

DR LEONARD MCCOMB HON RWS RE RP RA

- 1930 Born in Glasgow, UK
- 1954-56 Studied at the Regional College of Art, Manchester
- 1956-1959 Studied at the Slade School of Fine Art
- 1960 Graduated with a Post-Graduate Degree in Sculpture from the Slade
- 1976 Exhibited in *The Human Clay* held, the Hayward Gallery, London
- 1977 First solo show at the Coracle Press
- 1982 Included in group show at the Whitechapel Art Gallery, London
- 1983 Arts Council touring exhibition, *Leonard McComb Drawing Painting Sculpture*
- 1984 Included in group show at the Tate Gallery, London
- 1986 Included in group show at the Hirshhorn Museum, Washington D.C
- 1987 Included in group show at the Museum of Modern Art, Brussels
- 1991 Elected to the Royal Academy
- 1992 Solo show, *New Works on Paper*, Gillian Jason Gallery, Islington
- 1993 Solo show, *Leonard McComb Drawings and Painting*, Browse and Darby
- 1995-98 Served as Keeper of the Royal Academy
- 1996 Made Honorary Member of the Royal Watercolour Society and the Royal Society of Printmakers
- 1997 Exhibited in *The Pursuit of Painting*, Irish Museum of Modern Art, Dublin
- 2000 Solo show *Leonard McComb Portraits*, New York Studio School Gallery
- 2001 Exhibited in *Between Earth and Heaven*, Museum of Modern Art, Ostende
- 2004 Solo show *Drawings, Paintings and Sculpture*, Talbot Rice Gallery, Edinburgh
- 2004 Awarded honorary Doctorate from Oxford Brooks University
- 2006 Commissioned to design mosaics for Westminster Cathedral, London

Selected Collections

Arts Council
Cecil Higgins Art Gallery and Museum, Bedford
Birmingham City Art Gallery
British Council
British Museum
Cambridge University

Manchester Art Gallery
National Portrait Gallery
Swindon Art Gallery
Tate Gallery
Towner Art Gallery, Eastbourne
Ulster Museum
Victoria and Albert Museum
Art Galleries of Worcester and Belfast
Leicester City Gallery

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