

Libby Hague, RCA

Honours BFA Sir George Williams University 1971 (now Concordia)

selected Solo exhibitions and installations

Still Inventing Hope, SNAP, Edmonton, upcoming 2023

Every Heart can Grow Bigger: make room, O.D.D. Gallery, KIAC, Dawson City, Yukon, 2020

Every Heart can Grow Bigger, Gallery Stratford, curated by Angela, Brayham, 2019

Wider than the sky, Loop Gallery, Toronto, 2018

Your words and mine, Open Studio Print Sales Gallery, Toronto, 2018

The past is never over: A Libby Hague Retrospective, Art Gallery of Mississauga, curated by Kendra Ainsworth, Nov., 2017

Pattern Recognition, Loop Gallery, Toronto, 2016-17

Inventing Hope, Idea Exchange, Cambridge, Ontario, curated by Iga Janik, 2015/ 2016

We are not out of the woods yet, Martha Street Gallery, Winnipeg, 2015

Walk with me, Centre Clark, Montreal, 2015

Alone Together, Loop Gallery, Toronto, 2014

Family Dynamics, Verso Gallery, Toronto 2014

Synchromesh, Loop Gallery, Toronto 2013

Be Brave! We are in this together, YYZ, Toronto 2012

Gravity Drawings: more light: less darkness, Loop Gallery Toronto, 2012

Sympathetic Connections, Young Gallery, Art Gallery of Ontario, 2011

we were young and still believed in heaven, Galerie Circulaire, 2010, Montreal,

tiens-moi très fort (hold me tight), La Centrale, Montreal, 2010

Safety net, Loop, Toronto, 2010,

being natural Durham Art Gallery, Durham, Ontario, 2010

Double vision, Loop Gallery, Toronto, 2009 (web catalogue)

One step at a time, Art Gallery of Mississauga, curated by Robert Freeman, 2009

cut/ close to home, video installation, Robert Langen Gallery, Wilfred Laurier University, curated by Suzanne Luke, 2008

Rehearsal for Everything, Visual Arts Centre, Bowmanville, curated by Maralynn Cherry, 2008 (catalogue)

Vent du Nord, ARPRIM, Montreal, 2008

Rehearsal for Disaster: Dream of the red room, Windsor Printmakers, 2008

Ice Storm, Hamilton Print Studio, Ontario (curated by Ingrid Mayrhofer), 2008

*Martian Odyssey: I will not be sad in this world**, Loop, Toronto, 2007

Avalanche, Off the map Gallery, Toronto, 2006/2007

Martian Odyssey: home away from home, Loop Toronto, 2006

Everything needs everything, Engramme, Quebec City, 2006

Everything needs everything, Open Studio, Toronto, 2005

Everything needs everything, Loop, Toronto, 2005

How to forget, Forest City Gallery, London, Ontario, 2003

children see everything, Snap, Edmonton, Alberta 2003

mini crisis, Open Studio, Toronto, Ontario, 2002

excuses,excuses, Gallery 44, Toronto, Ontario, 2002

?love?, a* level gallery, Toronto, Ontario, 2002

3 ways into town, Vu, Quebec City, 2000

2 -3 person exhibitions and installations

Simple Gifts in Over the Horizon, curator Rebecca Travis, Open Studio, Toronto, 2021

Pink City, Green Branches Revisited, installation with Yael Brotman, Open Studio, 2020 (catalogue published by Wild Pineapple Press, 2021 ISBN 978-1-7777967-0-9)

Pink City, Green Branches; installation with Yael Brotman, Impact 10, Santander, Spain, August 2018

Habitat, as part of Fabrications, curated by Liz Wylie, Kelowna Art Gallery, BC, 2017 (catalogue)

Habitat: Our World, Our Chance, curated by Pat Macaulay, Harbourfront, Toronto, 2016

Before and Beyond the Image, Kro Art Gallery, Vienna (Tricky Women), 2016, curated by Madi Piller

Build...build better, Gifts & Occupations Collective, Zion Schoolhouse, 2015, catalogue ISBN 978-0-9877540-0-4

Screen Play: Print and the Moving Image, Open Studio, Toronto, September 2015

Shifting, installation with Rochelle Rubinstein, U. of the Arts, Tokyo, Mokuhanga conference, Japan, 2014
Glow not Gold, Art Gallery of Nova Scotia, 2014
MERCYFLOATMELTOVERFLOW, Off the map Gallery, Toronto (curated by Rupen), 2009
Open Images, Open Text (with Yael Brotman), Mount St. Vincent University, Halifax, 2006
Open Images: Open Narrative (with Yael Brotman), Eastern Edge, St. John's, Nfld., 2006
To the rescue, Rescue Elora Art Centre, curator Phil Irish, 2005
Printmakers - leaving their mark, McMaster Museum of Art (curated by Ingrid Mayrhofer), Hamilton, 2005 (catalogue)

Group exhibitions (selected)

ANTHEM : Expressions of Canadian Identity, International Artist's Book Biennale, curator Derek Besant, Bibliotheca Alexandrina, Egypt, upcoming 2022
ANTHEM : Expressions of Canadian Identity, Canadian Language Museum, Toronto upcoming 2023 (catalogue)
Ottawa International Animation Festival, Ottawa, curated by Madi Piller, upcoming 2022
International Print Triennial Krakow, Proto-Types, curated by Derek Besant 2021
Douro International Bienal, upcoming 2023
Movement Toronto <>Vienna, curator Madi Piller, Pix Media Collective + The Artificial Museum, Vienna 2021
The ART of Staying at Home: Artists in the Time of Corona, Bibliotheca Alexandrina, Egypt, 2020
3rd IAPA Printmaking Biennale, China, 2020
Karachi Biennale, "On this Wondrous Sea", Pakistan, 2019 curated by Muhammad Zeeshan and Asma Mahmood
Intervention: 31 Women Painters, curated by Harold Klunder, McClure Gallery, Montreal 2018
Departures - Masterpieces of Canadian Printing, curated by Walter Jules, Ardell Gallery of Modern Art, Bangkok Oct. - Nov. 2017
IPCNY - New Prints, 2017/ summer, juror Katherine Bradford
Kyoto Hanga, Kyoto, 2016 curated by Liz Ingram and April Dean (also U of A Museums 2017, Art Gallery of Regina, Sept., 2017)
A Little bit of Infinity: an exhibition of International Print Art, 2016-2017, University of Alberta Museums
IPCNY - New Prints, Winter, 2016,
Abstractionists, Vitruvius, Harbourfront Center, 2016
Biennale internationale d'estampe contemporaine de Trois-Rivières, June 2015 and 2013 (with touring exhibition selected by Catherine de Braekeleer)
A Commitment to Washi, Japanese Paper Place, Toronto and Kochi Okyaku Ginza, Tokyo, 2013
Xylography - Stylistic Matrix, Galati Visual Art Museum, Romania, 2012
IPCNY - New Prints, Summer, NYC, , selected by Shahzi Sikander, 2012
IPCNY - New Prints, Autumn, NYC, 2011 and University of Texas, 2012
SNAP 30th Anniversary Portfolio, SGCI, New Orleans, 2012
Miner for a Heart, curated by Yael Brotman as part of IMPACT 7, Melbourne, Australia, 2011
International Paper Art Exhibition and Symposium, Chung Shan National Gallery, Taiwan, 2011
L'Arte E Il Torchio Invitational International Biennial, 2011, curated by Derek Besant, The Civic Art Museum, Cremona, Italy 2011 (catalogue)
Figuration and Its Disconnects, UB Art Gallery, Buffalo, NY, 2011
Free Radicals in Too Cool for School, York Quay Gallery, Harbourfront, Toronto, 2010
A-Game, Richman Gallery, Baltimore, 2010, curated by Rick Delaney
6th Novosibirsk International Biennial of Graphic Art, Siberia, Russia, curated by Mark Bovey, 2009 (catalogue)
Sense of Place, Windsor Printmakers Forum, Windsor Printmakers Forum 2007 (catalogue); University of Toronto Art Centre, 2009 ; Yukon Art Centre, Whitehorse, 2010; Macintosh Art Gallery, London, Ontario, 2011; Art Gallery of Sudbury, 2011; Thunder Bay Art Gallery 2011; Cape Breton University, 2012
Hot and cold running water, Lenox Contemporary Gallery, Toronto, part of the World Washi Summit, 2008
In Cahoots, Ithaca New York, 2006
Voir Grand, Montreal , Atelier Circulaire competition, Lacerte Award, 2006, 2007
Cutout curated by Alisha Linseman, Leonardo Gallery, Toronto, catalogue, 2005
Open Studio Exhibition, Galeria Juan Pardo Heeren, Lima, Peru 2004
Good Medicine, University of Waterloo Art Gallery, 2003
Les Fleurs du mal, le Jardin Saint-Roch, (organized by Vu) Quebec City, 2003
when I get up in the morning + go to work, Struts Gallery (book), 2003
NorthWest Print Council Exhibition, Portland Oregon, 2003

Press, San Antonio, Texas, 2002

Small installations, Window Galleries, Eccentricities:

Monster child, Scotiabank Nuit Blanche, curated by Pat Macaulay, Toronto, 2013

Hold me tight, Art Toronto, 2011

Still life on earth, Mon Ton Window, Toronto, with Rochelle Rubinstein

Too much and too little, IndexG, Toronto, 2009

Cut close to home, video installation, part of "Fly-by-night" curated by Chris Mitchell Nuit Blanche, 2007

Paradise Apartments: Waiting for Skylarks, Window Project, Victoria, March, 2007

Love Letters from the Paradise Apartments, Natural Light Gallery, Toronto, Feb. 2007

how to remember (paradise), Harborfront, Toronto, 2003

q + a or the new dress: confected electronica, Natural Light Window Gallery, Toronto, 2003

Something's missing, Fly Window Gallery, Toronto, 2002

my neighbour is crazy, Natural Light Window Gallery, Toronto, 2002

Whirligig Garden, Harbourfront, Toronto, 2002 to about 2015

Relax, Natural Light Window Gallery, Toronto, 2001

Whirligig, Natural Light Window Gallery, Toronto 2000

recent reviews and articles

Made to Measure, Profile on Libby Hague and Yael Brotman by Derek Besant, Printmaking Today, Spring 2022

Hearts along the shore, Meg Walker, exhibition brochure, ODD Gallery, K.I.A.C., Dawson City, 2020

The Friday Times, Pakistan, Zehra Hamdani Mirza (<https://www.thefridaytimes.com/the-price-of-cynicism/>)

The third pole.net (<https://www.thethirdpole.net/en/2019/11/15/ecology-power-and-art-at-the-karachi-biennale/>)

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Libby Hague: The Past is Never over, Kendra Ainsworth, Art Gallery of Mississauga, 2017

Teamwork... Terry Bridge, <https://www.stratfordbeaconherald.com/entertainment/local-arts/teamwork-and-large-ladders-key-to-elaborate-new-exhibit>

Intervention 31 Women painters, McClure Gallery, 2018, ABC Art books Canada, 9781926492179

Terence Dick, Akimbo, Hit list 2018, <http://www.akimbo.ca/hitlist/?id=449>

Fabrications, Gary Pearson, Bordercrossings Vol.36 #3, pg.130 - 131

Fabrications, exhibition catalogue, Kelowna Art Gallery, 2017, ISBN 978-1-896749-82-2

Build...build better, Gifts + Occupations Collective, catalogue ISBN 978-0-9877540-0-4

Anna Jane McIntyre, blog interview <http://dontarguewithghosts.blogspot.ca/>

"Zion's Class Act", Fran Schechter, Now Magazine, 9/23/2015

"Get lost, kid" by Stephen Leyden Cochrane, Winnipeg free Press, May 21, 2015

"Gravity's Rainbow: A visit with Libby Hague" by Gary Michel Dault, Canadian Art, summer 2014

'All that Glows" Kathleen Higgins, Visual Arts News, vol. 36 #2, fall 2014

Elissa Barnard, "Human condition, animated", Chronical Herald, Halifax, May 9, 2014 "Glow, not Gold", 2013, Conundrum Press Co-publication with The Centre for Art Tapes, ISBN 1-894994-78-7

Terence Dick, "Libby Hague", (review), Bordercrossings issue #127

Michelle Jacques, "Libby Hague: The Thread That We Follow" <http://www.yyzartistsoutlet.org/2012/07/libby-hague-the-thread-that-we-follow-by-michelle-jacques/>

Terence Dick, Libby Hague at YYZ, July 10th, 2012. <http://www.akimbo.ca/akimblog/?id=555>

John Armstrong, Libby Hague: A Step into Darkness, 2009, <http://www.canadianart.ca/online/reviews/2009/06/04/libby-hague/>

Sally McKay, Thinking Animal: an essay to accompany Libby Hague's installation, One Step At A Time <http://www5.mississauga.ca/agm/Exhibitions/PastExh2009.htm>

Leah Sandals, Apocalypse, Art & Athleticism, http://torontoist.com/2009/05/apocalypse_art_athleticism.php