

Based in Ottawa, Canada

Work Experience

2003 – Present Freelance Photographer

Reuters, Getty Images, Canadian Press, National Review of Medicine, The Globe and Mail, CanWest Newsgroup, Osprey Media Group, Winnipeg Free Press, Volleyball Canada Magazine, C-ing Magazine, Trinidad Guardian

- Provided news worthy and quality images on deadline
- Prepared pre-press and final touch ups on images

2005 - 2007 Staff Photographer | Brandon Sun - Brandon, Manitoba, Canada

- Shoot news, feature, sports and long term projects at this Canadian Daily as part of a 3 photographer staff
- Covered the Grey Cup, 2006 Federal Election, and Western Hockey League action.

2006 Freelance Photographer | Winter Olympic Games, Turin, Italy

- Covered a wide range of events for a number of major Canadian dailies & wire services/agencies in Canada & the UK
- I was a fully accredited photographer and contracted myself to various media outlets

2005 Photography Intern – Summer | The London Free Press - London, Ontario, Canada

- Shot news, feature and sports assignments at this Canadian Daily as part of a 7 photographer staff
- Covered the Memorial Cup
- Trained and worked the picture desk, which included preparing all images for press

2005 Photography Intern - Spring | Winnipeg Free Press - Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada

- Shot news, feature and sports assignments at this Major Canadian Daily as part of a 9 photographer staff
- Covered the Juno Awards, as well as American Hockey League and Western Hockey League playoffs

2004 Freelance Photographer | Summer Olympic Games - Athens, Greece

- Shot 12 events over 16 days for 11 publications across North and Central America
- I was a fully accredited photographer and contracted myself to various media outlets

2004 Photography Intern | Canadian Press - Toronto, Ontario, Canada

- Shot news assignments including the 2004 Federal Election
- Became familiar with the daily routine of Canada's national wire service

2003 Photographer | World Scout Jamboree - Sattahip, Thailand (30,000 participants)

- Shot for the major English speaking paper in Thailand, The Bangkok Post and for the World Scout Association's archive

Education

2002 – 2005 Loyalist College, Photojournalism Diploma – Belleville, Ontario, Canada

Awards & Recognition

2007

- SportsShooter Monthly Clip Contest, June: Third Place - Sports Action
- Eddie Adams Workshop: Epson Performance Award

2006

- Second place – National Photographers Association of Canada's Picture of the Year, sports action category
- Honourable Mention – National Photographers Association of Canada's Picture of the Year, sports feature category
- Nominated – National Magazine Awards, photojournalism and photo essay category
- Third place – Western Canadian News Photographers Association's Photographer of the Year competition

2005

- Third place - Western Canadian News Photographers Association's Picture of the Year competition, picture story category
- Top 25 - Both the Western and Eastern Canadian News Photographers Association's Photographer of the Year competition, (relocated half way through the year)

2004

- Photographer of the Year, Loyalist College
- Best Student Photography - Ontario Community Newspapers Association

Exhibitions

2007

- The Thousand Words of Photojournalism - The Canadian Commission for UNESCO (United Nations Educational, Scientific & Cultural Organization) – Annual General Meeting – Westin Hotel – Ottawa, Canada
- The Verge Gallery – Brandon, Canada

References

Barry Gray | Photography Editor | CanWest News Service - **613.668.5534**

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Dave Langford | Photography Editor | The London Free Press - **519.694.8890**