



Rick Leong
Curriculum Vitae

Bradley
Ertaskiran

Rick Leong

Né /
Born

Burnaby, CA
1973

Vit et travaille /
Lives and works

Victoria, CA

Formation /
Education

MFA, Concordia University, Montreal, CA
BFA, with Honours, University of Victoria, Victoria, CA

Expositions individuelles /
Solo exhibitions

- 2025 The Night Blooms, Bradley Ertaskiran, Montréal, CA
- 2023 Long Time No See, Bradley Ertaskiran, Montreal, CA
Hard Look Soft Gaze, Art Windsor Essex, Windsor, CA
- 2021 The Desired Path, Arsenal Art Contemporary, New York, US
- 2020 Carmanah, Bradley Ertaskiran, Montréal, CA
- 2019 Swell, Empty Gallery, Victoria, CA
- 2018 The Fourth Pleasure, Parisian Laundry, Montréal, CA
- 2016 El Camino, Parisian Laundry, Montréal, CA
- 2014 Nemophily, Evans Contemporary, Peterborough, CA
Sleepwalking Daydreams, Parisian Laundry, Montréal, CA
- 2013 Two Rivers Gallery, Prince George, CA
- 2012 Sublimation of Self, Anna Leonowens Gallery, Halifax, CA
Hybrid Vigour, Parisian Laundry, Montréal, CA
The Phenomenology of Dusk, Art Gallery of Greater Victoria, Victoria, CA
- 2011 Space and Time, Bibliothèque Côte St-Luc, Montréal, CA
Space & Time, Parisian Laundry, Montréal, CA
- 2010 The Wilderness, McClure Gallery, Montréal, CA
I Am Nature, Parisian Laundry, Montréal, CA
- 2008 Wonderland, Parisian Laundry, Montréal, CA
- 2006 Super Natural, Bourget Gallery, Montréal, CA
- 2005 Nowhere In Particular, Bourget Gallery, Montréal, CA
Monkey Business, Jason Downie Gallery, Montréal, CA
- 2002 Waxing Philosophic, Main Gallery, Victoria, CA

Expositions de groupe /
Group exhibitions

- 2023 Voir la nuit, Musée national des beaux-arts du Québec, Quebec City, CA
Symbiosis, Art Gallery of Greater Victoria, Victoria, CA
- 2022 Men Who Paint Flowers, Mindy Solomon Gallery, Miami, US
Manscaping, The Hole, Los Angeles, US
Giving Entry, NAMARA Projects, Toronto, CA

- 2021 Relations: Diaspora and Painting, Esker Foundation, Calgary, CA
- 2020 Relations: Diaspora and Painting, Fondation Phi, Montreal, CA
This Sacred Vessel (Part 1), ARSENAL contemporary art New York, US
- 2019 Imagining Fusang: Exploring Chinese and Indigenous Encounters, The Art
Gallery of Greater Victoria, Victoria, CA
Terrestrial Beings, Esplanade Arts and Heritage Centre, Medicine Hat, CA
- 2017 Nucleus Gallery, Portland, US
- 2016 The Transformation of Things, Richmond Art Gallery, Richmond, CA
- 2015 Realities Folies, Open Space, Victoria, CA
- 2014 Feral, Pop-Up Exhibition, Victoria, CA
Rewild, Pop-Up Exhibition, Victoria, CA
Summertime in Paris, Parisian Laundry, Montréal, CA
- 2012 Untitled. Miami Art Fair, Miami, US
Summertime In Paris, Drake Lab, Toronto, CA
- 2010 La terre est bleue comme une Orange, Musée des beaux-arts de Montréal,
Montréal, CA
The Third Meaning, RH Gallery, New York, US
L'Anti-Sublime, Maison de la culture du Plateau-Mont Royal, Montréal, CA
Only in Canada, Ottawa School of Art, Ottawa, CA
- 2009 Biennale de Montréal 2009 : Culture libre – Open Culture, Montréal, CA
Appetite for Construction, Drake Hotel, Toronto, CA
- 2008 RBC Canadian Painting Competition, Finalist Exhibition, Touring: National
Gallery of Canada, Ottawa, CA; Musée d'art contemporain de Montréal
Montréal, CA; The Rooms, St. John's, CA; Museum London, London, CA;
Power Plant, Toronto CA, Mendel Art Gallery, Saskatoon, CA; Art Gallery of
Alberta, Edmonton, CA; Contemporary Art Gallery, Vancouver, CA.
- 2007 Otherworld/Collision 3, Parisian Laundry, Montréal, CA
- 2006 Hello Dolly! Spin Gallery, Toronto, CA
The Promise of Structure, FOFA Gallery, Montréal, CA
Décalage, Parisian Laundry, Montréal, CA
- 2003 Self Publish or Perish, Open Space, Victoria, CA
55, Uvic Visual Arts building, graduating exhibition, Victoria, CA
Formulary, Main Gallery, Victoria, CA
Primary, EC4 Gallery, Victoria, CA
- 2002 Farther West, UBC, Vancouver, CA
The Speaker Show, The Brown House, Victoria, CA
New Relics, Main Gallery, Victoria, CA
Device, Main Gallery, Victoria, CA
- 2001 140, EC4 Gallery, Victoria, CA
- 1997 VCCA General Exhibition, Rogue Gallery, Victoria, CA

Collections

Aldo Group
Art Gallery of Greater Victoria
Collection de Prêt d'œuvres d'art, Musée National des beaux-arts du Québec
Collection Claridge
RBC Corporate Art Collection

TD Bank Art Collection
 Collection de la Banque d'art du conseil des arts du Canada
 The Montreal Museum of Fine Arts, Montréal
 Caisse de dépôt et placement du Québec
 Department of Foreign Affairs Canada Collection
 Collection Desjardins
 Senvest

Prix, bourses et distinctions /
 Awards, grants, and distinctions

- 2010 RBC Painting Competition Finalist
- 2009 RBC Painting Competition Finalist
- 2005 British Columbia Arts Council, Senior Award
- 2001 British Columbia Arts Council, Senior Award

Résidences artistiques /
 Residencies

- 2012 NSCAD Artist in Residence, Halifax, CA
- Can Serrat Residence, Barcelona, ES

Revue de presse /
 Selected press & media

- 2023 Priegert, Portia, "Magical Mushrooms," Galleries West, 31 May
- Thoreson, Kristine. "Beauty and Terror," Galleries West, 30 January
- 2021 Robinson, Lissa. "Diaspora and Painting," Galleries West, 9 August
- 2020 Djamalov, Farid. "Rick Leong", Border Crossings, No. 155, November
- "In Conversation: Cedric Bomford, Rick Leong, Michael Andrew Mclean, Hollis Roberts, And Ralph Stanbridge", Field Trip, Art Across Canada
- 2016 Clément, Eric, « Rick Leong : chaleur équatorienne », La Presse, 22 mai
- 2014 Clément, Eric, « Rick Leong à la Parisian Laundry : singularité amortie », La Presse, 11 mai
- 2013 C Magazine, 117, Spring 2013, pgs. 51, 52
- Galleries West Magazine, vol. 11 no. 2, pgs. 40- 44.
- Canadian House and Home, volume 32 number 5, pages 82, 84, 184.
- 2012 Levine, Rachel, "Parisian Laundry presents two new exhibits", Cult Montreal, Sept. 14
- Tousignant, Isa, "Rick Leong & Dean Baldwin Play Nature Against Culture at Parisian Laundry", Canadian Art, October
- 2010 Balzer, David, "Rick Leong: The Wilderness", Canadian Art
- Redgrave, Veronica, "I am Nature", Vie des Arts, no. 218, Spring
- Jordan, Betty Ann, "Rick Leong, The Montreal Painter Revamps Chinese Painting Traditions With Bold Colour and Imagination", Canadian House & Home, May
- "Rick Leong & David Armstrong Six: Take Two," Canadian Art, January
- 2008 Redfern, Christine, "East Meets West", Montreal Mirror, January
- 2003 Victoria News, Weekend Edition. April 18,. B3
- The Ring. April 3. Page 11
- Mind Ad. Issue #6, pages 19, 20. Spring
- 2002 Mind Ad. Issue #4, pages 9-11. Spring