

## **Cara Waterfall**

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### **AWARDS**

**2017:** Longlisted for Room Magazine's annual Poetry Contest and shortlisted for *PULP Literature's* The Magpie Award for Poetry Contest

**2016:** Shortlisted for *Freefall Magazine's* 2016 Annual Poetry Contest

**2012:** Awarded a grant to produce two long-form features on Côte d'Ivoire by Glimpse, a nonprofit supported by the National Geographic Society. Published on [Matadornetwork.com](http://Matadornetwork.com), the world's largest independent travel magazine, which receives 13M+ unique visitors each month.

### **SELECTED PORTFOLIO**

#### **PRINT**

##### *Poetry*

2017: "Abidjan Aubade", "Fanicos: The Laundrymen of Banco" and "Ode to the peacock" in [emerge 17: The Writer's Studio Anthology](#)

2017: "If only casseroles could scream" (*Oratorealis*; Collaborative poem with Fiona Tinwei Lam, Stephen Berg, Viola Prinz and Emily Olsen; also anthologized in [Sustenance: Writers from BC and Beyond on the Subject of Food](#))

2005: "Icarus" (*The Fiddlehead*)

2014: [Canada Travel: Rustico a romantic corner of Prince Edward Island](#)" (*Toronto Star*)

2011: [Seaton Village lawyer Lucas Lung awarded for work in social justice; Breathing room: A profile of writer Karen Connelly](#) (*The Gleaner*)

#### **ONLINE**

##### *Poetry*

2017: "Tobermory" ([Event Magazine](#))

2005: [Excavation](#) ([paperplates.org](http://paperplates.org))

##### *Nonfiction*

2012: [Rebelles: Ivorian women fight for change; Art as reconciliation in Cote d'Ivoire](#)

2012/2011: [How pregnancy bridges cultural differences; Drawing a map of home; The art of staying in touch; The waiting game](#) (*Today'sparent.com*)

2011: [Imagining Africa: El Anatsui brings his metal tapestries to the ROM; Spirit of the Bluebird: animated tribute to a murdered elder; Against the misogyny, the trafficking of women and children Figment.com mobilizes next generation of writers](#) ([rabble.ca](http://rabble.ca))

### **RELATED EXPERIENCE**

**2012-Present:** Freelance writer

**2016-Present:** Head, Communications & Marketing/Board Member, [Callia](#), Côte d'Ivoire

**2012-2013:** Pregnant Pause Blogger, Today'sparent.com, Rogers Digital Media, Toronto

**2011-2012:** Web Editorial Coordinator, Today'sparent.com, Canadianparents.com; Travel Blogger and Contributor, Sympatico.ca; Toronto

### **EDUCATION**

**2017:** Certificate of Creative Writing: Poetry & Lyric Discourse, The Writer's Studio, SFU

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**2011:** Postgraduate Journalism diploma, London School of Journalism; graduated with Merit

**2010:** TESOL diploma (Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages), University of London

**1999:** B.A. (Honours), English Literature, Queens University, Kingston