

VICKIE VAINIONPÄÄ

B. 1992, Toronto, Canada

Lives and works in Montréal, Canada.

EDUCATION

Skowhegan School of Painting & Sculpture, Skowhegan, Maine, 2026 (forthcoming)

B.A, University of Waterloo, Ontario, 2015

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2026 *Solo Show, Olga Korper Gallery, Toronto, Canada (forthcoming)*

2026 *Soft Logic, Gainesboro Modern Museum, Tennessee, USA (forthcoming)*

2024 Gaze Paintings, Olga Korper Gallery, Toronto, Canada

2023 Metamorphoses, Museo Belvedere di San Leucio, Caserta, Italy

2022 Software, The Hole, New York, USA

2022 NADA Miami with The Hole, Miami, USA

2021 Vickie Vainionpää, Patrick Mikhail, Montreal, Canada

2021 FLOW_STATE, Nicola Pedana, Caserta, Italy

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2025 Exaltation, Plato Gallery, New York, NY

2025 Formative, Ruzy Gallery, Istanbul, Turkey, Curated by Thom Oosterhof

2025 Flux of Light (Duo with Anselm Reyle), Future Gallery, Berlin, Germany

2025 XXS Small Paintings, C O U N T Y Gallery, Palm Beach, USA

2024 Light of Winter, Perrotin, New York, USA

2024 Sparks, Future Gallery, Berlin, Germany

2024 Theory of Networks, Patrick Mikhail, Montreal, Canada

2024 Double Vision (Part II), Plato Gallery, New York, USA

2023 X Pink 101, X Museum, Beijing, China

2023 Abstraction, Taymour Grahne Projects, London, UK

2023 Cacotopia, Annka Kultys, London, UK

2022 Selected Works, Collection of Elizabeth Margulies at the Warehouse, Miami, USA

2022 Imagining Reality, Future Gallery, Berlin, Germany

2022 The Armory Show with The Hole, New York, USA

2022 Her, Fir Gallery, Beijing, China

2022 Transobjectional, Patrick Mikhail, Montreal, Canada

2021 Salto in Altro, Palazzo Monti, Brescia, Italy

2021 Digital Spirit, GR Gallery, New York, USA

2021 Bio Tech, The Hole, New York, USA

2021 A Posteriori, Art Mur, Montreal, Canada

2021 Fondation du MAC benefit auction, Musée d'Art Contemporain, Montreal, Canada

2020 Turn on the bright lights, Nicola Pedana, Caserta, Italy

2020 Matériaux, WIP Gallery, Montreal, Canada

2019 Color & Form, Rauschenberg / Captiva Foundation, Miami, USA

2019 (im)permanent collection, A+D Museum, Los Angeles

RESIDENCIES & AWARDS

- 2024 Hopper Prize, Shortlisted Artist
- 2023 The Fores Project Residency, London, UK
- 2023 Concept to Realization Grant, Canada Council for the Arts
- 2021 Palazzo Monti Residency, Brescia, Italy
- 2021 Explore and Create Grant, Conseil des Arts et Lettres du Quebec
- 2019 Vermont Studio Center Residency, Vermont, USA
- 2017 Banff Centre for Arts and Creativity Residency, Banff, Canada
- 2017 Louis Muhlstock Endowment

COLLECTIONS

- X Museum, Beijing
- Gainesboro Modern Museum, TN
- Collection of Elizabeth Margulies at The Warehouse, Miami
- Palazzo Monti, Italy
- University of Waterloo, Ontario

ARTICLES & PUBLICATIONS

- 2024 ArtBeat Podcast, [Vickie Vainionpää When Art and Algorithm Collide](#), Aug 2024
- 2024 Schuster, Clayton. [Opposing Forces](#) Hi-Fructose Magazine, Issue 71, July 2024, p. 66
- 2024 Frew, James. [Painting as a post-digital formalism](#) Journal of Contemporary Painting, Volume 9, Issue 2, Oct 2023, p. 167 - 191
- 2024 Paloma Parker, Odessa. ["What does it mean to look at a painting? One artist uses eye-tracking software to find out"](#) The Globe and Mail
- 2024 Lichterwaldt, Daniel. ["Interview"](#) Les Nouveau Riches Magazine
- 2024 Becker, Noah. ["Whitehot Recommends: Vickie Vainionpää's Gaze Paintings at Olga Korper Gallery"](#) Whitehot Magazine
- 2023 Dr. Frew, James. ["Metamorphoses"](#) Exhibition Catalogue
- 2023 Pariante, Fabio. ["Generative art in the Painting Process"](#) MuseumWeek Magazine
- 2023 Simun, Mirium. ["Transhumanist Cephalopod Evolution"](#) Forecast Journal Issue 10
- 2022 Bogojev, Saša. ["6 Artists Interpreting the Digital Art Landscape"](#) L'Officiel Magazine
- 2022 Hencz, Adam. ["Between Human & Machine"](#) Artland Magazine
- 2022 Hencz, Adam. ["What is Generative Art?"](#) Artland Magazine
- 2022 Feim, Alex. ["Algorithmic painting in physical space"](#) Battery Journal
- 2022 Ghassemitari, Shawn. ["Vickie Vainionpää Uses Generative Code"](#) Hypebeast
- 2021 Grayson, Emma. ["BIO TECH"](#) The Artist Workspace
- 2021 Bongiani, Sandro. ["Vickie Vainionpää, FLOW_STATE"](#) Exibart
- 2021 Jeff. ["Booooooom Featured Artist"](#) Booooooom.com
- 2021 Krysa, Danielle. ["Featured Artist: Vickie Vainionpää"](#) TheJealousCurator.com
- 2021 Bogojev, Saša. ["Digital Spirit"](#) Juxtapoz.com
- 2021 Mothes, Kate. ["Vickie Vainionpää: Soft Body Dynamics 40"](#) SuperRare.com
- 2020 Olson, Grady. ["Blending the natural and digital world"](#) GrossMag.com
- 2020 Bongiani, Sandro. ["Turn on the bright lights"](#) Exibart
- 2020 Farinotti, Rossella and Biancuzzi, Gianmaria. ["The Colouring Book"](#), Milano Art Guide