

# TORBEN RIBE

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## Education

2000-2006 The Royal Danish Academy of Fine Arts, Copenhagen

## Solo Exhibitions

- 2013 Landscapes and Fruit, Galerie Hussenot, Paris  
2012 Medium sized paintings (mostly) on walls ~~on walls~~, IMO, Copenhagen  
2010 Among Other Things, BN 24, Hamburg  
Dust, Kiwi, Rucola, IMO, Copenhagen  
2009 Dummy, KØS - Museum of Art in Public Spaces, Køge  
2008 Resurrection - Night of the Ghouls, Grand Teatret, Copenhagen  
Reconsidering Everything (again), Bendixen Contemporary Art, Copenhagen  
2007 Torben Ribe (with Maiken Bent), Morsø Kunstforening, Mors  
2006 Pimp My Horizon, Bendixen Contemporary Art, Copenhagen  
2005 Torben Ribe (with René Schmidt), Galleri Tom Christoffersen, Copenhagen  
2004 Musea Mordor, Museumsbygningen Kunstauktioner, Copenhagen

## Selected Group Exhibition

- 2013 Post Culture, Elizabeth Dee, New York  
Display @, Galerie Hussenot, Paris  
FOKUS 2013, Nicolaj Kunsthal, Copenhagen  
Time Machine, Frutta Gallery, Rome  
2012 Relationer, POP-UP Contemporary, Copenhagen  
Painting without Paint, David Risley Gallery, Copenhagen  
Nothing comes from nothing, Peter Amby Gallery, Copenhagen  
Endless Scroll Deregulated Generation, IMO, Copenhagen  
Oil on Water Calming Effect, Skur2, Stavanger  
It's Hardly Softcore, BKS Garage, Copenhagen  
Multimarked, Skulpturi.dk, Copenhagen  
Art & Books, Den Frie Centre of Contemporary Art, Copenhagen  
Spatium – Danish Contemporary Art, KUMU Art Museum of Estonia, Tallinn  
2011 Callous Hands, Ufo Presents, Berlin  
Den rigtige vej til det forkerte sted, Kooh-I-Noor, Copenhagen  
I feel like I'm disappearing, getting smaller everyday / but when I look in the mirror,  
I'm bigger in every way, Gallery West, The Hague  
A Chair is Still a Chair, but a Room is not a House, Ringsted Galleriet, Ringsted  
Skulptur I Eventyrhaven, Eventyrhaven, Odense  
WRONG, IMO, Copenhagen  
Pist Protta 1981-2031, Overgaden – Institute of Contemporary Art, Copenhagen  
Space Poetry, Kunsthallen Brandts, Odense  
Kooh-I-Nor, Den Frie Centre of Contemporary Art, Copenhagen  
2010 And the Word Became Flesh, Galleri Tom Christoffersen, Copenhagen

- Carnegie Art Award, Kunsthalle Helsinki, Helsinki  
The Piccadilly Exhibition Company Vol. 2, Aalborg Stadsarkiv, Aalborg  
Carnegie Art Award, Kunsternes Hus, Oslo  
En hilsen til Ib Geertsen, Danske Grafikeres Hus, Copenhagen  
Carnegie Art Award, The Royal Academy of Fine Arts, Stockholm  
Carnegie Art Award, National Gallery of Iceland, Reykjavik
- 2009  
Verbale Pupiller, Århus Kunstbygning, Århus  
Kontrapunkt, Esbjerg Kunstmuseum, Esbjerg  
Carnegie Art Award, Kunsthø Charlottenborg, Copenhagen  
Between the Eyes, Fox Belly Gallery, Vejle  
KURS:HØJEN, Odsherred Kunstmuseum, Asnæs  
Entré og Stue – Wohnung, Copenhagen  
Update, Kunsthø Nord, Aalborg  
Paintspace VIII, Udstillingssalen Rundetaarn, Copenhagen  
Happy New Year(s), Bendixen Contemporary Art, Copenhagen
- 2008  
We came in search of immortality, but found reality (with Golden Enterprise),  
Overgaden – Institute of Contemporary Art, Copenhagen
- 2007  
Et blik på det fremmede, Bendixen Contemporary Art, Copenhagen  
Dengang nu snart, Pladsen, Copenhagen  
SALON #1, Lauritz Kunsthø, Copenhagen  
Magtdemonstrationer på Kronborg, Kronborg Castle, Helsingør, Helsingør,  
BLING, Galleri Mikael Andersen, Copenhagen,  
Under Neglene, Galleri Tom Christoffersen, Copenhagen  
The Suit Case Project, The Old Library, Cardiff, Wales  
The Suit Case Project, The Beaver Project, Copenhagen  
Match Race, Nordjyllands Kunstmuseum, Ålborg  
GAL KÆRLIGHED – Ung kunst i danske privatsamlinger, Arken, Ishøj  
Into concrete, Galleri Tom Christoffersen, Copenhagen
- 2006  
Exportable Goods – Contemporary Art from Denmark, Krinzinger Projekte, Galerie  
Krinzinger, Vienna  
Maleri uden grænser, Esbjerg Kunstmuseum  
Add x to (n), Museet for Samtidskunst, Roskilde.  
Ten on Fourth, Bendixen Contemporary Art, Copenhagen  
EXIT 06, Kunstforeningen Gl. Strand, Copenhagen  
The Known and the Unknown, Galleri Nicolai Wallner, Copenhagen
- 2005  
Club Selvsving, Den Frie, Copenhagen  
POPOP, the Showroom, Fabrikken for kunst og design, Copenhagen  
Changing Territories, Knapstrupteglværk (m. PAINT OVER!), Knapstrup.  
Charlottenborgs Efterårsudstilling 2005, Charlottenborg, Copenhagen.  
Buffet, Første til venstre, Copenhagen
- 2004  
QUAKA, Kunstakademiets projektrum, Copenhagen  
PAINT OVER!, Museumsbygningen Kunstauktioner, Copenhagen  
Nyt Blod, Galleri Tom Christoffersen, Copenhagen  
KRAT, Frederiksberg Have, Copenhagen  
Showtime (m. Jørgen Carlo og Simon Grimm), Galleri Stalke, Copenhagen
- 2003  
Museum of Modern Art, MOMAD 1+1.2 (m. Kristoffer Akselbo og Ferdinand Krag),  
Fisketorvet, Copenhagen  
Selvsving, Roskilde Festival, Roskilde  
Digitale Interventioner, Udstillingsstedet Q, Copenhagen
- 2002  
Så'r der kronhjort, Christoffersen Art, Copenhagen  
Selvsving, AIX NV, Copenhagen  
Elmers Cut, Christoffersen Art, Copenhagen  
BRØL (m. Ivan Andersen), Zoologisk Have, Copenhagen

- 2001 Charlottenborgs Efterårsudstilling (m. Ivan Andersen), Copenhagen  
One-Night-Stand, Christoffersen Art, Copenhagen  
Kunstnernes Efterårsudstilling, Den Frie, Copenhagen  
Loveplace (m. Ivan Andersen), Copenhagen  
49 Proposals For A Better World/ The Office Up Gandhi's Ass, Udstillingsstedet Spanien  
19C, Århus
- 2000 Kunstnernes Efterårsudstillinger, Den Frie, Copenhagen

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- Dorthe Rugaard Jørgensen og Hannah Dougherty: "MAD LOVE – Young Art in Danish Private Collections", Arken, Ishøj, 2007
- Peter Michael Hornung: "Alt, der glimter, er ikke guld", Politiken June 23, 2007
- Marie Kirkegaard: "Pimp My Horizon – Torben Ribe", New Danish Art, Copenhagen, 2007
- Bente Scavenius: "Kunstens talenter i svøb", Børsen, February 8, 2007
- Ferdinand Ahm Krag: "På Bodega med Fedte-Frans", Information, September 13, 2006