## **NICOLE DEXTRAS**

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Nicole Dextras is an award-winning environmental artist working in a multitude of media, having created art installations in Germany, Mongolia, Toronto, Montreal, Vancouver, Dawson City | YT, Bellevue | WA and Los Angeles | CA. She is also a graduate of the Emily Carr University of Art in Vancouver, BC Canada, where she was a sessional teacher from 2003 to 2013.

Recent projects include the *Landesgarten* Show in Germany, the *Eco Art Fest* in Toronto, *WinterJourney* art residency in Banff and *Ego-Eco* at the Begovich Gallery in California. Publications of note are Art and Ecology Now (Thames & Hudson, UK 2014) Oikonomia, (Fabula in Art, Italy 2013), Creaticity, (Kognitif, Barcelona, Spain 2013). Dextras has been awarded both provincial and federal art grants and was a recipient of Environmental Artist Award in 2013 by the Art of Healing Network, USA. She is also a founding member of the Art Is Land Network, the BC Book Arts Guild and the Granville Island Artists Association. She works out of her studio on Granville Island in Vancouver, BC Canada.