

Travel Media Association of Canada AWARD WINNERS

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TRAVEL MEDIA ASSOCIATION OF CANADA
We Are Going Places



2022 TMAC Awards

**Best Canadian
Indigenous Tourism
Experience Story**



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Best Canadian Indigenous Tourism Experience Story Honourable Mention

WHAT DO YOU EAT BY THE MACKENZIE DELTA? (GLOBE AND MAIL)

AMY ROSEN



What do you eat by the Mackenzie Delta?
AMY ROSEN

SPECIAL TO THE GLOBE AND MAIL
PUBLISHED NOVEMBER 11, 2022

It's just past 10 p.m. on an early August night and the sky
means just windbreakers, sunglasses and jeans for all, as
aboard an old runabout, about 150 kilometres north
tonight, or any night for the next 6
beavers are



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Best Canadian Indigenous Tourism Experience Story Honourable Mention

NIGHTLIGHT - HOW TO SEE THE NORTHERN LIGHTS WITH AN INDIGENOUS EYE (NATIONS MAGAZINE)

DEBBIE OLSEN



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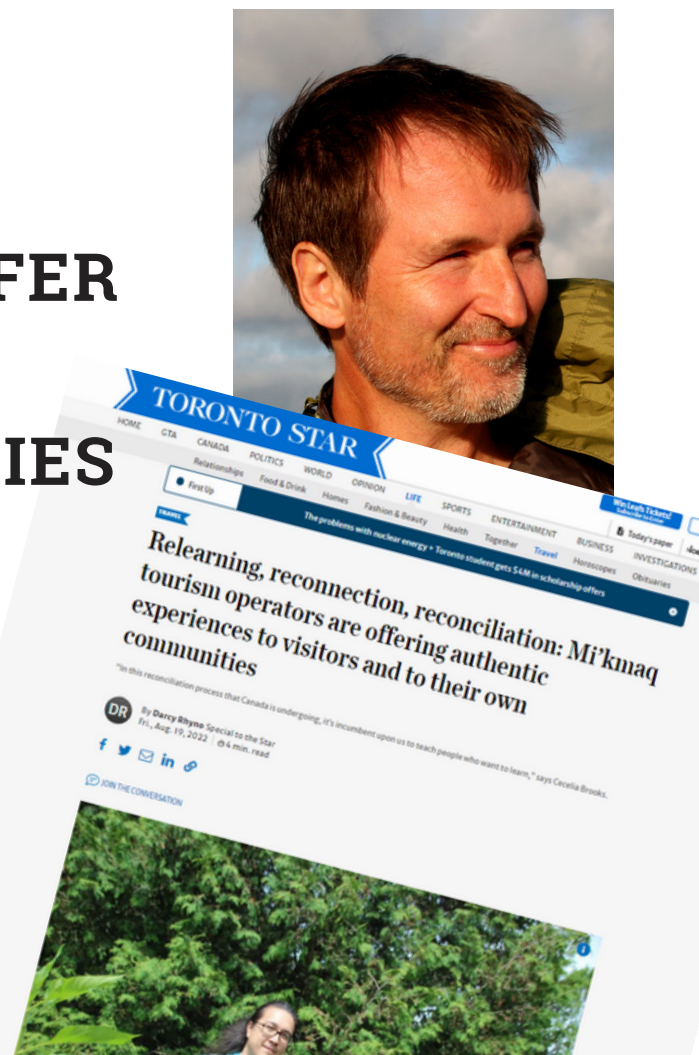
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Best Canadian Indigenous Tourism Experience Story 3rd Place

**RELEARNING, RECONNECTION,
RECONCILIATION:
MI'KMAQ TOURISM OPERATORS OFFER
AUTHENTIC EXPERIENCES TO
VISITORS & THEIR OWN COMMUNITIES
(TORONTO STAR)**

DARCY RHYNO



2022 TMAC Awards



Best Canadian Indigenous Tourism Experience Story 2nd Place

IN ALBERTA, INDIGENOUS BLOSSOMS WITH WINTER EXPERIENCES (VACAY.CA)

JACQUELINE LOUIE



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Best Canadian Indigenous Tourism Experience Story 1st Place

**WHAT IS RECONCILIATION?
A BANFF TOURISM SPECTACLE
SHINES A LIGHT
(MONTECRISTO MAGAZINE)**

NANCY BESHARAH



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Images courtesy of Bruno Destombes.
**What is ReconciliAction? A Banff Tourism
Spectacle Shines a Light**



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Best Cultural / Historical Story



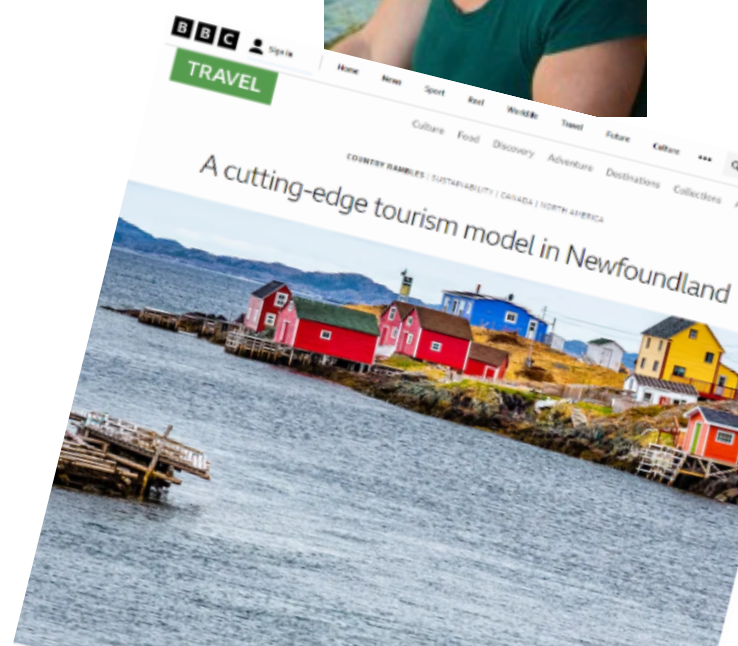
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Best Cultural / Historical Story Honourable Mention

A CUTTING-EDGE TOURISM MODEL IN NEWFOUNDLAND (BBC TRAVEL)

DIANE SELKIRK



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Best Cultural / Historical Story Honourable Mention

**IN MEMPHIS, I TOOK A JOURNEY
THROUGH BLACK MUSIC HISTORY,
FROM THE GUIDING SONGS OF FREEDOM
SEEKERS TO THE BLUES OF BEALE STREET
(TORONTO STAR)**

NATALIE PREDDIE



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Best Cultural / Historical Story
3rd Place

**THE MAKING OF
CHANEL NO. 5
(FASHION MAGAZINE)**

WING SZE TANG



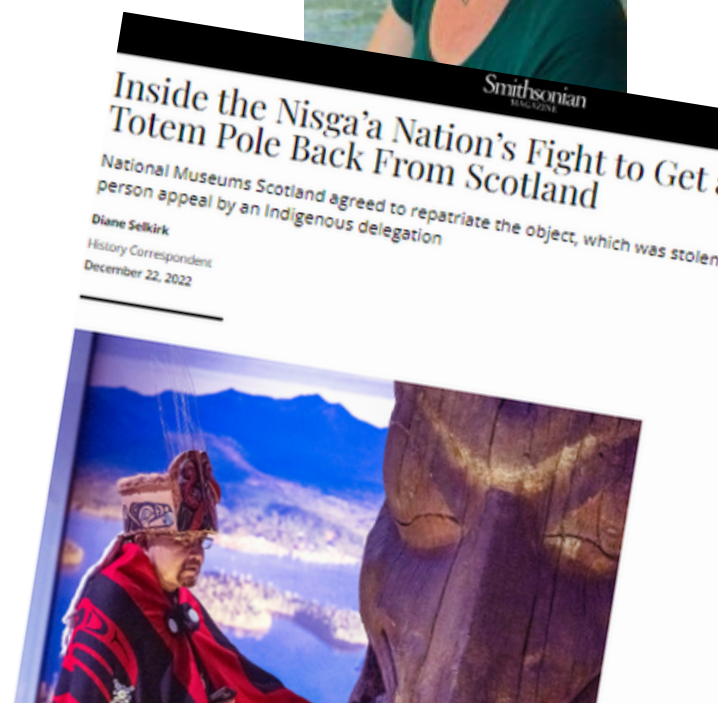
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Best Cultural / Historical Story
2nd Place

**INSIDE THE NISGA'A NATION'S
FIGHT TO GET A 36-FOOT TOTEM
POLE BACK FROM SCOTLAND
(SMITHSONIAN MAGAZINE)**

DIANE SELKIRK



2022 TMAC Awards



Best Cultural / Historical Story

1st Place

WALKING AROUND IN A POEM (SALTSCAPES MAGAZINE)

DARCY RHYNO





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Best Emerging & Broadcast Media

MANITOBA
CANADA'S HEART IS CALLING

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Best Emerging & Broadcast Media Honourable Mention

ULTIMATE SMOKY MOUNTAINS ROAD TRIP

WILL TANG



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Guide to a SMOKY MOUNTAINS
Road Trip from North

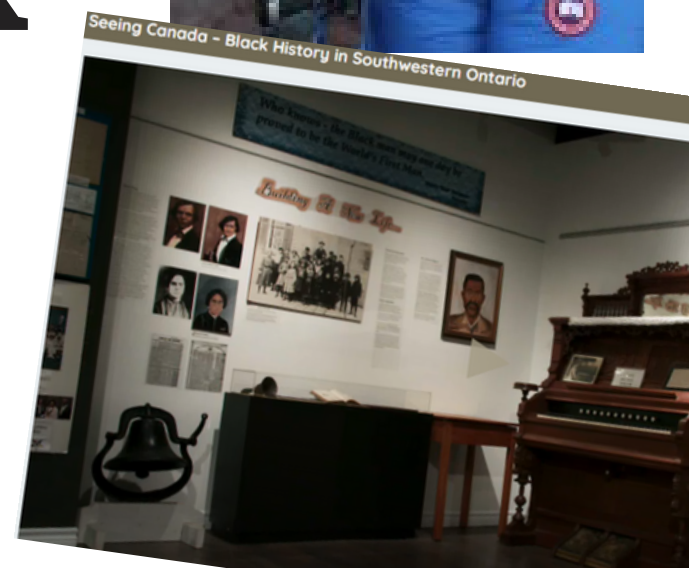
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Best Emerging & Broadcast Media Honourable Mention

**SEEING CANADA, EPISODE 302:
BLACK HISTORY IN SW ONTARIO**

BRANDY YANCHYK



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**Best Emerging &
Broadcast Media
3rd Place**

10 THINGS TO DO IN THE MAGDALEN ISLANDS IN THE WINTER

WILL TANG



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10 Things To Do in the Magdalen
Islands in the WINTER

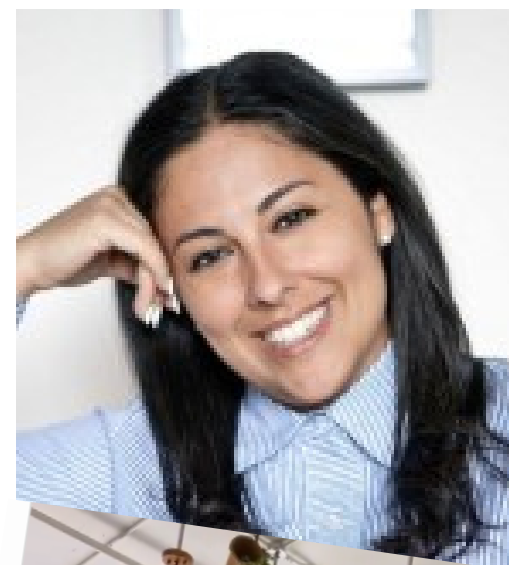
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**Best Emerging &
Broadcast Media
2nd Place**

MONTREAL TRAVEL GUIDE

**SOLMAZ
KHOSROVSHAHIAN**



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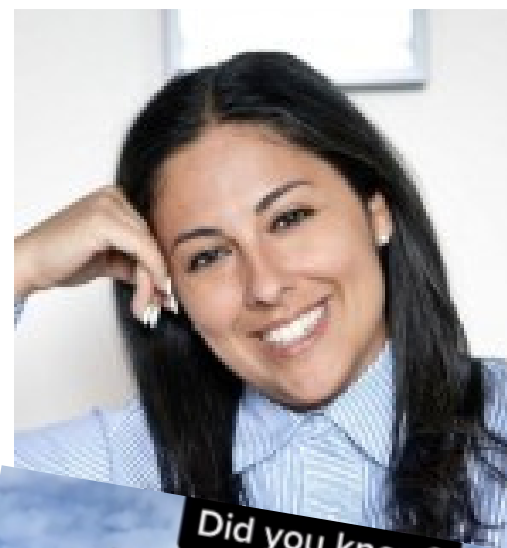
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**Best Emerging &
Broadcast Media
1st Place**

**INDIGENOUS TOURISM
EXPERIENCE – WENDAKE QUEBEC**

**SOLMAZ
KHOSROVSHAHIAN**



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Best Food / Drink Story



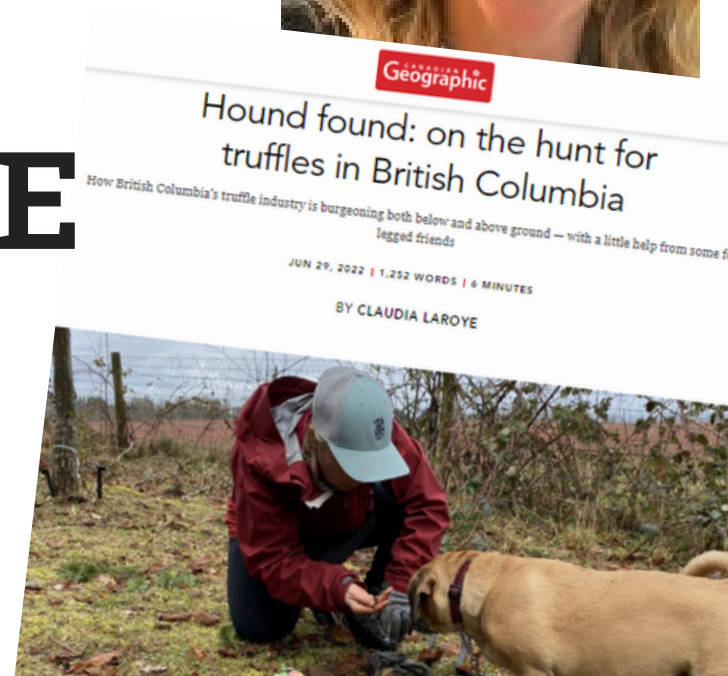
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Best Food / Drink Story
Honourable Mention

HOUND FOUND: ON THE HUNT FOR TRUFFLES IN BRITISH COLUMBIA (CANADIAN GEOGRAPHIC)

CLAUDIA LAROYE



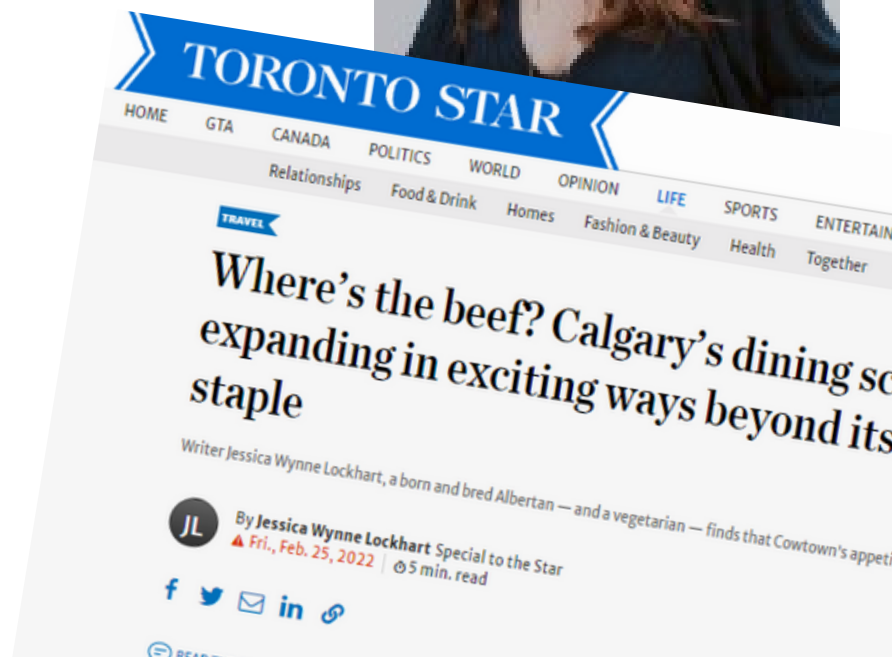
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Best Food / Drink Story Honourable Mention

WHERE'S THE BEEF? (TORONTO STAR)

JESSICA LOCKHART



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Best Food / Drink Story 3rd Place

WHEN THE TIDE IS OUT, DINNER IS SERVED (ENROUTE MAGAZINE)

DARCY RHYNO



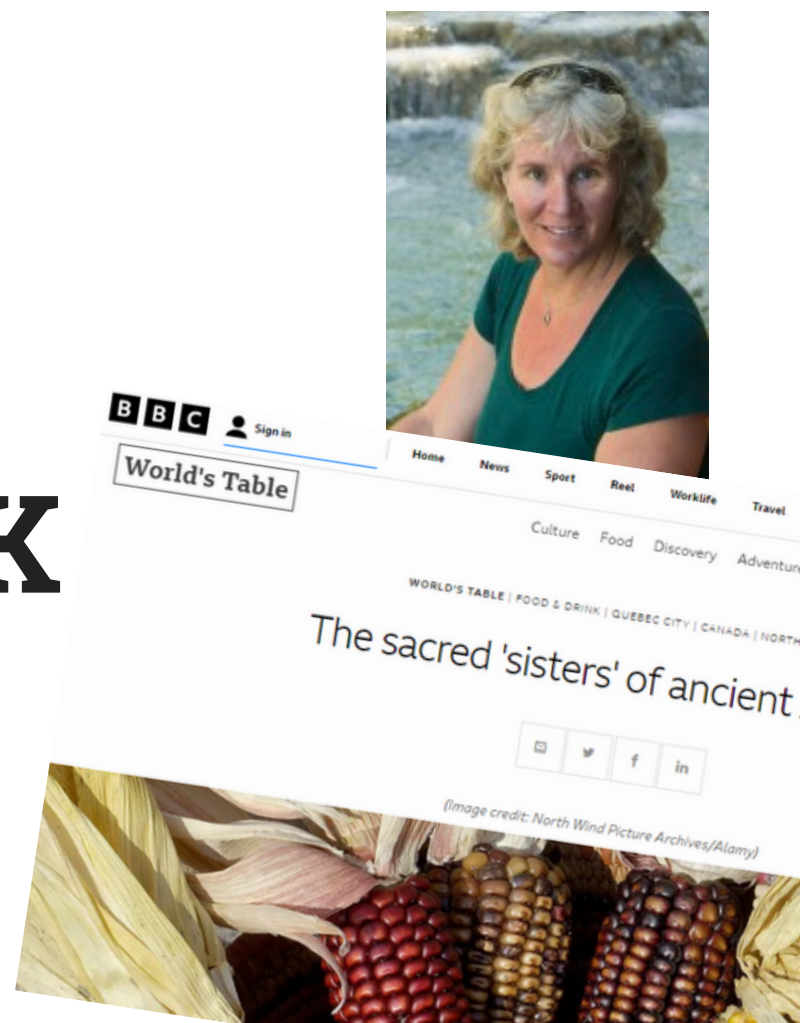
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Best Food / Drink Story
2nd Place

**THE SACRED SISTERS
OF ANCIENT AMERICA
(BBC TRAVEL)**

DIANE SELKIRK



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Best Food / Drink Story
1st Place

CORN'S CULTURAL SHIFT (EDIBLE VANCOUVER)

CINDA CHAVICH





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Best Landscape, Nature or Evocation of Place Photo



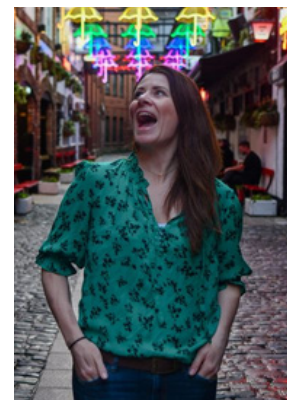
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Best Landscape, Nature or Evocation of Place Photo Honourable Mention



**JAMI
SAVAGE**



**“MOM, HAND ME THE CAMERA.” MAKING MOTHER
DAUGHTER MEMORIES, ONE ADVENTURE AT A TIME.**



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Best Landscape, Nature or Evocation of Place Photo Honourable Mention



THE LITTLE LIGHTHOUSE

**WILL
TANG**



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CANADA 

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Best Landscape, Nature or Evocation of Place Photo

3rd Place



SUNSET ON ANGLIN LAKE

**ROBIN
KARPAN**



TOURISM 
Saskatchewan
CANADA 

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Best Landscape, Nature or Evocation of Place Photo 2nd Place



STARRY SHAUNAVON

**JANE
CANAPINI**



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Best Landscape, Nature or Evocation of Place Photo 1st Place



**OKSANA
ST JOHN**



**INTO THE SHIMMERING BLUE. INSIDE THE
GLACIER ICE CAVE IN SOUTH ICELAND**





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Best Nature or Environmental / Responsible Tourism Story



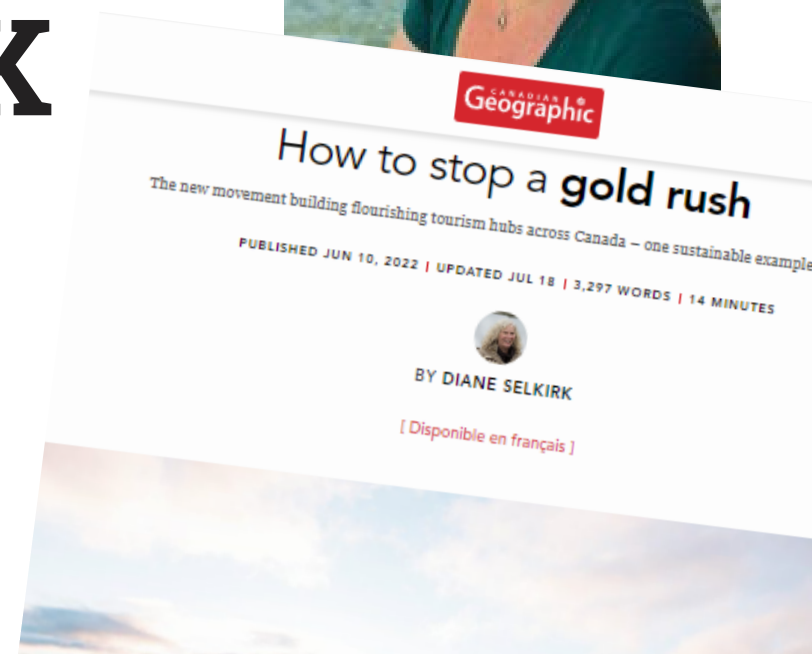
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Best Nature or Environmental / Responsible Tourism Story Honourable Mention

HOW TO STOP A GOLD RUSH (CANADIAN GEOGRAPHIC)

DIANE SELKIRK



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Best Nature or Environmental / Responsible Tourism Story Honourable Mention

SWIMMING WITH SALMON – A WATERY ADVENTURE IN CAMPBELL RIVER (ALTITUDE MAGAZINE)

HANS TAMMEMAGI



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BRITISH COLUMBIA™

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Best Nature or Environmental / Responsible Tourism Story 3rd Place

RESTORING BALANCE IN HAIDA GWAII (BC MAGAZINE)

DIANE SELKIRK



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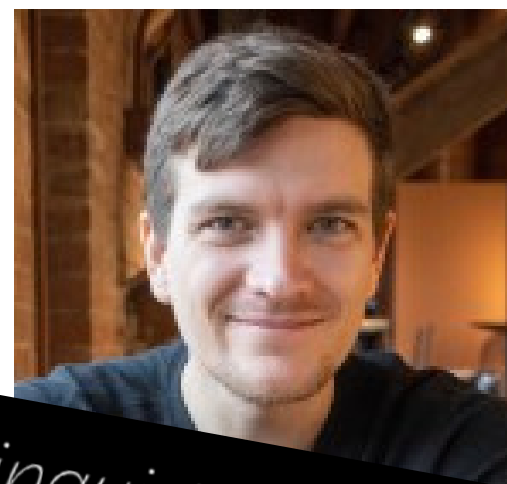
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Best Nature or Environmental / Responsible Tourism Story 2nd Place

LINGUISTS OF THE SEA
(CANADIAN WILDLIFE MAGAZINE)

ZACK METCALFE



each spring, the largest population of beluga whales in Canada departs its wintering grounds in the Hudson Strait and southwest into the



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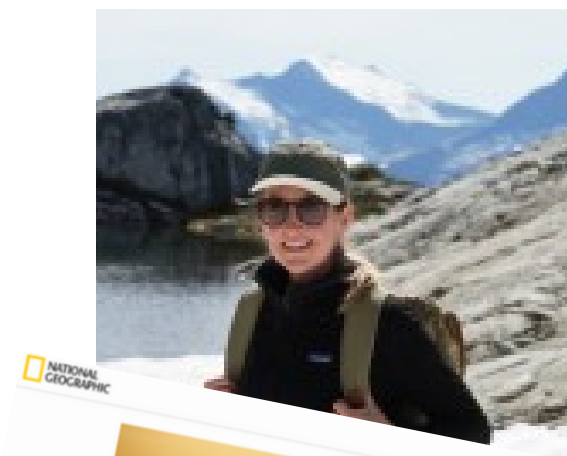
Best Nature or Environmental / Responsible Tourism Story 1st Place

**THIS CANADIAN RIVER IS NOW
LEGALLY A PERSON.
IT'S NOT THE ONLY ONE.
(NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC)**

CHLOE BERGE



DESTINATION
BRITISH COLUMBIA™



In recent years, many rivers—including the Amazon (pictured here), which flows through several countries in South America—have been granted legal rights in order to provide concrete protections.
PHOTOGRAPH BY MARCIA KESSON, NAT GEO IMAGE COLLECTION

TRAVEL | EARTH DAY

This Canadian river is now legally a person. It's not the only one.
From the Amazon...



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Best Outdoor Adventure, Sport or Recreation Story



ONTARIO
PARKS

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Best Outdoor Adventure, Sport or Recreation Story Honourable Mention

**IN THE RANCHES OF B.C.'S CARIBOO
CHILCOTIN, I GAINED DEEPER
UNDERSTANDING OF THE CONNECTION
BETWEEN HUMAN AND HORSE
(TORONTO STAR)**

CLAUDIA LAROYE



**ONTARIO
PARKS**

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Best Outdoor Adventure, Sport or Recreation Story Honourable Mention

SNORKELING BETWEEN TWO CONTINENTS IN ICELAND'S SILFRA FISSURE (GLOBE GUIDE)

TAMARA ELLIOTT



ONTARIO
PARKS



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**Best Outdoor Adventure,
Sport or Recreation Story**
3rd Place

**WE ARE A MOUNTAIN NATION
(ADVENTURE JOURNAL)**

JAYME MOYE



**ONTARIO
PARKS**



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

**WALKING IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF
SCOTLAND'S REVOLUTIONARY
MOUNTAIN WOMEN
(CONDE NAST TRAVELER)**

CHLOE BERGE



**ONTARIO
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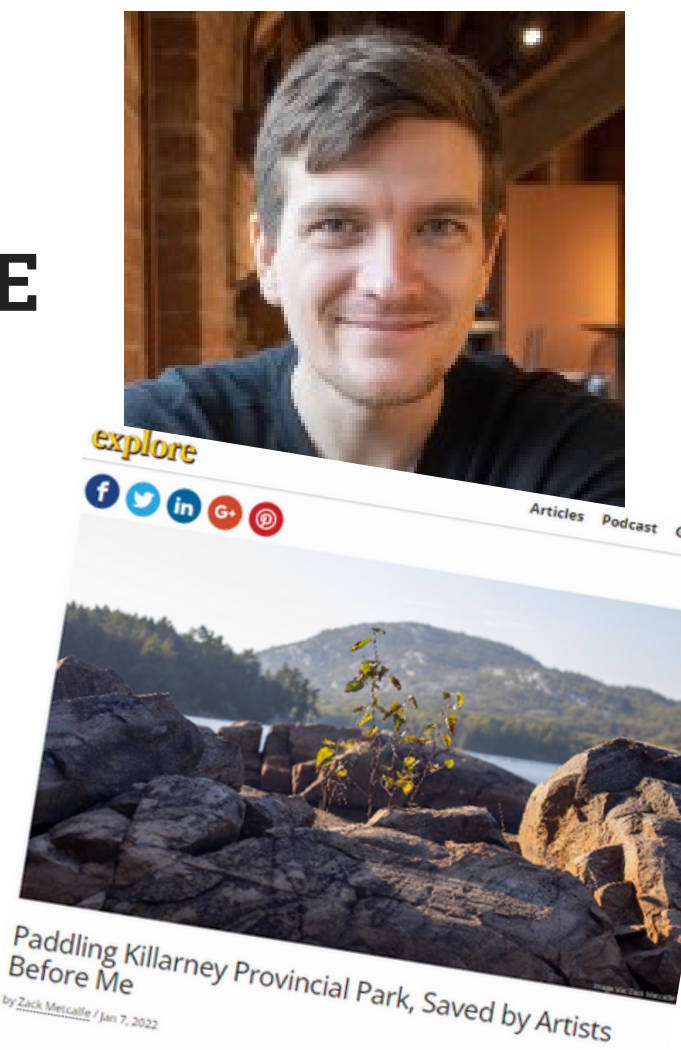
**Best Outdoor Adventure,
Sport or Recreation Story
1st Place**

**PADDLING KILLARNEY
PROVINCIAL PARK,
SAVED BY ARTISTS BEFORE ME
(EXPLORE MAGAZINE)**

ZACK METCALFE



**ONTARIO
PARKS**





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Best People Photo



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Best People Photo Honourable Mention



NOVA SCOTIA'S MASTER DORY MAKERS

**LEIGH
MCADAMS**



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Best People Photo Honourable Mention



**OKSANA
ST JOHN**



**PRESERVING TRADITION, ONE REPAIR AT A TIME.
A CRAFTSMAN IN QUITO, ECUADOR**



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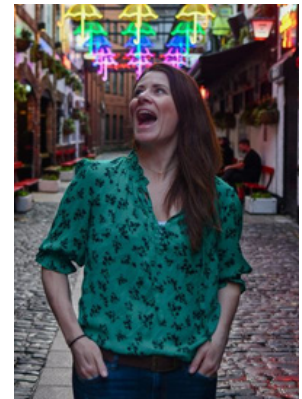


Best People Photo 3rd Place



ADVENTURE AWAITS IN PEGGY'S COVE

**JAMI
SAVAGE**



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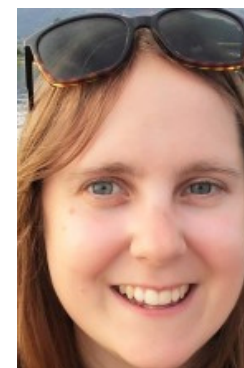


Best People Photo 2nd Place



**DIGGING FOR DINOSAURS IN
GRASSLANDS NATIONAL PARK**

**GEMMA
TAYLOR**



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Best People Photo 1st Place



**OCEAN HOUSE AT TLAGA GAWTLAAS
CRAB FISHING EXPERIENCE**

**KIM
PEMBERTON**





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Best Photo Series



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Best Photo Series Honourable Mention

**GREG
OLSEN**



Parks
Canada

Parcs
Canada

**WELLNESS AND WILDERNESS -
FLOATING SAUNA IN CLAYOQUOT SOUND, BC**

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Best Photo Series Honourable Mention

**LINDSAY
NIEMINEN**



Parks
Canada

Parcs
Canada

**MORE THAN JUST A PRIMAL CONNECTION:
UGANDA AS AN UNDERRATED SAFARI DESTINATION**

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Best Photo Series

3rd Place

MAX
ST JOHN



Parks
Canada

Parcs
Canada

PUFFINS OF NEWFOUNDLAND

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Best Photo Series 2nd Place

**WILL
TANG**



Parks
Canada

Parcs
Canada

WINTER MAGIC ON ILES DE LA MADELEINE

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Best Photo Series 1st Place

**ROBIN
KARPAN**



**COLOURFUL BIRD MATING DISPLAYS TO
PHOTOGRAPH THIS SPRING**



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Best Spirit of Canada Story



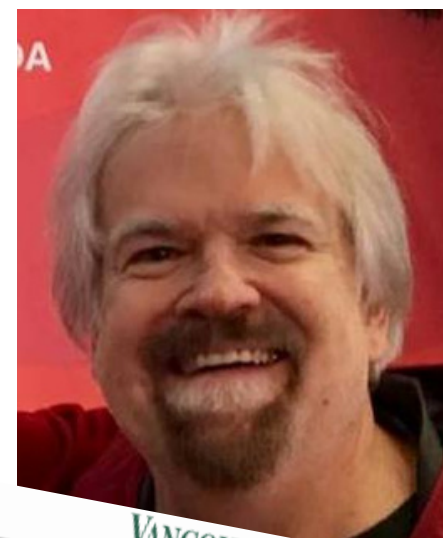
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Best Spirit of Canada Story Honourable Mention

**AN ISLAND OF HILLS
ON A PRAIRIE SEA
(VANCOUVER SUN)**

JOHN GEARY



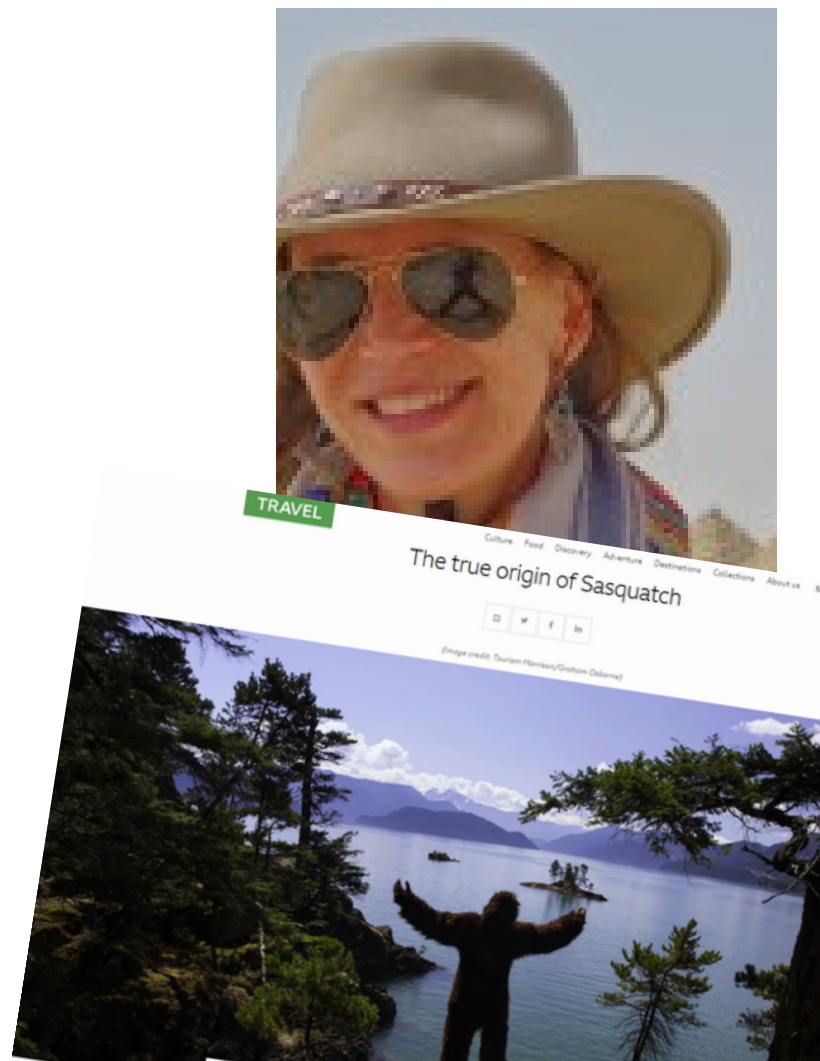
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THE TRUE ORIGIN OF SASQUATCH (BBC TRAVEL)

LISA KADANE



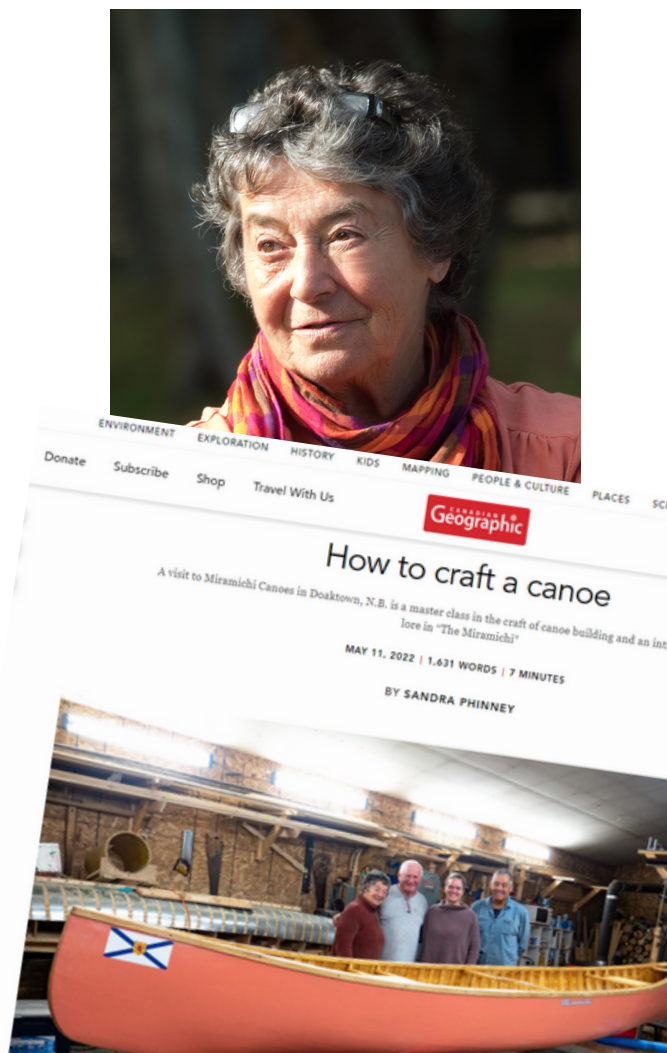
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Best Spirit of Canada Story 3rd Place

HOW TO CRAFT A CANOE (CANADIAN GEOGRAPHIC)

SANDRA PHINNEY



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Best Spirit of Canada Story 2nd Place

BOUNDLESS: WILD AND FREE (FINANCIAL TIMES)

JODY ROBBINS



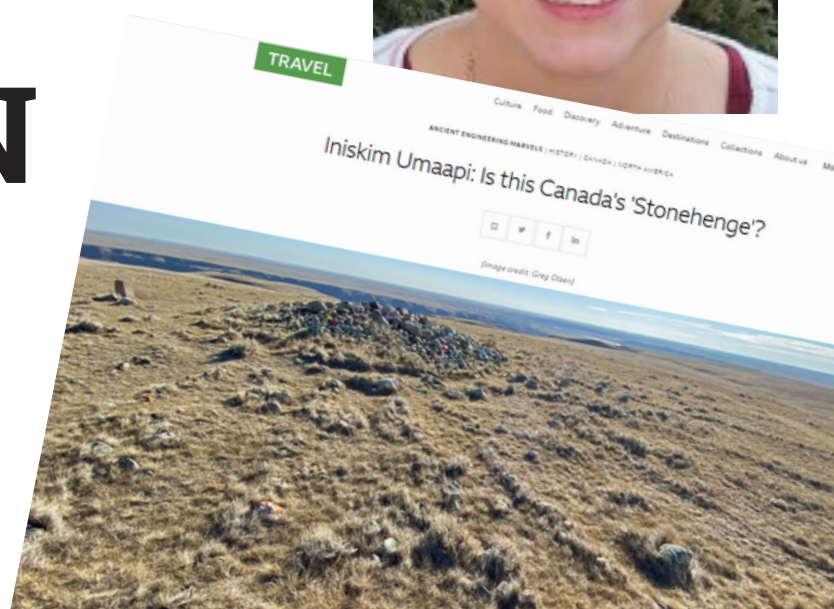
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Best Spirit of Canada Story 1st Place

INISKIM UMAAPI: IS THIS CANADA'S 'STONEHENGE'? (BBC TRAVEL)

DEBBIE OLSEN





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Best Travel Book



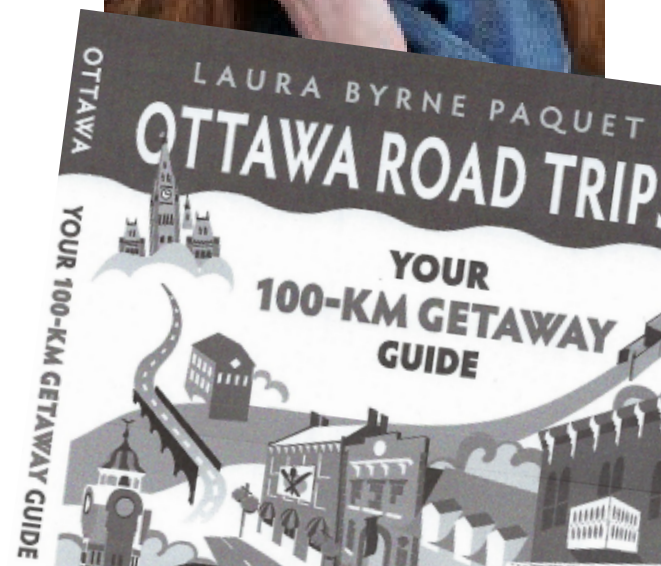
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Best Travel Book Honourable Mention

OTTAWA ROAD TRIPS: YOUR 100-KM GETAWAY GUIDE

LAURA PAQUET



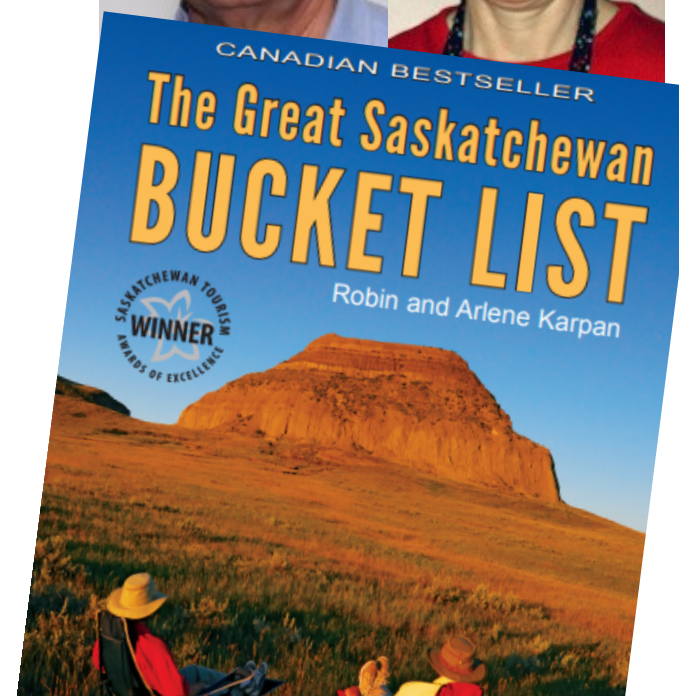
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Best Travel Book Honourable Mention

THE GREAT SASKATCHEWAN BUCKET LIST

ROBIN & ARLENE KARPAN



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Best Travel Book
3rd Place

**VOYAGES DE RÊVE EN TRAIN -
50 ITINÉRAIRES AUTOUR DU MONDE**

**MARIE-JULIE
GAGNON**



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Best Travel Book
2nd Place

**LE NOUVEAU BRUNSWICK
EN CAMPING**

**MARIE-FRANCE
BORNAIS**



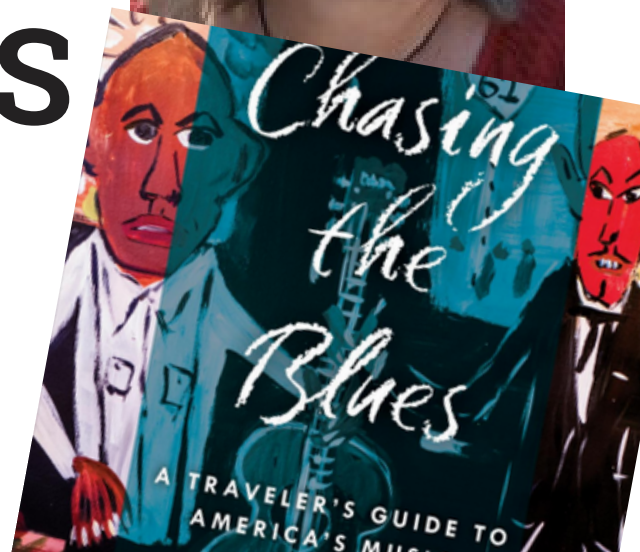
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**Best Travel Book
1st Place**

**CHASING THE BLUES:
A TRAVELER'S GUIDE
TO AMERICA'S MUSIC**

JOSEPHINE MATYAS





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Best Travel Website



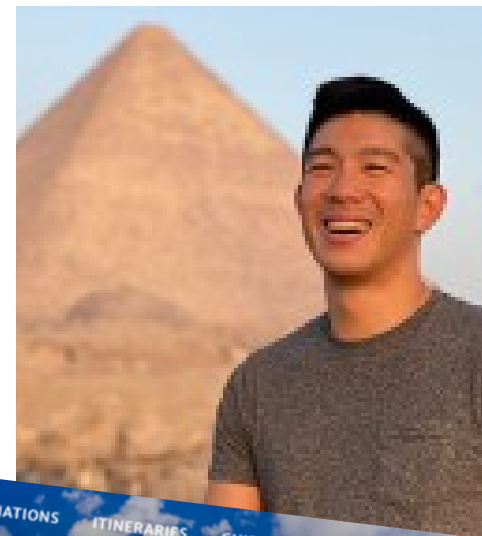
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Best Travel Website
Honourable Mention

GOING AWESOME PLACES

WILL TANG



LE QUÉBEC MARITIME

Bas-Saint-Laurent, Gaspésie,
Côte-Nord, Îles de la Madeleine

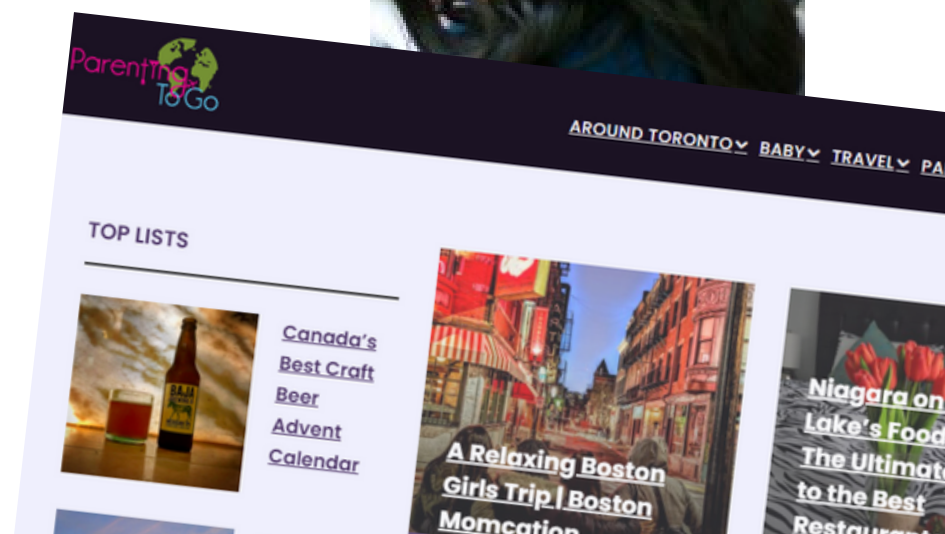
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Best Travel Website Honourable Mention

PARENTING TO GO

YASHY MURPHY



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3rd Place

TASTE REPORT

CINDA CHAVICH

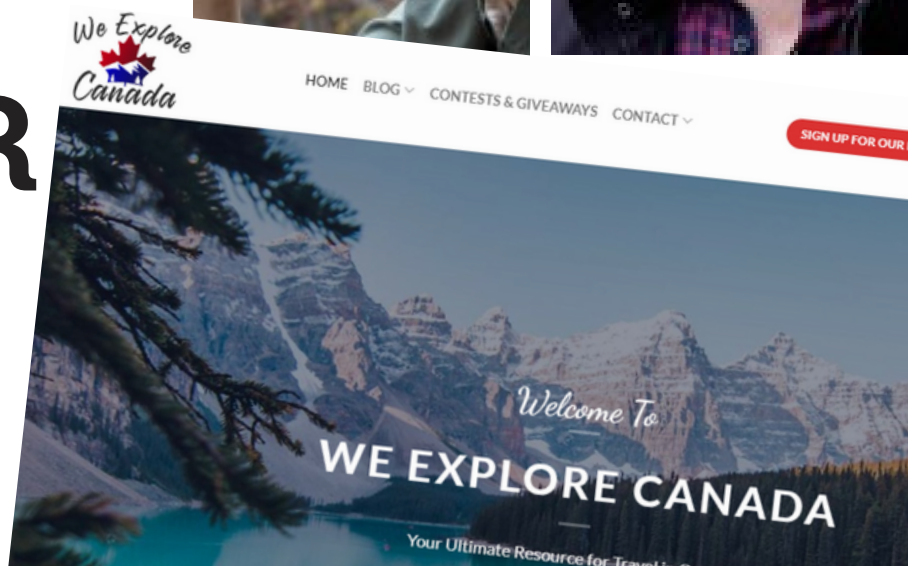


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2nd Place

WE EXPLORE CANADA
CHRISTOPHER
MITCHELL
& KEVIN WAGAR



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Best Travel Website
1st Place

URBAN GUIDE QUEBEC

PAMELA

MACNAUGHTAN





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Ann Britton Campbell Award



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Ann Britton Campbell Memorial Award FINALIST

**BITTERSWEET IN BANFF
(A GELATO A DAY)**

**CLAUDIA
LAROYE**



Bittersweet in Banff

My father doesn't like chocolate.

Despite the fact that he married my mother, who is Swiss, and raised children, I don't recall my dad eating chocolate desserts, and certainly not a chocolate bar. As a candy-loving child, with the cavities to prove it, there was one less person to compete for the sweet stash of Toblerone we would bring home from our summer holidays in Switzerland.

It isn't the taste or texture of chocolate that my dad finds distasteful, but the consequence of paying for my extra...

Campbell Family

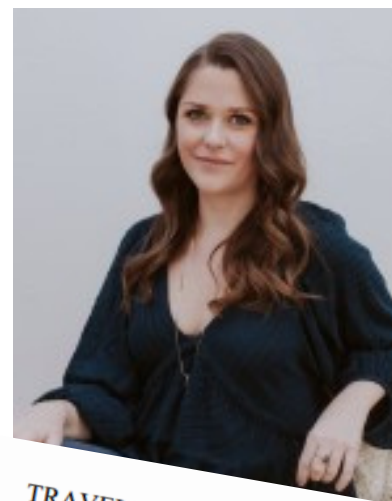
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Ann Britton Campbell Memorial Award FINALIST

**TRAVELS WITH DORIS
(A GELATO A DAY)**

**JESSICA
LOCKHART**



TRAVELS WITH DORIS
Jessica Wynne Lockhart

We would go north, it was decided.

It's a warm July morning when we finish loading up the Pleasure-Wagon. A small recreational vehicle about the size of a cargo van, it holds everything we'll need for two weeks on the road: a queen-sized bed, barbecue, and library books crammed into every spare storage space. The plan is to drive from my hometown in northeastern Alberta, Colorado, up towards Yellowknife, in the Northwest Territories.

My dad stands in the driveway, watching us. His nervousness is palpable. It's been years since he was left alone in the house for this long. Hands shaking, he asks me, for the third time, if I know how to use the navigation system. I nod, trying to ignore the lump in my throat and his breath.

Campbell Family

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**AUTISM-FRIENDLY
DESTINATIONS ABOUND
(TORONTO STAR)**

LISA KADANE



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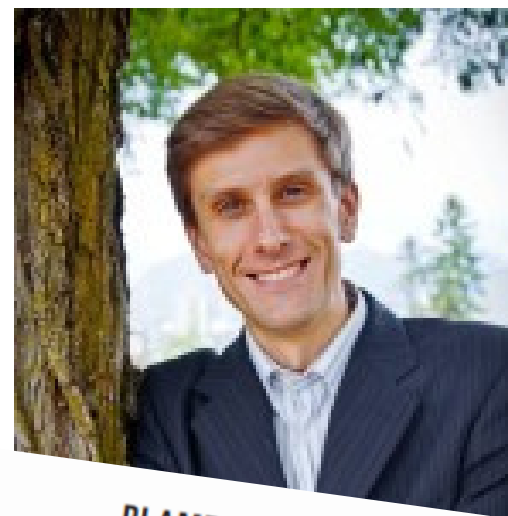
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Ann Britton Campbell Memorial Award FINALIST

**BLAME IT ON THE BEARS
(A GELATO A DAY)**

**LUCAS
AYKROYD**



BLAME IT ON THE BEARS

Lucas Aykroyd

“Look at the bear playing hockey!” I exclaimed, pointing at the colourful banner outside the Leningrad Ice Circus. a 10-year-old Canadian boy, this cartoon, depicting a relative the 1980 Moscow Olympic mascot Misha with a hockey stick and skates, really had it all.

“That’s funny!” my dad said. My mom and my six-year-old sister Clarissa chuckled too. Our tour was over and we were walking in dark woods.

Campbell Family

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Ann Britton Campbell Memorial Award WINNER

DUSTING OFF MY MEMORIES (JOURNAL)

JAMES ROSS



JOURNAL
BY JAMIE ROSS

DUSTING OFF MY MEMORIES

*A father and daughter reconnect
on a Banff backcountry horse trip*

Apparently, time travel is possible. A cowboy sits on a hewn log chair with a guitar cradled in his arms. He strums and sings. His yodelling and sad country ballads are offered out to a starry mountain bonfire join in—as do several of the pack mules, hanging their huge heads over the corral rails and braying comically like backup chorus singers. It is a fitting way to spend our evening after a long day in the saddle. Brian Holm is a horse wrangler and guitar-picker working for Banff Trail Riders. He joined our group



LOCATED
TRADITIONAL
THE KANAI (BUN
OLACKHOTS, PEK
TODU T'WA, AND
NAKHO (BATS)
CHONKEI, BESI
BEARSPHAR PE

Campbell Family



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Nathan Fong Award

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Nathan Fong Memorial Award Honourable Mention

SRI LANKAN MANI PITTU RECIPE (PARENTING TO GO)

YASHY MURPHY



Sri Lankan Mani Pittu Recipe

YASHY

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One of my favourite Sri Lankan recipes is Mani Pittu and it's what I request every time
mind you, so it's getting even harder for her to make the Mani Pittu recipe for
kitchen and actually took notes on how to make it
thought I'd share this



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Nathan Fong Memorial Award Honourable Mention

DIG INTO RICHMOND, BC'S STELLAR ASIAN FOOD SCENE (TRAVEL LIFE)

DIANA BALLON



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Nathan Fong Memorial Award 3rd Place

BUSINESS OWNER CAROL LEE'S GUIDE TO VANCOUVER'S CHINATOWN (VIATOR)

DIANE SELKIRK



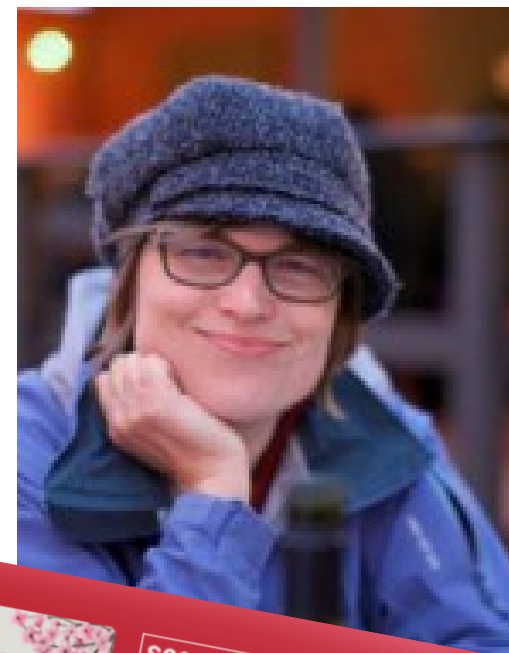
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Nathan Fong Memorial Award 2nd Place

**MOCHI COOKING CLASS
(CULTURE TRAVELS PODCAST)**

ERICA HARGREAVE



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Nathan Fong Memorial Award 1st Place

BEHIND THE STORIES AT THE CHINATOWN STORYTELLING CENTRE (MONTE CRISTO MAGAZINE)

CAROLYN HELLER



MONTECRISTO
MAGAZINE

Behind the Stories at the Chinatown
Storytelling Centre

STORY: Carolyn B. Heller





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People's Choice Photo of the Year



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People's Choice Photo of the Year Honourable Mention



**TAMARA
ELLIOTT**



LEOPARD AMONG THE TREES IN SOUTH AFRICA



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People's Choice Photo of the Year Honourable Mention



FORAGING IN THE CITY (VANCOUVER)

AMY ROSEN



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People's Choice Photo of the Year 3rd Place



**KEVIN
WAGER**



TEA TIME IN THE ATLAS MOUNTAINS, MOROCCO



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People's Choice Photo of the Year 2nd Place



AN UNLIKELY FRIENDSHIP

**MAX
ST JOHN**



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People's Choice Photo of the Year 2nd Place



FIRE IN THE SKY

**ROBIN
KARPAN**



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People's Choice Photo of the Year 1st Place



GHOSTS OF PRAIRIES PAST

**JANE
CANAPINI**





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**2022
TMAC
Conference
Host
Award**



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2022 TMAC Conference Host Honourable Mention

**DISCOVER THE INCREDIBLE
FLAVOURS OF SOUTHWEST
NOVA SCOTIA
(BIGDADDYKREATIV)**

CRAIG SILVA



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2022 TMAC Conference Host Honourable Mention

10 CAN'T MISS NOVA SCOTIA LIGHTHOUSES IN THE SOUTHWEST (GOINGAWESOMEPLACES)

WILL TANG



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2022 TMAC Conference Host Winner

**TROUT POINT LODGE
IS WILDLY PEACEFUL
(MONTREAL GAZETTE)**

JODY ROBBINS



Montreal Gazette
TROUT POINT LODGE IS WILDLY PEACEFUL
Stargazers' paradise is refreshing and restorative
Recreation
23 Jul 2022 [+7 more](#) JODY ROBBINS

"If you can't find the blister with your eyes, just run your hand along the bark," recommends my forest guide, Naomi Nixon, as I step up to a towering balsam fir. Sure enough, within seconds my sense of touch detects what my eyes can't.

I'm thrilled at the prospect of a few scratch-free hours. I'll apply the sap to the redwood by an inconsiderate mosquito.





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**Volunteer
of the Year**

**YASHY
MURPHY**





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**Industry
Member
of the Year**

**TRACY
FORD**

