebration, Red Deer, AB.  
 1994 Paper Kiln Construction, The Work Festival, In The Square, Edmonton, AB.  
 1993 Guest Curator, From The Heart, Regional Members Alberta Craft Council Exhibition, Old Court House Art Gallery, Red Deer, AB.  
Juror, Celebration of the Arts Exhibition, Old Court House Art Gallery, Red Deer, AB.  
Juror, Bobby Hoffman Scholarship, Alberta Craft Council, Edmonton, AB.  
 1992/91 Education Director, Alberta Craft Council  
 1990 Coordinator, 1000 Miles Apart, Six Post-Secondary Institutions from Western Canada Meet In Red Deer, Red Deer College  
 1988 Regional Rep., Alberta Potters Association  
 1987/86 Coordinator, 2 Travelling Exhibitions

#### ARTICLES PUBLISHED

- 2003 Turkey: A Very Special Place, Alberta Craft, Winter 2003  
 2000 Canada/Mexico Ceramics Exchange, Alberta Craft Magazine, March/April 2001  
 1999 Canadians In Oaxaca, B.C. Potter's Magazine, Granville Island, B.C.  
 1998 Invasion, Exhibition Review, Ceramics; A Canadian Perspective, Winter 1998  
 1997 Alberta Voices; Ceramic Sculpture, Alberta Museums Review, Summer 1997/Vol.23/Issue2  
No Barriers, Alberta Craft Magazine, March/April 1997  
 1997/96 Curator's Corner, Ongoing Regular Feature, 1/2 page, Arts cape Artists Newsletter, Published in the Red Deer Advocate, Quarterly, for Red Deer & District Allied Arts Council  
 1996 Rejection Isn't That Hard To Take, Alberta Artist, Volume 2, No.3, Summer  
 1995 An Equinox Kiln, Contact Magazine, Summer 1995, No. 101  
 1994 Linda Stanier, Contact Magazine, Winter 1993/1994, No. 95  
Canadian Potters In Greece, Alberta Craft Magazine, January-February 1994

#### FEATURE ARTICLES

- 2008 Westworld Magazine, AMA, Alberta, July, 2008  
Ceramic Review Magazine, England, Issue 234, 2008 (Photo)  
 2007 SH Magazine, Art Review, Shanghai, China, June 6, 2007  
 2006 An Alberta Art Chronicle: Adventures In Recent and Contemporary Art, by Mary-Beth Laviolette Foreign Studies, The Red Deer Advocate, (full page), Friday, March 3, 2006  
 2002 Metaphorical Figures, Artchoke; Writings About the Visual Arts, Special Edition No.1 Vol. 13 No. 4  
 2001 Go Figure, Alberta Craft Magazine, Sept/Oct 2001  
The Ceramic Spectrum, Second Edition, by Robin Hopper(photo)  
 2000 Ceramic Sculptor Finds New in Old Ways, Red Deer Advocate, Nov. 2/2000  
Cover Stories, Alberta Craft Magazine, March/April 2000  
 1999 Bearing Fruit, Red Deer LIFE, September 1999  
Display at Museum, Red Deer Advocate (Photo), September 1999  
 1997 The Labyrinth, Kerameiki Techni, (Photo), December 1997  
Eloquent Individuality, Feature Article, Alberta Craft Magazine (including cover), Sept./Oct. 1997  
International Exchange Helps Mold Ceramic Artists, The Red Deer Advocate LIFE, Oct. 1997  
 1996 In The Gallery, Photo and Philosophical Statement, Alberta Artists, April/May  
 1995 Erotic Art Show, Alberta Artist (Photo), Nov/Dec 1995  
Library Mural Salutes History, (Cover Photo), Artscape, Volume 2 Number 1, Fall  
Reward Posted For Ideas, Red Deer Advocate (Photo) Wednesday, April 25, 1995  
Fire & Earth, Red Deer Advocate, (Photo), Sunday, March 26, 1995  
Out of the Cupboard, Red Deer Advocate (Photo), Thursday, March 2, 1995  
Library Past & Present, Red Deer Advocate (Cover Photo), July 2, 1995  
 1994 Things Are Beginning to Take Shape, In Touch, The Alberta Potters Association Newsletter, (Cover Photo) Summer 1994, Volume 49, Issue 3  
Rimer In Greece. Culture and History, Arts Bridge, Alberta Art Foundation, Fall 1994, Vol.3/No.2

#### EDUCATION

- 2002 Metchosin International Summer School, B.C., Glaze Chemistry, Summer Course  
 1985/84/83/82 Washington State University, Fine Arts Department, Summer Courses  
 1984/83 Washington State University, Fine Arts Department, September 1983-June 1984  
 1981/80/79 Red Deer College, Art & Design Diploma Program, September 1979-April 1981