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Kathryn Minard, ISA CAPP, is a Certified Appraiser of Personal Property with a specialty in fine art, Chair of the Designation and Review Committee and former Canadian instructor in Appraisal Studies with the International Society of Appraisers. A CAPP is the highest professional designation conferred by the ISA. An appraiser attains a CAPP by completing an extensive program emphasizing legal, ethical and theoretical aspects of appraising and entails the peer review of appraisal reports, approved professional development activities and a comprehensive examination. Ms. Minard's qualifications meet the Personal Property Appraiser Qualifications Criteria established by the Appraiser Qualifications Board of The Appraisal Foundation.

Education

York University, Toronto, ON Canada - BA – Specialized Honours - Art History, 1975

International Society of Appraisers: Certificate of Requalification, 2016-2022; Certified Appraiser of Personal Property Designation, 2009; Fine Art Speciality Course 204, 1998; Personal Property Program, Canadian Core Course, Toronto, 1996; American Society of Appraisers, Personal Property Appraising 101-104, 1993-1995

Uniform Standards of Professional Appraisal Practice (USPAP) 15-hour Course, Appraisers Association of American, January 2010; Biannual 7-hour USPAP Personal Property Updates, International Society of Appraisers, 2012-2020. Biannual 7-hour USPAP Personal Property Updates, Canadian Chapter of the ISA, 2020-2022.

Art Advisory.com / Contemporary Fine Art Services Inc.

Art Advisory.com is the operating name of Contemporary Fine Art Services Inc., a firm founded in 1981 by Kathryn Minard. Art Advisory.com provides fine art appraising, consulting and collection management services. Appraisal services include reports for insurance coverage, damage and loss claims, charitable or cultural property donation, estate planning and division of assets, purchase or sales advice, determination of estate tax or capital gains tax, bankruptcy, divorce or partnership dissolution and expert witness and litigation support.

The firm advises clients on the acquisitions or sale of fine art and provides collection management. Our services include inventory, cataloguing, conservation, restoration, framing and installation. Clients include private and corporate collectors, financial institutions, government, public galleries and museums, registered charities and law firms.

International Society of Appraisers

In 2020, Kathryn Minard was appointed Chair of the Designation and Review Committee of the International Society of Appraisers.

From 2010 to 2016, Kathryn was an instructor with the International Society of Appraisers. She taught the Core Course in Appraisal Studies, both On-Site Courses and through the Distance Education Program, and teaching the Canadian Requalification Course.

Curator Asset Management Inc.

From 2006 to 2011, Kathryn Minard, in partnership with Waddington's Auctioneers & Appraisers, provided appraisal services, fine art research and collection management through Curator Asset Management Inc.

Association Memberships

International Society of Appraisers, Chicago, Illinois: Certified Appraiser of Personal Property – Fine Art Division, 2009; Canadian Chapter President 2008-2013 & Past Regional Representative for 1997-1999; The Arts & Letters Club of Toronto, Professional Member since 2009

Appointments / Volunteer Work

Chair of the Designation and Review Committee of the International Society of Appraisers, 2020

Textile Museum of Canada, Board of Trustees, 2011-2017; Chair of the Collections & Acquisitions Committee, 2015-2017

McMichael Canadian Art Collection, Art Advisory Committee, 2013-2016

Professional Member, Curatorial Circle, The Arts & Letters Club of Toronto, 2010-2021

ArtWorks for Cancer Foundation, Member at Large, 2017-2018

Special Advisor to the Canadian Cultural Property Export Review Board, 2001-2005

Awards

International Society of Appraisers: Service Award 2015-2016 Designation & Review Committee; Service Award, 2015; Lamp of Knowledge Award, 2013; Distinguished Service Award, 2010; Award of Excellence, 2000; Distinguished Service Award, 1999 as a member of the ISA Distance Education Design Team for the ISA Distance Education Course in Appraisal Studies

Related Experience & Activities

Provenance Research, Three-Part Series, Association of Art Museum Curators, June 2020

Appraiser's Back in Action Web Conference & Appraising in the New Normal: Today & Tomorrow, National Appraisal Consultants – April & June 2020

Appraising in the World of High-Net-Worth Individuals: Developing Skills, Relationships and Assignments sponsored by UBS Financial Services, International Society of Appraisers, July 13-14, 2018

Wine Online: Introduction to Wine Appraising, Appraisers Association of America, January – February 2018

Art of Collecting, Speaker Series panel participant with Gary Wyatt and Stephen Ranger, McMichael Canadian Art Collection, October 17, 2015

Investigating & Prosecuting the Illicit Trafficking of Cultural Property, Symposium sponsored by the Art Gallery of Ontario and the Consulate General and Department of Homeland Security of the United States, Sept. 23-24, 2015

Summit of the Americas, 2014 Conference, Royal Institute of Chartered Surveyors, Toronto

Look Here Upon This Picture, A Symposium on the Sanders Portrait of Shakespeare, Panel Participant, Presented by Guelph University, November 2013

Accurate Valuations & Risk Management, Presenter, sponsored by CHUBB Insurance, June 2013

Protecting Your Art, Presenter on Insuring Art Assets, Art Gallery of Hamilton, January 2013

Art as an Investment, Panel participant, Art Gallery of Ontario Rental & Sales Service, October 2012

Symposium on Criminality in the Art and Cultural Property World, Presenter on Risk Management, Osgoode Hall, Donald Lamont Learning Centre, Toronto, June 2012

Appraisals for the Canadian Cultural Property Export Review Board, Canadian Chapter of the International Society of Appraisers, Presenter, The Arts & Letters Club of Toronto, January 2012

Gifts in Kind: Protect Your Charity through Accurate Valuations, Charity Law Information Program Conference, Presenter, Toronto, February 2012

Protecting Artifacts through Accurate Valuation, Canadian Museums Association, 65th Annual Conference, Presenter, Gatineau, Quebec 2012 & 64th Annual Conference, Presenter, London, Ontario, April 2011

Seminar on Canadian specific issues in appraisal studies, Canadian Chapter of the International Society of Appraisers, Presenter, Toronto, March 2011

International Society of Appraisers Annual International Conferences: Assets 2019, Louisville, KY; Assets 2016, Fort Worth, TX; Assets 2014, Kansas City, MO; Assets 2012, Tempe, AZ; Assets 2011 Nashville, TN; Valuation Challenges, Panel participant; Assets 2010 Toronto, ON; Program Co-Chair

Appraisers Association of America Annual National Conference: 2008 Changing Time: Changing Markets, New York, NY; 2007 Conference on Valuation & Condition, New York, NY