

# Michael Hight

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## Selected Solo Exhibitions

- 2023 *Michael Hight*, Gow Langsford Gallery, Auckland
- 2021 *Michael Hight*, Page Galleries, Wellington
- 2020 *Two Rivers*, Gow Langsford Gallery, Auckland  
*Recent Paintings*, Milford Galleries, Queenstown
- 2019 *Tributary*, Milford Galleries, Queenstown
- 2018 *The Hunterville Suite*, Gow Langsford Gallery, Auckland  
*Michael Hight: 2018*, Page Blackie Gallery, Wellington
- 2017 Gow Langsford Gallery, Auckland  
*Recent Paintings*, Milford Galleries, Queenstown
- 2016 *Return to the Miniature Garden*, Gow Langsford Gallery, Auckland  
*Tongaporutu*, Page Blackie Gallery, Wellington
- 2015 *New Paintings*, Milford Galleries, Queenstown
- 2014 *Crossing the Line*, Gow Langsford Gallery, Auckland
- 2013 *49 Rivers*, Page Blackie Gallery, Wellington
- 2012 *Recent Works*, Milford Galleries, Dunedin
- 2012 *Dreams of Children*, Gow Langsford Gallery, Auckland
- 2011 *Reliquary*, Page Blackie Gallery, Wellington
- 2010 *From Waimarino to Red Jacks*, John Leech Gallery, Auckland  
*Wakatipu*, Milford Galleries, Queenstown  
*Recent Paintings*, Millenium Art Gallery, Marlborough
- 2009 *The Road to Erewhon*, Milford Galleries, Dunedin
- 2008 *Michael Hight*, John Leech Gallery, Auckland
- 2007 *Recent Work*, Milford Galleries, Dunedin
- 2006 *Taieri*, Milford Galleries, Dunedin  
*Manuherikia*, Janne Land Gallery, Wellington  
*New Paintings*, John Leech Gallery, Auckland
- 2005 *New Paintings*, Janne Land Gallery, Wellington
- 2004 *Land of Milk and Honey*, John Leech Gallery, Auckland  
*Wandering Eye*, Milford Galleries, Dunedin
- 2002 *Omarama, Place of Light*, Gow Langsford Gallery, Auckland
- 2001 Campbell Grant Galleries, Christchurch
- 2000 *Northern Landscapes*, Gow Langsford Gallery, Auckland
- 1999 *Recent Paintings*, Campbell Grant Galleries, Christchurch  
*Recent Paintings*, Janne Land Gallery, Wellington
- 1998 *Maungakakamea*, Gow Langsford Gallery, Auckland  
*Gazetteer*, Janne Land Gallery, Auckland
- 1997 *Footnote*, Campbell Grant Galleries, Christchurch
- 1996 *Four Strong Winds*, Janne Land Gallery, Wellington  
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- 1995 *In Trust*, Gow Langsford Gallery, Auckland  
*Seven Rivers*, Janne Land Gallery, Wellington
- 1992 *Heartland Trinkets*, Gow Langsford Gallery, Auckland
- 1991 Gow Langsford Gallery, Auckland
- 1990 *The Quick Brown Fox*, Sculpture Installation, Fisher Gallery, Auckland  
 Gow Langsford Gallery, Auckland  
 33 1/3 Gallery, Wellington
- 1989 Gow Langsford Gallery, Auckland  
 33 1/3 Gallery, Wellington
- 1988 Gow Langsford Gallery, Auckland  
 Jonathan Jensen Gallery, Christchurch  
 33 1/3 Gallery, Wellington
- 1987 33 1/3 Gallery, Wellington
- 1986 Falcon Gallery, London, England  
 The Foyer Gallery, Hampstead, London, England
- 1984 Words and Pictures Gallery, Auckland

#### Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2020 *Sustaining the Local*, The Central Art Gallery, Christchurch  
*Through the Window*, Gow Langsford Gallery, Auckland
- 2018 *A Place to Stand*, Gow Langsford Gallery, Auckland  
 Sydney Contemporary, Booth B02, Gow Langsford Gallery
- 2017 *Celebrating 30 Years*, Gow Langsford Gallery, Auckland
- 2016 *Five Painters*, Gow Langsford Gallery, Auckland
- 2015 *Spring Catalogue*, Gow Langsford Gallery, Auckland
- 2014 *Frieze*, Gow Langford Gallery, Auckland  
*Significant Works* Milford Galleries, Dunedin
- 2012 *New Year, New Works*, Gow Langsford Gallery, Auckland
- 2010 *Frieze*, Gow Langford Gallery, Auckland
- 2009 *Masterworks*, Milford Galleries, Queenstown
- 2008 *Drawings*, John Leech Gallery, Auckland
- 2007 *Te Turinga: Turning Point* City Gallery, Wellington
- 2005 *The North Western Line*, Corban Estate Art Centre
- 2004 *Landscape Show*, Lopdell House, Titirangi
- 2001 *Wild Season*, City Gallery, Wellington
- 1999 *Crossed Out*, Gow Langsford Gallery, Auckland
- 1998 *Christmas Show*, Gow Langsford Gallery, Auckland
- 1998 *Current Abstraction*, Milford House, Dunedin
- 1997 *Visa Gold Contemporary Art Awards*, Auckland Art Gallery, Wellington City Gallery
- 1995 *Found Objects*, Outreach, Auckland
- 1993 *Gift of the Artist*, Artspace, Auckland
- 1992 *Pacific Traces*, 33 1/3 Gallery, Wellington

- 1991 *Big Pictures Show*, Gow Langsford Gallery, Auckland  
1989 *Outcrop*, Govett Brewster Gallery, New Plymouth  
1987 *Three Painters*, Artspace, Auckland

### Collections

ABN AMRO Collection  
Fletcher Trust Collection  
Museum of New Zealand Te Papa Tongarewa, Wellington  
James Wallace Trust, Auckland  
Pukeiti Collection, New Plymouth  
Coopers and Lybrand, Auckland  
Colenso, Wellington  
The Chartwell Collection  
Sky City Hotel and Casino, Auckland

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