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BJARNE WERNER SØRENSEN

Painter and printmaker
Copenhagen, Denmark
Born 1960

EDUCATION

The Jutland Art Academy, Aarhus, Denmark. Graduated 1985

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2025 Strøm. Galleri Lars Borella. Charlottenlund. Denmark
- 2024 Soft Collisions, Elizabeth Harris Gallery, New York
- 2022 Transitions, Elizabeth Harris Gallery, New York
- 2020 Løvfald. Galleri Lars Borella. Charlottenlund. Denmark
- 2019 From One Springs the Other. Huset i Asnæs. Asnæs, Denmark
- 2018 Kringsýni. The National Gallery of the Faroe Islands
- 2017 Panorama. Nordatlantens Brygge. Copenhagen
Galleri Lars Borella. Klampenborg. Denmark
- 2016 Tíðarrúm. Shipyard Gallery. Tórshavn. Faroe Islands
- 2013 Propel. Bie & Vadstrup Gallery, Copenhagen
- 2012 Steinprent 2002-2012. Steinprent Gallery, Tórshavn, Faroe Islands
- 2010 "Continuum", Bie & Vadstrup, Copenhagen, Denmark
- 2004 Bjarne Werner Sørensen. Himmerlands Kunstmuseum. Aars, Denmark
- 2003 Shining Darkness. Danske Grafikeres Hus. Copenhagen
Edge of Motion. DCA Gallery. New York
- 2002 Painted In America. Klein Art Works, Chicago
Bjarne Werner Sørensen. Scott White Contemporary Art, La Jolla, California
- 2001 Shapedrift. DCA Gallery. New York
- 2000 Sketches of Rain. Klein Art Works. Chicago
Skissur av regni. Hafnarborg. Institute of Fine Arts. Iceland
- 1997 Seachange. DCA Gallery. New York
- 1996 Praxis. Bie & Vadstrup Gallery, Copenhagen
- 1993 Galleri Hummeluhre, Aarhus, Denmark
- 1991 Bjarne Werner Sørensen. OVERGADEN, Institute for Contemporary Art, Copenhagen, Denmark
- 1990 OCEAN. Artist' House. Aarhus, Denmark
- 1988 Bjarne Werner Sørensen. Nikolaj Kunsthall, Tower Gallery, Copenhagen
- 1987 Bjarne Werner Sørensen. Udstillingsstedet Kongo. Copenhagen

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2026 Spor og struktur (together with Karin Birgitte Lund). Danske Grafikeres Hus. Copenhagen
- 2025 Vrå-udstillingen 2025, Kunstbygningen Vrå, Denmark
- 2024 Vrå-udstillingen 2024, Kunstbygningen Vrå, Denmark
Danske Grafikere, Grafiska Sällskapet, Stockholm, Sweden
- 2023 Vrå-udstillingen 2023, Kunstbygningen Vrå, Denmark
- 2022 Vrå-udstillingen 2024, Kunstbygningen Vrå, Denmark
New School. Danske Grafikeres Hus. Copenhagen
- 2021 Sammentræf (together with Karin Birgitte Lund), Grafik Galleriet, Holmegaard, Denmark
- 2019 Bibliotek Nordica. Codex Book Fair, California, USA
BEERS 8 - 100 Mænd på Bar. Byens Kro, Copenhagen
GRAFIK GRAFIK GRAFIK. Kastrupgaardsamlingen. Denmark
PRESS PRINT. Overgaden. Institute of Contemporary Art, Copenhagen
- 2018 Around the Weather. Den Gyldne, The Round Tower, Copenhagen
- 2016 PAPER WORKS. Skovhuset Værløse. Denmark
PAPER WORKS. Kunstpakhuset Ikast. Denmark
- 2014 LIGE I SKABET / ARTIST BOOKS. Svends Bibliotek, Copenhagen
ORDBILLED - BILLEDORD. Nordatlantens Brygge, Copenhagen
Den gyldne orgeltone i nordisk kunst. The Round Tower, Copenhagen
- 2013 På godt og ondt. Danske Grafikere, SAK Svendborg, Denmark
- 2012 Primavera. Palæfløjen, Roskilde, Denmark
- 2010 Danske Grafikere. Galleri Grafiska Sällskapet, Stockholm

- Tryk på Tiden. Danske Grafikere, Kastrupgaardssamlingen, Denmark
Den Gyldne. Janusbygningen, Tistrup, Denmark
- 2009 Heystframsyningin. Tórshavn, Faroe Islands
Grafik over Grænser. Rundetaarn, Copenhagen
Printmaking Update”, travelling exhibition of danish printmaking
The Danish Cultural Institute, St. Petersburg. Russia
The Danish Cultural Institute, Tallin. Estonia
The Danish Cultural Institute, Riga. Latvia
- 2008 9th International Biennial of Graphic Art, Kaliningrad, Russia
Estampe Européenne. Cité Internationale des Arts, Paris
Den Gyldne. Randers Kunstmuseum, Denmark
Tryk på tiden. Vejle Kunstmuseum, Denmark
- 2007 Heystframsyningin. Tórshavn. Faroe Islands
Slipstrøm. With Tóroddur Poulsen. Nordatlantens Brygge. Copenhagen
PT07 - Påskeudstilling. Janusbygningen, Tistrup, Denmark
- 2006 Heystframsyningin. Tórshavn, Faroe Islands
Sugur. With Tóroddur Poulsen. The Nordic House, Tórshavn, Faroe Islands
Færøerne i tiden. SAK Kunstbygning, Svendborg, Denmark
(With Hansina Iversen, Brandur Patursson and Tróndur Patursson).
Den Gyldne. Charlottenborg, Copenhagen
- 2005 Atlantisk Rapsodi. Sønderjyllands Kunstmuseum, Denmark
Heystframsyningin. Tórshavn, Faroe Islands
Nye tendenser. Pakhuset, Nykøbing Sj, Denmark
Den Gyldne. Charlottenborg, Copenhagen
- 2004 Tryk. Prints from Steinprent Workshop. North Atlantic House, Copenhagen
Den Gyldne. Charlottenborg, Copenhagen
- 2003 Den Gyldne. Charlottenborg, Copenhagen
- 2002 iscp open studio. International Studio and Curatorial Program, New York
Contemporary Abstraction. Klein Art Works, Chicago
- 2001 Next. Scott White Contemporary Art, San Diego
Group Show. Seraphin Gallery, Philadelphia
Contemporary Abstraction. Klein Art Works, Chicago
Spring01. Danske Grafikeres Hus, Copenhagen
- 2000 Spirit of Image. Jiang Su Art Gallery, Nanjing, China
PT2000. Tistrup, Denmark
Mønstring 2000. Rhizom, Aarhus, Denmark
- 1999 5th International Biennial of Drawing and Graphic Arts, Győr, Hungary
- 1999 23rd International Print Biennale, Ljubljana, Slovenia
- 1998 Wintertime. DCA Gallery, New York
- 1998 Corda Atlantica. Rampen, Copenhagen, Denmark. (With Tóroddur Poulsen and Anker Mortensen)
Private Lessons. Viborg, Kunsthall, Denmark
- 1996 BASALT. Danske Grafikere, Hjørring Art Museum, Denmark
BASALT. Danish Printmakers. The Faroe Islands Art Gallery,
International Triennial of Painting. Sofia, Bulgaria
- 1995 Over het landschap. Galerie Hof & Huyser, Amsterdam
Danish Printmakers. Galleri Norske Grafikere, Oslo
Kammeraterne. Den Frie Udstillingsbygning, Copenhagen
- 1992 Galerie Scheper, Amsterdam
Galleri Jespersen, Odense, Denmark
- 1990 ART Hamburg. Bie & Vadstrup
- 1985 Forårsudstillingen /Spring Exhibition. Charlottenborg, Copenhagen
- 1984 Retur Natur. Gallopperiet. Christiania, Denmark'
KE. The Artist' Autumn Exhibition. Den Frie Udstillingsbygning, Copenhagen
- 1983 KE. The Artist' Autumn Exhibition. (Debut) Den Frie Udstillingsbygning, Copenhagen

ARTIST RESIDENCIES

The Elizabeth Foundation for the Arts, EFA International Artist Residency, New York City, 2024
Academic Guest House, Bikubenfonden, New York City, 2007
International Studio and Curatorial Program, iscp, New York City, 2002
Hafnarborg Institute of Fine Arts, Iceland, 2000

Nordic Art Center Residency, Nordic Council, Bergen, Norway, 1992
Cité Internationale des Arts, Paris, 1991
Nordic Art Center Residency, Nordic Council, Helsinki, Finland 1998-99

GRANTS AND AWARDS

The Danish Arts Foundation. Beckett Foundation The Ministry of Culture, Denmark. Augustinus Foundation. Højgaards Foundation. The Danish National Bank Foundation. Danish-Faroese Foundation. Nordic Council. The Gerhard Henning Grant. Henry Heerup Grant of Honor. Ole Haslund Grant of Honor

PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

New Carlsberg Foundation. Ny Carlsbergfondet
Danish Art Foundation's collection. Statens Kunstfond
Copenhagen Public Art Collection. Københavns Kommunes kunstsamling.
Sønderjyllands Kunstmuseum
Statens Museum for Kunst
New York Public Library
Kastrupgaardsamlingen
Færøernes Kunstmuseum
Vendsyssel Kunstmuseum
Vejle Kunstmuseum
Kaliningrad Kunstmuseum

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

Play of Color by Ditte Vilstrup Holm. Continuum, exhibition catalogue, Bie & Vadstrup Gallery 2010
Udsyn by Annebeth Feiring, Indfald, exhibition catalogue, Bie & Vadstrup Gallery 2008
9th International Graphic Biennial, text by Bjarne Werner Sørensen, Kaliningrad Art Gallery, 2008
Súgur, with Tóroddur Poulsen, Nordic House, Tórshavn, 2006
Villvísi, original lithographic book, with Tóroddur Poulsen, Steinprent, Tórshavn, 2001
Sketches of Rain, 2000, Bie & Vadstrup, text by Ole Thyssen "Fluid Patterns", and interview with Mai Misfeldt
Seachange, 1997, DCA Gallery, New York, text by Raffael Rheinsberg and Mai Misfeldt "Images Adrift".
Paintings and Etchings, 1991, Overgaden, text by Bárður Jákupsson, 1991.
Maleri, arbejder fra Finland, 1989, Bie & Vadstrup, text by Ingebjørg Astrup.
Tegning og grafik, 1986, Denmark

ARTICLES AND REVIEWS

Kunstindeks Danmark & Weilbachs Kunstnerleksikon
Ugens kunstner - Bjarne Werner Sørensen, kunsten.nu (nu Art Matter), 17.1.2018 af Sine Frejstrup.
Dimmalætting, 26.05.2016, Sissal Kampmann
Politiken, 10.1.2003, Trine Ross
AfsnitP, Internetgallery 2001, Mai Misfeldt
Berlingske Tidende, 16.03.2000, Mai Misfeldt.
Morgunbladid, Reykjavik, 08.01.2000, Anna Sigrídur Einarsdóttir,
Morgunbladid, Reykjavik, 12.01.2000, Bragi Asgeirsson
23. International Biennial Slovenia, Jan Garff
Berlingske Tidende, 02.09.99, Mai Misfeldt
Artforum International, marts 1998, Ronny Cohen.
Dansk Kunst 97, Torben Weirup.
Berlingske Tidende, 12.12.1996, Anne Ring Petersen.
Politiken 10.12. 1996, P. M. Hornung.
Kunstavisen okt. 1996, Erik Mosegaard Jensen.
Politiken 28.11.1993, Hellen Lassen.
Jyllandsposten, 30.4.1993, H.P. Jensen.
Dansk Kunst 92, Alex Steen.
Kunstavisen, dec. 1991, Erik Mosegaard Jensen.
Information 14.-15. 12. 1991, Erik Wiedemann.
Weekendavisen, 6.-12.12 1991, Poul Erik Tojner.
Berlingske Tidende, 29.11.1991, Henrik Wivel.
Politiken 30.11. 1991, Hellen Lassen.
Dansk Kunst 90, H.P. Jensen.
Jyllandsposten, 5.3.1990, H.P. Jensen.

Dansk Kunst 87, s.229. Politiken 23.12.1987, Hellen Lassen.
Information, 6.5. 1988, Gertrud Koebke Sutton.
Information, 25.2. 1987 Gertrud Koebke Sutton.

CURATORIAL PROJECTS AND WORKSHOPS:

Nontoxic Nordic workshop. The Faroe Islands Art Gallery, spring 1999. President of NGU - Nordic Graphic Association.
National Workshop for Arts and Crafts. Copenhagen. Intaglio 1994-95, Intaglio 1996, Intaglio 1997, lithograph 1998,
lithograph 1999, intaglio 2001.

"Far Out" Coorganizer together with Goethe Institut, Copenhagen and The Faroe Islands Art Gallery. 3 german artist' :
Raffael Rheinsberg, Erwin Wortelkamp and Nikolaus Nessler.

Co-organizer of "Fax art week", International Project during Copenhagen as Cultural Capital, Danske Grafikeres
Hus, 1996.

"Vindens Veje" - visual concertproject including large scale slideshow together with musicians Kim Kristensen and
Thomas Agergaard 1989 - 1994, shown a.o. Nordens Hus , Torshavn. Århus Festuge "IKAROS". Lyngby Stadsbibliotek.
Copenhagen Jazzhouse.