CHRISTOPHER LEIB

SOLO EXHIBITS

2025	Past Tomorrow, Hall Spassov Gallery, Seattle
2023	Hierarchy, Modern Eden Gallery, San Francisco
	Night Vision, Beinart Gallery, Melbourne
2020	Leib and Let Die, Artsy, Secret Gallery, Astoria
2019	The Primate Directive, BeinArt Gallery, Melbourne
2009	Becoming Worthwhile, Cain Schulte Contemporary Art, Berlin, Germany
2008	Relative Connections, deYoung Museum, Kimball Gallery artist residency,
	San Francisco
2005	SFMOMA Artists Gallery, San Francisco
2004	Flying Machines, San Francisco Public Library, San Francisco
	Novo Nordisk, Philadelphia
2002	PEARceived, Giacobbe-Fritz Fine Art Gallery, Santa Fe
2001	Parables, Giacobbe-Fritz Fine Art Gallery, Santa Fe

TWO AND THREE PERSON EXHIBITS

2024	Reimagined Realism, Cherry Center, Carmel
2016	Force of Nature, Chris Leib & Rachael Bess, BeinArt Gallery, Melbourne
2015	Retrospeculative, Chris Leib and Kirstine Reiner Hansen, Pence Gallery, Davis
2011	Oddities, Neue Berliner Raume/Staycation Museum, Berlin
2004	After Dark, Pringle Gallery, Philadelphia

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2025	III Minna Gallery, San Francisco WonderlandSF Show, Mirus Gallery, San Francisco Fantasy Figurative, Blacklight Gallery, Valencia Cherry Pickers, Madsen Gallery, Los Altos	
2024	Pop Surreal and Other Stories, Blacklight Gallery, Valencia Myth - Portrait, Modern Eden Gallery, San Francisco Small Works, Beinart Gallery, Melbourne Seattle Art Fair, Hall Spassov Gallery, Seattle Art Fair Park Hyatt Vienna, Felix Holler Gallery	
2023	Year of the Rabbit, Modern Eden, San Francisco Future Visions, Supersonic Art Beyond Original, Modern Eden, San Francisco House of Many Tales, WOW x WOW Microvisions, WOWxWOW Group show, Mirus Gallery, LA Small Works, Beinart Gallery, Melbourne Pillars, Beinart Gallery, Melbourne Art Now, Brassworks, Portland Creatures, Supersonic Art Art Austria Highlights Art Fair, Felix Höller Gallery, Vienna Unnatural Selection, Helvella Art, Oakland;	
2022	The Visual Adventures of Robert Williams, Orange County Center for Contemporary Arts, Santa Ana Small Works, Beinart Gallery, Melbourne Hell Let Loose, Myartisreal.com, Online Don't Wake Daddy, Feinkunst Krueger, Hamburg 16 x16, Mirus Gallery, San Francisco Visions, Supersonic Art	

Don't Wake Daddy, Feinkunst Krüger, Hamburg Portrait, Modern Eden Gallery, San Francisco Eye, Pence Gallery, Davis

2021

MicroVisions, WOWxWOW Known Unknowns, WOWxWOW Dark Art 2021, BienArt Gallery, Melbourne Small Works, BeinArt Gallery, Melbourne New Portrait, Stoerpunkt, Munich Urban Aesop, Brassworks Gallery, Portland

2020 Discolandia, III Minna Gallery, San Francisco BLAB Show, Copro Gallery, Los Angeles Wing theme, Modern Eden Gallery, San Francisco Going to Space, Studio Gallery, San Francisco ARB, Hall Spassov, Seattle Dark Art 2020, BeinArt Gallery, Melbourne Small Works, BeinArt Gallery, Melbourne Miniature Show, BeinArt Gallery, Melbourne Communion, Dark Art Emporium, Long Beach Half Pound of Art, Stoerpunkt Gallery, Munich Wish You Were Here, Studio Gallery, San Francisco Artist of the Day, Modern Eden, San Francisco

2019 Microdose, Booth Gallery, NYC
The Talking Monkey, Secret Gallery, Astoria Oregon
Beyond Eden at Designercon 2019, Modern Eden, LA
Monuments of the Psyche, WOWxWOW
Two-Faced, Pence Gallery, Davis
Dark Art 2019, BeinArt Gallery, Melbourne
Hands and Pants, Faultline Artspace, Oakland
Exquisite Confessions, Galerie GH36, Berlin
Fistfuls of Sky, WOWxWOW Magazine
VINYL, WonderlandSF
The End of an Era, WonderlandSF
Alphabet Soup, Studio Gallery SF
Art Market SF Art Fair, Hall Spassov booth

New Traditionalists, Secret Gallery, Astoria

2018 Texas Contemporary Art Fair, Hall Spassov, Seattle Stroke Art Fair, Stoerpunkt, Munich Small Works, BeinArt Gallery, Melbourne Baby Mama, Modern Eden, San Francisco Beyond the Untold, WOWxWOW Invitations to Travel, WOWxWOW Periodic Table, Arch Enemy Arts, Philadelphia Animation Reimagined, curated by Michael Cuffe, Modern Eden Dark Matters, beinArt, Melbourne The Infinite Well, WOWxWOW, Nucleus Gallery, Portland Half a Pound of Art, Stoerpunkt Gallery, Munich VINYL, WonderlandSF 10 Years in Wonderland, 111 Minna Gallery, San Francisco NouSurrealism, Future Gallery, Lake Orion Tiny, Pence Gallery, Davis The Creep Show, Pence Gallery, Davis The Greatest Show on Earth, Bash Fine Art, Las Vegas

2017 Works on Paper, AFA Gallery, NYC SingleFare 4, NYAA, NYC Familiar, Modern Eden Gallery, San Francisco Crazy for Cult, Gallery 1988, Los Angeles And If Our Days Won't Last, Distinction Gallery Small Works, beinArt Gallery, Melbourne Flower Child, Modern Eden, San Francisco Heavy Metal 40 Years, Copro Gallery, Los Angeles Simply Frida, WonderlandSF Art Auction, Paddle 8, OpeningsNY Lucha Libre, WonderlandSF Half a Pound of Art II, Stoerpunkt, Munich Group Show, Bash Fine Art, Las Vegas Lightning Bolts and Little Sparks, WOWxWOW invitational \$400, Pence Gallery, Davis Painted Prosthetic Project, Arch Enemy Arts, Philadelphia

Black and White, Pence Gallery, Davis Tiny, Pence Gallery, Davis Nocturne, Winfield Gallery, Carmel Flesh and Bone, BeinArt Gallery, Melbourne Art Auction #3, Incline Gallery, San Francisco

The Comfort of Stars, Arch Enemy Arts, Philadelphia
Dark Matters, Bash Fine Art, Las Vegas
Flesh and Bone, Beinart Gallery, Melbourne
Just Frida, Wonderland SF
Tempest, Haven Gallery, Northport, NY
Prosthetic Project, Wounded Warriors
Portraits of Friends, Modern Eden Gallery, San Francisco
Imaginary Menagerie III, Arch Enemy Arts
Half a Pound of Art, Stoerpunkt, Munich
On Coloring, PushDot, Portland
Inaugural show, BeinArt Gallery, Melbourne
bienArt Collective show, CoproGallery, Los Angeles
30 Years Later!, Gallery 1988, Los Angeles
Tiny, Pence Gallery

2015 Tiny, SF Studio Gallery The Royals, Arch Enemy Arts, Philadelphia Wanderlust, Modern Eden Gallery, San Francisco Plates and Totems, Blue Line Gallery, Sacramento For Your Eyes Only, Sidetracked Studios, Chicago VINYL, Wonderland SF, San Francisco Crazy 4 Cult, Gallery 1988, Los Angeles Get Real, Hall Spassov, Seattle New to the Gallery, Hall Spassov, Seattle Laluzapalooza, La Luz de Jesus Gallery, Los Angeles Storybook, curated by Michael Cuffe of Warholian, Modern Eden Gallery, San Francisco Never, Never, Ever Land, Wonderland SF, San Francisco Pop Thrills, Bash Contemporary, San Francisco Immortality and Vulnerability, Zhou B Gallery, Chicago Idiot Box, Gallery 1988, Los Angeles Seastruck, Pence Gallery, Sacramento On Coloring, curated by Catherine Haley Epstein, Portland

2014 Small Works, Arcadia Contemporary, NYC High on Lowbrow, Galeri Wolfsen, Aalborg, Denmark Seeing Things, Silicon Valley Art Fair, curator DeWitt Cheng With a Vengence, WonderlandSF Plates and Totems, Blue Line Gallery, Sacramento Sight Beyond Sight, Arch Enemy Arts, Philadelphia Auction, Pence Gallery, Davis Crazy 4 Cult 8, Gallery 1988, Los Angeles Joss Whedon, Gallery 1988, Los Angeles Family Guy, Gallery 1988, Los Angeles 5 x 7, Pence Gallery, Davis Liberalis, Novelis Gallery, NYC 4th Anniversary Show, Wonderland SF Subtle Art of Pop Culture, Gallery 1988, Los Angeles Laluzapalooza, La Luz de Jesus Gallery, Los Angeles Fortaleza, Wonderland SF

2013 Reality 2, curated by DeWitt Cheng, Pence Gallery, Davis Crazy 4 Cult 7, Gallery 1988, NYC
The Fantastic 50, 111 Minna Gallery, SF
3rd Anniversary Show, Wonderland SF
1.) All of the Above, St Paul the Apostle Church, NYC
Single Fare 3, RH Gallery, New York
Gowanus in Gowanus, Littlefield, Brooklyn
City Streets 13, Studio Gallery, San Francisco
Group Exhibition, Winfield Gallery, Carmel
Landscapes, Garden Gallery, Half Moon Bay

Chester's Blacksmith Shop, curated by Jeff Wardell

2011 Summer Show, Kit Schulte Contemporary Art, Berlin

Dejeuner sans L'Herbe: homage to the salon, Bogart Salon, Brooklyn

Mischief, Studio Gallery, San Francisco Monster Draw, Dumbo Arts Center, Brooklyn

2010 Director's Choice, Cain Schulte Contemporary Art, Berlin

Monaco 10, Cain Schulte Contemporary Art Berlin Hospitality House Live Auction, Andrea Schwartz Gallery, SF Visual Aid Live Auction, Sotherby's West, San Francisco Monster Draw, Southern Exposure, San Francisco

Tiny, Studio Gallery SF

2009 Things are in constant flux, Cain Schulte Contemporary Art, Berlin

Staff Picks, City College, San Francisco

Bay Area Art Educators, Ohlone College, Fremont Monster Draw, Southern Exposure, San Francisco Visual Aid Live Auction, Sotherby's West, San Francisco

Tiny, Studio Gallery SF Mischief, Studio Gallery SF

2008 Berlin Verge 08, Bridge Art Fair, Cain Schulte Contemporary Art

Red Dot NYC, Cain Schulte Contemporary Art Berlin Drawing, realist works on paper, A.Mus Gallery, San Francisco

Satellite Berlin, Cain Schulte Contemporary Art, Berlin Group Exhibition, Cain Schulte Contemporary Art, San Francisco

GRANTS, AWARDS, AND OTHER ACTIVITIES

2013 APT award nomination

Artist talk at Church of St Paul the Apostle, NYC

Co-Founder, Mission Artists Untied (now Mission Arts), San Francisco.
 Organizes Spring Open Studios in Mission District for over 300 artists.
 Artist Residency, 'Relative Connections', De Young Museum, San Francisco

2007 San Francisco Arts Commission, Cultural Equity Grant, Individual

Artist's Grant for 'Relative Connections', collaboration with artist Laura Parker

2007 George Sugarman Foundation Grant for individual artists

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

Levante, Valencia show, Spain, 2024

Carmel Pine Cone, 2024

Monterey County Weekly, Cherry Center show, 2024 Carmel and Big Sur Painters, book by Randy Tunnell, 2024 Curatress, 'Night Vision' Chris Leib, image feature, 2023

Canvas Rebel, Interview, 2023

Off the Easel, podcast interview, 2023

Carmel Pine Cone, Living Like a Bohemian Wore Thin, article by Dennis Taylor, 2023 Beautiful Bizarre, Chris Leib 'Hierarchy', Solo Exhibition at Modern Eden Gallery, 2023

Lowbrowpopsurrealists, Hierarchy show, March 2023

SupersonicArt, Hierarchy show, 2023 Tattoo Life (Italy), Hierarchy show, 2023

Artbusiness, Hierarchy show, 2023

Beautiful Bizarre, Supersonics Visions, image feature, 2023

Supersonic Art, Visions Show, 2023

Patch, Pence Gallery Davis, mention Tiny show, 2023

Supersonic Art, feature, 2022

Cyberzone Magazine, Interview, 2022

LÁ Weekly, review Adventures of Robert Williams show, mention, 2021

OC Voice, image feature, Adventures of Robert Williams show, 2021

Interview by Daniel Maidman, White Hot Magazine, NYC, 2022

Flying Fruit Bowl, interview, 2021

Urban Aesop, show book catalog Brassworks Gallery, 2021

Supersonic Art, Chris Leib, Recent Work, image feature, 2021

Cyberzone Magazine, Interview, 2020

ClementineZine Literary Magazine, drawing feature, 2020

Beautiful Bizarre, image feature, 2020 Boran Kazarani, interview, 2020

The Secret Gallery Podcast, interview, 2020

Exclusive Interviews: ME 'Artist of the Day', Beautiful Bizarre, 2020

Moments Journal, article, January 2020

Diabolic II, book by Out of Step, image feature, 2020

LoFi Podcast, Interview by John Went, 2020

Artistaday.com, Top Rated Artist, 2020

SupersonicArt, feature, 2019

SupersonicArt, feature on Beinart solo show, 2019

SurrealismToday, feature article, 2019

Alien Anthology, image feature for Aliens movie franchise promotion, 2019

Alien Anthology, video clip for Aliens movie franchise promotion, 2019

The Cultural Magazine, Spain, Cover and interview, 2018

Waiting to Dry Podcast, Ep 22; Chris Leib: Why Humans Paint with Whiskers, interview, 2018

Artospective, Interview, 2017

Beautiful Bizarre, If Our Days Won't Last, Image feature, 2017

Beautiful Bizarre, AFA Gallery Small Works, 2017

Fine Art Magazine Blog, Works on Paper @ AFA Gallery, image feature, 2017

Art Haps, Works on Paper AFA NYC, image, 2017

Artbusiness.com, Modern Eden 'Flower Child', Sept 1, 2017

Beautiful Bizarre Magazine, Instagram, AFA Gallery show, 2017

beinArt.org, interview by Luke Barrett, 2017

Dangerous minds.net, Heavy Metal show at Copro, image, 2017

Heavy Metal.com, Preview Heavy Metal's 40th Anniversary Art Show, image feature, 2017

Artistaday, Top 10: Spaced Out Edition, ranked #1, 2017

LA Weekly, Fans Celebrate the Sexy Sci-Fi Art of Heavy Metal Magazine in Santa Monica,

mention and image, 2017

Inked Magazine, Painted Prosthetics Project, image, 2017

Hi Fructose, Painted Prosthetic Project, article, mention and feature image, 2016

Savvy Painter Podcast, Interview, 2016

Hi Fructose, instagram post, 2016

Hi Fructose, ad for Force of Nature, 2016

Thisisnthappiness, Ancient Astronaut, 2016

Artospective, interview, 2016

Arrested Motion, Preview of Force of Nature, 2016

Ladder & Key, interview, 2016

Hi Fructose, ad feature, BeinArt Gallery October 2016

Beautiful Bizarre Magazine, FB image post, 2016

PictureSentence, essay on On Coloring show, image, 2016

Joule Magazine, feature and interview, 2016

La Mono Magazine, blog feature, 2016

decamP MagazinE, image feature, 2016

Beautiful Bizarre, beinArt Surreal Art Show, quote, 2016

Arrested Motion, Preview Inaugural Group Exhibition @ beinArt Gallery, 2016

Get Inspired Magazine, 25 Masters of Paint, 2016

beinArt Gallery, Inaugural Exhibition, invite image, 2016

HighLark, BeinArt Surreal Art Show, image feature, 2016

YAY! LA Magazine, Artistic Odyssey, The beinArt Surreal Art Show, 2016

HiFructose, social media image feature, 2016

HEY! Magazine, Paris, interview, feature, 2016

Underground Art Project Book, feature and interview, 2016

Beautiful Bizarre, The Royals @ Arch Enemy Arts, image featured, 2015

Fine Art Connoisseur, July 1: Get Real with Art, mention, 2015 BloPop Magazine, issue #1, feature and interview, 2015

Warholian, A Story Book Opening at Modern Eden, 2015

WOW x WOW, interview, 2015

Poets and Artists, IV, 2015

bienArt.org Surreal Art Collective, feature, 2015

Beautiful Bizarre, Laluzapalooza, mention, 2015

Artbusiness.com, 011015, images, 2015

Paint Pulse Magazine, feature, 2015

Progettismarriti.com (Italy), feature, A Strange Case of Nostalgia, 2014

Hi-Fructose, Re-cap: Art Silicon Valley Brings Banksy, Kehinde Wiley to the Suburbs. Mention, photo, 2014

Guff.com, 20 Awesome Pop Culture Examples, 2014

This Isn't Happiness, Future Pilot, Chris Leib, 2014

Hi-Fructose, Review Sight Beyone Sight, 2014

Artistaday.com, featured, 2014 (ranked #1)

Hi-Fructose, 'Sight Beyond Sight', Arch Enemy Arts, 2014

Creep Machine Magazine, Subtle Pop, 2014

Hi-Fructose, Preview Laluzapalooza at La Luz de Jesus, 2014

Attack Ebisu.com, feature, 2014

WhatanART.com, feature, 2014

Barcelona Cultura, feature, 2014

SupersonicElectronic.com, feature, 2013

Artfucksme.com, feature, 2013

Geektyrant.com, Crazy 4 Cult 7, 2013

Artchipel.com, featured, 2013

this isn't happiness, featured Spaceship Earth, 2013

Village Voice, Unsolved Mysteries, 2013

Artsnapper.com, video interview, 2013

Seek.Me Magazine, interview, issue 8, 2013

Vivante, featured, 2013

Warholian, image, 2013

CivilizeMag, image,2013

Streetartsf.com, event image feature, 2013

Racked.com, Wonderland SF 3rd Anniversary, May 14, 2013

artbusiness.com, May 3, 2013

Sex + Design Magazine, May 2013

Channel 12 News Brooklyn, May 2013

Preview: The Fantastic 50, Hi-Fructose, May 3, 2013

Bay Area Weekend Updates, The Projekt, May 2013

Exquisite Corpses, Poets and Artists, 2013

Artfuse.com, Single Fare show, 2013

Interview, Think-Work-Play.com, London, publication of Pernod, 2012

'One Hundred Dollars' Reworks The Dollar Bill At LittleField, Huffington Post, Arts section, July 13, 2012

Neukoellner.net, Wirklichkeitsmanipulation: Oddities, 2011

Montecarlo Daily, ArtMonaco, 2010

Mission Loc@l, Art, More to Like, 2009

Monopol Magazin, Berlin, 2009

Kunst Magazin, Berlin, 2009

Top Pick, featured, San Francisco Examiner, 2009

EDUCATION

Studio apprentice of Prof. Roberto Lupetti.

Academy of Art College, San Francisco. Graduate coursework in Fine Art

San Francisco State University. Graduate coursework in interactive computer art and painting,

Steve Wilson, George LeGrady, and Robert Bechtle

Bachelor of Arts, Anthropology, Honors, UC Berkeley