

Leonor Fini

BORN IN BUENOS AIRES, ARGENTINA, 1907

DIED IN PARIS, FRANCE, 1996

Selected Solo Exhibitions

2025	"Io Sono Leonor Fini, I Am Leonor Fini" Palazzo Reale, Milan, Italy
2024–25	"Deux Femmes," Orange County Museum of Art, Costa Mesa, CA
2023	"Leonor Fini: Metamorphosis," Kasmin Gallery, New York, NY
2021	"Leonor Fini: Not a Muse, an Artist," Lilley Museum of Art, University of Nevada, Reno, NV
2019	"Fêtes secretes et autres contes," Musée de l'Hospice Saint-Roch, Issoudun, France
2018–19	"Leonor Fini: Theatre of Desire: 1930-1990," Museum of Sex, New York, NY
2017–18	"Leonor Fini: Memorie triestine," Instituto Italiano di Cultura, Brussels, Belgium
2014	"Vacances d'artistes. 1956, Leonor Fini à Nonza," Musée de Bastia, Corsica, France "Leonor Fini: Pourquoi pas?" Bildmuseet, Umeå University, Umeå, Sweden
2011	"Leonor Fini I Konstanty A. Jelenski," Muzeum Literatury, Warsaw
2009	"Leonor Fini: L'Italienne de Paris," Museo Revoltella, Trieste, Italy
2008	Musée de l'Hospice Saint-Roch, Issoudun, France
2006–07	"Métamorphoses d'une femme," Atelier Grogard, Rueil-Malmaison, France
2005	"Leonor Fini alla Scala," Museo Teatrale alla Scala, Milan, Italy "Exposition Leonor Fini," Nagoya City Art Museum, Nagoya; Museum of Modern Art, Gunma; Daimaru Museum Umeda, Osaka and Bunkamura Museum, Tokyo, Japan
2002	"Leonor Fini Portraits," La Malmaison, Cannes, France
2001	"Leonor Fini Huiles, aquarelles, encres, dessins," Maison Fompeyrouse, Cordes-sur-Ciel, France
2000	"Cats by Leonor Fini," Kattenkabinet, Amsterdam, Netherlands Mairie de Saint-Mandé, France "Leonor Fini – A l'ombre de l'aube," Lavoir Vasserot, Saint-Tropez, France
1998	"Hommage à Leonor Fini," Hôtel Martinez, Cannes, France
1997–98	"Leonor Fini: Peintre du Fantastique. Rétrospective," Panorama Museum, Bad Frankenhausen, Germany
1997	"Leonor Fini — Stanislao Lepri Peintures, Maison de la Loire du Loir-et-Cher, Saint-Dyé-sur-Loire, France "Leonor Fini Oeuvres de 1925 à 1995, Château de Vascoeuil, Normandy, France
1993	Kunsthau Dr. Hans Hartl, Freising, Germany
1992	Maison de la Loire du Loir-et-Cher, Saint-Dyé-sur-Loire, France "Leonor Fini: The Artist as Designer," CFM Gallery, New York, NY
1986	Musée du Luxembourg, Paris, France
1985–86	"Retrospective," Sogo Museum of Art, Yokohama; Daimaru Museum Umeda, Osaka; Municipal Art Museum, Kitakyushu; Hokkaido Museum of Modern Art, Sapporo, Japan
1985	Musée du Bastion Saint-André, Remparts du Vieil Antibes, France

1983	"Leonor Fini," Galleria Civica d'Arte Moderna, Palazzo dei Diamanti, Ferrara, Italy
1981	Museum Villa Stuck, Munich, Germany Musée Ingres, Montauban, France
1978	"L'autre théâtre de Leonor Fini," Musée d'Anger, France Musée d'Art Moderne, Sint-Martens-Latem, Belgium
1977	"Leonor Fini au Château de Vascoeuil," Château de Vascoeuil, Normandy, France
1976	Musée d'Art Moderne, Sint-Martens-Latem, Belgium
1972–73	"Retrospective," Seibu Museum, Tokyo; Hanshin Museum, Osaka; Fukuoka Museum, Hiroshima Museum, and Kanazawa Museum, Japan
1970	"Retrospective," Galerie Isy Brachot, Brussels, Belgium
1968	Galleria Torbandena, Trieste, Italy
1967–68	Galleria Alexander Iolas, Milan, Italy
1967	Hanover Gallery, London, United Kingdom
1965	"Retrospective," Casino Communal, Knokke-le-Zoute, Belgium Galerie Alexandre Iolas, Paris, France
1963	Alexander Iolas Gallery, New York, NY
1960	Kaplan Gallery, London, United Kingdom
1959	Galerie Rive Doite, Paris, France
1955	Galerie Drouant-David, Paris, France
1954	Palais de Lausanne, Lausanne; Musée d'Art et d'Histoire, Geneva, Switzerland
1951	Museo Correr, St. Mark's Square, Venice, Italy Galleria dell'Ala Napoleonica, Palazzo Reale, Venice, Italy
1948–49	Maisons des Loisirs, La Louvière, Belgium
1948	Palais des Beaux-Arts, Brussels, Belgium
1939	"Leonor Fini Recent Paintings," Julien Levy Gallery, New York, NY
1936	Julien Levy Gallery, New York, NY
1932	Galerie Jacques Bonjean, Paris, France
1929	Galleria Barboroux, Milan, Italy

Selected Group Exhibitions

2024	"31 Women: An Exhibition by Peggy Guggenheim," Fundación MAPFRE, Madrid, Spain "IMAGINE! 100 Years of International Surrealism," Royal Museum of Fine Arts of Belgium, Brussels; Centre Pompidou, Paris; Hamburger Kunsthalle, Hamburg; Fundación MAPFRE, Madrid; Philadelphia Museum of Art, Philadelphia "Surrealism in the Service of Distraction," curated by Alyce Mahon, Gallery Raphaël Durazzo, Paris, France
2023	"Pictures Girls Make: Portraitsures," Blum & Poe, Los Angeles, CA "Modigliani and the Modern Portrait," Nassau County Museum of Art, Roslyn Harbor, NY
2022–23	"Surrealism and Magic: From Max Ernst to Leonora Carrington," Peggy Guggenheim Collection, Venice, Italy and Museum Barberini, Potsdam, Germany
2022	"The Witch's Cradle," in "The Milk of Dreams," 59 th International Art Exhibition, La Biennale di Venezia, Venice, Italy "Surrealism Beyond Borders," Tate Modern, London, United Kingdom

2021–22	"Surrealistic Creatures," Max Ernst Museum Brühl, Germany
2020	"Fantastic Women, Surreal Worlds from Meret Oppenheim to Frida Kahlo," Schirn Kunsthalle, Frankfurt, Germany
	"The Tears of Eros. Moesman, Surrealism and the Sexes," Centraal Museum, Utrecht, Netherlands
2019–21	"Objects of Desire: Surrealism and Design 1924-Today," Vitra Design Museum, Weil am Rhein, Germany
2019–20	"Dora Maar," Centre Georges Pompidou, Paris, France
2017–19	"Realismo magico, L'incanto nella pittura italiana degli anni Venti e Trenta," MART Museo d'Art Moderne e Contemporanea di Trento e Rovereto, Rovereto, Italy
2017	"Medusa. Bijoux et Tabous," Musée d'Art moderne de la Ville de Paris, Paris, France
	"The Beguiling Siren is Thy Crest," Muzeum Sztuki Nowoczesnej w Warszawie, Warsaw, Poland
	"Mad About Surrealism," Museum Boijmans Van Beuningen, Rotterdam, Netherlands
2007–08	"Surreal Things," Victoria and Albert Museum, London, United Kingdom
2002	"La Révolution surréaliste," Centre Georges Pompidou, Paris, France
2001–02	"Surrealism: Desire Unbound," Tate Modern, London, United Kingdom
1998–99	"Mirror Images: Women, Surrealism and Self-Representation," MIT List Visual Arts Center, Cambridge, MA
1998	"Peggy Guggenheim: A Centennial Celebration," Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum, New York, NY
1987–89	"Henri Cartier-Bresson: The Early Work," The Detroit Institute of Arts, MI; The Art Institute of Chicago, IL; The Museum of Photographic Arts, San Diego, CA; Danforth Museum of Art, Farmingham, MA; The Museum of Fine Arts, Houston, TX; National Gallery of Canada, Ottawa, Canada
1987–88	"La Femme et le Surréalisme," Musée cantonal des Beaux Arts, Lausanne, Switzerland
1976–77	"Woman Artists 1550-1950," Los Angeles County Museum of Art, CA; University Art Museum, University of Texas at Austin, TX; Museum of Art, Carnegie Institute, Pittsburgh, PA; Brooklyn Museum, New York, NY
1975	"Collection Peggy Guggenheim," Orangerie, Paris, France; Galleria Civica d'Arte Moderna, Turin, Italy
1973	"Erotic Art," New School Art Center, New York, NY
1968	"Salon de Mai," Musée municipal d'Art moderne, Paris, France
1964	"Salon de Mai," Musée d'Art moderne de la Ville de Paris, Paris, France
1963	"Salon de Mai, Musée d'Art moderne de la Ville de Pari, Paris, France
1953–54	"Futuristas et Artistas Italianos de Hoje," 2a Bienal de São Paulo, Brazil
1948	Venice Biennale, Venice, Italy
1943	"An Exhibition by 31 Women," Art of This Century Gallery, New York, NY
1938	Venice Biennale, Venice, Italy
1936	"Fantastic Art, Dada, Surrealism," The Museum of Modern Art, New York, NY
1933	"La Peinture italienne contemporaine," Musée du Luxembourg, Paris, France
1930	Venice Biennale, Venice, Italy

Public Collections

Art Institute of Chicago, IL
California Palace of the Legion of Honor, San Francisco, CA
Centre Georges Pompidou, Paris, France
Columbia University Libraries, New York, NY
Galleria d'Arte Moderna e Contemporanea, Palazzo Massari, Ferrara, Italy
Galleria Nazionale d'Arte Moderna e Contemporanea, Rome, Italy
Galleria Nazionale d'Arte Moderna, Museo Mario Praz, Rome, Italy
McNay Art Museum, San Antonio, TX
Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, NY
Miyazaki Prefectural Art Museum, Miyazaki, Japan
Musée d'Art et d'Histoire, Geneva, Switzerland
Musée d'Art Moderne de la Ville de Paris, France
Musée de Grenoble, France
Musée de l'Hospice Saint-Roch, Issoudun, France
Museo Revoltella, Trieste, Italy
Museum of Modern Art, Brussels, Belgium
Opéra National de Paris, France
Peggy Guggenheim Collection, Venice, Italy
Tate Modern, London, United Kingdom