



CV

Kerstin Merlin Eriksson

Born 1962 in Lidköping, since 1986 live and work in Gothenburg, Sweden. Working mainly with sculpture, preferably in bronze, but also with mosaic and painting. Competence in the process associated with casting sculptures in bronze. Perform the whole work from model to finished sculpture. Since 2014 carving in stone as well.

Education

Artistic education:

Stone course (granite) run by sculptors Viktor Korneev and Asbjörn Adresen, KKV Bohuslän, 2014.

Been apprenticed to the artist, sculptor and bronze founder Vladimir Stoces, 2011-2013.

Further training in mould-making and bronze casting, instructor Bo Samuelsson and Leon Lagergren, 2015-2016.

Various courses in the process of casting sculptures in bronze, welding e t c, 2010-2014, KKV Gothenburg.

Dömen Art school, 1993-95.

Other education and work-life experience:

Law school, University of Gothenburg, Astronomy, University of Gothenburg. Have been working in the private business as well as in the government sector. Self-employed since 2008. Working with art full time ever since.

Member of The Swedish Sculptors' Association (www.skulptorforbundet.se), among other artist's associations.

Commision of trust

Since 2015 Charge of the Art Foundry at KKV Gothenburg.

Represented / Purchased

Falu Municipality; Götene Municipality; Försäkringskassan Gothenburg; Art Associations, e.g. Volvo, Metsä Tissue, Skatteverket; Saab, Mariestad Konstförening; Private collectors in Sweden and abroad.

Sketch assignments

HSB Sthlm, 2017

Art commissions

Closer to Heaven, I, II and III (2014, Art collector Christer Botéus, Halland, Sweden); Prelude (2011, Datakonsult, Stockholm, Sweden); Whirl-wind (2012, private, Gothenburg, Sweden),

Selected EXHIBITIONS

Upcoming

2018 Galleri Gamla Stan, Eskilstuna

Solo

2017 Mariestads Konstförening, Gamla stadshuset, Mariestad
2016 Strand Golf Hotel, Eskilstuna
2016 Galleri Gamla stan, Eskilstuna
2014 Galleri Rådhusgatan Sju, Marstrand
2014 KKV Göteborg
2012 Galleriet, Strömstad
2012 The Art Foundry , KKV Göteborg
2011 Skansen, Stockholm
2011 Svenska Mässan/The Swedish Exhibition & Congress Centre, Gothenburg
2009 Vänersborg's municipality house, Vänersborg
2008-2009 Vänersborg's municipality house, the foyer
2008-2009 Skara Visitors Center, the entrance
2008 Vänersborg's municipality house, the foyer
2008 Bladhskas huset, Skara municipality, Skara
2008 Bryggaresalen, Mellangatan 54, Visby
2008 Vänersborg's municipality house, Vänersborg
2007 Försäkringskassan, Gothenburg
2006 Djäkneskolan, Skara municipality
2006 Bryggaresalen, Mellangatan 54, Visby
2004 Västergötlands museum, Skara
2003 Västergötlands museum, Skara
2003 Kråks Vårdshus, Skara
2002 Bryggaresalen, Mellangatan 54, Visby

Group

2017 Röda Sten konsthall, Göteborg (Jubilee Exhibition, Konstrundan i Majorna 20 years)
2016 Varbergs Stadshotell & Asia Spa/Gallery Art Veritas, Varberg
2016 Hôtel Eggars/Gallery Art Veritas, Göteborg
2016 Udden Sculpture Park, Hunnebostrand (International Exhibition)
2016 Gerlesborg's Sculpture Field & Summer Exhibition, Bohuslän
2016 Röda Sten Konsthall, Göteborg
2016 KKV, Göteborg
2016 Galley Art Veritas, Göteborg
2015 Edsvik Konsthall, Sollentuna (juried)
2015 Gallery Art Veritas, Göteborg
2015 Skatteverket Göteborg
2015 Värmlands museum, Karlstad
2015 Marsvinsholms Sculpture Park, Ystad
2015 The Summer Exhibition, KKV-Bohuslän, Gerlesborg
2015 Röda Sten Konsthall, Gothenburg
2015 Gallery Art Veritas, Onsala
2015 K K P Galleri, Gothenburg
2014 Konstrundan i Majorna, KKV Göteborg
2014 Gallery Art Veritas, Onsala
2013 Vänersborgs Art hall, Vänersborg's municipality, (juried)
2013 The Art Foundry, KKV Göteborg
2013 "Spännvidd", The Art hall MårtenPers Källa, Brantevik,
Galleri Rita
2012-2016 Galleriet, Strömstad
2010 Vänersborg's Art hall, Vänersborg's municipality, (juried)
2009 Municipality house of Skärhamn (juried)
2008 Vänersborg's Art hall, Vänersborg's municipality, (juried)

Related Activities

2016 Ferret Halloween international show, Skövde
2013, 2014, 2015, 2016 Röda Sten Konsthall's Christmas fair for Art and Design, Göteborg
2009, 2010 ÅbyTravet, The Marble hall, Mölndal

References will gladly be given on request.

