

## **Nicolas Ruel**

October Editor's Picks: Art

TO OCTOBER 18 Quebec artists continue to gain an audience in Ontario courtesy of the Distillery Historic District's beautiful Thompson Landry Gallery. Yet, in a sense, the gallery's latest exhibition has an international flavour, as Montreal-based photographer Nicolas Ruel presents 8 Secondes, a new series of images that



Laterns, Singapore by Nicolas Ruel.

depict the world's great cities through multiple eight-second exposures. Evoking a dreamlike dynamism, these photos are all the more impressive for being printed on stainless steel—the medium's light-reflecting surface lends further animation to the already vital works.