

Laura Leonhard

"The Purpose of art is mystery"
René Magritte

Laura Leonhard received an AAS in Fine Arts from Fashion Institute of Technology, New York, and a BFA in Photography from the School of Visual Arts, New York. Laura works with a number of mediums to create unique pieces. The "photoist" refers to her travels, childhood, traditional subjects, as well as situations from everyday life to create compositions.

My assemblage works are self portraits. I view myself as the inner figure, surrounded by pressures of life and society. The gears and numerals depict the passing of time. My ideas and resulting images stem from creative inner views, excitement, and passion regarding a moment of life - be it any subject matter. Inside I am churning with heterogeneous feelings and impassioned responses. I then parlay these into a permanent one of a kind image, to evolve an individual's private moment of reflection and emotion. The viewer must determine what he or she sees or doesn't.

"Imagination is more important than knowledge"
Albert Einstein

Exhibits

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| June 2005 | "Out on Melrose"
Hamilton-Selway Fine Arts, West Hollywood, Ca. |
| September 2003 | "Glued Screwed & Nailed"
Hamilton-Selway Fine Arts, West Hollywood, Ca. |
| April 2001 | "Stitch in Time"
Hamilton-Selway Fine Arts, West Hollywood, Ca. |
| August 1999 | "8 Points of View"
Wolfryd-Selway Gallery, West Hollywood, Ca. |

- January 1997 "16 Points of View"
Gallery Galgano, West Hollywood, Ca.
- November 1995 "5x5x5"
Gallery Galgano, West Hollywood, Ca.
- August 1995 "Grand Opening"
Gallery Galgano, West Hollywood, Ca.
- May 1993 "Photo Exhibition"
Gallery X, Hollywood, Ca.