

Victoria Miro

JOHN KØRNER

BIOGRAPHY

b. 1967 in Aarhus
Lives and works in Copenhagen

EDUCATION

1992-1998 Royal Danish Academy of Fine Arts, Copenhagen, Denmark

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2009 *Work Out*, Patricia Low Contemporary, Gstaad, Switzerland
Jacob, Sebastian, Benjamin, Jacob and Dan, Andersen's Contemporary, Berlin, Germany
- 2008 *War problems*, Victoria Miro Gallery, London, UK
- 2006 *Woman with 24 problems – Exhibition of graphical works*, Politikens Galleri, Denmark
- 2006 *2006 Problems*, Victoria Miro, London, UK
- 2006 *AROS Bank*, ARos, Aarhus Kunstmuseum, Denmark
- 2005 *den 1:a på Moderna*, Moderna Museet, Stockholm, Sweden
- 2005 *5 Problems*, Galleri Stefan Andersson, Umeå, Sweden
- 2005 *Kunsthall*, Københavns Kunsthall, Copenhagen, Denmark
- 2005 *Første til venstre*, Copenhagen, Denmark
- 2005 *Statements*, Art Basel, Switzerland
- 2004 *The Problem of Performing*, Kunstforeningen Gl. Strand, Copenhagen, Denmark
- 2004 *SUPERDANISH*, Toronto, Canada
- 2004 *The Design of Productions*, Gallery Maze, Torino, Italy
- 2003 *CONSTRUCTION SETS – works on paper*, Galleri Christina Wilson, Copenhagen, Denmark
- 2003 Galleri Stefan Andersson, Umeå, Sweden
- 2003 *The Greenland Problem* Herning Museum of Art, Denmark
- 2002 *Be On Show*, Galleri Christina Wilson, Copenhagen, Denmark
- 2002 *POST*, Galleri Franz Pedersen Horsens, Denmark
- 2002 *Den Fantastiske Udvej (The Fantastic Way Out)*, Albertslund Radhus, Albertslund, Denmark
- 2001 *Teater*, Århus Museum of Art – Project-room-installation, Århus, Denmark
- 2000 *Dig Og John's Engagement*, Galleri Søren Houmann, Copenhagen, Denmark
- 1999 *Jeg Taler Til Jer (I am Talking to You)*, Museumsbygningen Kunstauktioner, Copenhagen, Denmark
- 1999 *Street Sharks*, Kørners Kontor (Kørners Office), Copenhagen, Denmark
- 1998 *Slappe dig Og Andre Intentioner (Relaxed You and Other Intentions)*, Blegdamsvej 18, Copenhagen, Denmark
- 1998 *Problem*, Galleri Phønix, Copenhagen, Denmark
- 1997 *Slap A (Relax)*, Kørners Kontor (Kørners Office), Copenhagen, Denmark
- 1995 *Glæde og Harmoni (Joy and Harmony)*, Rådskælderens, Charlottenborg, Copenhagen

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2009 Herning Art Museum, Denmark
- 2008 *ROOMING IN!* Patricia Low Contemporary, Gstaad, Switzerland
- 2008 *Frelst Fiktion*, Museum of Religious Art, Lemvig, Denmark
- 2008 *Emergency Room*, Galerie Taïss, Paris, France
- 2008 *The Forgotten Bar Project*, Galerie Im Regierungsviertel, Berlin
- 2008 *U-Turn Quadriennial for Contemporary Art*, Copenhagen, Denmark
- 2008 *Auto Stop*, Malmö Kunsthall, Sweden
- 2008 *FROM THOUGHT TO ACTION* Open air exhibition, Roskilde Festival/ V1Gallery, Denmark
- 2008 *Socle du Monde*, Herning Kunstmuseum, Denmark
- 2008 *Andersens Wohnung Revisited (1996-1999)*, Andersen's Contemporary Berlin, Germany
- 2008 *Danskjåvlar - a Swedish Declaration of Love*, Kunsthall Charlottenborg, Copenhagen
- 2008 *Carnegie Art Award 2008*, Scandinavia/ EU
- 2007 *Lys over Lolland (Light over Lolland)*, Oreby Castle, Denmark

- Star of Africa Diamond*, Patricia Low Gallery, Gstaad, Switzerland
[naturligvis], Nordens Hus, Faroe Islands, Denmark
MAD LOVE –ung kunst i danske privatsamlinger (Young Danish Art in Private Collections) Arken Museum of Modern Art, Ishøj, Denmark
- 2007 *5 years anniversary show*, Galleri Christina Wilson
2007 *Oprør i skoven*, Koh-i-noor, Copenhagen, Denmark
2007 Werkleitz Biennale, *Happy Believers*, Halle, Germany
2006 *CPH KUNSTHAL_Centennale - 700 % PLUS*, Kbh Kunsthal, Copenhagen, Denmark
2006 *MALERHJERNE! Ungt dansk maleri ("PAINTER'S BRAIN!" Young Danish Painting)*, Arken Museum of Modern Art, Ishøj, Denmark
- 2006 *Bjerger i dansk kunst –fra Willumsen til Parfyme*, (Mountains in Danish Art –from Willumsen to Parfyme) Herning Kunstmuseum, Denmark
- 2006 *Golddiggers*, Patricia Low Contemporary, Gstaad, Switzerland
2006 *Painting as Presence*, Künstlerhaus Bethanien, Berlin & Taidehalli, Helsinki, Finland
2004 *Painting 2004*, Gallery Victoria Miro, London, GB
2004 *Momentum*, Moss 2004, Norway
2002 *Stop for a moment – Painting as Presence*, Wäinö Altonen Artmuseum, Finland, Arken Museum of Modern Art, Denmark
2002 *Carnegie Art Award 2002, Scandinavia/ EU*
2002 Collection of Arken Museum of Modern Art, Borås Konstmuseum, Borås, Sweden
2001 *Scandorama*, Galleri Art Box Århus, Denmark
2001 *Wonderful Copenhagen*, Stadtgalerie Kiel, Germany
2000 *Den Fantastiske Udvej*, (The Fantastic Way Out), Albertslund Rådhus, Albertslund, Denmark
2000 *Carnegie Art Award 2000, Scandinavia/ EU*

SELECTED ARTICLES AND REVIEWS

- 2009 The Observer, Imogen Carter, *In memoriam for great Danes*, 18 January 2009
2009 Time Out, Sally O'Rielly, *John Kørner*, 8 – 14 January 2009
2008 The Sum, Malene Vest Hansen, *John Kørner: Plenty of problems*, Issue #3, 2008
2008 Frieze, Lars Bang Larsen, *U-Turn Quadriennial for Contemporary Art*, November/December 2008
2008 Politiken, Camilla Høy-Jensen, Interview: Danmark i krig, 6 September 2008
2008 Berlingske Tidende. Kørners Farve, Nilo Zand, 26 October 2008
2007 Flash Art, Angela Rosenberg: *John Kørner*, January/February issue
2006 Weekendavisen, Lisbeth Bonde: *Chagall på cykel*, 8 December 2006
2006 Time Out, Helen Sumpter, *John Kørner*, 6 December 2006
2006 Børsen, Bente Scavenius, *Den velhavende gule bank* 16 October 2006
2006 Politiken, Birger Thøgersen, *En særling slår igennem*, 24 June 2006
2004 Weekendavisen, Lisbeth Bonde, Håndværkerkunst: Folkekunstner og avantgardist, 19 November 2004
1999 Politiken, Trine Ross, *Ateliersamtaler: En eftertænksom fætter*, 26 September 1999

SELECTED PUBLIC ART COMMISSIONS AND DECORATIONS

- (Forthcoming) Decoration at Fredrik VIII's Royal Palace, 2009
Decoration at The Royal Danish Playhouse, 2007/2008
Woman with 24 Problems, Mural, Amagerbro Metrostation, Copenhagen, 2006
Interior decoration, The Court in Randers, Denmark, 2005

BOOKS AND CATALOGUES

- War Problems*, Victoria Miro Gallery, 2008
2006 Problems, Victoria Miro Gallery, 2006
AROS BANK, Container, 2006
The problem of performing, Gl. Strand, 2004
Guide to The Greenland Problem, Container, 2003
A modern problem, Container, 2003
The Fantastic Way Out, Space poetry, 1999, 48 pages in colour
Jeg Taler til Jer, Museumsbygningen 1999, 24 pages in colour

COLLECTIONS

- ARoS, Århus Museum of Art, Denmark,
Arken, Museum of Modern Art, Denmark,
Royal Museum of Fine Arts, Copenhagen, Denmark
Tate Gallery, London, UK

The Saatchi Collection, London, UK
Herning Museum of Art, Denmark
Rubell Family Collection, Miami, USA

AWARDS AND GRANTS

Carnegie Art Award, 2000, 2008
Honorary grant, Niels Wessel Bagge's Arts Foundation 2006
3 year working grant, The Danish Arts Foundation, 2003

PUBLIC APPOINTMENTS AND TEACHING POSTS

Art Academy, Düsseldorf, Germany, guest teacher, 2008
Helsinki Academy of Fine Arts, Finland, guest teacher, 2008
Arken Museum of Modern Art, Ishøj, Denmark, 2005
Member of The Danish Art Council, 2002
Boardmember, Kunsthall Charlottenborg, Copenhagen 2001-2002