

Jesper Rasmussen

born 1959, Danish visual artist, works with sculpture, installation, graphics, photography, publications and text, especially based on studies of space, landscape and architecture.

Co-editor of art magazine Pist Protta since 1981

Educated at The Royal Academy of Fine Art, Copenhagen. 1984-85

Member of The Academy of Fine Art, BKF, artists' associations Jylland og Decembristerne

Member of Art Council og the City of Aarhus 2000-04

Member of Academy Council at the Royal Academy of Fine Art, 2002-08

Member of Charlottenborg Exhibition Board 2002-04

Member of Danish Ars Foundation's Grants Committee 2008-2010

Member of Den Frie Udstillingsbygning's Exhibition Board 2013-15

Associate professor at Jutland Art Academy 2004-07 and rector at Jutland Art Academy 2007-15

Selected Exhibitions in recent years:

- 2025 Vrå-udstillingen, Kunstbygningen i Vrå
2024 Decembristerne, Den Frie Udstillingsbygning, Copenhagen
World in Focus, ARoS Aarhus Kunstmuseum
Vrå-udstillingen, Kunstbygningen i Vrå
2023 Kunstnernes København, Nikolaj Kunsthal, Copenhagen
Kunsterboken – unik og mangfoldig, Kristiansand Kunsthal, Norway
Ny Topografi, solo exhibition, Galerie MøllerWitt, Copenhagen
2022 Arkitektoner, solo exhibition, Faaborg Museum
Decembristerne, Den Frie Udstillingsbygning, Copenhagen
2020 Rum, duo exhibition with Lasse Schmidt Hansen, Ringstedgalleriet, Ringsted
2019 Jylland på Jylland, Fregatten Jylland, Ebeltoft
2018 Hvad kameraet så, Kunsthallen Brandts, Odense
Photography to end all Photography, Kunsthallen Brandts, Odense
2017 Opløsningstid, Solkorset, Kunsthal Aarhus
2016 Decembristerne, Den Frie Udstillingsbygning, Copenhagen
Museum Pist Protta, Charlottenborg Udstillingsbygning, Copenhagen
2015 Arkitektoner, solo exhibition, Kunsthal Viborg
2014 Arkitektur og Fotografi, Fotografisk Center, Copenhagen
2013 Arkitektonisk Stuegang, Designmuseum Danmark, Copenhagen
Decembristerne, Thorvaldsens Museum, Copenhagen
2012 Treffpunkt Berlin, Kunstmuseet Arken, Ishøj
White Cube Installations, solo exhibition, Galerie MøllerWitt, Aarhus
2011 Prospekter, solo exhibition, Galleri Susanne Ottesen, Copenhagen
Pist Protta 1981-2031, Brandts, Odense, Århus Kunstbygning og Overgaden, Copenhagen
Decembristerne, Den Frie Udstillingsbygning, Copenhagen
2010 Fotografi, SMK Statens Museum for Kunst, Copenhagen
Off Location, solo exhibition, Kunsten, Nordjyllands Kunstmuseum, Ålborg
SKM Live, Skagens Museum, Skagen
2009 Huis Clos, R&R Reutengallery, Amsterdam, Holland
Fri Porto, Den Frie Udstillingsbygning, Copenhagen
2008 Decembristerne, Den Frie Udstillingsbygning, Copenhagen
Carl Nielsen og Anne Marie Carl-Nielsens legatudstilling, Den Frie Udstillingsbygning, Copenhagen
More Out of Space, solo exhibition, Galleri Susanne Ottesen, Copenhagen
2007 Real.ly? Peter Lav Photo Gallery, Copenhagen
Real inside - Unreal outside, Galleri Susanne Ottesen, Copenhagen
Out of Space, solo exhibition, Galerie MøllerWitt, Århus
Decembristerne, Den Frie Udstillingsbygning, Copenhagen
Out of Space – arkitektur, solo exhibition, Kunsthallen Brandts klædefabrik, Odense
2006 Time, Brænderigården, Viborg og Nikolaj Udstillingsbygning, Copenhagen
Fantom, Charlottenborg Udstillingsbygning, Copenhagen
Decembristerne, Den Frie Udstillingsbygning, Copenhagen

Art in public space:

- Arkitektonisk Skulptur, integrated sculptural construction, Generationernes Hus, Aarhus 2021
Vandkunst, Rådhusstrøget Vejle, 2021
Trappenicher, Engdalskolen, Brabrand, 2014
Udspring, atrium with sculptur, Syddansk Universitet, Odense, 2008
Overgang, sculptur in front of Glostrup City Hall, 2007

Book and publications:

- Talking About Photobooks, Fw Books, 2024
White Cube Installations, photobook, Space Poetry, 2022
Diwan, photobook, Vandkunstens Forlag, 2014
Another Sense of Place, artbook, Space Poetry, 2013
Out of Space, artbook, Space Poetry, 2007
Landskab & Flyver, artists' book, Space Poetry, 1999
Kubus – Ruminstallationer af Solkorset, artbook, Space Poetry, 1995
The Human Flight, drawings and text, Space Poetry, 1994
Kontainer, artists' book, Space Poetry, 1980

Represented:

- SMK Statens Museum for Kunst, Copenhagen
ARoS, Århus Kunstmuseum
Arken Museum for Moderne Kunst, Ishøj
Kunsten, Museum of Modern Art, Aalborg
Den Nationale Fotosamling, Det Kgl. Bibliotek
Statens Kunstfond/Danish Art Foundation
Ny Carlsbergfondet

Grants.:

- Akademiraadets Præmielegat 1995
The Carl Nielsen og Anne Marie Carl-Nielsens Scholarship 2008
Kai Nielsens Mindelegat 2008
The Eckersberg Medal 2009
Grants from Danish Art Foundation 1990, 1991, 1996, 1997, 1998, 2001, 2003, 2007, 2016, 2021
Danish Art Foundation's three-year scholarship 1999-2001
Danish Art Foundation's Lifetime Honorary Grant 2022-