

Martha Radice

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An anthropologist who studies the social, spatial and cultural dynamics of cities.

Biography

Martha Radice is a social anthropologist whose work focuses on the social, spatial and cultural dynamics of cities. She has investigated social relations, especially interethnic relations, and the production of space in multiethnic commercial streets in Montréal. Her ongoing areas of interest are urban anthropology, public space, public art and public culture, multiculturalism and cosmopolitanism, and ethnographic methods. She is also experienced in applied research, having evaluated social inclusion in high schools and police-community relations in the UK and looked at public libraries as public space in Canada. Dr. Radice worked with Solomon Nagler and Kim Morgan at NSCAD University on an interdisciplinary research-creation project, *Tracing the City: Interventions of Art in Public Space*, which explored how art can shape the urban public and, conversely, how the urban public can shape artistic production. She currently works with Jill Grant and Howard Ramos on the Halifax team of the Canada-wide Neighbourhood Change Research Project. During her sabbatical in winter 2016, she was Visiting Associate Professor in the Department of Geography and Anthropology at Louisiana State University, where she began new research into carnival culture in New Orleans. Dr. Radice is editor-in-chief of the *Journal for Undergraduate Ethnography* and President-Elect of the Canadian Anthropology Society. She can provide copies of most of her publications by email.

Areas of Expertise

Urban Studies, Études urbaines, Public Space, Espace public, Multiculturalism and cosmopolitanism, Multiculturalisme & cosmopolitisme, Public culture, Culture publique, Neighbourhoods, Quartiers, Urban anthropology, Anthropologie urbaine, Public Art, Art public

Education

Institut national de la recherche scientifique - Urbanisation Culture Société

PhD Urban studies / Études urbaines

Université Laval

M.A. Anthropologie / Anthropology

Accomplishments

President-Elect, Canadian Anthropology Society/Société canadienne d'anthropologie

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Burgess Research Award

Teaching release, awarded on a competitive basis to provide extra time for research. Awarded Fall 2013, taken up Winter 2015.

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