KENNETH C. LOCHHEAD, OC 1926 - 2006

Kenneth Lochhead (1926 - 2006), has an international exhibition history that spans over fifty years. His work has been collected by major institutions across Canada, including the National Gallery of Canada, Art Gallery of Ontario, Vancouver Art Gallery, and the Musee des Beaux-Arts de Montreal to mention a few. In 1971 Lochhead made the Governor General's Honours List, and was awarded the Order of Canada in the same year. Lochhead has explored a gamut of styles, known most for his Post-Painterly Abstraction in the 1960's, and later moved to landscapes infused with romantic surrealism in the 1980's. His last decade saw bold and vibrant figures and landscapes. As one of the founders of the Emma Lake Artist's Workshop, Lochhead has a proven track record of innovation. In 1996 Lochhead became a member of the Royal Canadian Academy. In 2006, Lochhead was awarded the Governor General's Award in Visual and Media Arts.

1944	Summer Art School, Queens University, Kingston
1945-48	Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts, Philadelphia, PA
1946-48	Barnes Foundation, Merion, PA

Teaching

Carleton University, Ottawa, 1950 School of Art, University of Saskatchewan, Regina, 1950 – 1964, Director School of Fine Arts, University of Manitoba, Winnipeg, 1964 – 1973, Associate Professor Department of Visual Arts, Faculty of Fine Arts, York University, Toronto, 1973 – 1974, Professor, 1974 – 1975, Acting Chair Department of Visual Arts, University of Ottawa, 1975 – 1989, Professor

Awards

Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts, Tuition Scholarships, 1946 – 1948
Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts, Emlin Cresson Memorial Travelling Scholarship, 1948
O'Keefe Art Awards Competition, Toronto, 1950, First Prize
Winnipeg Art Gallery, Biennial, 1962, First Prize
Montreal Museum of Fine Arts, Annual Spring Exhibition, 1963, Jessie Dow Award
Montreal Museum of Fine Arts, Annual Spring Exhibition, 1964, Robinson Award
Governor General's Honours List, 1971
Awarded Medal of the Order of Canada, 1971

Canada Council Grant, 1971

Member: Royal Canadian Academy, 1996

Governor General's Awards in Visual and Media Arts, 2006

Committees

Department of Public Works, Fine Arts Advisory Committee, 1972 Wascana Center Authority, Regina, Chairman, Fine Arts Advisory Committee, 1975 – 1988

City of Ottawa, Advisory Committee for the Ottawa Art Gallery, 1976 - 1977

Ottawa National Capital Commission Art Advisory Committee, 1977 - 1980, member, 1981 - 1985, Chairman

Art Gallery of Ontario, Board of Trustees, and 1979 – 1981 Rideau Hall, Ottawa, Furnishings Committee, 1987 – 1989

Chronology

1926	Born in Ottawa, Ontario, Canada
1944	Attended Summer Art School, Queens University
1945	Enrolled at Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts, Philadelphia, PA, U.S.A
1946	Continued study at PAFA and also enrolled in Barnes Foundation, Merion, PA, U.S.A. Received tuition scholarships at PAFA for 1946, 1947 and 1948
1948	Awarded the Emlin Cresson Memorial Travelling Scholarship in mural decoration for study and travel in England, Holland, Belgium, France, Spain, Italy and Switzerland.
1949	Employed as a designer for international exhibits by the Canadian Exhibition
1950	Commission, Department of Trade and Commerce, Ottawa
1950	Introduced a studio course in drawing and painting at Carleton University
	Appointed Director, School of Art, University of Saskatchewan
1955	Awarded Commission to execute mural decoration for the International Airport Terminal, Gander, Nfld.
1958	Leave of absence from University of Saskatchewan for study in Italy, Austria, Germany, Holland, Belgium, and France.
1961	Chairman of Symposium, Five Regina Artists, National Gallery of Canada
1962	Painting Prize, Biennial Winnipeg Art Gallery
1963	Jessie Dow Award, Montreal Museum of Fine Arts, Annual Spring Exhibition
1964	Robinson Award for the top prize in the Montreal Museum of Fine Arts, 81 st Annual Spring Exhibition
1964	Resigned as Director of School of Art, University of Saskatchewan, Regina
	Appointed Associate Professor, School of Fine Arts, University of Manitoba
	Included in Post-Painterly Abstraction, by Clement Greenberg, Los Angeles County Museum
1966	Awarded commission to execute six banner-like hangings for the Centennial Concert Hall, Winnipeg, Manitoba
1967	Awarded commission to execute two banners for the Pan-Am Swimming Pool Winnipeg, Manitoba
1968	Awarded commission to execute banner design and fifteen copies for Winters College, York University, Toronto, ON
	Awarded commission to execute banner for the Faculty of Architecture, University of Manitoba Included in Canada 101 Edinburgh International Festival Exhibition
1969	Conducted artist's workshop at the Sunbury Shores Art and Nature Center, St Andrews, New Brunswick
	Awarded commission to execute design of Manitoba Centennial Stamp 1870 - 1910
1970	Awarded commission to execute relief decoration for the Canadian Chancery, Warsaw, Poland Awarded commission to design two lithographs, Lithography Workshop, Nova Scotia College
	Awarded commission to execute mural decoration for the Bank of Montreal, Winnipeg, Manitoba

1971	Awarded Medal of the Order of Canada (OC)
	Awarded commission to execute mural for the Department of External Affairs, Ottawa
	Judged West '71 Exhibition, Edmonton Art Gallery
	Awarded Canada Council Grant
1070	Conducted artist's workshop at the Sunbury Shores Art and Nature Center, St Andrews, N.B.
1972	Appointed to the Fine Arts Advisory Committee, Department of Public Works, Government of
1070	Canada, Ottawa
1973	Resigned from School of Art, University of Manitoba
	Appointed Professor in Painting, Department of Visual Arts, Faculty of Fine Arts, York University,
1071	Toronto
1974	Appointed Acting Chair, Department of Visual Arts, York University
4075	Elected to serve as trustee, Art Gallery of Ontario
1975	Resigned from York University
	Appointed Prof. in Painting, Dept. of Visual Arts, University of Ottawa
	Appointed Chair, Fine Arts Advisory Committee, Wascana Center Authority, Regina, Sask. 1975 - 1988.
1976	Member of Advisory Committee to the City of Ottawa for the building of a new Ottawa Art
1970	Gallery
1977	Attended International Congress of Museums in Leningrad and Moscow, USSR
1377	Appointed Member of the National Capitol Commission Art Advisory Committee
	Advisory Committee to the City of Ottawa
1978	Member of the National Capitol Commission Art Advisory Committee
1979	Member of the Board of Trustees, AGO
1980	Advisor to Algonquin College, Dept. of Visual Arts
	Member of the National Capitol Commission Art Advisory Committee
	Member of the Board of Trustees, AGO
1981	Chairman Fine Arts Advisory Committee, Wascana Center Authority, Regina
	Member of the Board of Trustees AGO
1982	Chairman Fine Arts Advisory Committee, Wascana Center Authority, Regina
	Chairman National Capitol Commission Art Advisory Committee
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	Chairman National Capitol Commission Art Advisory Committee
	Builds and establishes at Burnett, Quebec
1986	Chairman Fine Arts Advisory Committee, Wascana Center Authority, Regina
	Chairman National Capitol Commission Art Advisory Committee
1987	Member of Furnishings Committee, Rideau Hall, Ottawa, Canada
1000	Chairman Fine Arts Advisory Committee, Wascana Center Authority, Regina
1988	Member of Furnishings Committee, Rideau Hall, Ottawa, Canada
	Chairman Fine Arts Advisory Committee, Wascana Center Authority, Regina

Exhibitions

1953	Annual Exhibition of Canadian Painting - National Gallery of Canada
	Progressive Painters of Western Canada - University of Manitoba
	Solo: Art Gallery, Regina College, University of Saskatchewan
	Solo: Robertson Art Gallery, Ottawa
1954	5th Annual Exhibition - The Saskatchewan Arts Board
	1st Annual Artists of Regina Exhibition - Norman Mackenzie Art Gallery
1955	Ten Artists of Saskatchewan - Norman MacKenzie Art Gallery, Saskatchewan Society of Artists:
	Second Exhibition - Regina and Saskatoon
1957	2nd Bicentennial of Canadian Art - National Gallery of Canada, Ottawa
	Contemporary Canadian Painters - National Gallery of Canada, Touring Exhibit for circulation in
	Australia
1958	Canadian Paintings for Canadian Art Gallery Pavilion, Brussels World Fair;
	Utrecht Central Museum; Groninger Museum; Fine Arts Museum, Mexico City,
	Mexico; Tunis, Africa.9th Annual Exhibition of the Saskatchewan Arts Board, Regina and
	Saskatoon
1960	Win Hedore - Norman Mackenzie Art Gallery
1961	The 4th Biennial Exhibition of Canadian Art. The National Gallery of Canada
1501	12th Annual Exhibition of Saskatchewan Art
	The May Show - Norman MacKenzie Art Gallery, Regina
	Five Painters from Regina - National Gallery of Canada, for circulation
	15th Annual Exhibition and Sale of Contemporary Painting and Sculpture -
	Art Gallery of Ontario, Toronto
1060	Solo: Saskatchewan House Summer Festival.
1962	Contemporary Exhibition and Sale - Vancouver Art Gallery
	Winter Exhibition - Art Gallery of Hamilton
	The C.I.L. Art Collection of Paintings by Canadians
	13th Annual Exhibiton - The Saskatchewan Arts Board
	Canadian Paintings to Warsaw, Poland - National Gallery of Canada, circulating
	79th Annual Spring Show - Montreal Museum of Fine Arts, Montreal, Quebec
	5th Annual Exhibition and Sale of Works by Canadians
	National Council of Jewish Women of Canada Exhibition
	Painting at Stratford - Nine Prairie Province Painters
	1st Biennial Winnipeg Show - Winnipeg Art Gallery
	Webster College, St. Louis, USA
	Solo: The Isaacs Gallery, Toronto
1963	Contemporary Canadian Painting and Sculpture - Rochester Memorial Art, Rochester New York
	14th Annual Exhibition - Saskatchewan Arts Board
	80th Spring Annual - Montreal Museum of Fine Arts, Montreal, Quebec
	6th Annual Exhibition and Sale of Canadian Paintings - the National
	Council of Jewish Women
	Invitational Exhibit of Saskatchewan Painting - Alberta College of Art, Calgary
	Aviva Chapter Hadassah Art Auction of Canadian Painting, Toronto. Painters from the East -
	Galerie Agnes Lefort, Montreal
	5th Biennial Exhibition of Canadian Painting, National Gallery of Canada
	Solo: Art Gallery, Regina College, University of Saskatchewan, Regina
	Solo: Robertson Art Gallery, Ottawa

1964	8th Annual Exhibition of the Royal Canadian Academy of Arts. Ottawa and London Mendel
	Selects from the Mendel Collection - Norman MacKenzie Art Gallery, Regina
	Surrealism in Canadian Painting - The London Public Gallery and Art Museum
	7th Annual Exhibition and Sale of Canadian Painting - Ottawa Section of the
	National Council of Jewish Women
	81st Annual Spring Exhibition - Montreal Museum of Fine Arts, Montreal
	Post-Painterly Abstraction, Los Angeles County Museum of Art, The Walker Art Centre, The Art
	Gallery of Toronto. The Winnipeg Show, Winnipeg
1965	Ten Canadian Artists - Carleton University, Ottawa
	University of Manitoba Staff Show - University Dafoe Library Gallery
	Brandon Allied Art Centre - 2nd Annual Carnival Show, Brandon.
	Yellow Door Art Gallery, Winnipeg
	Eleven Winnipeg Artists - MacLaren Advertising Co. Ltd, Toronto
	6th Biennial Exhibition of Canadian Painting - National Gallery of Canada, Ottawa
	93rd Annual Exhibition of the Ontario Society of Artists - Art Gallery of Toronto
	Solo: The Lefort Galerie, Montreal
	Solo: The New Design Gallery, Vancouver
10.00	Solo: MacIntosh Memorial Gallery, University of Western Ontario, London
1966	University of Manitoba School of Art, Staff Show. University Dafoe Library
	2nd Annual MacLaren Aquisition Show, Winnipeg
	Spring Show: Prize Award Winners: 1908-1965 - Montreal Museum of Fine Arts
	The Tenth Annual Winnipeg Show - Winnipeg Art Gallery
	Solo: The Yellow Door Gallery, Winnipeg
	Solo: The Norman Mackenzie Art Gallery, University of Saskatchewan, Regina
	Solo: The Winnipeg Art Gallery, Winnipeg
1967	Canadian Art of Our Time - Eaton's Gallery, Winnipeg, Winnipeg Art Gallery Show Twenty
	Canadians - The Douglas Gallery, Vancouver
	Images for A Canadian Heritage - Vancouver Art Gallery
	Canadian Universities Centennial Exhibition of Drawings - University of Ottawa Tour
	Painting in Saskatchewan 1883-1950 - Norman Mackenzie Art Gallery, Regina
	and Mendel Art Gallery, Saskatoon
	Solo: The Beaverbrook Art Gallery, Fredricton
	Solo: Laing Galleries, Toronto
1968	The Kingston Spring Exhibition of Art - Agnes Etherington Gallery, Kingston
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10.00	Canada 101 - Edinburgh International Festival, Edinburgh, Scotland
1969	The Canada Council Collection - National Gallery, circulation throughout Canada
	Solo: Gallerie Fore, Winnipeg
1970	150 Years of Manitoba Art of the Manitoba Art Gallery -exhibited at the
	Manitoba Legislative Buildings, Winnipeg
	Solo: The University of Lethbridge Art Gallery, Lethbridge
1971	Canadian Art Exhibition - arranged by the Art Gallery of Ontario for the Ringling Art Museum,
	Florida, USA
	Lithographs from the Lithographers' Workshop - Nova Scotia College of Art and Design for
	circulation by the National Gallery, Ottawa
	Solo: Dunkelman Gallery, Toronto
	Solo: Galerie Godard Lefort, Montreal
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1972	Artists Nations Exhibition - Moorhead State College, Moorhead, Minnesota
	Solo: Winnipeg Art Gallery, Winnipeg
	Solo: Gallery III, University of Manitoba, University of Alberta, University
1072	of Edmonton and Simon Fraser University, Burnaby, British Columbia
1973	Solo: Marlboro Godard Gallery, Toronto
1974	Aspects of Canadian Painting - Albright Knox Gallery, Buffalo, New York
	Thirteen Artists from Marlboro Godard, Toronto and Montreal Marlboro Galleries, New York
	Twelve by Twelve - The Owens Art Gallery, Sackville
1075	Solo: Marlboro Godard Gallery, Toronto
1975	Solo: Individual works shown at Marlboro Godard Gallery
1976	Montreal and Toronto venues
	Ontario Now - a survey of contemporary art organized and
1007	circulated by the Art Gallery of Hamilton to Kitchener-Waterbo Art Gallery
1987	Orinthologicaesthetics or Bird Talk, A One Man Exhibition of Enamels on
	Paper by Kenneth Lochhead - Robertson Galleries, Ottawa
	Solo: Mira Godard Gallery, Toronto
1000	The Garden: Recent Oil Paintings by Kenneth Lochhead
1988	Solo: Abstract Paintings 1962-1967 by Kenneth Lochhead -Dunlop Art
	Gallery, Regina
1000	Solo: A Garden of Delights by Kenneth Lochhead - Artscourt, Ottawa.
1989	Beneath the Surface - Gallery 101, Ottawa
	The Flat Side of the Landscape - The Emma Lake Artists' Workshops Mendel Art Gallery,
1001	Saskatoon
1991	Solo: Gardens In Time: Recent Oil Paintings by Kenneth Lochhead
1000	Robertson Galleries, Ottawa
1992	The Crisis of Abstraction in Canada: The 1950s - National Gallery of Canada
	Touring Exhibition
	Solo: Garden in Time: Recent Oil Paintings by Kenneth Lochhead
1002	Gallery One, Toronto
1993	The Urban Prairie - Mendel Art Gallery Touring Exhibition
	People and Places - Gallery 454, Winnipeg
	The Team - Gallery One, Toronto
1004	Recent Watercolours by Kenneth Lochhead - Robertson Ottawa
1994	Hidden Values: Western Corporations Collect - Edmonton Art Gallery Dynamics of Abstraction -
1005	Art Gallery of Peterborough
1995	The Spirit of the Cathedral - National Gallery of Canada and Notre Dame Cathedral Basilica of
	Ottawa
1006	Solo: Kenneth Lochhead: Recent Paintings - Karsh-Masson Gallery, City of Ottawa
1996	Stored Secrets II: The vault on view - Winnipeg Art Gallery Corel Viva les arts - Council for the
1007	Arts in Ottawa
1997	Solo: Ken Lochhead, Forest Interiors, Bau-Xi Gallery, Toronto
1000	Ken Lochhead, Forest Interiors, Minto Plaza Suite Hotel, Ottawa
1999	Solo: Ken Lochhead, Summer Play, Bau-Xi Gallery, Toronto
2000	Solo: Ken Lochhead, Fashiontide, Bau-Xi Gallery, Toronto
2001	Solo: Ken Lochhead, Pot-Pourri, Bau-Xi Gallery, Toronto
2002	Solo: Ken Locchead, Interior Light, Bau-Xi Gallery, Toronto

Solo: Kenneth Lochhead, Garden of Light, Mackenzie Art Gallery, Regina
 Solo: Ken Lochhead, The Later Landscapes, Bau-Xi Gallery, Toronto
 Solo: Ken Lochhead, The Art of Sport, Bau-Xi Gallery, Toronto
 Winter Landscapes, Bau-Xi Gallery, Toronto

Public Collections

Agnes Etherington Art Centre - Queen's University

University of Lethbridge Art Gallery

Art Gallery of Greater Victoria University of New Brunswick

Art Gallery of Hamilton University of Regina Library and Archives

Art Gallery of Ontario

Art Gallery of Peterborough

Art Gallery of Peterborough

Art Gallery of Winnipeg Art Gallery

Art Gallery of Windsor

York University Art Gallery

Beaverbrook Art Gallery Anglo America
Canada Council Bell Canada

Canada Council Art Bank Bank of Nova Scotia
Canadian Museum of Civilization Bank of Montreal

Carleton University Art Gallery Benson and Hedges Canada

City of Ottawa Art Collection Botton Tremblay

Confederation Centre Art Gallery and Museum British Petroleum (BP) Canada

Dalhousie University

Dunlop Art Gallery

Edmonton Art Gallery

Glenbow Museum

Branalta Development

Cadillac Fairview

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Government of Canada – Dept. of Foreign CIL

Affairs & International Trade Transport Canada City Trust

London Regional Art and Historical Museums Coopers and Lybrand

Memorial University Art Gallery

Mendel Art Gallery - Saskatoon Gallery and

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Conservatory Corporation

Dougfas Coape Amos, New York

Montreal Museum of Fine Arts

Esso Resources Limited

National Aviation Museum

Gowling and Handerson

National Aviation Museum

National Gallery of Canada

Gowling and Henderson

Guaranty Trust

Norman Mackenzie Art Gallery - University of Gulf Canada

Regina Imperial Oil Company
Ottawa Art Gallery Imperial Tobacco Company

Ottawa City Archives Inco Canada Limited

Owens Art Gallery - Mount Allison University Halifax Insurance

Province of Manitoba Collection Irving Oil
Regional Municipality of Ottawa - Carleton uriers and Binnington

Saskatchewan Arts Board

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Saskatoon Gallery and Conservatory Corporation Winnipeg Jets Hockey Club

State Art Collection, Canada Xerox of Canada Limited
University of Calgary

Corporate Collections:

Mercantile Bank Midland Walwyn Minto Place Suite Hotel

Mobil Oil National Trust Nav Canada Northland

Oshawa Group Limited Ottawa Senators Hockey Club

Pan Canadian
Peat Marwick
PetroCanada
Polystar Limited
Royal Bank of Canada

Scrivener's Engineering Shell Canada Collection Secal - Alcan Limited Standard Trust Company

Sutton Place Swiss Bank Thorne Riddell

Toronto-Dominion Bank Toronto Stock Exchange

Tory, Tory, Deslauriers and Binnington

Unitel

Winnipeg Jets Hockey Club Xerox of Canada Limited