

# Mary Breunig

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Mary Breunig is an expert in experiential education and social justice pedagogy, an educational consultant, and professor

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## Biography

Mary Breunig PhD has been involved in outdoor and experiential education with a focus on social and environmental justice for 20 + years. She is an Associate Professor in the Department of Recreation and Leisure Studies and Graduate Program Director of the Social Justice and Equity Studies program, Brock University, Canada. Mary is past-president of the Association for Experiential Education, a research consultant, former Outward Bound instructor, and National Outdoor Leadership School instructor. She is both an outdoor enthusiast and urban flaneur. Visit her website @ [marybreunig.com](http://marybreunig.com)

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## Industry Expertise

Education/Learning, Professional Training and Coaching, Research

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## Areas of Expertise

Environmental Education, Experiential Education, Pedagogy, Qualitative Research Methods, Social Justice, Schoolground Greening, Outdoor Education, Outdoor Leadership, Freiran Praxis, Educational Philosophy, John Dewey, Critical pedagogy

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## Event Appearances

**Experiential Education- Experience it !**

University of North Troendelag

**Canoes and Waterways: Paddling the Canadian landscape**

Transcultural European Outdoor Studies Program

**(en)Lighten Up? : Humour in the Workplace**

Keynote Address for Biennial Meeting of the Burlington, Ontario Parks and Recreation Department

**Counterhegemonic Teaching and Leadership as a Form of Social Activism**

4th Annual Rebecca L. Carver Institute on Experiential Education

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## Education

**Canada**  
PhD in Education

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## **Accomplishments**

**Dr.**  
Graduate Program Director, Social Justice and Equity Studies and Associate Professor, Recreation and Leisure Studies, Brock University, Canada.

Past-Present, Association for Experiential Education

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