

ERIK STEFFENSEN

1961 Born in Copenhagen.
1983-1986 Philosophy and Art History at the University of Copenhagen
1986-1992 Royal Academy of Art, Copenhagen
1998-2007 Professor at the Royal Academy of Art, Copenhagen

Erik Steffensen lives and works in Copenhagen and Læsø

WORKS IN COLLECTIONS

Arken Museum of Modern Art, Ishøj, Denmark
ARoS Aarhus Art Museum, Aarhus, Denmark
Fotomuseum Winterthur, Winterthur, Switzerland
Heart Herning Museum of Contemporary Art, Herning, Denmark
JPMorgan Chase Art Collection, New York, USA
Kristinehamns Konstmuseum, Kristinehamn, Sweden
Louisiana Museum of Modern Art, Humlebæk, Denmark
Nordjyllands Kunstmuseum, Aalborg, Denmark
Musée Rodin, Paris, France
Skive Kunstmuseum, Skive, Denmark
National Gallery, Copenhagen, Denmark
Swiss Re, Zürich/London

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2021 *but beautiful*, Galleri Bo Bjerggaard, Copenhagen, Denmark
Liberated, Rudolph Tegnors Museum and Statuepark, Dronningmølle, Denmark
2018 *Et år / A Year*, Galleri Bo Bjerggaard, Copenhagen, Denmark
2017 *BASIC*, Fotografisk Center, Copenhagen, Denmark
2016 *Emeritus*, Ringsted Galleriet, Ringsted, Denmark
HIDEAWAY, Ordrupgaard, Denmark
2015 *New York, New York*, Galleri Bo Bjerggaard, Copenhagen
2014 *Persona - Menneske i tankernes farvelandskab*, Museet Holmen, Løgumkloster, Denmark
Stilhedens Gave - Tidebøn i sort-hvid fotografi, Løgumkloster Kirkes dormitorium, Løgumkloster, Denmark
2013 *Persona*, Galleri Bo Bjerggaard, Copenhagen
det måleriska rummet, Konsthallen Hishult, Hishult, Sweden
2012 *Dark and Stormy*, Semina Rerum, Zürich
2011 *High Five*, Kristinehamns Konstmuseum, Kristinehamn, Sweden
Blue Notes, Galleri Bo Bjerggaard, Copenhagen
Blue Notes, Phototek, Esbjerg, Denmark
2010 *High Five*, Ny Carlsberg Glyptotek, Copenhagen
2008 *Stalker*, Galerie Susan Nielsen, Paris
2007 *Flow*, semina rerum - Irène Preiswerk, Zürich
The Beginner's Mind, Galleri Bo Bjerggaard, Copenhagen
2006 *Crossover II / Cars on the Beach: Eva Schlegel - Erik Steffensen*, Fotogalerie Wien, Vienna, Austria.
2005 *Erik Steffensen – New Works*, Galleri Bo Bjerggaard, Copenhagen
All things must pass (with Per Bak Jensen), Semina Rerum, Irène Preiswerk, Zürich
2003 *Roots & Routes*, Dahl Gallery of Contemporary Art, Luzern
Paysage – Itineraries, Galerie Birthe Laursen, Paris

- Ydre og Indre Missioner (with Leif Kath), Museumscenter Aars, Aars, Denmark
 Amerikanske fotografier, Enkehuset, Christiansfeld, Denmark
 2002 New Works, Galleri Susanne Ottesen, Copenhagen
 Red Centre, semina rerum, Irène Preiswerk, Zürich
 2001 Værker - 100 Works (Retrospective 1992-2001), Nordjyllands Kunstmuseum, Aalborg, Denmark
 Migrations (with Kehnet Nielsen), DCA Gallery, New York
 Arizona- Det genmodificerede Paradis (with Bjørn Nørgaard), Galleri Susanne Ottesen, Copenhagen

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2023 *Artists' Picks*, Galleri Bo Bjerggaard, Copenhagen, DK
I Follow the Sun, Artipelag, Stockholm, SE (Upcoming)
 2023 **BUTTERFLY!**, ARKEN Museum for Moderne Kunst, Ishøj, Denmark
 2021 *Skogspromenad*, CF Hill, Stockholm, Sweden
 2016 **OPSLAG NEDSLAG - Danske kunstnerbøger**, Det Kongelige Bibliotek, Den Sorte Diamant, Copenhagen, Denmark
 2015 *The Monochrome Symphony*, Artipelag, Gustavberg, Sweden
 2013 *State of the Art*, Copenhagen Photo Festival, Slottet, Carlsberg, Copenhagen
 2012 **QUINTA ESSENTIA**, semina rerum, Zürich
Recollections – of Willumsen, Galleri Bo Bjerggaard, Copenhagen
 2011 *Helt ude i Skoven / Out in the wild wood*, Galleri Bo Bjerggaard, Copenhagen
 2010 *Fotografier, Kobberstiksamlingen*, Statens Museum for Kunst, Copenhagen
Fresco After Dark, Fresco, New York
Dans un Jardin, Frac Haute-Normandie, France
grey light - light grey, semina rerum, Zürich
AUTOFOCUS, FOCUSAUTO, Projektraum Viktor Bucher, Vienna
 2008 *Nordiske Stemninger*, Arken – Museum of Modern Art, Ishøj, Denmark
 Den Frie, Den Frie Udstillingsbygning, Copenhagen
Don't look back, semina rerum, Irène Preiswerk, Zürich
 2007 *New Photography from Denmark*, Fotofest, Houston
 2006 *Photo: New Photography from Denmark*, Scandinavia House, New York
 2004 *Seven from Afar*, Sharjah Art Museum, United Arab Emirates
Clinch!, Statens Museum for Kunst, Copenhagen
Seven Up Says Hello, Künstlerforum Bonn
Seven Up – 13 til Bords, Sophienholm, Lyngby, Denmark
 2003 *Fra Objektiv til Objekt*, Den Frie Udstillingsbygning, Copenhagen
The Wilder Shores of Love, semina rerum, Irène Preiswerk, Zurich
 Grønningen, Charlottenborg, Copenhagen
 2002 *Inside Out* (with Eske Kath, Christian Vind, Mette Winckelmann)
 G7, Berlin
 Grønningen, Charlottenborg, Copenhagen
 2001 *Erinnerte Bilden*, Landeskulturzentrum, Salzau, Germany

PROJECTS / SITE SPECIFIC WORKS

- 2017 *VUC Syd Haderslev*, Haderslev, Denmark
Haslev Idrætscenter, Haslev, Denmark
 2013 *Strindberg Lighthouse*, VUC, Haderslev, Denmark
 2012 *Winter's Tales*, KPMG, Flintholm, Copenhagen
 2011 *Bridges*, Novo Nordisk Fonden, Hellerup, Copenhagen
 2010 *Cézannes Garden*, Center for Protein Research, Panum Institutttet, University of Copenhagen, Copenhagen

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

Strindbergs Metode, Borgen 1993
Asger Jorn, Animator of Oil Painting, Edition Bløndal 1994
Donald Judd, Space Poetry 1994
Rodin improvisationer, Borgen 1995
Hammershøi, Space Poetry 1997
Huler & Udgange, Det Kongelige Danske Kunstakademi, 2000
Poul Gernes Monografi, Borgen 2001
100 Works, Nordjyllands Kunstmuseum 2001
Arizona, Borgen 2001
Roots and Routes, Dahl Gallery of Contemporary Art, Luzern 2003
Valbyengelsk, Gyldendal 2003
Refleksioner / Reflections, Per Kirkeby, Kunstforeningen Gl. Strand, 2005
Desperado, Gyldendal 2006
Værker og værksteder, Det Kongelige Danske Kunstakademi, 2007
BASIC, Forlaget Bjerggaard, 2017
At trække en streg, Per Kirkeby – liv og værk, Gyldendal, 2017