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### **EDUCATION**

- 2002-2006 Statens Kunstakademi, Oslo
- 2005 CalArts, Valencia, California
- 2004 Prague International Filmschool
- 200-2002 Nordland Kunst og Filmskole, Lofoten

### **SOLO EXHIBITIONS**

- 2011 Trøndelag Senter for Samtidskunst, Trondheim
- 2009 UKS
- 2008 Akershus Kunstnersenter, Lillestrøm
- 2004 Galleri 21:25, Oslo
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### **GROUP EXHIBITIONS**

- 2011 Videonale 13, Kunstmuseum Bonn, Germany
- 2010 Kasseler Dokumentarfilm- und Videofest, Monitoring Exhibition
- 2010 Høstutstillingen, The Annual National Exhibition, Kunsternes Hus, Oslo
- 2010 KinoKino, Sandnes
- 2010 The Giant Bowl, Bislett Stadion, Oslo
- 2010 Centrum vor Jonge Kunst, Gent, Belgium
- 2009 Høstutstillingen, The Annual National Exhibition, Kunsternes Hus, Oslo
- 2009 XI Call, Luis Adelantado Gallery, Valencia, Spain
- 2009 Videonale 12, Kunstmuseum Bonn, Germany
- 2009 Gallery, dammit earth in my Gallery!, Østmarka, Oslo
- 2008 Yerba Buena Center of the Arts, San Francisco
- 2008 EM Arts, Film program "Tilts and Exits", Naples
- 2008 Høstutstillingen, The National Exhibition, Kunsternes Hus, Oslo
- 2008 Center for Contemporary Arts Afghanhistan, Kabul
- 2008 Fuzue Arte e Cultura, Rio de Janeiro
- 2008 Nordnorsken, Bodø
- 2007 Østlandsutstillingen, Norway
- 2007 Organ Festival for Music and Art, Oslo
- 2006 Stenersenmuseet – Final Year Exhibition, Oslo
- 2006 UKS – John skies or Sally swims, videofestival, Oslo
- 2006 Landmark/Bergen Kunsthall – John skies or Sally swims, Bergen
- 2005 The Mountain – The Seduction of The Future, Los Angeles

### **FESTIVALS**

- 2010 The Norwegian Short Film Festival
- 2009 South by Southwest, Austin, Texas
- 2009 Tromsø International Filmfestival
- 2009 Femina Film Festival, Rio de Janeiro
- 2008 The Norwegian Short Film Festival
- 2008 Rio de Janeiro ISFF – Curta Cinema
- 2008 Lucania Film Festival, Pisticci, Italia
- 2008 International Short Film Festival Detmold
- 2008 "45 – En omgang kortfilm", Klingenberg Kino, Oslo
- 2008 Oslo Live Shortfilmprogram, Klingenberg Kino
- 2008 FIFF – Femmina Internasjonale Filmfestival, Verdal

- 2008 Cinematica Brasileira, Sao Paulo
- 2008 The Norwegian Embassy, Helsinki
- 2007 MadCat Women's International Filmfestival, San Fransisco

## **GRANTS**

- 2010 Grant, Norwegian Film Institute
- 2010 Statens arbeidsstipend, working grant, 3 yrs
- 2010 International Support, OCA
- 2009 Grant, Billedkunstneres Vederlagsfond
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- 2009 Billedkunstneres Vederlagsfond, 1 year working grant
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- 2007 Grant, Arts Council Norway /Norsk Kulturråd
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