

CV

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” Art can be anything – that is were the challenge and the beauty lies”

My tools are paint, canvas and sculpture.

I share my time between Makhanda/Grahamstown South Africa and Skärhamn, Sweden.

Solo shows:

2021 Online Auction, Nelson Mandela Bay, SA(South Africa)

2020 Artely. Online gallery. Artely.se

2019 Galerie FIKA. Maputo, Moçambique

Open studios, Konstvandringen Södra Bohuslän (2011-2020)

2018 Tjörns konstförening, Skärhamn, Sweden

2017 Galerie Noko. Port Elizabeth. SA

2016 - EU Headquarter, Marine conference. Marine litter sculpture and 10 paintings

Scandic Opalen hotel. Gothenburg, Sweden

Göteborgs kommun konstförening. Sweden

Galleri Cosmopolitan, Gothenburg, Sweden

Group shows:

- 2021 Art Revolution, Art fair. Taipei. Finalist
- 2020 JB Valor Gallery: Gothenburg. Sweden
- 2019 Turbine Art fair, Johannesburg. SA
 FNB, Johannesburg Artfair. SA
 Arte de Gema. Maputo, Moçambique
 Galleri Koch, Stenungsund. (2011-2020 Annual art meander and open studios. S:a Bohuslän. Sweden)
- 2018 Galleri RITA. Vaxholm, Stockholm.Sweden
 Turbine Art Fair. Johannesburg. SA.
- 2017 Art revolution Taipei, Taiwan
 FNB Johannesburg Artfair. SA
 ArtEc Gallery. Qebergha/Port Elizabeth. SA
 Art Museum of Nelson Mandela Metropolitan. Qebergha/Port Elizabeth. SA
 Art walk.Tio små hus. Stenungsund. Sweden
- 2016 Investec Cape Town artfair. SA
 FNB Johannesburg Artfair. Sydafrika
 Galerie Noko. Port Elizabeth. S.A.
 Absolut art Gallery, Stellenbosch.SA
 Sa artgallery Houtbay,CapeTown. SA
 National Arts Festival, Makhanda/Grahamstown.SA.(Group and performance)
- 2015 Artbike/Frihjul. Landart installation. Tjörn. Sweden
 Galerie Noko. Port Elizabeth. S.A.

Projects and art assignments:

- 2021 Project manager. I am QR – Diabas art.
 Art consultant. New Now Rural Development. Sculpture.Orust. Sweden

- Creative school project, Art consultant. Fjärdingskolan, Borås. Sweden
Coordinator: Twinning Göteborg-Nelson Mandela Bay. Artist residency and exchange.
- 2020 Art consultant, Rurban Studios. Rural development. Sculpture proposal and walkways. Skaraborgs Kommunal förbund. Essunga Municipality.
- 2019 Creative school project, Art consultant. Rönnängs skola, Tjörn. Sweden
Creative school project, Art consultant. Lyrfågelskolan Borås, Sweden
Creative school project, Art consultant. Myggenäs skola. Tjörn. Sweden
Creative school project, Art consultant. Vårgårda bibliotek. Sweden
Creative school project, Art consultant. Gånghesterskolan Borås.
Sweden
Creative school project, Art consultant. Sylteskolan Borås. Sweden
- 2018 Creative school project, Art consultant. Strömskolan Lilla Edet. Sweden
Creative school project, Art consultant. Fuxernaskolan. Lilla Edet, Sweden
Creative school project, Art consultant. Nya Skolan, Lilla Edet. Sweden
Creative school project, Art consultant. Ryrjskolan, Lilla Edet. Sweden
Creative school project, Art consultant. Tingbergsskolan, Lilla Edet. Sweden
Creative school project, Art consultant. Uddared Lerum. Sweden
- 2017 Creative school project, Art consultant Tösse skola Åmål. Sweden
Creative school project, Art consultant Tingbergsskolan Kungsbacka.
Creative school project, Art consultant Fridas Hage. Tjörn
- 2016 Installations of marine litter for environmental awareness: Regional council, EU headquarters, Westcoast foundation och Nordic marine conservation.

2015 Project manager. Land art project Artbike/Frihjul. Tjörn. Sweden. 15 artist from the Nordic countries. Temporary artworks along a cycle path.

2014 Live painting performance. Nordic watercolour museum. Tjörn. Sweden

Creative school project, Art consultant Skärhamns skola Tjörn. Sweden

The Big Draw. Art consultant, public workshop. Nordic Watercolour museum. Tjörn. Sweden 2014, 2013, 2012

Art consultant. Drawing as a pedagogical method. Nordic Watercolour museum, Tjörn Sweden

Miscellaneous:

Full time teacher in Art/woodwork and english at Secondary schools, Sweden. 1999 -2011

Self – employed business manager since 2011.

Gallery owner and manager. Galleri FRI Skärhamn. 2010-2016

Gallery owner and manager. Galleri Rådhusgatan Marstrand. 2014-2016

Boardmember: Art meander and openstudios Södra Bohuslän konstvandring. 2011- 2020

Workshops for Amnesty on Human rights. High schools. Göteborg, Stenungsund och Uddevalla. Sweden

Workshops for young with special needs . Uddevalla, Göteborg och Mölndal. Sweden

Workshops/evening classes in art and drawing. Göteborg, Stenungsund, Tjörn. Alingsås. Sweden

Private collections in South Africa, Sweden, Australia, USA, EU, Russia, China

Public art:

2019 Mural. 5x3 meters Galerie FIKA. Maputo, Moçambique.

2015 Public art. 50x8 meter stonewall adjacent to cyclepath Skärhamn. Sweden

Uddevalla hospital. 10 målningar.

2014 Outdoor mural. Steelplate and paint. 100x11metres Skärhamn. Sweden

Education:

Teacher training 5year. Woodwork/Art/English. University of Gothenburg,Sweden

Kv Art school. Gothenburg

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Marinbiology, for teachers. University of Gothenburg, Sweden.

Grants:

Art grant regional council. Creative school projects

Nordic Culture Foundation Artbike/Frihjul. Land art projekt

Wallenbergs Foundation.

Konstnärsnämnden. Swedish artists association

Kulturrådet. The Cultural council.

