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### **Current Activities**

*Owner-Manager* – **Upper Valley Events Center** – Norwich, VT

Strategic planning, oversight and operations of an indoor and outdoor facility for meetings, programs, special events and parties. Mission is to support and promote education and community enrichment. [www.uvEvents.org](http://www.uvEvents.org)

*Trustee and Artistic Director* – **Upper Valley Presents, Inc.** – Norwich, VT

Board member and staff advisor, marketing consultant and program development coordinator for nonprofit whose mission is to celebrate neighborhood through artistic and educational programs. [www.uvPresents.org](http://www.uvPresents.org)

*Director* – **Summer Days Camp** – Norwich, VT

Conceived, developed and implemented a new day camp for ages 4-12. Program has grown to 11 weeks and 240 campers. This program uses found and everyday materials and simple ingredients to challenge children by awakening their creative and problem-solving skills in a nurturing, non-competitive environment. [www.SummerDaysCamp.org](http://www.SummerDaysCamp.org)

*Commission Art work* – work is a reflection of the artist's interests as an abstract narrative painter, but commissions do incorporate relevant setting, color and personality of the buyer.

*Artist* - As a painter, work touches on universal themes relating to the human condition. These themes include: birth, loss of childhood, adolescence, middle age, loss and rediscovery of self, and rebirth.

### **Education**

1986 – Rhode Island School of Design; Providence, Rhode Island B.F.A. (with honors)

2005 – Vermont Studio Center, Johnson, VT

### **Exhibitions**

11/98 – Bronxville Artist Group. Oils on Linen. Bronxville, NY

3/97 – “Think Spring” (group show). Oils on Linen. The Purple Gallery; New Rochelle, NY

12/96 – “Landscape Show” (group show). Oils on Linen. Bentley Gallery; Scottsdale, AZ

10/96 – “Contemporary Paintings” (solo show). Oils on Linen. The Left Bank; Bennington, VT

9/96 – Opening Group Show. Oils on Linen. The Purple Gallery; New Rochelle, NY

5/96 – “Old Friends-New Acquaintances” (group show). Oils on linen. Bentley Gallery; Scottsdale, AZ

### **Professional & Community Activities**

1989 – 1992 – docent, Santa Barbara Museum of Art, Santa Barbara, CA

2002 – 2006 – Board member, Hampshire Cooperative Nursery School, Hanover, NH

2003 – present, Table chairperson of Enterprising Kitchen at The Christmas Market with a Difference, an outreach program of the Church of Christ at Dartmouth College.

2007 – present, Artist in Residency coordinator, Crossroads Academy, Lyme, NH.