# EMANUEL LOWI

Montréal, Québec Canada

# PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**Part-time Faculty Concordia University** Montréal, Québec 2017-current

* Teaching undergraduates in the First Peoples Studies program, in the School of Community and Public Affairs, in the Department of Geography, Planning, Environment, in the Department of Sociology and Anthropology, in the Department of History, in the Faculty of Fine Arts and in the Journalism program at Concordia Continuing Education.

**Teacher Nunavik Sivunitsavut** Montréal, Québec 2020-current

* Teaching writing, journalism, literature and contemporary issues to Inuit students at John Abbott College.

**Pedagogical Counsellor Kativik Ilisarniliriniq** Montréal, Québec 2020-current

* Advising Inuit CEGEP students on their path to university, under the auspices of the Kativik School Board.

**Coordinator Projets Autochtones du Qu**é**bec** Montréal, Québec 2021-2022

* Coordinating the Life Skills and Confidence Building Program for a non-profit community organization with the mission of providing shelter and culturally adapted social reinsertion services to First Nations, Inuit, and Métis people who are homeless or in situations of difficulty or at-risk.

# Communications Officer Fédération des coopératives du Nouveau-Québec Montréal, Québec 2015-2016

* Manager of media and public relations for the FCNQ (Ilagiisaq). Editor of all corporate publications.

**Freelance Journalist** Montréal, Québec 1992 – 2015

* Researched and wrote articles published in numerous media outlets (publications listed below).

**Television News Correspondent APTN National News** Montréal, Québec 2003

* Established the Aboriginal Peoples Television Network’s Quebec bureau, covering all of Indigenous Quebec.

**Photojournalist Black Star** New York, NY 1993 – 2003

* Photographed international assignments for the prestigious news agency.

**Executive Editor Doctor’s Review** Montréal, Québec 2001 – 2002

* Coordinated a team of editors, writers and designers at a top-ranked national trade magazine.

**Writer-Broadcaster CBC/Radio-Canada** Montréal, Québec 1992 – 2002

* Produced live and taped news, current affairs and documentary reports (broadcasts listed below). Call screener on *Cross Country Checkup* with Rex Murphy.

**Editor Haaretz** Tel Aviv, Israel 2001

* Edited and wrote daily news and features at the English-language edition of the daily newspaper.

**Communications Officer National Aboriginal Health Organization** Ottawa, Ontario 2000-2001

* Manager of media and public relations for NAHO’s Ajunnginiq Centre, responsible for Inuit health issues.

**Research Associate Reader's Digest** Montréal, Québec 1994 – 1998

* Researched and edited articles published in the international magazine.

**Story Assistant National Geographic** Washington, D.C. 1992 – 1994

* Guided photographer and writer on assignment. Fact-checked texts for the magazine’s Research Department.

**Information Officer Makivik Corporation** Inukjuak, Québec 1987 – 1991

* Editor-in-Chief of *Makivik News* magazine and trilingual annual reports (Inuktitut, English, French).
* Coordinated strategic media outreach and public relations for the Nunavik Inuit rights organization.
* Developed and implemented new technologies for electronic publishing in Inuktitut.
* Photographed extensively across the Arctic.

# LANGUAGES

* English, French, Hebrew, Arabic, Inuktitut.

# UNIVERSITY DEGREES

**PhD (Individualized) Concordia University** Montréal, Québec

* In-progress, as of January 2020.
* Supervisory committee comprised of Heather Igloliorte, Sandra Gabriele, Mark Watson.

**M.S. Journalism Columbia University** New York, NY

* Studied print and broadcast journalism and photojournalism.
* Worked as a student journalist at the United Nations.
* Completed a Master’s Project (thesis) in long-form journalism requiring 6 months of research and writing.

**Diploma in Education McGill University** Montréal, Québec

* Studied teaching secondary level English and social studies.
* Completed two required *stages* at Quebéc high schools, one an Inuit school in Nunavik.
* Holder of valid Quebec “Brevet d’enseignement.”

**B.A. English/Politics Brandeis University** Waltham, Massachusetts

* Double-major in English Writing and Politics
* Extensive involvement in university theatre, campus radio and student newspaper.
* Wrote a book of poetry entitled *Dreaming of Kanata.*
* Studied Middle East politics at Tel Aviv University during Junior Year (3rd year).

# HONOURS

* Conference Speaker, 21st Inuit Studies Conference, Montréal, Québec, October 2019
* Winner, Russell I. Elman Award for the most deserving Canadian journalism student at Columbia University.
* Winner, Government of Sweden journalism fellowship, used to study Indigenous Saami politics in Sweden.
* Winner, Michener Award for Journalism, given to *Le Devoir* for “*À l'heure du choix*” (contributor).
* Nominated, The National Magazine Awards (Canada), Best Cover Photograph.

# PUBLICATIONS

*Le Monde Diplomatique Le Devoir*

*Auf Einen Blick Asiaweek Haaretz Jerusalem Report Reader’s Digest Family Circle Wine Spectator Chatelaine*

*Canadian Geographic*

*Equinox*

*The Globe and Mail National Post Ottawa Citizen Vancouver Sun Regina Leader-Post Winnipeg Free Press The Gazette*

*The Mirror Nunatsiaq News Windspeaker Tumivut Inuktitut*

*Above & Beyond Now*

Canadian Press and Canwest wire services

Numerous poetry journals and publications including *Sounds New* (Peter Van Toorn, editor, 1993)

# BROADCASTING (Radio, television, film)

Sunday Morning Morningside This Morning Ideas

Cross Country Checkup Now the Details

CBC News Montreal at 6 Daybreak

Radio Noon Quebec AM Open House Commentary Infotape

Radio-Canada RDI Matin Weekend Boréal Hebdo

Wapikoni Mobile

# VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

**Projets Autochtones du Québec Member, Volunteer** Montréal, Québec 2010 – Present

* Working in an aboriginal homeless shelter. Member of the organization.

**Dans la Rue Outreach Worker, Volunteer** Montréal, Québec 2011 – Present

* Feeding, clothing, counselling and advocating for marginalized youth on the streets.

**Y Cycle for Special Needs Participant Rider** Montréal, Québec 2007 –- Present

* Fundraising through cycling, for the Special Needs Program at the Snowdon Y.

**Prajna Upadesa Foundation Photographer** Boston, Massachusetts 2005 – Present

* Personal photographer to the 14th Dalai Lama of Tibet at specific public events.