

Leigh Martin
CV

BIOGRAPHY

1964 Born, Hamilton, New Zealand

1988-89 Foundation Certificate Art and Design, Brighton Polytechnic, Brighton, East Sussex.
UK

1990-93 BFA Hons. Drawing and Painting, Glasgow School of Fine Arts, Glasgow, Scotland

1994-95 Post Grad Diploma, Painting (specialized), Glasgow School of Fine Arts, Glasgow,
Scotland

1995-2006 Senior Tutor, Painting Department, Elam School of Fine Arts, Auckland, NZ

1998-2001 Lecturer BVA Programme, University of Technology, Auckland, New Zealand

2006-07 Lecturer, Design School, School of Fine Art, Unitec, Auckland, New Zealand

2013 Master's Degree Art & Design 1st Class Honours, Auckland Institute of Technology

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2019 Mass (squared), Two Rooms, Auckland, New Zealand.

2014 Silenced, Jonathan Smart Gallery, Christchurch, New Zealand.

2013 Shimmer, Fox Jensen, Auckland, New Zealand

Shallow Depth, Fox Jensen, Auckland, New Zealand

2012 Paper Works, Jonathan Smart Gallery, Christchurch, New Zealand

2011 Untitled, Fox Jensen, Auckland, New Zealand

Loaded, Jensen Gallery, Sydney, Australia

2009 Leigh Martin, Jensen Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand

2008 Mute, Jonathan Smart Gallery, Christchurch, New Zealand

Loaded, Snowwhite Gallery, Unitec, Auckland, New Zealand

2007 Loaded, Jensen Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand

2004 Noise, Jensen Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand

2003 Interiors, Jonathan Smart Gallery, Christchurch, New Zealand

2002 Close up's of the horizon, Te Tuhi Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand

Close up's of the horizon, Lopdell House Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand

Register/Test Pattern, Art and Industry Biennial, Physics Room, Christchurch, NZ

1999 Leigh Martin New Works, Gow Langsford Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand

Leigh Martin, Jonathan Smart Gallery, Christchurch, New Zealand

Leigh Martin, Compact Gallery, High Street, Auckland, New Zealand

1998 Dissolve, Gow Langsford Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand

1998 Immersion, Jonathan Smart Gallery, Christchurch, New Zealand
Dissolve, High Street Project, Christchurch, New Zealand

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2020 Westfarbe: Paint vs Colour, Two Rooms, Auckland, NZ
2019 Leigh Martin & Michael Hight, The Central Art Gallery, Christchurch, NZ
Object Show, The Central Art Gallery, Christchurch, N.Z.
2017/18 Yellow Moon: He Marama Kōwhai, Christchurch Art Gallery Te Puna o Waiwhetū,
Christchurch, NZ
2014 Firefly: Leigh Martin & Winston Roeth, Fox Jensen, Auckland, New Zealand
2013 Precise Operations, Factor44, Antwerp, Belgium
The Architecture of Colour, Fox Jensen, Auckland New Zealand
2012 The Architecture of Colour, Jensen Gallery, Sydney, Australia
Saturation, Jensen Gallery, Sydney, Australia
2011 Small Things, Jonathan Smart Gallery, Christchurch, New Zealand
2009 c6h10o5 4, Jensen Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand
2008 20/20, Jensen Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand
2007 Viscosity, Jensen, Auckland, New Zealand
2006 Lost in Space, Government house, University of Auckland, Auckland, New Zealand
2004 There's Joy in Repetition, Jensen Gallery, Auckland. NZ
2003 Farben, Jensen Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand
2002 Interior Horizons, Te Tuhi Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand
2001 Prospect Biennial, Close ups of the horizon, City Gallery, New Zealand
2000 Colour, Queen Street Studios, Belfast, Ireland
Lines of Desire, Jonathan Smart Gallery, Christchurch, New Zealand
1999 Gow Langsford @ Span, Span Galleries, Melbourne, Australia
1998 Achromatic, Gow Langsford Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand
Seen and Not Heard, Hawkes Bay Art Museum, Napier, New Zealand
1997 Ross Blacker, Mark Francis, Leigh Martin, Mervyn Williams, Gow Langsford Gallery,
Auckland, NZ
Visa Gold Art Award, Auckland Art Gallery, City Gallery, New Zealand
Step on It, Christopher Moore Gallery, New Zealand
Out with the old, In with the new, COCA Centre of Contemporary Art, Christchurch,
1996 Surfacing, 23 A Gallery, Auckland New Zealand
Ida Ease Award, ASA Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand (Recipient of Award)
Small Works, ASA Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand 100 x 100, Drawings Gallery,
Auckland, NZ
1995 New Art in Scotland, Centre of Contemporary Art, Glasgow, Scotland
1994 Royal Glasgow Institute of Arts Annual Exhibition, McClellan Glasgow, Scotland
Dundee International Paper Works Show, Seagate Gallery, Dundee, Scotland

AWARDS

2012 James Wallace Postgraduate Student Award, AUT, Auckland, New Zealand
1996 Ida Ease Award Auckland, Society of Artists, Auckland, New Zealand

1994 D.A.A.D Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst Buro, Berlin, Study Tour of Berlin and Dresden

1993 Cargill Scholarship, Glasgow School of Fine Art (GSA), Glasgow, Scotland

1993 Christies Prize (Masters Scholarship), Christies Art Auctioneers, Glasgow, Scotland

1993 John and Mable Craig Bequest Glasgow School of Fine Art

1993 Armour Prize, Glasgow School of Fine Art, Glasgow, Scotland

1991 Hart Bursary, Glasgow School of Fine Art, Glasgow, Scotland

RESIDENCIES

1998 Artist in Residence, Rangi Ruru Girls High School, Christchurch, New Zealand

1992 Hospitalfield House Trust Scholarship, Hospitalfield House, Arbroath, Scotland

COLLECTIONS

Chartwell Collection, Auckland Art Gallery—Toi o Tamaki, New Zealand

James Wallace Collection, Auckland, New Zealand

Fletcher Challenge Collection, Auckland, New Zealand

Christchurch Art Gallery Te Puna o Waiwhetū