Peter C. McCusker

Photojournalist

I am passionate about documenting people and the events in my community. It's an opportunity to tell those stories and share them with others in the community. Presently I am a freelance photographer with The Mississauga News, Brampton Business Times and Goodlife Magazine.

I also have been operating as a photographer for an Ontario Nurses Magazine and other commercial clientel. I have an exceptional eye for the unusual. I am articulate and a diligent worker, able to work to deadlines and have a nose for news.

Awards recently include best photo page 2001 and second in spot news for the OCNA, Halton Police Award 2000 and 19th place in the Eastern Canada News Photographers Association clip contest. Metroland top spot news in 2002.

I have experience as photographer in the community newspaper field in the Halton-Peel Region as well as experience at the Daily Mercury in Guelph as staff sports writer/ photographer 1975-76. Sports editor and photographer at The Canadian Champion in Milton '76-77. I also have freelance for the Peel-Halton pages of The Toronto Star late 1977-80 as a writer/photographer, and as a freelancer on the odd assignment up to 1986.

An exceptional working knowledge of digital photographic workflow and Adobe Photoshop CS2 and own Nikon D700, D7000, D300 and D2X and lenses. I am seeking engagements in photojournalism, commercial clients annual reports or public relations

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Education: Sheridan College Journalism diploma
Attends annual workshops with ECNPA,

Interests: Travel, movies, cooking, woodworking
bands, drum and bugle corps,
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