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GALLERY

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
2005	Kunsthochschule Berlin, under the supervision of Prof. Katharina Grosse
2003-4	University of Granada, Granada, Spain
2003	Iceland Academy of the Arts, BFA
2002	Academie Minerva, Groningen, Holland

Solo Exhibitions

2026	**Þula Gallery**, "Hendingar // Happenstance," Reykjavik, Iceland
2024	**Asya Geisberg Gallery**, "Up and Down," New York, NY
	Market Art Fair with with Þula Gallery, "Sunneva Ása Weisshappel + Guðmundur Thoroddsen, " Stockholm, Sweden
	Þula Gallery, "Skriður // Drifts," Reykjavik, Iceland
2023	**Hverfisgallerí**, "Kannski, Kannski / Maybe, Maybe," Reykjavik, Iceland
2021	**Asya Geisberg Gallery**, "Howling Hills", New York, NY
2020	**Hverfisgallerí**, "Houndshills, Houndshollows", Reykjavík, Iceland
2019	**Asya Geisberg Gallery**, "Earth to Earth", New york, NY
2018	**Hafnarborg Museum**, "SNIP SNAP SNUBBUR", Hafnarfjörður, Iceland
	Reykjavík Art Museum, "Invasion", Reykjavik, Iceland
	Harbinger Gallerí, "Allt i klessu", Reykjavik, Iceland
2017	**Hverfisgallerí, "**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 Þoka, "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

2025	**Oakland University Art Gallery**, "Nightshade", Rochester, MI
2024	**UNTITLED Miami**, Asya Geisberg Gallery, Miami, FL
2023	**Asya Geisberg Gallery**, Future Fair, New York, NY
2021	**Reykjavík Art Museum,** "Iðavöllur: Icelandic Art in the 21st Century", curated by Aldís Snorradóttir, Markús Þór Andrésson, Ólöf Kristín Sigurðardóttir, Reykjavík, Iceland
2018	**Bredgade Kunsthandel**, "Young Icelandic Art", curated by Lars Olesen, Copenhagen, Denmark

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 **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 Estoccolmo", 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

2021 Volk, Gregory, *Hyperallergic*, "A Group Exhibition in Iceland Trades Local Character for International Appeal", October 7
2020 *The Icelandinc Times*, Guðmundur Thoroddsen's exhibition Houndshills, Houndshollows", June 2
2019 Hallel, Howard. *TimeOut NY Magazine*, "The top five New York art shows this week", February 18
Bruno, Ana Victoria, *Art Zine*, "Snip Snap Snubbur: A Shift in Guðmundur Thoroddsen's Practice", January 27
2018 Jonsdottir, Elsa Fanney, *Kunst Magazine*, "Young Icelandic Art", December 14
The Icelandic Times, "Guðmundur Thoroddsen and Eric Smith in Hafnarborg – Exhibition", October 23
2017 Proppé, Jon, *Art Zine,* "Titles in the Neighborhood Gallery", October 28
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
Saltz, Jerry, *New York Magazine*, "To Do: May 4 - May 18, 2016", May 1
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 Cercone, 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*, "Slisdeshow: 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", 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; Þuríður Sigurðardóttir, and Listasafn Árnesinga, editors. *Tívolí í Hveragerði*, exhibition catalogue.

Awards and residencies

2019 Fallingwater Residency, Mill Run, PA
2019 Icelandic Art Prize Finalist
2018 Icelandic Art Center, grant
Myndstef, Iceland, grant
2017 Myndstef, Iceland, grant
2016 Myndstef, Iceland, grant
Icelandic Art Center, grant
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

Public and Private Collections

Citizen House, Oklahoma City, USA
Cleveland Clinic, OH, USA
Regionmuseet Kristianstad, SE
Reykjavik Art Museum, IS
The National Gallery of Iceland, IS
Weltmuseum Wien, AT
Hafnarborg, IS