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Education

2003–2005	MFA, Malmö Art Academy, Sweden
2000–2003	BFA, Art Academy in Trondheim, Norway
2003	Royal College of Art, Stockholm, Sweden
2002	Kunsthochschule Berlin-Weißensee, Germany

Selected Solo Exhibitions

2025	<i>e& retur</i> , Nässjö Konsthall, Nässjö, Sweden
2023	<i>Variationer I - II</i> , Galleri Arnstedt, Östra Karup, Sweden
2021	<i>TVÄRS</i> , Vattentornet Konsthall, Säffle, Sweden
2020	<i>Repetitions</i> , Helsinki Contemporary, Helsinki, Finland Dalstlands Konstmuseum, Åsensbruk, Sweden
2019	<i>Spatial Variations</i> , Galerie Enrique Guerrerro, Mexico City, Mexico Gallery Sign, Reykjavik, Iceland
2018	Bærum Kunsthall, Bærum, Norway Galerie Ramakers, Den Haag, The Netherlands <i>Alternative Readings</i> , The Flat – Massimo Carasi, Milan, Italy <i>Sultans of Salvage</i> , Kristinehamns Konstmuseum, Sweden <i>Never Odd or Even</i> , Galleri Andersson/Sandström, Stockholm, Sweden
2017	<i>Rumsligheter och andra hemligheter</i> , Alingsås Konsthall, Alingsås, Sweden Museum Voorlinden, Wassenaar, The Netherlands <i>This Side Up</i> , Nationalmuseum Design, Kulturhuset, Stockholm, Sweden <i>180°</i> , Møre & Romsdal Kunstsenter, Molde, Norway
2016	Galleri Arnstedt, Östra Karup, Sweden
2015	Østfold Kunstnersenter, Fredrikstad, Norway <i>Crossroads</i> , The Flat – Massimo Carasi, Milan, Italy <i>Swedish Democracy</i> (with Marcus Eek), Helsinki Contemporary, Helsinki, Finland
2014	RAKE visningsrom, Trondheim, Norway Värmlands Museum, Karlstad, Sweden Galerie Ramakers, Den Haag, The Netherlands The Gothenburg Museum of Art, Gothenburg, Sweden
2013	<i>Lines and Layers</i> , Galleri Christoffer Egelund, Copenhagen, Denmark <i>Ensemble</i> , Manmade Wooyoungmi, Seoul, South Korea <i>Shades and Variables</i> , Galleri Andersson/Sandström, Stockholm, Sweden <i>Parallella Historier</i> , Konsthallen Trollhättan, Trollhättan, Sweden <i>Familiar Abstractions</i> , Vigeland-museet, Oslo, Norway
2012	<i>Still Lives</i> , The Flat – Massimo Carasi, Milan, Italy

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- 2011 *Horror Vacui*, AIT, Tokyo, Japan
Bunker, Kunstbanken, Hedmark Kunstsenter, Hamar, Norway
Recollection, Ystad Konstmuseum, Ystad, Sweden
 Luleå Konsthall, Luleå, Sweden
Familiar Abstractions, The Flat – Massimo Carasi, Milan, Italy
- 2010 *TÄTT*, Växjö Konsthall, Växjö, Sweden
 Galerie Ramakers, Den Haag, The Netherlands
Triptyk, Galleri 21, Malmö, Sweden
 Haninge Konsthall, Haninge, Sweden
- 2009 PREVIEW Berlin / Galerie Hartwich Rügen, Berlin, Germany
Frameworks, Østfold Kunstnersenter/Galleri ØKS, Fredrikstad, Norway
 Galleri Arnstedt, Östra Karup, Sweden
 Akershus Kunstnersenter, Lillestrøm, Norway
- 2008 *Cuboids*, Trøndelag Senter for Samtidskunst, Trondheim, Norway
Strings Attached, Galerie Hartwich, Rügen, Germany
1,5m2, 21m2, Stavanger, Norway
Strings Attached, Nordin Gallery, Stockholm, Sweden
Strings Attached, Nordnorsk Kunstnersenter, Svolvær, Norway
- 2007 Örnköldsviks Konsthall, Örnköldsvik, Sweden
Monolit, Bastard, Oslo, Norway
Nollställt, Konsthallen Trollhättan, Trollhättan, Sweden
Some Assembly Required, Galleri Mors Mössa, Gothenburg, Sweden
Engine Bought Separately, Galleri S:t Gertrud, Malmö, Sweden
- 2006 *FILM – Short Cuts*, Neon, Brösarp, Sweden
- 2005 "...one more time", CirkulationsCentralen, Malmö, Sweden
 "Oops, I did it again...", Master's Exhibition, Galleri PEEP, Malmö, Sweden
Wind of Change, PICTURA, Lund, Sweden
COPYCAT (with Kristina Lenard), Gallery PM, Zagreb, Croatia

Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2026 Art Brussels, Brussels, Belgium
Smittet af Bacillen, HEART – Herning Museum of Contemporary Art, Herning, Denmark
- 2025 *Winter Salon*, Helsinki Contemporary, Helsinki, Finland
Potato Tomato (with Joncquil), Galerie Ramakers, the Hague, the Netherlands
Words are very Unnecessary, Gallery Sofie van de Velde, Antwerp, Belgium
 Pan Amsterdam, Amsterdam, the Netherlands
Mille et une vies, Villa Datriis, Fondation, Espace Mont-Cristo, Paris, France
Geist, Galerie Hartwich, Dortmund, Germany
Uncovering the Ordinary, BcmA, Berlin, Germany
- 2024 Art Antwerp, Antwerp, Belgium
Faire Corps, Villa Datriis, Fondation Villa Datriis, L'Isle-sur-la-Sorgue, France
 CHART in Tivoli, CHART art fair, Copenhagen, Denmark
- 2023 *Inside Out*, Helsinki Contemporary, Helsinki, Finland
L'Art de rien, CENTRALE for contemporary art, Brussels, Belgium

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- 2021 *Nouvelle Vague*, Galerie Hartwich, Rügen, Germany
COME WHAT MAY, Aeroplastics, Brussels, Belgium
Recyclage/Surcyclage, Fondation Villa Datriis - Espace Monte-Christo, Paris, France
 Norwegian Sculpture Triennial, Oslo, Norway
If Walls Could Talk, The Flat - Massimo Carasi, Milan, Italy
Recently Seen and Admired, FeldbuschWiesnerRudolph Galerie, Berlin, Germany
Colors, etc. Lille3000, Lille, France
- 2020 *Non-Sculpture: Light or Flexible*, Changwon Sculpture Biennale, Changwon, Korea
Intersection, FeldbuschWiesnerRudolph Galerie, Berlin, Germany
Recyclage/Surcyclage, Fondation Villa datriis, L'Isle-sur-la-Sorgue, France
Kleureyck, Designmuseum Ghent, Belgium
 Cheongju Biennale, Cheongju, Korea
- 2019 Aeroplastics, Brussels, Belgium
Samling, Galleri Arnstedt, Östra Karup, Sweden
Reconsider Walls, HighGallery, Warsaw, Poland
Eigensinn (Obstinacy), Künstlerhaus Dortmund, Germany
- 2018 *Summertime '18*, Galleri Christoffer Egelund, Copenhagen, Denmark
Over & Over, Glass Curtain Gallery, Chicago, United States
- 2017 *Forever Never Comes*, Museo Archeologico e d'arte della maremma, Grosseto, Italy
Mapping Berlin, Galerie Wedding, Berlin, Germany
Sliperiet, Borgsvik, Sweden
Washington 186, Aeroplastics, Brussels, Belgium
 The Flat - Massimo Carasi, Milan, Italy
Fifi Projects, San Pedro, Mexico
- 2016 *A Mix of Primary Colour's*, Galerie Hartwich, Rügen, Germany
Colours of the Season, Galerie Ramakers, Den Haag, The Netherlands
140/15, Galleri Andersson/Sandström, Umeå, Sweden
 SEI Innovation Studio, The Kimmel Center for the Performing Arts, Philadelphia, USA
November, CCA Andratx, Spain
Arcadia Unbound, Funkhaus Berlin, Germany
- 2015 *konkret mehr Raum!*, Kunsthalle Osnabrück, Osnabrück, Germany
SKULPTUR, Royal British Society of Sculptors, London, UK
Last Exit - Bag Project, Moving Triennale, Busan, Korea
Sand in Vaseline, Black Market, Lehrter Siebzehn, Berlin, Germany
- 2014 *Black Market Helsinki*, Gallery Sinne, Helsinki, Finland
Very Fun Park, Fubon Art Foundation, Taipei, Taiwan
Samlarens Blick, Bohusläns Museum, Uddevalla, Sweden
Metropolitan Kitchen Gardens, The Flat - Massimo Carasi, Milan, Italy
The Pleasure Principle, Lehrter Siebzehn, Berlin, Germany
A Book Between Two Stools, Villa Empain, Brussels, Belgium
Baltic Sea Record 2013, Stadtgalerie Kiel, Germany
 Projet R, Massy, France
- 2013 *Inner Journeys*, Maison Particulière, Brussels, Belgium
Yes Naturally, GEEM/Gemeentemuseum, Den Haag, The Netherlands
KLEUR, Galerie Ramakers, Den Haag, The Netherlands
Imaginary Travels, Amerika Haus, Berlin, Germany

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- 2012 *Imaginary Travels*, Amerika Haus, Berlin, Germany
Koganecho Bazaar, Yokohama, Japan
Soirée graphique N°5, Kunsthalle Bern, Bern, Switzerland
 Museiparken Karlstad, Sweden
Point Blank - Mikser on Belef, Geozavod, Belgrade, Republic of Serbia
Beaufort04, Triennial of Contemporary Art by the Sea, Zeebrugge, Belgium
Scratch my name on your arm..., Passagen Linköpings Konsthall, Sweden
Déjà vu, Contemporary Art from Malmö Art Museum's Collection, Turku Art Museum, Finland
Den Dolda Konsten, Haninge Konsthall, Sweden
Back to the Future, Centrum Beeldende Kunst, Utrecht, The Netherlands
Perfectible Geometries, The Flat – Massimo Carasi, Milan, Italy
- 2011 *ARTISTAS*, Galeria Filomea Soares, Lisbon, Portugal
Space Invaders, Kunsthallen Nikolaj, Copenhagen, Denmark
Norsk Skulpturbiennale, Vigelandmuseet, Oslo, Norway
La Vie Mode d'Emploi, Meessen De Clercq, Brussels, Belgium
Witte de With Straat Festival, Rotterdam, The Netherlands
Container Architektur, NRW-Forum Düsseldorf, Germany
 Rådhusgalleriet, Oslo, Norway
Overlap. Den Frie Kunstbygning, Copenhagen, Denmark
Scratch my name on your arm with a fountain pen..., Landskrona Museum, Landskrona, Sweden
If on a winter's day a traveller..., Bologna Art First, Bologna, Italy
- 2010 *Spår*, Malmö Konstmuseum, Malmö, Sweden
Out of OSTRALE'010, Alte Schlachthof, Eupen (BE), Wilson Shaft Gallery, Katowice, Poland
BGO VOL 1, Bergen Art Museum, Bergen, Norway
OSTRALE'010, Zentrum für zeitgenössische Kunst, Dresden, Germany
Space Invaders, Netherlands Media Art Institute, Amsterdam, The Netherlands
Moscow International Biennial for Young Art, Moscow Museum of Modern Art, Moscow, Russia
Umedalen Skulptur, Galleri Andersson/Sandström, Umeå, Sweden
Pastiche: When a Tree Falls in the Forest..., Sølyst Castle Park, Jyderup, Denmark
Meaning of Void, Galleri Christoffer Egelund, Copenhagen, Denmark
Utan titel, Ystad Konstmuseum, Ystad, Sweden
Market At Large, Galleri Andersson/Sandström, Stockholm, Sweden
- 2009 *Space Invaders*, FACT, Liverpool, UK
 Galleri Thomassen, Gothenburg, Sweden
The Inner Space, The Flat – Massimo Carasi, Milan, Italy
Northern Lights and White Russians, Galleri Andersson/Sandström, Umeå, Sweden
Open Art, Örebro Konsthall, Örebro, Sweden
 Alma Löv Museum, Östra Ämtervik, Sweden
Ytor och djup, Åmells c/o Konstnärshuset, Stockholm, Sweden
Truth or Dare, Århus Kunstbygning, Århus, Denmark
Flytande ögonblick, Ystad Konstmuseum, Ystad, Sweden
 Nordin Gallery, Stockholm, Sweden

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- 2008 *Tupajumi Show*, Sigmaringen, Germany
 Galleri Flach+Thulin, Stockholm, Sweden
 PRESENT, Alma Löv Museum, Ö Ämtervik, Sweden
The Real Thing, Malmö Konstmuseum, Sweden
The View Outside, cameracartell - Scenario 1, Elektrohaus, Hamburg, Germany
 Arnstedt & Kullgren, Östra Karup, Sweden
Little Rituals, Westpac, Sydney, Australia
Paso Doble (with Kristina Lenard), Gallery MKC, Split, Croatia
For a Happier Tomorrow, Galleri Tom Christoffersen, Copenhagen, Denmark
 Linienstrasse 113 (with Kristina Lenard), Berlin, Germany
- 2007 Pumphusets Konsthall, Landskrona, Sweden
Hit & Run, Hinterconti, Hamburg, Germany
Capital, Lund, Sweden
Høstutstillingen, Kunstnernes Hus, Oslo / Trondheim Kunstmuseum, Trondheim, Norway
Samling, Arnstedt & Kullgren, Östra Karup, Sweden
- 2006 *7 Videokonstverk*, Allmänna Galleriet 925, Stockholm, Sweden
Høstutstillingen, Kunstnernes Hus, Oslo, Norway
Besökarna, Konstfrämjandet Skåne, Västra Hamnen, Malmö, Sweden
 PULSAR, Caracas Contemporary Art Museum, Caracas, Venezuela
 P.A.N.K 2006, Marabouparken, Stockholm, Sweden
- 2005 *Polyfonia*, Jetty Barracks Gallery, Helsinki, Finland
Rencontres Internationales Paris/Berlin, Paris, France
 LOOP-05, Barcelona, Spain
No Volvo, No Bergman, No Blix: New Swedish Video, Monkeytown, New York, US
Up North, Centre Civic Barceloneta, Barcelona, Spain

Selected Grants

- 2023 Stiftung Kunstfonds
- 2021 Arts Council Norway, project grant
 Billedkunstnernes Vederlagsfond, project grant
 KORO, project grant
- 2018 Arts Council Norway, exhibition grant
- 2017 the Art Grants Committee in Sweden, 2-year working grant
 Längmanska Kulturfonden
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 IASPIS, international culture exchange

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2015	Ester Lindahls Stipendiefond
2014	Billedkunstneres Vederlagsfond, 1-year working grant
2013	Arts Council Norway, Exhibition Grant Billedkunstneres Vederlagsfond, 1-year working grant
2012	The City of Trollhättan's Culture Award Nordic Culture Point, mobility funding C.L. Kinmanssons travel grant, The Royal Swedish Academy of Fine Arts
2011	Norwegian Artists Foundation, project grant
2010	Arts Council Norway, Exhibition Grant Längmanska Kulturfonden Norwegian Governments 3-year working grant Kirunastipendiet
2009	IASPIS, international culture exchange Stift. Thorwald Alefs fond, The Royal Swedish Academy of Fine Arts Billedkunstneres Vederlagsfond, 1-year working grant
2008	the Art Grants Committee in Sweden, 2-year working grant
2007	Aase och Richard Björklunds Fond, Malmö Art Museum Billedkunstneres Vederlagsfond, 1-year working grant
2006	Bror Marklund Stipendiet Malmö Stads Kulturstipendium
2005	the Art Grants Committee in Sweden, 1-year working grant Eva & Hugo Bergmans stipendiefond

Residencies and Studio Grants

2023	Cité internationale des arts, Paris, France
2015	CCA Andratx, Mallorca, Spain
2014	Hospiz AIR, Arlberg, Austria
2013	ZK/U, Berlin, Germany
2012	Koganecho Bazaar, Yokohama, Japan
2011	IASPIS residency at AIT, Tokyo, Japan
2010	Rådhusatelierene, Oslo, Norway
2008	AIR - Rogaland Kunstsenter, residency, Stavanger, Norway
2007	Künstlerhaus Schöppingen, Germany nkd – Nordic Artists' Centre Dale, Norway
2006	P.A.N.K Residency, Marabouparken, Stockholm
2005	SIM – visual artists associations in Iceland

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Selected Public Installations

- 2025 *Some Assembly Required - Batteries Not Included*, Permanent Installation
Vätternrundan, Finish Line Arch, Motala (SWE)
- 2024 *Some Assembly Required*, Sege Park, Malmö (SWE)
Give and Take, Tromsø Waterfront, Tromsø (NO)
RELIEF, Rosendal Skola, Uppsala, Sweden
Ett före och ett efter, Kiruna Stadshus, Kiruna, Sweden
5x5, Kanontorget, Norrköping, Sweden,
- 2023 *Sky's the Limit*, Karlskrona sjukhus, Sweden
- 2022 *Hemma hos H-buset*, Örebro Universitetssjukhus, Sweden
- 2021 *Tracks*, Loket parking garage, Katrineholm, Sweden
Tracks, The Central Hospital, Karlstad, Sweden
- 2020 *Some Assembly Required – Déjà Vu*, Rykmentinpuisto Bike Path, Tuusula, Finland
- 2019 *Vardagsmönster*, Sjömarkenskolan, Borås, Sweden
Arbetsförmedlingens Huvudkontor, Solna, Sweden
Växla Spår, Centralparken Tvååker, Sweden
- 2018 *Game Changer*, Lundenhallen, Göteborg, Sweden
- 2017 *Portals*, Myvatn Icelandair Hotel, Myvatn, Iceland
Gradvis Stegring - Vallastaden, Linköping, Sweden
- 2016 *Engine Bought Separately* - Åssiden Videregående Skole, Drammen, Norway
Some Assembly Required – Fire Fighter Starter Kit, Station City, Helsingborg, Sweden
Some Assembly Required – Living Room, Smestad Gjenbruksstation, Oslo, Norway
- 2015 *Shelf Life*, Levanger ungdomsskole, Levanger, Norway
KUBIKK, Sydhavna, Oslo Hamn, Norway
- 2014 *Förskolan Nytorps Mosse*, Huddinge, Sweden
Echo, KUBEN, Aust-Agder museum og arkiv, Arendal, Norway
Rep-tiles, Brunnsängsskolan, Södertälje, Sweden
- 2013 *Tetris*, Notodden Bok- og Blueshus, Norway
Some Assembly Required, UMAS, Region Skåne, Malmö, Sweden
Tetris, SUS, Region Skåne, Lund, Sweden
- 2012 *Past Forward*, State Theatre, Sydney, Australia
- 2011 *Some Assembly Required - Hard Hat Diving*. Statens Konstråd, Karlskrona, Sweden
- 2010 *Rubiks Kurve*, Svartlamon, Norway
- 2007 *Some Assembly Required*, within P.A.N.K 2006, Hallonbergen Centrum, Stockholm, Sweden

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Works in Collections

Aegon Art Collection
Art Council Norway
Becker Art Collection, Sweden
Colección SOLO, Spain
Fondation Villa datris, France
Galila's Collection, Belgium
City of Gothenburg, Sweden
The Gothenburg Museum of Art, Sweden
Haninge Municipality, Sweden
Kiasma Museum of Contemporary Art, Finland
Malmö Art Museum, Sweden
Museum Voorlinden, The Netherlands
Region Skåne, Sweden
Pulic Art Agency Sweden
Servais Collection, Belgium
City of Trollhättan, Sweden
Umeå municipality, Sweden
Unicredit Collection, Italy
Municipality of Uppsala, Sweden
County Coucil of Västerbotten, Sweden
Västerås konstmuseum, Sweden
Region Västra Götaland, Sweden
Växjö Municipality, Sweden
West Collection, US
Örnsköldsvik museum and art gallery, Sweden

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