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PARKS CANADA PHOTOGRAPHER-IN-RESIDENCE UNVEILS EXHIBITION OF ROUGE PARK LANDSCAPES



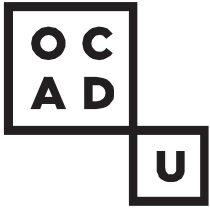
Margaret Cornell Kirk. Image Courtesy of the Artist.

Footprints of the Rouge depicts the important connections experienced during Margaret Cornell Kirk's time as Photographer-in-Residence at **Rouge National Urban Park**. Margaret is a recent graduate of OCAD University and the recipient of the 2019 [Parks Canada Career Launcher](#).

This series of images capture the connections we develop towards nature, with each other and with ourselves, which are inspired by the natural, cultural and agricultural history of the area.

The exhibition will be on view at the Ada Slight Gallery (room 225, 100 McCaul Street, OCAD University) from December 3rd to 7th.

As part of the Centre for Emerging Artists & Designers, the Career Development office supports the professional development of emerging OCAD U creative talent. The **Career Launchers** program offers unique, high-profile opportunities developed in partnership



with industry leaders in order to help senior students and new graduates start their professional practice after school.

A rich assembly of natural, cultural and agricultural landscapes, **Rouge National Urban Park** is home to amazing biodiversity, some of the last remaining working farms in the Greater Toronto Area, Carolinian ecosystems, Toronto's only campground, one of the region's largest marshes, unspoiled beaches, amazing hiking opportunities, and human history dating back over 10,000 years, including some of Canada's oldest known Indigenous sites.

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