

# CV

## Kaspar Bonnén

Born 1968, works and lives in Copenhagen, Denmark

### Education

1993 - 1999 Royal Danish Academy of Fine Arts, Copenhagen, Denmark

### 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

### Solo Exhibitions (selected)

2013

The Past Will Never Leave You, Kunstforeningen GL STRAND, Copenhagen, Denmark

New Works, Bendixen Contemporary, Copenhagen, 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

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, Kørners Kontor, Copenhagen, Denmark

1997

Rhizom, Aarhus, Denmark (with Henrik Capetillo)

Nogen vil prøve anderledes smag, Kørners Kontor, Copenhagen, Denmark

X-files, [www.artnode.dk](http://www.artnode.dk)

1995

Overgaden, Copenhagen, Denmark (with Henrik Capetillo)

### **Group Exhibitions (selected)**

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  
H2O, 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

Goldiggers, [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  
Sampilsramte 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 Kunsthø](#), 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, [Kunsthø 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, [Kunsthø Charlottenborg](#), Copenhagen, Denmark  
Det Nye Kvarter, By Pars Electronic, Copenhagen, [Kunsthø Charlottenborg](#), Copenhagen, Denmark (with Fos & Tal R)

## **Publications**

2010

[Skabelser](#), poems, texts, Arena Forlag  
The room can never be closed, catalogue, [Kunsthø Brandts](#)  
Meta Collection Center, program/catalogue, [Kunsthø Brandts](#)

2008

There is a Path, selected works

2007

Arkitektur & andre værelser vi kan bygge sammen, texts, Borgens Forlag

2005

Photos/Drawings, artbook

Architecture, texts

2001

Inventarium, poetry, Borgens Forlag

2000

Træning – øvelser for rum, poetry, Borgens Forlag

1999

Sovende politik; thoughts on beds, dreams, politics and reality

Platform no. 2 & 4

Det nye kvarter, texts and poetry, Borgens forlag

1998

Homelamps in the neighborhood, CD, Music and soundcollages for the exhibition White Loop, Pars Electronic

X-files 2; letters from my mother, personal reflections and diary notes in connection with a personal upheaval, own publication

1997

Vælg alt, poetry, Gyldendals forlag

X-files, texts and drawings about the art world, Pars Electronic

1996

Det Nye Kvarter, CD, Pars Electronic

1995

Collective Computerdrawings, Kaspar Bonnén & Jasper Sebastian Stürup, own publication

### **Grants of honour**

2008

Eckersberg-Medaillen, Royal Danish Academy of Fine Arts