

## 'Fireside' Artist talks in Carp

West Carleton Arts Society Members free, Guests \$5

Wednesday March 19, 2014 7:00 pm

St Paul's United Church, 3760 Carp Road

parking and entrance at the back

### Roy Whiddon, Figure Photography

Working in high tech and consulting, I took up drawing, painting and photography to provide a creative balance to my technical career. One of my favourite endeavours has always been life drawing, and in 2008 I began to photograph the nude figure as well as drawing it. This has since become my primary focus in the visual arts, although I continue to practice life drawing as well. My main objective in photography is to portray the beauty, grace, strength and/or vulnerability of the human form.

Some of my photographs are created in the studio, while at other times I may photograph the figure in settings ranging from nature to abandoned factories. I like to experiment, and I find that figure photography offers a unique mix of artistic, technical and interpersonal challenges to spark my creativity.

Since 2009, my photographs have been exhibited in five solo shows and more than 20 juried or curated group shows, winning a number of awards.

Examples of my work can be seen at:

[www.rwphotoart.com](http://www.rwphotoart.com)

[www.modelsociety.com/Photographer/Roy-Whiddon-\(RW-Photo-Art\)](http://www.modelsociety.com/Photographer/Roy-Whiddon-(RW-Photo-Art))

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