

## Peter Hoffer



Peter Hoffer (b. Brantford, ON, 1965) holds an MFA from Concordia University and degrees from the University of Guelph and the Ontario College of Art. He has lived and worked in Toronto, New York City, Paris and Berlin and is now based in Montreal. The surfaces of Hoffer's paintings are often scarified then finished with layers of resin similar to the practice of the 18th and 19th Parisien Salons.

Not tied to place or time, his paintings are more object d'art than mimetic landscapes. They evoke nostalgia for classical, romantic forms and periods. Hoffer has exhibited widely at art

fairs in Basel, Toronto, New York, Stockholm, London, Milan, Amsterdam and Hong Kong. His paintings are held in many private, corporate and public collections including the Musée des Beaux Arts, the Musée du Québec and Kitchener-Waterloo Art Gallery.

## Exhibitions

- 2023 SURFACES: Real & Imagined, Oeno Gallery, Prince Edward County, ON
- 2023 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration: Summer Group Show, Prince Edward County, ON
- 2023 Conversations, Oeno Gallery, Prince Edward County, ON
- 2022 Creatives-Small Gifts, Big Ideas, Oeno Gallery in The Royal Annex, Picton, ON
- Strong Feelings, Oeno Gallery, Prince Edward County, ON
- Summer Array Group Exhibition, Oeno Gallery, Prince Edward County, ON
- 2021 small spaces BIG IDEAS, Oeno Gallery, Prince Edward County, ON
- 2020 Portraits of Re-Semblance, Oeno Gallery, Prince Edward County, ON
- Small Walls, Big Ideas, Oeno Gallery, Prince Edward County, ON
- 2019 Art Toronto with Oeno Gallery
- Spring Repartee, Oeno Gallery, Prince Edward County, ON
- 2018 Playlist, Oeno Gallery, Prince Edward County, ON
- Art Toronto with Oeno Gallery
- 2017 Galerie de Bellefeuille, Montreal, QC
- 2016 Maerz Contemporary, Berlin, Germany
- Chase Young Gallery, Boston, MA
- Summer at Oeno*, Oeno Gallery, Prince Edward County, ON
- Work by Peter Hoffer, Angel Berlanga, Adam Markovic*, Oeno Gallery, Prince Edward County, ON
- Diehl Gallery, Jackson, WY
- K + Y Gallery, Paris, FR
- Newzones Gallery, Calgary, AB
- When East Meets West*, K + Y Gallery, Paris, FR

- The Collectors Show*, Cube Gallery, Ottawa, ON  
 Odon Wagner Gallery, Toronto, ON
- 2015 Newzones Gallery, Calgary, AB  
*Inside and Outside*, K + Y Gallery, Paris, FR  
*Stargazing*, Oeno Gallery, Prince Edward County, ON  
 Art Mûr, Montreal, QC
- 2014 Chase Young Gallery, Boston, MA  
*From The Ground*, Oeno Gallery, Prince Edward County, ON
- 2013 Newzones Gallery, Calgary, AB, November 28 –January 14  
 Nicolas Metivier Gallery, Toronto, ON. January  
 When the Bough Breaks: Re-imagining the Tree, Oeno Gallery, Prince Edward County, ON  
 Nicolas Metivier Gallery, Toronto, ON
- 2012 Galerie St-Laurent Hill, Ottawa
- 2011 *Stations of the Cross*, Nicolas Metivier Gallery, Toronto, ON
- 2010 *INTERVENTION – Recent Paintings*, Galerie Simon Blais, Montréal, QC
- 2009 Galerie St-Laurent-Hill, Ottawa  
*The Misrepresentation of Fields*, Foster-White Gallery, Seattle, WA  
*The Misrepresentation of Fields*, Galerie Kerstin Blanche, London, UK
- 2008 *Interior Garden*, Galerie Laura Bresteau, Brussels, Belgium  
*L'histoire Naturel*, Galerie Kerstin Blaschke, London, UK  
*Recent Paintings*, Galerie Catherine Bombard, Paris, France  
*L'histoire Naturel*, Galerie Simon Blais, Montréal, QC  
*PROSE*, Nicolas Metivier Gallery, Toronto, ON  
 Studio 21, Halifax, NS  
*Landscapes*, Chase Gallery, Boston, MA  
*New Paintings*, Bau-Xi, Vancouver, BC  
*Divide*, Simon Blais, Montreal, QC
- 2007 *New Paintings*, Mary Bell, Chicago, IL  
*Element*, Nicolas Metivier Gallery, Toronto, ON  
*Stigmata*, Kathryn Markel, New York, NY  
 Stricoff Gallery, New York, NY
- 2006 *Terrain*, Nicolas Metivier, Toronto, ON  
*Common Ground*, Kathryn Markel, New York, NY  
*New Art*, Perry Nicole, Memphis, TN  
*Summertime in Paris*, Parisian Laundry, Montreal, QC
- 2005 Galerie Simon Blais, Montreal, QC  
*Recent Paintings*, Bau-XI Gallery, Toronto, ON  
 Galerie St-Laurent-Hill, Ottawa, ON  
*New Painting*, Parisien Laundry, Montreal, QC
- 2004 *Recent Paintings*, Galerie St-Laurent-Hill., Ottawa, ON  
 Gallery Bau-XI, Vancouver, BC  
*The In Between*, Newzones, Calgary, AB
- 2003 Galerie Art Mûr, Montreal, QC  
 Galerie Simon Blais, Montreal, QC  
*Zones D'Experience*, Musée du Québec, QC
- 2002 *Centre National d'Exposition* de Jonquière, QC  
 Galerie St-Laurent-Hill, Ottawa, ON  
*Invitation Au Voyage*, Maison de la Culture, Montréal, QC
- 2001 *Exposition les Collection Perminante*, Maison des Arts, Laval, QC  
 Teodora Gallery, Toronto, ON

- 1999 *Distance*, Galerie Port-Maurice, Saint-Léonard, QC  
 Galerie Simon Blais, Montréal, QC  
*Convergence International Arts Festival*, Providence, RI  
*Metamorphose*, Salle Alfred-Pellan, Laval, QC
- 1998 *Centre De Créativité des Salles du Gesù*. Montréal, QC  
 Rotunda Gallery, Kitchener, ON  
 Bourget Gallery, Concordia University, Montréal, QC  
 Artifice Gallery, Syracuse, NY  
*Group Exhibition*, Leonard and Bina Ellen Gallery, Montréal, QC  
*L'Histoire Présentée*, Espace 440, Montréal, QC  
*Installation*, Complex Du Canal, Lachine, QC  
 Outdoor Public Exhibition. *Retro Architectural Models*, Lachine, QC  
*Birdgathering*, Installation, Concordia University, Montréal, QC  
*Graduate Student Exhibition*, Concordia University, Montréal, QC  
*Group Exhibition*, Carol Freidman Gallery, New York, NY  
*Solo Exhibition*, Artifice Gallery, Syracuse, NY

## Collections

Royal Bank of Canada  
 ING New York  
 Musée des Bauxs, Arts, Montréal  
 Musée Du Québec, Québec City  
 Galerie Simon Blais  
 Queen Elizabeth Hotel Mtl.  
 Fidelity Investments  
 Hydro Quebec  
 Banque National  
 Merrill Lynch, New York  
 Michelin Canada Inc  
 Mayfair Canada Inc  
 Liebherr Canada Inc  
 Quebecor Inc  
 Kitchener-Waterloo Art Gallery  
 Union Energy Ltd  
 Loto Quebec  
 Cirque du Soleil  
 Influence Marketing  
 Ville de Laval, QC  
 Sequel Process Designs

## Awards

- 2001 People's Choice Award, Montreal, QC  
 Odette Scholarship Award, Toronto, ON  
 Experimental Arts Award, Ontario College of Art, Toronto, ON  
 Sir Edmund Walker Award, Ontario College of Art, Toronto, ON
- 1990 George A. Reid Award

## Media and Publications

- 2009 *Metropolitan*, August
- 2006 *Vie Des Arts*, Contemporary Landscape, Review July  
*Exhibition Review*, Katheryn Markel, April
- 2004 *Preston Catalogue*, Fall
- 2003 *ICI Montreal*  
*Contemporary Canadian Literature*, McGill University Press, July
- 2001 *L'Art dans la Ville*.Bibliothèque Nationale du Canada, January  
*Montreal Gazette*, Montreal, Quebec, March  
*Montreal Gazette*. Montreal, Quebec, October
- 2000 *Brantford Expositor*, Brantford, Ontario, August
- 1999 *The Providence Journal*, Providence, Rhode Island, June  
*East Side Monthly*, Providence, R.I, June  
*The Boston Globe*, June  
*The Providence Journal*, Providence, RI, May
- 1998 *The Montreal Gazette*, Montreal, July  
*The Cambridge Reporter*, May  
*Overdrive*, Lowell Arkansas, February
- 1997 *France Routes*, Paris, France, December  
*Motor Truck*, Toronto, December
- 1996 *Aujourd' hui Credo*, Montreal, January