

KRISTIAN EVJU

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Kristin Hjellegjerde

B. 1980, Kongsberg, Norway

Lives and works in London, UK

EDUCATION

2011 Chelsea College of Art and Design, MA Fine Art, London, UK

2007 Edinburgh College of Art, BA (Hons) Painting & Drawing, Scotland

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2025 (Upcoming), Kristin Hjellegjerde Gallery, London, UK
Galleri Semmingsen, Oslo
- 2023 *The Other*, Venet-Haus Galerie, Ulm; Germany
- 2022 *Interventions*, ASC Brixton Beneficiary, London
- 2020 *Interventions*, Hamar Kunstforening, Hamar, Norway
- 2019 *Ebju & Evju*, Lågdalsmuseer, Kongsberg, Norway
- 2018 *Perfect Strangers*, Arusha Gallery, Edinburgh
- 2017 *The Way I Remember You Now*, Venet Haus Galerie, Neu-Ulm
Machinations, Galleri Semmingsen, Oslo
- 2016 *Grenseland*, Gulden Kunstverk, Steinberg
- 2015 *Assemble: Dissemble*, Lysbuen Museum of Art, Notodden
Lie me a River, Aalesund Kunsthall (KHÅK), Ålesund
- 2014 *Dark River*, Venet Haus Galerie, Neu-Ulm
- 2013 *Memoirs of the Other*, Gallery 39K, Lahore
- 2012 *Memoirs of the Other*, Accesso Contemporary Art, Pietrasanta
Dark Skies, Dyrmyr Gallery, Kongsberg
- 2010 *Limbus*, Gulden Kunstverk, Steinberg
- 2009 *Faber-Castell and the Years of Distraction*, Drawing Centre, Oslo
Kristian Evju, Kongsberg Kunstforening, Kongsberg
- 2008 *Kongsberg Kunstforening*, Kongsberg, Norway

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2024 *Sommerutstilling*, Galleri Semmingsen, Oslo, Norway
St Leonards Meets the World (curated by Paul Carey-Kent), Electro Studios, St Leonards-on-sea
New Acquisitions, British Museum, London
Drawing Biennial 2024, Drawing Room, London
- 2023 *Where the Wild Roses Grow*, Kristin Hjellegjerde Gallery, Schloss Görne, Berlin, Germany
10 year anniversary, Venet-Haus Galerie, Ulm
Nye Takter, Gulden Kunstverk
New Acquisitions, Kunstraum Werner Schneider, Neu-Ulm
8 Rote Kunstsalon Venet-Haus, Rot
Trinity Buoy Wharf Drawing Prize, ArtHouse Jersey, Jersey
Trinity Buoy Wharf Drawing Prize, The Willis Museum and Sainsbury Gallery, Basingstoke, UK
Lost Girls, Warchild Auction, Flowers Gallery, London
RA Summer Exhibition, Royal Academy, London
- 2022 *Small is Beautiful*, Flowers Gallery, London, UK
Gross-Art-IG, Galerie Hegemann, Munich, Germany

- Derwent Art Prize, London/ Paris
 Trinity Buoy Wharf Drawing Prize, Trinity Buoy Wharf, London, UK
- 2021 *Small is Beautiful*, Flowers Gallery, London, UK
 Figurative Art Now 2021, London, UK
- 2020 *Small is Beautiful*, Flowers Gallery, London, UK
Weighing In, C24 Gallery, New York, USA
The Seventh View, C24 Gallery, New York, USA
Beyond Other Horizons, Isai Museum of Art, Isai, Romania
All the Days and Nights, Kristin Hjellegjerde Gallery, London
 London Art Fair, Venet-Haus Galerie, London
- 2019 *Small is Beautiful*, Flowers Gallery, London
Hvor Kommer Du Fra, Galleri Semmingsen, Oslo
Yo, What's The Swing Scene Like Here, curator William Davie, Colour Index Agency, London
 ING Discerning Eye Exhibition, Mall Galleries, London
Intensity, curator Paul Carey-Kent, House of St. Barnabas, London
- 2018 *Winter Salon: Power Play*, Concept Space, London
 London Art Fair, with Venet-Haus Galerie, London
- 2017 *Paper Cuts*, Kristian Day, Tripp Gallery, London
Power Play, Winter Salon, Concept Space, London Jerwood Drawing Prize, The Gallery AUB, Bournemouth *The Amorist*, Arusha Gallery, Edinburgh
 London Art Fair, Venet-Haus Galerie, London
Everything Exists Now, Kristin Hjellegjerde Gallery, London
 In Focus, Arthill Gallery, London
- 2016 Die Kunst zu Schenken, Venet-Haus Galerie and Villa Rothschild, Stuttgart
 Jerwood Drawing Prize, Space Gallery, Bath
 Jerwood Drawing Prize, Jerwood Space, London
 Derwent Art Prize, Towbridge Arts, Towbridge
 Derwent Art Prize, Mall Galleries, London
 Åpningsutstillingen, KHÅK Kunsthall, Ålesund
 RA Summer Exhibition, Royal Academy of Art, London
 7th Biennale der Zeichnung, Kunstverein Eislingen, Eislingen
 London Art Fair, with Venet-Haus Galerie, London
- 2015 Griffin Gallery Open, Griffin Gallery, London
 Sammlung Schirm, Galerie Root, Berlin
 Second View, Venet-Haus Galerie, Neu-Ulm
- 2014 Cologne Art Fair, Galerie Cornelissen, Cologne
 The National Open Art Competition, Royal College,
- 2013 London, Minerva Theatre, Chichester
 Assemble: Dissemble, Janinebean Gallery, Berlin
 Østlandsutstillingen, Akershus Kunstsenter, Lillestrøm
 Dark Skies, Rauland Kunstforening, Rauland
 Østlandsutstillingen, Stadtgalerie, Brunsbüttel
- 2012 100 Curators 100 Days, Saatchi Gallery, London
 Novemberutstillingen, Drammen Museum
 Østlandsutstillingen, Galleri F15, Moss
 Høstutstillingen, Kunstneres Hus, Oslo
 Jerwood Drawing Prize 2011, BayArt, Cardiff and Lanchaster Gallery, Coventry
- 2011 Novemberutstillingen Drammen Museum
 The Others Art Fair, Turin
 Jerwood Drawing Prize, Jerwood Space, London
 Accesso Contemporary Art, Pietrasanta

- Brenda Landon Pye Portrait Prize, Triangle Space, London
- Summer Salon, Islington Arts Factory, London
- Østlandsutstillingen, Hamar Kunstsenter, Hamar
- 2010 Østlandsutstillingen, Palais am Festungsgraben, Berlin
- 2009 Østlandsutstillingen, Studio STAG, Vestfossen og Galleri Skårer, Oslo
- Aspect Prize, Paisley Art Gallery and Museum, Glasgow
- Spring Open, Royal Scottish Academy, Edinburgh
- 2008 New Faces, The Leith Gallery, Edinburgh
- 2007 Fresh 2007, The White Gallery, Dundee
- Høstutstillingen, Kunstneres Hus, Oslo & Trondheim Kunstmuseum, Trondheim
- Juvenarte, DogA, Oslo
- The Next Step, Billcliffe Gallery, Glasgow

AWARDS

- 2022 Shortlisted - Trinity Buoy Wharf Drawing Prize, Trinity Buoy Wharf and Parker Harris, London
- 2021 Figurative Art Prize 2021, Federation of British Artists, London
- 2018 Most Ambitious, Winter Salon, Concept Space, London
- Overall Impact, Winter Salon, Concept Space, London
- 2016 Shortlisted - Jerwood Drawing Prize, Jerwood Space, London
- Shortlisted - Derwent Drawing Prize, Mall Galleries, London
- 2015 Painter-Stainers Prize for Drawing, London Group Open, London
- Conté à Paris Drawing Prize, Griffin Gallery Open, London
- Categorically Painting Competition, Jackson Art, London
- Longlisted - Griffin Art Prize, Griffin Gallery, London
- 2011 Shortlisted - Jerwood Drawing Prize, Jerwood Space, London
- Shortlisted - Brenda Landon Pye Prize, Chelsea College of Art and Design, London
- 2007 Flesberg Kommunes Pris, Flesberg
- Winner of Juvenarte, DogA, Oslo
- KEM's Debutantpris, Høstutstillingen, Kunstneres Hus, Oslo
- Andrew Grant Bequest, Edinburgh College of Art, Edinburgh
- Winner of NorskArt, La Viande, London
- 2005 Shortlisted - RMJM Award for Art and Architecture, Edinburgh

RESIDENCES & GRANTS

- 2021 One year grant, Norwegian Arts Council
- 2016 The League Residency, New York
- Ruth Katzman Scholarship, New York
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- 2014 The League Residency, New York
- Ruth Katzman Scholarship, New York

COLLECTIONS

- British Museum, London
- Venet-Haus Fondation, Neu-Ulm, Germany
- Schirm Collection, Berlin, Germany
- ICart Collection, Oslo, Norway
- Buskerud Fylkeskommune, Norway
- Flesburg Kommune, Felsburg, Norway
- Edinburgh College of Art Collection, UK
- Norges Bank, Oslo, Norway
- ANSA Collection, Oslo, Norway
- Rollag Kommune, Rolag, Norway
- Viken County Collection