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Education

- 2019 MA Arts and Crafts, dep. Printmaking, Oslo Academy of Arts, Norway
- 2010 BA Specialized Art, department of printmaking, Bergen Academy of the Arts, Norway
- 2006-07 Arts and Crafts, University of Agder, Norway
- 1999-2001 Art School in Rogaland, Norway
- 1997-98 Nyckelviksskolan – School of Nyckelviken, Stockholm, Sweden. Carpentry and art school.
- 1996-97 History of ideas, Stockholm University, Stockholm, Sweden

Upcoming exhibitons/projects

- 2025 Myren Grafikk – Printmaking exhibiton marking 50 year anniversary for Myren Printmaking Workshop, Kristiansand, Norway
- 2025 Kristiansand Kunsthall – Printmaking exhibiton marking 50 year anniversary for Myren Printmaking Workshop, Kristiansand, Norway
- 2025 Agder Kunstsenter – Printmaking exhibiton marking 50 year anniversary for Myren Printmaking Workshop, Kristiansand, Norway
- 2025 Kraftverk, student house – Printmaking exhibiton: Curator for students and alumni: marking 50 year anniversary for Myren Printmaking Workshop, Kristiansand, Norway
- 2024- Karbonsyklus, a Cooperative book Project, Touring around Norway

Solo exhibitions

- 2023 Arkivet gallery, *Inn i margen*, Tou Trykk, Stavanger, Norway
- 2017 Arteriet gallery , *Cover*, Kristiansand, Norway
- 2016 Risør Kunstpark gallery, *Ultra Marine*, Risør (Kunstitusjon), Norway
- 2016 Arteriet gallery, *A4*, Kristiansand, (Kunstitusjon), Norway
- 2015 Grønt Senter gallery, *Arrivals II*, Kristiansand (Kunstitusjon), Norway
- 2015 Kristiansand Kunsthall, *Arrivals*, (Kunstitusjon), Norway
- 2015 Kristiansand Kunsthall, *Systema Naturae*, Norway

Recidency

- 2023 Tou Trykk, Printmaking workshop, Stavanger, Norway

Group Exhibitions

- 2024 Kunstbok Oslo, UKS
- 2024 Risør Kunstpark gallery, Solo Exhibition in Risør, Norway
- 2024 Festival artist for Ravnedalen Live, music festival, Kristiansand, Norway

2024 Karbonsyklus, a Cooperative book Project, Touring around Norway
 2023 *Villhester*, X-huset artist Project Room, Kristiansand, Norway
 2023 Blakerbiennalen, *Trykk her*, Oslo, Norway
 2023 Galleri BiZ, NBK Agder Jubileumsutstilling, Norway
 2022 Galleri Tid, Mandal, Norway
 2022 Agder Kunstsenter, Lista, Habitat, Norway
 2021 Agder Kunstsenter, Materialer, Norway
 2020 Galleri Sander, Norrköping. Grafikktriennalen XVI, Nordic Contemporary Print Triennial
 2020 Trelleborgs Museum. Grafikktriennalen XVI, Nordic Contemporary Print Triennial
 2020 Konsthallen, Kulturens Hus Luleå. Grafikktriennalen XVI, Nordic Contemporary Print Triennial
 2019 Royal Academy of Fine Arts Antwerp, Belgia KOMASK - Masters Printmaking 2019
 2019 Festival artist for music festival VIVID, Kristiansand, Norway
 2019 Agder Kunstsenter, *Hatch*, Kristiansand, Norway
 2019 Jyväskylä Art Museum, Finland
 2019 Grafiska Sällskapet, Stockholm, Sverige
 2019 Ålgården Galleri, Borås, Sverige
 2019 KHÅK Kunsthall, Ålesund, Trykk, Norway
 2019 HIT, Haugesund, Tresnittfestivalen, Norway
 2019 Seilduken, Kunsthøgskolen i Oslo, *Punkt og Linje*, Norway
 2018 Kunstnernes Hus, Oslo, Høstutstillingen, Norway
 2018 Nils Aas Kunstverksted, Inderøy, Trykk, Norway
 2018 Slurpen, Oslo, *I Hear Mariachi Static on the Radio*, Norway
 2018 Norske Grafikere, *Frekvens*, Norway
 2018 Galleri Seilduken, Norway
 2017 X-Print exhibition, photography festival, Poznan Polen
 2016 Ultra Marine, Kunstitusjon, Risør Kunspark, Norway
 2016 QUNST25, Q25festivalen, Odderøya, Kristiansand, Norway
 2016 *Work by the sea*, Kunstitusjon, Bestillingsverk av UiA under KiK-seminar på Bragdøya, Norway
 2016 Fábrica Social – Fundação Escultor José Rodrigues, *Mar e Sustentabilidade*, Porto, Portugal
 2015 Bomuldsfabriken Kunsthall, Arendal, Sørlandsutstillingen, Norway
 2012 *Odds*, Odda, Norway
 2012 Flekkefjord Museum, Arendal Kunstforening, Skien Kunstforening, Sørlandsutstillingen, Norway
 2011 Mølla, Kristiansand, Norway
 2011 UWA gallery, Bristol, England
 2010 Rom 8, *Bak mine solbriller er lyset alltid gult*, Bergen, Norway

Scholarship and funding

2024 EiK LiM Mangfoldseminar
 2024 Students in research project, University of Agder
 2023 EiK nettverksseminar
 2023 Students in research project, University of Agder
 2020 Diversestipend
 2019 BKH Studentstipend
 2017 Utstillingsstipend, Norsk Kulturråd
 2016 Utstillingsstipend, (Kunstitusjon), Norsk Kulturråd
 2015 Kristiansand Kommune, prosjektstøtte
 2015 Vest Agder Fylkeskommune, prosjektstøtte
 2015 Cultiva Ekspres
 2014 Utstillingsstipend, Norsk Kulturråd
 2014 Arbeidsstipend, BKH

- 2013 Diversestipend, Norsk Kulturråd
- 2013 Cultiva Ekspress
- 2012 BKH-Stipend, Stipendutstillingen, Agder Kunstsenter

Public Art Projects

- 2015 Samsen Culture house, Kristiansand, Norway
- 2015 Sørlandet Hospital, Kristiansand, Norway

Publication

- 2019 Magasin: Billedkunst nr 1, Å Fjerne (to remove)
- 2018 Tresnitt og amerikanske sommerfugler, Norske Grafikere 1919-2019
- 2018 Trykk og uttrykk, Norske Grafikeres medlemskatalog 2019
- 2018 Billedkunst nr 3 (Høstutstillingen)
- 2018 Artist Book: Where Were We
- 2017 Artist Book: Barrierer (bare gjerder)
- 2015 Norsk Kunstårbok, (Norwegian Art Year Book) med Kunstitusjon og utstillingen Arrivals

Public criticism

- 2023 Exhibition *Inn i margen*, Stavanger Aftenblad, Anne Therese Tveita
- 2019 Exhibition *Hatch* (AKS) i Fedrelandsvennen, Frida Forsgren, Kristiansand Newspaper
- 2015 Exhibition *Arrivals* (Kunsthallen) i Fedrelandsvennen, Kristiansand Newspaper
- 2015 Exhibition *Systema Naturae* (Kunsthallen) i Fedrelandsvennen, Johan Otto Weisser, Kristiansand Newspaper

Membership

- Norske Grafikere (Norwegian Printmakers Association)
- NBK-Agder (Norwegian Visual Artists Association)

Teaching and workshops

- 2024 Video work with students: Educating the audience with the exhibition/art work point of view.
- 2023 Exhibition workshop with Marcia Harvey Isaksson and students from the program Visual Art and Education at the University of Agder, Kristiansand, Norway
- 2020- Teacher in printmaking, drawing, wood-work and more at the program Visual Art and Education at the University of Agder, Kristiansand, Norway
- 2019-20 Childrens afterschool Visual Art. (Kulturskolen), Kristiansand, Norway
- 2012-2020 A series of different workshop touring to schools around the region.
The workshops:
Fake News: A printmaking workshop talking about the beginning of printmaking and the spread of false information. A practical printmaking workshop about how to become a critical and enlighten reader of information.
Bruk igjen: (Use again) A practical workshop for children, building and only using material from everyday waste materials. Focusing on the material that we tend to throw away and regard as litter.

Other projects

2020-2023	Art consultant for Art in Public Space. Administrative Project leader and curator for a project connected to Grimstad Fagskole og Tannklinikk: Grimstad Vocational School and dental clinic, Grimstad, Norway
2020-2021	Art consultant for Art in Public Space. Administrative Project leader and curator for a project connected to Marishei omsorgsboliger, Eldercare home in Lillesand, Norway
2019-2021	Art consultant for Art in Public Space. Administrative Project leader and curator for a project connected to Eilert Sundt vidergående skole, (Lyngdal college), Lyngdal, Norway
2017-2019	Art consultant for Art in Public Space. Administrative Project leader and curator for a project connected to Kristiansand Bus station, Kristiansand, Norway
2014-2017	Art consultant for Art in Public Space. Administrative Project leader and curator for a project connected to Odderøya Renseanlegg, Kristiansand, Norway