

## BAU-XI GALLERY LTD.

PAT O'HARA

1936 - Burns Lake, British Columbia, Canada

Pat O'Hara is a painter who was born in Burns Lake British Columbia, Canada. Her mediums are oils, acrylics, ink, collage, stitched canvas and mixed mediums. Her subjects are abstract compositions, often including found objects, of pattern, colour and texture. Her styles are lyrical abstraction and abstract expressionism.

### Education

Banff School of Fine Arts - 1963

Instituto de Allende, San Miguel, Mexico - 1974

Art Education, University of British Columbia

Graduate of Emily Carr College of Art and Design with a B.F.A (Honours Painting), Winner of Merit Award for painting (at E.C.C.A.D.) - 1981

### Solo Exhibitions

- 2021 " Gestures," Bau-Xi Gallery, Vancouver
- 2019 " Gestures," Bau-Xi Gallery, Vancouver
- 2018 "Serpentine", Bau-Xi Gallery, Vancouver
- 2017 "Linearity", Bau-Xi Gallery, Vancouver
- 2016 "Spectra", Bau-Xi Gallery, Vancouver
- 2015 "Unfurl", Bau-Xi Gallery, Vancouver
- 2010 "New Paintings", Bau-Xi Gallery, Vancouver
- 2008 "Tulip", Bau-Xi Gallery, Vancouver
- 2007 "New Paintings", Bau-Xi Gallery, Vancouver
- 2006 "Kolkata", Bau-Xi Gallery, Vancouver
- 2005 "Garden Abstractions", Bau-Xi Gallery, Vancouver
- 2004 "Aeon", Bau-Xi Gallery, Toronto
- 2003 "Meditation", Bau-Xi Gallery, Toronto
- 2002 "Eastern Echoes", Bau-Xi Gallery, Toronto
- 2001 "Bali Mystic", Bau-Xi Gallery, Vancouver
- 2000 Bau-Xi Gallery, Vancouver
- "Multimedia", Old School House Gallery, Qualicum
- 1999 "Welcome Home", Osoyoos Art Gallery
- 1998 "Border Crossing", Bau-Xi Gallery, Toronto
- "Imagine", Bau-Xi Gallery, Vancouver
- 1997 "Mosaic", Bau-Xi Gallery, Vancouver
- "Mosaic", Bau-Xi Gallery, Toronto
- 1996 Wallace Galleries, Calgary
- Doug Udell, Edmonton
- 1995 "Memory Chambers", Bau-Xi Gallery, Vancouver
- Bau-Xi Gallery, Vancouver
- 1994 "Crossing Boundaries", Bau-Xi Gallery, Toronto
- 1993 "Crossing Boundaries", Bau-Xi Gallery, Vancouver
- 1992 Bau-Xi Gallery, Toronto

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	Village Gallery, Lahaina, Maui
1991	Bau-Xi Gallery, Vancouver
1990	Bau-Xi Gallery, Vancouver
	Bau-Xi Gallery, Toronto
	Richmond Art Gallery, Richmond
1989	Bau-Xi Gallery, Vancouver
1988	Bau-Xi Gallery, Toronto
1987	Bau-Xi Gallery, Vancouver
1986	Bau-Xi Gallery, Vancouver
	Bau-Xi Gallery, Toronto
1985	Bau-Xi Gallery, Vancouver
1984	Bau-Xi Gallery, Vancouver
1981	901 Main Street (fifth floor)
1980	Federation of Canadian Artists, Vancouver
1978	Gallery Six, Vancouver (Fabric Pieces)
1977	Community Arts Council, Vancouver
1976	Gallery Six, Vancouver
1974	Exposition Galleries, Vancouver

### Group Exhibitions

1999	"Sacred Boundaries", Bau-Xi Gallery
1999	"Artist Botanica", VanDusen Botanical Garden
1995	Vancouver Art Gallery Art Rental & Sales
	"Vision Re-Vision Gordon Smith & Students", Simon Fraser University Gallery
1989	"Images and Objects", BC Festival of Arts, Chilliwack,(juried)
1988	"Geometric Concerns", Bau-Xi Gallery, Toronto
1987	Bau-Xi Gallery, Vancouver
	"Artropolis", Self Image section, Curated
	"First show", First Night Celebration of the Arts, Robson Square Media Centre, Vancouver
1986	"Images and Objects", Expo Media centre, Vancouver,
1984	Robson Square Media Centre, Vancouver
	Remy Martin Juried Exhibition, Robson Square Media Centre, Vancouver
	"The Warehouse Show", Vancouver
	Bau-Xi Gallery
	"Teachers Art Exhibition", Robson Square Media Centre, Vancouver
	"Images and Objects", Robson Square Media Centre (Juried Group Show)
1982	Robson Square Media Centre, Vancouver
1981	Concourse Gallery (Emily Carr College of Art and Design)
	S.U.B. Gallery, University of British Columbia, (Juried Exhibition of Paintings), Vancouver
1976	Exposition Galleries, Vancouver
1969	Exposition Galleries, Vancouver

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Oscelot Energy	The International Hotel (Calgary)
Newport Petroleum	Chateau Whistler Resort
Bank of Nova Scotia	Maritime Life (Vancouver)
Citibank	Pan Pacific Hotel, Paintings in 22 suites (Vancouver)
Blue Lane Enterprises	Plaza Hotels (Vancouver)
Air Canada	Raintree Restaurant (Vancouver)
Chamber of Commerce (Victoria)	Syncor Business Environments (Vancouver)
Dick Irwin G.M. (Vancouver)	External Affairs, Ottawa
D.T. Dental Trading (Germany)	Numerous works in private collections internationally
First City (Toronto)	
Fourth Street Rose Restaurant (Calgary)	

### Commissions

Coast Resort at Big White	Harbourfront Hotel (Victoria)
Coast Plaza Suite Hotel (Vancouver)	Oxford Properties
Delta Hotel (Whistler)	Waterfront Hotel

### Reviews

Dick Maclean's Guide 'B.C.Edition', ('Old Vancouver' painting on cover), February 1972.  
Gilbert, Liz. "Rare Insight and Vision", The West Ender, April 1986.  
Godley, Elizabeth. The Vancouver Sun, March 27 1987.  
Higgs, Melanie. "Making Art of the 'Family Linen'", The Vancouver Western News, November 24, 1984.  
Johnson, Eve. The Vancouver Sun, April 12, 1986.  
Mertens, Susan. "The Artist as a Historian", The Vancouver Province, February 9, 1984.  
Perry, Art. "O'Hara Takes Flight", The Vancouver Sun, August 30, 1989.  
Templeman-Kluit, Anne. The Vancouver Sun, October 6, 1983.  
Taylor, Lisa. "Work has distinctive touch", The Vancouver Sun, August 31, 1989.  
Appelbe, Alison. "O'Hara paints in exotic style", The Vancouver Courier, September 6, 1989.

### Book Mentions

2001 Westbridge, Anthony R. and Diana L. Bodnar, *The Collector's Dictionary of Canadian Artists at Auction*,. p 622  
1996 Gold, Melanie, *Great Work – An Overview of Contemporary British Columbia Artists*, p. 108  
1990 Ed Varney, *Artropolis 90: Lineages & Linkages*, p. 144  
1987 Hurtig, Annette, et al, *Artropolis: Exhibition of Contemporary British Columbia Art*, p. 132  
1974 MacDonald, Colin, S., *A Dictionary of Canadian Artists (8 Volumes)*, p. 3667