

Fraenkel Gallery

RICHARD AVEDON

15 May 1923 – 1 October 2004

Born in New York, New York

AWARDS & FELLOWSHIPS

2000

Columbia University Graduate School of Journalism, New York, Lifetime Achievement Award

Photo District News: Most Influential Photographer

Deutsches Centrum fur Photographie, Berlin Photography Prize 2000

1998

The Alliance for Young Artists & Writers Award for Lifetime Achievement in the Arts

1996

Mental Health Association of New York City, Humanitarian Award

1994

Evidence is awarded the Prix Nadar by the Biblioteque Nationale for the best photographic book of 1994

Parsons School of Design, New York, Honorary Doctorate

1993

Kenyon College, Ohio, Honorary Doctorate

International Center of Photography Master of Photography Award

1991

Erna and Victor Hasselblad Foundation International Photography Prize

1989

Royal College of Art, London, Honorary Doctorate

The Fashion Group International, Highest Achievement Award

Council of Fashion Designers of America (CDFA), Lifetime Achievement Award

1987

Harvard University, Certificate of Recognition, Visiting Artist 1986-87

1985

Eastman Kodak Award of Excellence as Commercial Television Director of the Year
Adweek magazine, Commercial Television Director of the Year
Maine Photographic Workshop Nikon Award for the Best Photographic Book of the Year
American Society of Magazine Photographers, Photographer of the Year

1982

Art Director's Club, New York, The Hall of Fame

1980

University of California, Berkeley, California, Chancellor's Citation

1978

Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, Rhode Island, President's Fellow

1976

The Family, National Magazine Award for Visual Excellence

1958

Popular Photography magazine, One of the World's Ten Greatest Photographers

1950

Art Director's Club, New York, The Hall of Fame

1941

Poet Laureate of New York City High Schools (*The New York Times*, May 24, 1941)

SELECTED INDIVIDUAL EXHIBITIONS

2010–11

Richard Avedon: Fashion, Stage, and Screen, Palm Springs Museum of Art, Palm Springs, CA
(16 October – 30 January)

2009

Avedon: Fashion: Photographs, 1944-2000, International Center of Photography, New York, NY
(15 May – 6 September)

Richard Avedon: Portraits of Power, San Diego Museum of Art, San Diego, CA
(6 June – 6 September)

Richard Avedon – Photographs 1946-2004, San Francisco Museum of Modern Art,
San Francisco, CA (11 July – 29 November)

Richard Avedon – Photographs 1946-2004, FOAM Fotografiemuseum, Amsterdam,
The Netherlands (13 February – 13 May)

2008–09

Richard Avedon: Portraits of Power, Corcoran, Washington, DC (13 September – 25 January)

Richard Avedon – Photographs 1946-2004, Martin-Gropius-Bau, Berlin, Germany

(17 October– 17January)

Richard Avedon: Performance, Pace/MacGill Gallery, New York, NY (13 November – 3 January)

2008

Richard Avedon: Performance, Fraenkel Gallery, San Francisco, CA (6 November – 27 December)

Richard Avedon – Photographs 1946-2004, Jeu de Paume, Paris, France (1 July – 27 September)

2006

Eye of the Beholder: Photographs from the Collection of Richard Avedon, Fraenkel Gallery,
San Francisco, CA (5 October – 25 November)

Columbus Museum of Art, Columbus, OH

Center for Creative Photography, Tucson, AZ

2003

Richard Avedon: Andy Warhol & the Factory 1969 & The Family 1976, Fraenkel Gallery,
San Francisco, CA (4 January – 1 March)

2002

Richard Avedon: In the American West, Diputación de Granada, Granada, Spain

Avedon's Portraits, Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, NY

2001

Richard Avedon: Made in France, Fraenkel Gallery, San Francisco, CA

(1 November – 29 December)

In the American West, Kunstmuseum Wolfsburg

1999–2000

Richard Avedon: Early Portraits, Fraenkel Gallery, San Francisco, CA (2 December - 29 January)

1994

Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, NY

1991

Carnegie Museum of Art, Pittsburgh, PA

1989

International Art Fair, Basel, Switzerland

1987

High Museum of Art, Atlanta, GA

1986

Phoenix Art Museum, Phoenix, AZ

1986

Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL

San Francisco Museum of Art, San Francisco, CA

1985

Corcoran Gallery of Art, Washington, DC

Amon Carter Museum, Fort Worth, TX

1980

University of California, Berkeley, CA

1979

Isetan Museum, Tokyo, Japan

1979

High Museum of Art, Atlanta, GA

1978

Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, NY

1977

Seibu Museum, Tokyo, Japan

1975

Marlborough Gallery, New York, NY

1974

Museum of Modern Art, New York, NY

1970

Minneapolis Institute of Arts, Minneapolis, MN

1962

Smithsonian Institution, Washington, DC

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

2002

Richard Avedon: Portraits, Metropolitan Museum of Art

2001

Made in France, Fraenkel Gallery

1999

Avedon: The Sixties, with Doon Arbus, Random House, Inc.

1998

The Naked & the Dressed: 20 Years of Versace by Avedon, Jonathan Cape

1994

Evidence: 1944-1994, Random House, Inc.

1993

An Autobiography., Random House, Inc.

1985

In the American West 1979-1984, Harry N. Abrams, Inc.

1977

Avedon: Photographs 1947-1977, Farrar, Straus & Giroux

1976

The Family, Rolling Stone Magazine 21 October, Special Bicentennial Issue
Portraits, Farrar, Straus & Giroux

1973

Alice in Wonderland: The Forming of a Company, the Making of a Play, E.P. Dutton

1964

Nothing Personal, Atheneum

1959

Observations, Simon & Schuster, Inc.

SELECTED INSTITUTIONAL COLLECTIONS

Amon Carter Museum, Fort Worth, TX

Andreas Reinhardt Collection, Switzerland

Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL

Center for Creative Photography, Tucson, AZ

Cincinnati Art Museum, Cincinnati, OH

High Museum of Art, Atlanta, GA

International Museum of Photography, George Eastman House, Rochester, NY

Kunsthaus, Zürich, Switzerland

Kunstmuseum, Basel, Switzerland

Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, NY

Minneapolis Institute of the Arts, Minneapolis, MN

Musée de l'Élysée, Lausanne, Switzerland

Museum of Fine Arts, Houston, TX

Museum of Modern Art, New York, NY

National Portrait Gallery, London, England

National Portrait Gallery, Washington, DC

Pilara Family Foundation, San Francisco, CA

San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, San Francisco, CA

Smithsonian Institute, National Museum of American History, Washington, DC

Victoria & Albert Museum, London, England