

Guðmundur Thoroddsen

Born in 1980 in Iceland. Lives and works in Reykjavik.

Education

2011	School of Visual Arts, MFA, New York, NY
2006	University of Iceland, studied film theory
2005	Kunsthochschule Berlin, guest student under the supervision of Prof. Katharina Grosse
2003-4	University of Granada, Granada, Spain
2003	Iceland Academy of the Arts, BFA
2002	Academie Minerva, Exchange student, Groningen, Holland

Solo Exhibitions

2018	Hafnarborg Museum , "SNIP SNAP SNUBBUR", Hafnarfjörður, Iceland Harbinger Galleri , "Allt í klessu", Reykjavik, Iceland
2017	Hysgalleri , "Tittlingaskítur", Reykjavik, Iceland
2016	Asya Geisberg Gallery , UNTITLED Miami, Miami, FL Asya Geisberg Gallery , "Dismantled Spirits", New York, NY
2015	Tysgalleri , "At Home", Reykjavik, Iceland
2014	ASI Art Museum , "Hlutir (Things)", Reykjavik, Iceland Asya Geisberg Gallery , NADA New York, New York, NY
2013	Asya Geisberg Gallery , "Hobby and Work", New York, NY
2012	Kunstschlager , "Fornvinir", Reykjavik, Iceland Gallery Poka , "Hlandvættir", Reykjavik, Iceland Asya Geisberg Gallery , "Father's Fathers", New York, NY
2011	Gallery Toilet (Gallerí Klósett) , "Father's Shit", Reykjavik, Iceland
2008	Ibiza Bunker , "Undergarden", Reykjavik, Iceland Lost Horse Gallery , "Sullur", Reykjavik, Iceland
2007	101 Gallery , "Icecreamland", Reykjavik, Iceland

Group Exhibitions

2018	Reykjavík Art Museum , "Art for the People: Invasion I", Reykjavik, Iceland
2017	Asya Geisberg Gallery , "Morph", New York, NY
2016	Akureyri Art Museum , "In the Draft / Prehistoric Loom IV", Ketilhús, Akureyri, Iceland
2015	The Knockdown Center , "Around Flat", curated by William Staples, Maspeth, NY Ausstellungsraum , Basel, Switzerland Quartair , "Reykjavik Stories", The Hague, Netherlands Reykjavik Art Museum , "Just Painting II", Reykjavik, Iceland
2014	Asya Geisberg Gallery , NADA New York, New York, NY The Hafnarfjordur Center of Culture & Fine Art , Hafnarfjordur, Iceland
2013	Asya Geisberg Gallery , UNTITLED Miami, Miami, FL The Willows , "LOVE", Brooklyn, NY Reykjanesbaer Art Museum , "Lög unga fólksins", Reykjanesbaer, Iceland
2012	Asya Geisberg Gallery , UNTITLED Miami, Miami FL SiTE:LAB , Artprize 2012, Grand Rapids, MI
2011	Mosfellsbær Artspace , "Wolf, Wolf", Reykjavik, Iceland DODGE Gallery , "This is Then", curated by Kristen Dodge, New York, NY DODGE Gallery , "Fragmentation", curated by Dan Cameron, New York, NY SVA Gallery , "Things Fall Apart", New York, NY
2010	Reykjavik Art Museum , "Colorsynthesis", Reykjavik, Iceland Kling and Bang Gallery , "The Garden Project", Reykjavik, Iceland

- Crymo Gallery**, “G+A+M+A”, Reykjavik, Iceland
Nurture Art Gallery, “Duck and Decorated Shed”, Brooklyn, NY
 2008 **Lost Horse Gallery**, “17th June”, Reykjavik, Iceland
 2007 **The Living Art Museum**, “No Way Out”, Reykjavik, Iceland
Hangar-7, “Hérna, Here, Hier”, Salzburg, Austria
101 Gallery, “101 Christmas Show”, Reykjavik, Iceland
 2006 **Café Fräulein Smillas**, “Icelandic Group Show”, Berlin, Germany
Danziger Gallery, “Apocalyptic Group Exhibition”, Berlin, Germany
Lunas Kulturhus in Södertälje, “Nuevo Estocolmo”, Stockholm, Sweden
The Jetty Barracks Gallery, “Likimain”, Helsinki, Finland
 2005 **Reykjavik Academy**, “Painting Exhibition”, Reykjavik, Iceland
Odinsgata 22a, “The Shooting Gallery Group Exhibition”, Reykjavik, Iceland
Arnes Museum of Art (Listasafn Árnesinga), “Tivoli”, Hveragerdi, Iceland
The Living Art Museum, “Grassroad”, an annual exhibition for young artists, Reykjavik, Iceland
 2004 **The Nordic House**, “Nordur og Nidur”, Reykjavik, Iceland
 2003 **Reykjavik Art Museum**, “Graduation Exhibition”, Reykjavik, Iceland
 2002 **Academie Minerva**, “Student Show of Academie Minerva”, Groningen, Holland
Ranargata 3a, “Drumsolo r3a”, Reykjavik, Iceland
Academy Student Gallery, “Stiles”,
Gallery Saevar Karl, “The Fall of Icarus”, Reykjavik, Iceland
 2001 **Gallery Saevar Karl**, “Painting After Painting”, Reykjavik, Iceland
The Living Art Museum, “Cities and Utopias”, Reykjavik, Iceland

Selected Reviews and Publications

- 2018 *The Icelandic Times*, “Guðmundur Thoroddsen and Eric Smith in Hafnarborg – Exhibition”, October 23
 2016 Laster, Paul. *Whitehot Magazine*, “Nada vs. Untitled: A Battle on the Beach”, December
 Goldstein, Andrew M. *Artspace*, “10 of the Best New Artist at the Untitled Art Fair”, November 30
 Steer, Emily. *Elephant*, “Preview: Untitled, Miami Beach”
Art Observed, “AO Preview – Miami Beach: Miami Art Week and Art Basel Miami Beach, November 30th – December 4th, 2016”, November 27
 Fateman, Johanna. *Artforum*, “Critics’ Picks: Gudmundur Thoroddsen”, April
Time Out New York, “Gudmundur Thoroddsen: Dismantled Spirits”, April 11
 Steinhauer, Jillian. *Hyperallergic*, “ArtRx NYC”, April 5
 Johnson, Paddy. *Art F City*, “This Week’s Must See Events: Feminist Icons and the Mechanics of the Gaze”, April 4
 Laster, Paul. *The Observer*, “12 Things to Do in New York’s Art World Before April 8”, April 4
 2015 Cerccone, Katie. *Revolt Magazine*, Volume 2 Issue 1, “Top 10 NYC Artists Now”, June
 Neave, Kate. *Twin Magazine*, Issue 12, “21st Century Ceramics” May 21
 2014 Schwendener, Martha. *New York Times*, “Gathering of Far-Flung Friends, and Trends”, May 8
 Vartanian, Hrag. *Hyperallergic*, “NADA New York Does It Better Than Ever”, May 10
 Kirsch, Corinna and Whitney Kimball. *Art F City*, “NADA New York in Images”, May 10
 Mogilevskaya, Regina. *ARTINFO*, “Slideshow: Highlights from NADA 2014”, May 9
 Gavin, Francesca. *Dazed*, “The Most Prominent Spots at Frieze New York”, May 15
Phaidon, “Our Highlights from NADA New York 2014”, May 2
 2013 Kinsella, Eileen. *ARTINFO*, “One-Line Reviews: Pithy Takes on Casebere, Cook, Thoroddsen, and More”, November 1
 Mangle, Tony. *Shrimp Peels and Hair*, “Dirty Doodles and Hoops...Guðmundur Thoroddsen ‘Hobby and Work’ at Asya Geisberg Gallery (NYC)”, October 30
 2012 Morse, Cory. *Michigan Live*, “ArtPrize 2012 juried Top 25 Short List”, September 24
WOOD TV8 Grand Rapids, “The Short List: Some of the Top 25 and the Finalists for the 2D Juried Award”, September 24
WWMT Newschannel3 Grand Rapids, “Art Prize to Release Must-See Shortlist”, September 24
 Hauptmann, Katharina. *Iceland Review Online*, “The Silliness of Men: Hlandvættir”, July 30
 Cicetti, Robert. *Hyperallergic*, “Art Rx”, February 16
 Allison, Genevieve. *Artforum*, “Critics’ Pick”, February 7
 Javier, Paolo. *The Brooklyn Rail*, “Gudmundur Thoroddsen: Father’s Fathers”, February 1
 Coates, Jennifer. *Time Out New York*, “Review: Gudmundur Thoroddsen, Father’s Fathers,” January 24.
 2011 Kvaran, Ólafur, editor. *Icelandic Art History, Late 19th Century – Early 21st Century*, Published by Icelandic National Gallery and Forlagid
 Ottarsdottir, Arna; Kristin Runarsdottir, Kolbrun Yr Einarsdottir and Thorgerður Olafsdottir, editors. *Trust us! We are Artists*, Published by Crymogaea

- 2010 Yngvason, Hafthor, editor. *Coloursynthesis*, exhibition catalogue, Reykjavik Art Museum.
Larkin, Daniel. *Hyperallergic*, "Is Ornament a Crime?" October 13
- 2009 Gioni, Massimiliano; Laura Hoptman, and Lauren Cornell. *Younger Than Jesus Artist Directory*,
Phaidon Press
- 2007 Pschak, Evelyn. *Art Investor* "Coole Kunst des Nordens", Issue No. 6, pp. 55.
Gruber, Sonja; Lioba Reddeker, Barbara Rudiger and Erwin Uhrmann, editors. *Hangar-7 Editon 8*,
Island, Hérna, exhibition catalogue. Basis-Wien – Kunst, Information und Archiv.
- 2005 Þór Andrésson, Markús; Púriður Sigurðardóttir, and Listasafn Árnesinga, editors. *Tívolí í
Hveragerði*, exhibition catalogue.

Awards and residencies

- 2014 Myndstef, Iceland, grant
- 2013 Ministry of Cultural Affairs, Iceland, stipend
- 2012 Fountainhead Residency, Miami FL
Artprize 2012, finalist in 2D category. Juror: Tyler Green
Ministry of Cultural Affairs, Iceland, stipend.
Icelandic Art Center, grant
- 2011 Icelandic Art Center, grant
Myndstef, Iceland, grant
- 2010 Gudmunda Andresdottir Study Grant
- 2003 Youth in Action, EU, grant

Artist Talks

- 2018 **Reykjavik Art Museum**, Reykjavik, Iceland