

Kaspar Bonnén - Market Art Fair

Kaspar Bonnén (b. 1968) is a versatile artist who range widely. In addition to his artistic work with mostly paintings and installations, he is author and includes published novels and poetry collections. In 1999 Bonnén graduated from the Royal Danish Academy of Fine Arts, and has since had major solo exhibitions at, among others ARoS, Kunsthallen Brandts and Moderna Museet in Stockholm. In 2010 Kaspar Bonnén took part of the decoration of the Frederik. 8th palace at Amalienborg in Copenhagen, Denmark, where the artist decorated the royal couple's dining room. He recently received the prestigious Artist of the year 2018 - grant by the New Carlsberg Foundation

In his works Kaspar Bonnén confronts his childhood and everyday life far from idyllic and harmonious family life, culminating in particular large expressive paintings. Through black and white drawings, painted patterns and brushstrokes, architectural shifts as well as the inclusion of personal objects Kaspar Bonnén also uses installation in the interpretation of childhood memories as well as the present life.

The solo exhibition at Market Art Fair features new paintings and sculptures by the artist. The paintings relates to the context of the exhibition space at Liljevalchs. The narrow room that you passes through like a corridor with openings, doors and windows that leads to other spaces and rooms – external, internal or psychological spaces.

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CV KASPAR BONNÈN

B. 1968 in Copenhagen

Education

1993 - 1999 [Royal Danish Academy of Fine Arts](#), Copenhagen, Denmark

Grants of honour

[Eckersberg-Medailen](#), [Royal Danish Academy of Fine Arts](#)
Artist of the Year 2018 – New Carlsberg Foundation

Represented in the following collections and museums

[National Gallery of Denmark](#), Copenhagen, Denmark
[Aarhus Kunstmuseum \(ARoS\)](#), Aarhus, Denmark
[Arken Museum of Modern Art](#), Ishøj, Denmark
[Essl Museum](#), Klosterneuburg, Austria
[Moderna Museet](#), Stockholm, Sweden

Public Art Commissions

City Court of Copenhagen, Copenhagen, Denmark
Amalienborg (winter residence of the Royal Danish Family), Copenhagen, Denmark
The Ministry of Family and Consumer Affairs, Copenhagen, Denmark
Danish Supreme Court, Copenhagen, Denmark
Nykredit Kalvebod Brygge, Copenhagen, Denmark
Herning Gymnasium, Herning, Denmark
DFVF (The Danish Institute for Food and Veterinary Research), Copenhagen, Denmark
Esbjerg Gymnasium, Esbjerg, Denmark
Roskilde University Center, Roskilde, Denmark
Horsens Gymnasium, Horsens, Denmark

Solo Exhibitions (selected)

2017

Everyday Theory, [Charlotte Fogh Gallery](#), Aarhus, Denmark
Walks in unknown geometry, Round Tower, Copenhagen, Denmark

2015

Paintings, Tokyo

2014

The Things we hold the meaning that haunts us,
[bendixen contemporary art](#), Copenhagen, Denmark

2013

The Past Will Never Leave You, Kunstforeningen GL STRAND, Copenhagen, Denmark
The Past Will Never Leave You, [Charlotte Fogh Gallery](#), Aarhus, Denmark
When Truth Is A Replica (Arkitektonisk Stuegang), [Designmuseum Danmark](#), Copenhagen, Denmark

2012

Show Me, [Damp Gallery](#), Copenhagen, Denmark
Everything Changes, [Aarhus Kunstmuseum \(ARoS\)](#), Aarhus, Denmark

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2010

The Script, Galleri Christina Wilson, Copenhagen, Denmark
The Room Can Never be Closed, [Kunsthallen Brandts](#), Odense, Denmark

2009

Is it the walls uncovering my thoughts, or the mirror blurring, [Moderna Museet](#), Stockholm, Sweden

2008

Invisible graffiti and other photographic works in progress, Galleri Christina Wilson, Copenhagen, Denmark

2007

Sculptures Are the Shadows of Symbols, [Galerie Mikael Andersen](#), Berlin, Germany
THE I MUSEUM and the revolution of our secrets, Galleri Christina Wilson, Copenhagen, Denmark
Sculptures Are the Shadows of Symbols, [J.F. Willumsens Museum](#), Frederikssund, Denmark
Sculptures Are the Shadows of Symbols, [Galleri Stefan Andersson](#), Umeå, Sweden

2006

There is a Path, Galleri Christina Wilson, Copenhagen, Denmark

2004

Hjem Igen, [Galerie Mikael Andersen](#), Copenhagen, Denmark
Hjem Igen, The Danish Cultural Institute Edinburgh, Edinburgh, Scotland

2002

paintings, DCA Gallery, New York, USA
Kaspar Bonnén, [Kunstforeningen GL. STRAND](#), Copenhagen, Denmark

2001

Kaspar Bonnen & Jesper Christiansen, DCA Gallery, New York, USA (with Jesper Christiansen)

2000

Indretninger i Hukommelsen, [Galerie Mikael Andersen](#), Copenhagen, Denmark

1998

Room for Lost Knowledge, Kørnens Kontor, Copenhagen, Denmark

1997

Rhizom, Aarhus, Denmark (with Henrik Capetillo)
Nogen vil prøve anderledes smag, Kørnens Kontor, Copenhagen, Denmark
X-files, [www.artnode.dk](#)

1995

[Overgaden](#), Copenhagen, Denmark (with Henrik Capetillo)

Group Exhibitions (selected)

2016

Itch under the skin, [Charlotte Fogh Gallery](#), Aarhus, Denmark

2015

Alt dette er dit, Vejle Kunstmuseum
Dejavu, Skagen Natur Center
Bring naturen ind, Fåborg Museum
PlayGround, Det nye kastet, Thisted

2014

Secret Garden, [Gl Holtegård](#), Holte, Denmark

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Virgin Production, Århus, Denmark
Django, [Galleri Franz Pedersen](#), Horsens, Denmark
Rekreation, [Mohs Exhibit](#), Copenhagen, Denmark
Heerup I Midten, [Heerup Museet](#), Copenhagen, Denmark

2013
New Works, [Bendixen Contemporary](#), Copenhagen, Denmark

2012
Giv os i dag... Når kunsten går i kirke, [KØS](#), Køge, Denmark

2011
Lysets Land II, Ruths Hotel, Skagen, Denmark
Lerets samtid - keramik i international samtidskunst, [Gl. Holtegaard](#), Holte, Denmark
Air de Paris, Galleri Christina Wilson, Copenhagen, Denmark

2010
Kunst til de Kongelige, [Aarhus Kunstmuseum \(ARoS\)](#), Aarhus, Denmark
A Flag for Every Occasion, WAS (Wonderland Art Space), Copenhagen, Denmark
De levende ord, [Rønnebæksholm](#), Næstved, Denmark
Fotografier, [National Gallery of Denmark](#), Copenhagen, Denmark
This Way, [Museet for Fotokunst](#), Odense, Denmark

2009
Christmas group show - Nice sizes, good prices!, Galleri Christina Wilson, Copenhagen, Denmark
Entr'acte, [Kukje Gallery](#), Seoul, Korea
THE PARTY, [Beaver Projects](#), Copenhagen, Denmark
Blomsten og Bien, [National Gallery of Denmark](#), Copenhagen, Denmark
It's Raining Men!, Galleri Christina Wilson, Copenhagen, Denmark
Til Vægs, [Kunsthall Charlottenborg](#), Copenhagen, Denmark (Radiant Copenhagen, internet based project)

2008
Frelst Fiktion, [Museet for Religiøs Kunst](#), Lemvig, Denmark
Entre Pintura Abstracta y Figurativa. Arte Danés, Sala de Exposiciones del Centro Cultural de Aguirre, Cuenca, Spain
H20, Peter and Paul Fortress, St. Petersburg, Russia
Eventyrhaven, [Kunsthallen Brandts](#), Odense, Denmark

2007
Contemporary Ceramics, [Bendixen Contemporary Art](#), Copenhagen, Denmark
SPEAK UP!, [Den Frie Udstillingsbygning](#), Copenhagen, Denmark
Star of Africa, [Low Contemporary](#), Gstaad, Switzerland
Kærlighed, [Kunsthall Brænderigården](#), Viborg, Denmark
5 Years Anniversary Show, Galleri Christina Wilson, Copenhagen, Denmark

2006
Golddiggers, [Low Contemporary](#), Gstaad, Switzerland, groupshow with Kørnens Kontor

2005
[Frieze Art Fair](#), London, England

2004
[Mori Art Center](#), Tokyo, Japan
Det fortællende maleri, [Vendsyssel Kunstmuseum](#), Hjørring, Denmark
[Momentum Kunsthall](#), Moss, Norway
Password, [Center for Contemporary Graphic Art](#), Fukushima, Japan
Dänemark-Skulptur und Installation, Kiel Stadtgalerie, Kiel, Germany
[Carnegie Art Award](#), Scandinavia and London, England

2003

Midlertidige Rum, [Kunsthall Charlottenborg](#), Copenhagen, Denmark
Familiebilleder, [Kunsthall Brænderigården](#), Viborg, Denmark

2002

Oluf Høst i dialog med nutiden, [Aarhus Kunstmuseum \(ARoS\)](#), Aarhus, Denmark
[Q](#), Kunstakademiets Udstillingssted
Blind Date, [Kunsthallen Brandts](#), Odense, Denmark
[Carnegie Art Award](#), Scandinavia and London, England

2001

Du er helt ny du er retro, [Kunstmuseet Trapholt](#), Kolding, Denmark
Clausens Boghandel, Aarhus, Denmark
Take Off 20:01, [Aarhus Kunstmuseum \(ARoS\)](#), Aarhus, Denmark
StandartRum, [Randers Kunstmuseum](#), Randers, Denmark
PP 48, [Overgaden](#), Copenhagen, Denmark
[Carnegie Art Award](#), Stockholm, Sweden

2000

Åbent hus, Ingeborgvej 24, Copenhagen, Denmark
Samspilsramte fænomener, [Munkeruphus](#), Dronningmølle, Denmark
Something about painting, DCA Gallery, NYC, USA
Noget om malerier, [Galerie Mikael Andersen](#), Copenhagen, Denmark
[UKS Galleri](#), Oslo, Norway
Decembristerne (guest), [Den Frie Udstillingsbygning](#), Copenhagen, Denmark
På sporet af..., [Nikolaj Kunsthal](#), Copenhagen, Denmark

1999

Big Red, [Galerie Mikael Andersen](#), Copenhagen, Denmark
Platform 1:5, Islandsbrygge, Copenhagen, Denmark
Exit 99, [Kunstforeningen GL. STRAND](#), Copenhagen, Denmark
S-tog, projekt af Jesper Fabricius, The Netherlands
On paper, [Stalke Galleri](#), Kirke Saaby, Denmark
Fremragende Attituder, Galleri Hallo!, Copenhagen, Denmark
Sleeping Politics, Albertslund Cityhall, Albertslund, Denmark
Sleeping Politics part 2, Street Sharks Biennale, Copenhagen, Denmark
Når mænd går hjem, Phoenix, Copenhagen, Denmark (with Tal R and Per Mølgaard)

1998

The White Loop, Part of "Achipelago", By Pars Electronic, Søhistorisk Museum, Stockholm, Sweden (with Fos and Tal R)
Hvis det var dig der kom til et fremmed sted, Tumbola, by Pars Electronic, Århus Festuge. Aarhus, Denmark (with Fos and Tal R)
In matter of Space, [Kunsthall Charlottenborg](#), Copenhagen, Denmark
Space is a Personal Matter – jeg spurgte hende om vi skulle elske, [Stalke Galleri](#), Kirke Saaby, Denmark

1997

90'er modernisme, [Den Frie Udstillingsbygning](#), Copenhagen, Denmark
Politisk Kunst, Skulpturer, Sofa Kunst, Kørnens Kontor, Copenhagen, Denmark
Kom Maj Du Søde Milde, [Galerie Mikael Andersen](#), Copenhagen, Denmark

1996

LÖWENBORG-maleri anno 1996, Vesterbrogade, Copenhagen, Denmark
Simple Sample, [Kunsthall Charlottenborg](#), Copenhagen, Denmark
Det Nye Kvarter, By Pars Electronic, Copenhagen, [Kunsthall Charlottenborg](#), Copenhagen, Denmark (with Fos & Tal R)