

CORKIN GALLERY

LEOPOLD PLOTEK

Born in 1948, Moscow, USSR. Lives and works in Montréal, Canada.

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2021 *What Does The Song Hope For?*, Corkin Gallery, Toronto
- 2018-19 *Throw Away the Lights, the Definitions*, Corkin Gallery, Toronto
- 2017 *No Work, Nor Device, Nor Knowledge, Nor Wisdom: Leopold Plotek, New and Selected Works*, Koffler Art Gallery, Toronto
- 2015 *Workingman's Dead*, McMaster Museum of Art, Hamilton (Catalogue)
- 2013 *CAMPANI*, McClure Art Gallery, Montréal (Catalogue)
- 2012-13 *Hue and Cry*, MacLaren Art Centre, Barrie
- 2012-13 *Workingman's Dead*, MacLaren Art Centre, Barrie (Catalogue)
- 2012 *The Instrument of a Place*, HAN ART CONTEMPORARY, Montréal (Catalogue)
- 2008 *Against Gravity: Leopold Plotek and the Imagery of Height*, HAN ART CONTEMPORARY, Montréal (Catalogue)
- 2006 Galerie Eric Devlin, Montréal
- 2005 Maison de la Culture Cote-des-Neiges, Montréal
- 2004 Galerie Eric Devlin, Montréal
- 2003 Olga Korper Gallery, Toronto
- 2002 Galerie Eric Devlin, Montréal
- 2001 *Oeuvres inédits*, Galerie d'art de la Ville d'Outremont, Montréal
- 2000 Galerie Eric Devlin, Montréal
- 1999 Galerie Eric Devlin, Montréal
- 1999 Olga Korper Gallery, Toronto
- 1997 Olga Korper Gallery, Toronto
- 1995 Olga Korper Gallery, Toronto
- 1993 *Retrospective*, Saidye Bronfman Centre, Montréal
- 1993 Olga Korper Gallery, Toronto
- 1991 Olga Korper Gallery, Toronto
- 1990 *A Five-Year Perspective*, Concordia University Art Galleries, Montréal (Catalogue)
- 1988 Olga Korper Gallery, Toronto
- 1986 Olga Korper Gallery, Toronto
- 1983 Galerie Yajima, Montréal
- 1982 Galerie Yajima, Montréal
- 1981 Galerie Yajima, Montréal
- 1980 Galerie Optica, Montréal
- 1976 Vehicule Art, Montréal

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SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2020 *In Love with Paint*, Corkin Gallery, Toronto
Temporary exhibition, MAC, Montréal
- 2019 Art Toronto Internation Fair, Corkin Gallery Toronto
- 2019 *When the un departs for a new horizon: celebration 40 years of Corkin Gallery*, Corkin Gallery, Toronto
- 2017-2018 *Winged Victory*, Corkin Gallery, Toronto
- 2017-2018 *Pictures for an Exhibition: That's How the Light Gets In*, Musée d'art contemporain, Montréal
- 2015 *Living Building Thinking*, Art Gallery of Alberta, Edmonton
- 2011 *Between the Cracks*, OBORO, Montréal
- 2008-2012 *Toronto International Art Fair*, HAN ART CONTEMPORARY (Montréal)
- 2005 *International Art Fair, Carrousel de Paris*, Eric Devlin (Montréal), Paris
- 2001 *ARTCITE*, Musée d'art contemporain, Montréal
- 1997 Biodome de Montreal, Montréal
- 1995 Musée d'art contemporain, Montréal
- 1989 49th Parallel, New York
- 1988 *Inaugural Exhibition*, National Gallery of Canada, Ottawa
- 1985 Canada House, London
- 1982 Musée d'art contemporain, Montréal
- 1982 Musée des Beaux-Arts, Montréal

SELECTED PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

National Gallery of Canada, Ottawa
Musée d'art contemporain, Montréal
Musée National des Beaux-Arts du Québec, Québec City
The Canada Council, Ottawa
Selected Corporate Collections
Banque Nationale du Canada
Loto-Québec
Rio Tinto Alcan
Sun Life Financial
Capital Vision
Martineau Walker
Cossette Communications
Macmillan Binch
Petrocanada
Nova Corporation
Westburne Industries
Steelcase
Caisse de depot et placement du Québec

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La Peau de l'Ours
Senvest Collection
Joseph Battat Contemporary
Coll. Hydro-Québec
McMaster Museum of Art

SELECTED BIBLIOGRAPHY (REVIEWS, ARTICLES, AND BOOKS)

- 2019 Woodley, E.C., "The Motion of Imagination: Leopold Plotek at the Corkin Gallery." *Vie des Arts*, Spring, p. 73-75
- 2017 Klein, Benjamin, "A Shifting Sort Of Seeming: The Pleasurable Difficulty Of Leopold Plotek.", *Border Crossings*, Issue 143.
- 2009 Woodley, E.C., "Visual Art: Leopold Plotek", *Border Crossings*, Issue 109.
- 2007 Woodley, E.C., "In Review: Leopold Plotek", *Canadian Art*, Volume 24, Number 2.

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Professor, Department of Studio Arts, Concordia University, Montréal

CURATORIAL PRACTICE

- 2017 *CONCEIVED IN COLOUR* (Group Exhibition), McClure Gallery, Montréal

EDUCATION

Slade School of Art, London
Sir George Williams University, Montréal
McGill University, Montréal