

KRISTJÁN GUÐMUNDSSON | CV

Born 1941 on Snæfellsnes Peninsula. Lives and works in Reykjavik.

Solo exhibitions (selected)

- 2020 *Mostly Drawings*, i8 Gallery, Reykjavík, IS
- 2016 *Olympic Drawings*, Galerie Anhava, Helsinki, FI
- 2015 Rappaz Museum, Basel, CH
i8 Gallery, Reykjavik, IS
Marc Straus, New York, US
- 2014 *Tourist Poems & Olympic Drawings*, Gallery Gamma, Reykjavík, IS
Exhibition Seconds, Skúrinn, Reykjavik, IS
Faster and Slower and Cause and Consequence (including works by Donald Judd), Safn, Berlin, DE
- 2013 *Dessins & Dessins Olympiques*, Galerie Martine Thibault de la Châtre, Paris, FR
- 2011 i8 Gallery, Reykjavík, IS
Galerie van Gelder, Amsterdam, NL
- 2010 *Paintings in Grey and White Frames*, Galerie Anhava, Helsinki, FI
Paintings and Drawings, Galleri Riis, Oslo, NO
Galleri Andersson Sandström, Umeå, SE
Paintings in Grey and White, Quint Contemporary Art, La Jolla, California, US
Kristján Gudmundsson, Quint Contemporary Art, La Jolla, CA, US
- 2009 National Gallery of Iceland, Reykjavík, IS
- 2007 *Drawings I-XV & Other Works*, Safn, Reykjavik, IS
Galerie Anhava, Helsinki, FI
- 2006 *Blue Transmission*, Galleri Riis, Oslo, NO
- 2005 *New Works*, Galleri Stefan Andersson, Umeå, SE
- 2004 *Architecture*, i8 Gallery, Reykjavík, IS
New Works, Listasafn Árnesinga, Hveragerdi, IS
- 2004 *Drawings*, Sleeper Gallery, Edinburgh, SC
- 2003 *Slunkaríki*, Ísafjörður, IS
AP Galerie, Amsterdam, NL
Kompan, Akureyri, IS
- 2002 Galerie Nordenhake, Berlin, DE
Kunstneres Hus, Oslo, NO
- 2001 *Kjarvalsstadir*, Reykjavik Art Museum - Kjarvalsstadir, Reykjavik, IS
- 2000 Galerie Anhava, Helsinki, FI
- 1999 i8 Gallery, Reykjavik, IS
Galleri Riis, Oslo, NO
Slunkaríki, Ísafjörður, IS
- 1998 Galerie Anhava, Helsinki, FI
- 1997 i8 Gallery, Reykjavík, IS
Galleri Gulp, Reykjavik, IS
- 1996 Galleri Saevar Karl, Reykjavik, IS
Galleri Stefan Andersson, Umeå, SE
Galerie Anhava, Helsinki, FI
Galleri Hulda Ágústdóttir, Reykjavík, IS
- 1995 Slunkaríki, Ísafjörður, IS
- 1994 Galleri F 15, Moss, NO
Retrospective, Rooseum, Malmö, SE
Albrecht Dürer Gesellschaft & Institut für Moderne Kunst, Nürnberg, DE
Sjö teikningar cid fundna syningarska, Galleri Sævar Karl, Reykjavík, IS
- 1993 Galleri Riis, Oslo, NO
Boekie Woekie, Amsterdam, NL
Städtisches Museum Abteiberg, Mönchengladbach, DE
Kunsthalle Rostock, Rostock, DE
Galerie van Gelder, Amsterdam, NL

- 1992 Galerie Anhava, Helsinki, FI
Galerie Miller-Nordenhake, Cologne, DE
Galleri II, Reykjavík, IS
Galleri Gangur, Reykjavík, IS
- 1991 Galerie Martina Detterer, Frankfurt am Main, DE
Slunkaríki, Ísafjörður, IS
Galerie Nordenhake, Stockholm, SE
Galerie Dörrie-Priess, Hamburg, DE
Gallerí Krókur, Reykjavík, IS
- 1989 *Teikningar/drawings 1972-88*, Reykjavik Art Museum - Kjarvalsstaðir, Reykjavík, IS
Galleri Riis, Oslo, NO
Galerie van Gelder, Amsterdam, NL
- 1988 Galerie Nordenhake, Stockholm, SE
- 1987 Slunkaríki, Ísafjörður, IS
Galerie van Gelder, Amsterdam, NL
Drawings and Sculpture, Ásmundarsalur, Reykjavík, IS
Kristján Guðmundsson/Andrea Toppel, Boekie Woekie, Amsterdam, NL
- 1986 Galerie "A", Amsterdam, NL
Between Poetry and Measurement, American Scandinavian Foundation, New York, US
Galerie van Gelder, Amsterdam, NL
- 1985 Gallery Gudmundur Árnason, Reykjavík, IS
- 1983 ASÍ Art Museum, Reykjavík, IS
- 1982 The Red House, Akureyri, IS
- 1981 Safnahúsid, Húsavík, IS
Ráðhúsid, Dalvík, IS
- 1978 Gallery SÚM, Reykjavík, IS
Library of Ísafjörður, Ísafjörður, IS
- 1975 Seriaal, Amsterdam, NL
Gallery SÚM, Reykjavík, IS
Paleis voor Schone kunst, Brussel, BE
Kunstmuseum, Luzern, CH
- 1974 IN-OUT-CENTER, Amsterdam, NL
- 1973 Stedelijk Museum, Amsterdam, NL
IN-OUT-CENTER, Amsterdam, NL
- 1972 Galerie 845, Amsterdam, NL
Gallery SÚM, Reykjavík, IS
Galerie Balderich, Mönchengladbach, DE
Galerie Fignal, Amsterdam, NL
- 1970 Galleri SÚM, Reykjavík, IS
- 1969 Galleri SÚM, Reykjavík, IS
- 1968 Mokka, Reykjavík, IS

Group exhibitions (selected)

- 2019 *Rúllandi snjóbolti / 12*, Djúpipivogur, IS
Really, Sequences IX, Kling & Bang, Reykjavík, IS
Cutting Edges: Nordic Concrete Art from the Erling Neby Collection, Scandinavian House, New York, US
- 2017 *Rolling Snowball/9*, Djúpipivogur, IS
1hv (w/ Örn Alexander Ámundason), Reykjavík, IS
Literally – Concrete Poetry in Iceland from 1957 to the Present Day, Hafnarborg, Hafnarfjörður, IS
- 2016 *TEXT*, National Gallery of Iceland, Reykjavík, IS
- 2015 *Selected Portraits from the Collection of the National Gallery of Iceland – From the Rustic to the Selfie*, National Gallery of Iceland, Reykjavík, IS

- 2014 *Rolling Snowball 5*, Djúpvogur, IS
Franz Graf: See What Sees You, The Bevedere, Vienna, AT
DRAWN, Galerie Nordenhake, Berlin, DE
Your Compound View – Selection from the collection from 1970-2010,
 Reykjavik Art Museum, IS
- 2013 *Works on Paper*, i8 Gallery, Reykjavik, IS
Embracing Impermanence, The Living Art Museum, Reykjavik, IS
B.A.B.E. – The Best Artist Books and Editions, Immanence – Espace d'art
 Contemporain, Paris, France
Elemental, Boden Arts Center, Boden, Sweden
- 2012 *Hangman's Rock – The Delirium of Vision*, Reykjavik Art Museum -
 Kjarvalsstaðir, Reykjavik, IS
Ends of the Earth: Land Art to 1974, MOCA Los Angeles, USA; Haus der Kunst,
 Munich, DE
Explorateurs, Musée de l'Abbaye Sainte Croix des Sables d'Olonne, FR
Minning um Myndlist, ASÍ Art Museum, Reykjavik, IS
To Make a Show It Takes A Thought and More than One Word, Galerie van
 Gelder, Amsterdam, NL
 Galleri Riis, Oslo, NO
- 2011 *Arbeiten Aus dem Bleistiftgebiet*, Van Horn, Düsseldorf, DE (curated by Gregor
 Hildebrandt)
Perspectives - On the Borders of Art and Philosophy, Reykjavik Art Museum –
 Hafnarhus, IS
A for Artist / E for Exhibitions, Galerie van Gelder, Amsterdam, NL
TEXT, Kuckei + Kuckei, Berlin, DE
*Faster and Slower Lines - From the Collection of Pétur Arason and Ragna
 Róbertsdóttir*, Reykjavik Art Museum, Reykjavik, IS
Kind Of Nice, Galerie Anhava, Helsinki, FI
The Erling Neby Collection, Henie Onstad Art Centre, Høvikodden, NO
Rolling Snowball, Chinese European Art Center, Xiamen, CN
- 2010 *Winter Show*, i8 Gallery, Reykjavik, IS
straumur / burðarás, Akureyri Art Museum, Akureyri, IS
Carnegie Art Award, National Gallery of Iceland, Reykjavik, IS; The Royal
 Academy of Fine Arts, Stockholm, SE; Kunstneres Hus, Oslo, NO; 798 Art
 Space, Beijing, CN; Royal College of Art, London, UK; Kunsthalle Helsinki, FI;
 Centre International d'Art Contemporain, Carros/Nice, FR
Abstract, Almost Abstract II, Galerie van Gelder, Amsterdam, NL
Starter Works from the Vehbi Koç Foundation Contemporary Art Collection,
 Arter | Space for Art, Istanbul, TR
- 2009 *Carnegie Art Award 2010*, Kunsthal Charlottenborg, Copenhagen, DK
Central Periphery (curated by Alan Johnston), RMIT Gallery, Melbourne, Australia
Latte in Watte, Galleri Riis, Oslo, NO
In Deep Water, Hafnarborg, Hafnarfjörður, IS
Islands & Ghettos, Über territoriale Segregation in Städten des 21. Jahrhundert,
 Kunstraum Kreuzberg / Bethanien, Berlin, DE; NGBK / Neue Gesellschaft für
 Bildende Kunst, Berlin, DE
Several Friends, National Gallery of Iceland, Reykjavik, IS
- 2008 *Ad Absurdum - Energies of the Absurd From Modernity to Contemporary Art*,
 Marta Herford, DE
Dreams of the Sublime and Nowhere, Reykjavik Art Museum - Kjarvalsstaðir,
 Reykjavik, IS
Icelandic Art, with Thor Vigfusson, Quint Contemporary Art, La Jolla, US
Islands & Ghettos, Heidelberger Kunstverein, Heidelberg, DE
No TV on Thursdays, Galerie van Gelder, Amsterdam, NL
Lika för lika, Gävle Konstcentrum, Gävle, SE
- 2007 *Drawing A Tiger*, Galerie Nordenhake, Berlin, DE
Colour First, Galerie van Gelder, Amsterdam, NL

- 2006 *Im Fluss*, Neues Museum Weserburg, Bremen, DE
Gjensyn og fremtiden (Future Revisited), Vigeland museet, Oslo, NO
In Between - from the collection, Nordiska Akvarellmuseet, Skärhamn, SE
Regarding facts, Galerie van Gelder, Amsterdam, NL
Næsti bar, with Sigurdur Gudmundsson, Reykjavik, IS (curated by Ólafur Ó. Lárusson)
- 2005 *Material Time, Life Time, Work Time*, Reykjavík Arts Festival, Gerðarsafn - Kópavogur Art Museum, IS
Skyndikynni, Reykjavíkúrákademían, Reykjavík, IS
Winterly Cold, Galerie van Gelder, Amsterdam, NL
Touché, Galerie Michael Sturm, Stuttgart, DE
- 2003 *Sea and Music*, Xiamen, CN
Meistarar Formsins, Akureyri Art Museum, Akureyri, IS
- 2002 *BLUE*, Place Arte Contemporanea, Cavagnolo, IT
D.R.A., Álafoss, Mosfellsbær, IS
Carnegie Award, Victoria Miro Gallery, London, UK
- 2001 *D.R.A.*, City Gallery, Pece, HU
Drawing Iceland, Galleri 54, Gothenburg, SE
Tegnerforbundet, Oslo, NO
Nothing, Rooseum Center for Contemporary Art, Malmö, Sweden; Contemporary Art Center, Vilnius, LT
- 2000 *In the Mirror of Space & Time*, Ásmundarsalur, Reykjavík, IS
Galleri áhaldahús, Vestmannaeyjar, IS
64 N-20 V, Galerie Nordenhake, Stockholm, SE
Dieter Roth Akademie, Ackermannshof, Basel, CH
Painting, Galerie Micheal Sturm, Stuttgart, DE
- 1999 *Drei Kuenstler aus Island*, Galerie Michael Sturm, Stuttgart, DE
HH 1, Xiamen, CN
Ainsi de Suite 3, Centre régional d' Art Contemporain, Sète, FR
Galerie Artek, Helsinki, FI
Hommage á Dieter Roth, Galerie Heinz Holtmann, Cologne; NORD LB Galerie, Braunschweig, DE
00, Galerie van Gelder, Amsterdam, NL
- 1998 *Ground*, Galerie Stadtpark, Krems, Austria; Akureyri Art Museum, Akureyri, IS
Galerie Peter Lidner, Vienna, AT
Losse werken, rake klappen, Galerie van Gelder, Amsterdam, NL
10 years 1988-1998, Magasin 3, Stockholm Konsthall, Stockholm, SE
- 1997 *Absence/Presence*, Kópavogur Art Museum, Kópavogur, IS
Ground, Ground, Pier Arts Centre, Stromness, Orkney, SC
Jahresmuseum 1997, Kunsthaus, Mürzzuschlag, AT
Gúlp á hvolfi, Galleri Gúlp, Reykjavik, IS
- 1996 *Antarctica Brahma*, Galerie Nächst St. Stephan, Vienna, AT
AQUELO, The Nordic Arts Centre, Helsinki, FI
- 1995 *La Hora del Norte*, Centro Cultural del Conde Duque, Madrid, Spain; Pia Almoina, Barcelona, ES
Art Festival, Seydisfjörður, IS
AQUELO, Museum Moderner Kunst, Vienna, AT
Galerie d'Arte Moderna, Bologna, IT
Botngróður, IS
- 1994 *Ludwig Gosewitz und seine isländischen Freunde*, Haus am Lützowplatz, Berlin, DE
Juxtaposition, Charlottenborg, Copenhagen, DK
Det nordiska önskemuseet, Göteborgs Konstmuseum, Gothenburg, SE
- 1992 *Das steinerne Licht*, Ostee-Biennale 1992, Kunsthalle Rostock, Rostock, DE
Art Festival, Hafnarborg, Hafnarfjörður, IS
Kunst, Europa-Island, Kölnischer Kunstverein, Cologne, DE
Borealis V, Porin taidemuseo, Pori, FI

- Trans / Mission*, Rooseum, Malmö, SE
We won't party alone, St. Gallen Kunstverein, St. Gallen, CH
Von Angesicht zu Angesicht, Gegenwarts Kunst aus dem Ostseeraum, Kunsthalle zu Kiel, DE; Kunsthalle Latvija, Riga, LV; Künstlerhaus Bethanien, Berlin, DE
- 1990 *The 8th Sidney Biennale*, Sidney, AU
Northlands, The Museum of Modern Art, Oxford, UK
The Douglas Hyde Gallery, Dublin, IE
Noli me tangere, Musée Cantonal des Beaux-Arts, Sion, CH
The Art of Drawing, Kunsterns Hus, Oslo, NO
End of the Century, Museum for Decorative Arts, Moscow, RU
Bridges, Persons & Lindell Gallery, Helsinki, FI
Threshold, Museet for Samtidskunst, Oslo, NO
Worlds 90, Joensuu Art Museums, FI
11 cities, 11 nations, Friesland Hal, Leeurwarden, NL
- 1989 *Resource Kunst*, Akademie der Künste West-Berlin, Germany; Stadtgalerie Saarbrücken, DE
SÚM 1965-72, The Municipal Museum, Reykjavík, IS
The Living Art Museum 10th anniversary, National Gallery of Iceland, Reykjavík, IS
- 1988 *Reykjavík Arts Festival*, The Living Art Museum, Reykjavík, IS (with Donald Judd & Richard Long)
Både /och, The Nordic Arts Center, Sveaborg, Helsinki, FI
- 1987 Kunsthallen Brandts Klædefabrik, Odense, DK
Galerie van Gelder, Amsterdam, NL (with John M. Armleder & Arno Van der Mark)
- 1986 *Bone in a cold oven*, The Nordic Arts Center, Sveaborg, Helsinki, FI
- 1985 Nordic House, Reykjavík, IS
Konst i Norden, The Nordic Arts Center, Sveaborg, Helsinki, FI
A nordic quintessence, ASF Gallery, New York, US
- 1984 *Time - The 4th Dimension*, Société des Expositions du palais des Beaux Arts, Brussels, BE; Geneva, CH; Mannheim, DE; London, UK
ICELAND: The art revealed, Franklin Furnace, New York, US
10 visitors, Reykjavík Arts Festival, Reykjavik Art Museum - Kjarvalsstadir, Reykjavík, IS
- 1983 The Living Art Museum, Reykjavík, IS
- 1982 La Biennale di Venezia, Venice, IT (with Jón Gunnar Árnason)
- 1981 The Red House, Akureyri, IS (with Sigríður Guðjónsdóttir)
Malmoe, Malmö Konsthall, Malmö, SE
- 1978 *Elva moderna isländska konstnärer*, Malmö Konsthall, Malmö, SE
- 1977 *Ça va? Ça va?*, Centre Georges Pompidou, Paris, FR
- 1975 Galerie Waalkens, Finsterwolde, NL
Kunstmuseum Luzerne, Luzerne, CH
- 1974 *H2O*, St. Nikolaj Kirkje, Copenhagen, DK
Frans Hals Museum, Haarlem, NL
- 1973 *8e biennale de Paris*, Musée d'Art Moderne, Paris, FR
Omaha Flow System, Joslin Art Museum, Omaha, Nebraska, US
- 1972 *SÚM*, Reykjavík Art Festival, Galleri SÚM, Reykjavík, IS
Communications, Gallery Inhibodress, Sidney, AU
IN-OUT-CENTER, Amsterdam, NL
- 1971 *SÚM IV*, Museum Fodor, Amsterdam, NL
SÚM II & SÚM III, Galleri SÚM, Reykjavík, IS
- 1968 *Nordisk Ungdomsbiennale*, Amos Anderson Art Museum, Helsinki, FI

Works in Collections

Kiasma Museum of Contemporary Art, Helsinki, FI
Stedelijk Museum Voor Actuele Kunst, Gent, BE

City of Espoo, FI
B.K.R., Amsterdam, NL
National Gallery of Iceland, IS
Moderna Museet, Stockholm, SE
Städtisches Museum Abteiberg, Mönchengladbach, DE
Safn, Reykjavik, IS
Saastamoinen Foundation, Helsinki, FI
Magasin 3 Stockholm Konsthall, Stockholm, SE
Reykjavik Art Museum, IS
The Nordic Watercolour Museum, Skärhamn, SE
Fonds National d'Art Contemporain, Puteaux, FR
Museum of Contemporary Art, Oslo, NO
Living Art Museum, Reykjavik, IS
Stedelijk Museum, Amsterdam, NL
Skjerstad Kommune, NO
Frankel Foundation, Michigan, US