

# NILS STÆRK

TOM SANDBERG

1953 - 2014 Born in Narvik, Norway  
Lived and worked in Oslo, Norway

## EDUCATION

1973 - 76 Studies with Thomas J. Cooper, Paul Hill and John Blakemore  
Trent Polytechnic, Nottingham, UK  
Derby College of Art and Technology, Derby, UK

## SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2015 Diptyk/Tom Sandberg, Kunstneres Hus, Oslo, NO  
2014 *Photographs*, OSL Contemporary, Oslo, NO  
2011 *Utten tittel - 2004-2010*, Oslo Central Station, Oslo, NO  
*Nyere Arbeider – Fotografi*, Lillehammer Kunstmuseum,  
Lillehammer, NO  
2010 Nils Stærk, Copenhagen, DK  
MGM, Oslo, NO  
2007 Kivik Start, Kivik Art Center, SE, Pavilions with Snøhetta Architects  
Künstlerhaus Bethanien, Berlin, DE  
P.S. 1. MOMA, New York, US  
Nils Stærk, Copenhagen, DK  
Galleri Riis, Oslo, NO  
2006 Galerie Anhava, Helsinki, FI  
2005 The Festival of North Norway, Festival exhibition, NO  
2004 Galleri Riis, Oslo, NO  
2003 Galleri Nordenhake, Stockholm, SE  
2002 Galleri Nils Stærk, Copenhagen, DK  
2001 Galleri Riis, Oslo, NO  
2000 The Astrup Fearnley Museet of Modern Art, Oslo, NO  
1998 Galleri Sølvberget, Stavanger, NO  
Gothaer Kunstforum, Cologne, (with Per Inge Bjørlo) DE  
Galleri Riis, Oslo, NO  
1997 Astrup Fearnley Museum of Modern Art, Oslo, (with Per Inge  
Bjørlo) NO  
1995 Galleri Riis, Oslo, NO  
1994 Galleri Sølvberget, Stavanger, NO  
1993 Fotogalleriet, Oslo, NO  
1989 Galleri Riis, Oslo, NO  
1987 Bergens Kunstforening, NO  
1986 Image Gallerie, Århus, DK  
1985 Henie - Onstad Kunstsenter, Høvikodden, NO

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- 1984 Galerie du Musée de la Photographie, Charleroi, BE  
Galerie Junod, Lausanne, FR  
1980 Fotogalleriet, Oslo, NO  
1979 Photographs from "ExPosition" - Maricio Kagel, Incram Centre,  
Centre Georges Pompidou, Paris, FR  
Galleri Annen Etasje, Haugesund, NO

## SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2017 *10 years old*, Fondazione Fotografia Modena, Modena, IT  
2016 *Slow Pictures – Contemporary photography*, Lillehammer Art  
Museum, Lillehammer, NO  
2015 *Contemporary Photography form North-West Europe. Tom  
Sandberg. Around Myself*, Foro Boario, Fondazione Fotografia  
Modena, Modena, IT  
*From Vision Machines to Instagram*, Preus Museum, Horten, NO  
2014 *Crossroads*. Lillehammer Art Museum, Lillehammer, NO  
2012 *I Wish This Was A Song. Music in Contemporary Art*, The  
Museum of Contemporary Art Oslo, Oslo, NO  
*Paintings – Face to Face – Works from the Collection of the Kuntsi  
Foundation and the Swanljung Collection*, Kuntsi Museum of  
Modern Art, Vaasa, FI  
2011 *Erling Neby Collection*, Heine Onstad Art Centre, Høvikodden,  
NO  
*Works of Art from the Vexi Salmi Collection*, Rauma Art Museum,  
Rauma, FI  
2010 *Thrice upon a time – Magasin 3*, Stockholm Konsthall, Stockholm,  
SE  
*Bloody Serious*, Bergen Art Museum, Bergen, NO  
2009 *Works on paper*, Nils Stærk, Copenhagen, DK  
*Spellbound m. Daniel Burén*, Monaco  
*Latte in Watte*, Galleri Riis, Oslo, NO  
*Reality Revisited*, Moderne Museet, Stockholm, SE  
2008 *Tom Sandberg/Stefano Casciani*, Galleria Artra, Milan, IT  
2007 *People Take Pictures of each other...*, Lamontagne Gallery,  
Boston, US  
*Birds*, Dwight Hackett Projects, Santa Fe  
*Nordeas Art Collection*, Heine Onstad Art Centre, Høvikodden,  
NO  
*Modern Norwegian Art Photography*, The Stenersen Museum,  
Oslo, NO  
2006 *Private. Living with Contemporary Art*, Galleri F15, Moss, NO  
*Summer*, Nils Stærk, Copenhagen, DK  
*Astrup Fearnley Collection – Photo and Video*, Astrup Fearnley  
Museum of Modern Art, Oslo, NO

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- 2004 *Nordic Images*, Galeria Elba Benitez, Madrid, ES  
2003 *Ronce noire*, Galerie Catherine Bastide, Brussels, BE  
*Focus – 160 years of Photography*, Bergen Art Museum, Bergen, NO  
2002 *Ronce noire*, Galerie Praz-Delavallade, Paris, FR  
2001 *Å bygge en samling- samlingens vekst*, Museet for Samtidskunst, Oslo, NO  
*Monotypien – Radierungen – Photogravuren*, Niels Borch jensen Galerie & Verlag, Berlin, DE  
2000 *2000 words: musings on the medium*, TPW-Toronto Photographers Workshop, Toronto, CA  
*Photogravüre*, Niels Borch jensen Galerie & Verlag, Berlin, DE  
1999 *80/90 Mirrors of our Time – Works from the collection of the Oslo National Museum*, CAC-Contemporary Art Center Vilnius, Vilnius, LT  
1998 *Norske Profiler*, Museum Folkwagn, Essen; Kunsthalle Rostock, Rostock, DE  
*Fönster mot Gården*, curated by Sune Nordgren, Liljevalchs Konsthall, Stockholm, SE  
1994 *Norfotart*, Museum of Contemporary Art, Warsawa, PO  
1993 *Sandberg / Nils Aas - Portretter*, Villa Fridheim, Krøderen, NO  
*Posisjoner I*, Fotogalleriet, Oslo, NO  
Statens Kunstutstilling, invited, Kunsternes Hus, Oslo, NO  
*Verden Er*, Lillehammer Kunstmuseum, Lillehammer, NO; Hasselbladsenteret, Göteborg, SE; Museet for Fotokunst, Odense, DK  
1991 *Sandberg / Serck-Hanssen - Splint*, Kunstneres Hus, Oslo, NO  
1987 *Simulo*, Norwegian Contemporary Photography, Oslo, NO  
*Ten Norwegian Photographers, Norge '87*, Göteborg, SE; Austin, TX, US  
1986 *Skandinavisk fotografi*, The Museum of Art, Düsseldorf, DE  
1985 *Dialogue on Contemporary Art*, The Gulbekian Museum, Lisboa, PT  
1984 *Eksponert*, Fotogalleriet / UKS, Oslo, NO  
*Zeitgenössische Europäische Fotografie*, Schaffhausen, CH  
*La Photographie Créative*, Pavillon des Arts, Paris, FR  
*Deuxième Triennale de Photographie*, Galerie du Musée de la Photographie, Charleroi, BE  
1982 *Biennale Internazionale di Fotografia*, Caserta, IT  
*Nio norske fotografer*, Camera Obscura, Stockholm, SE  
*The Frozen Image*, Scandinavia Today; Walker Art Center, Minneapolis, Minnesota; International Center of Photography, New York, US; Fredrick S. Wright Gallery, University of California, L.A.US, Portland Art Museum; The Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago, US; Tacoma Art Museum, Tacoma, Washington, US; Kjarvalsstadir, Reykjavik, IS; Taidehalli, Helsinki, FI; Fotografiska Museet, Moderna Museet, Stockholm, SE; Henie-Onstad Kunstsenter, Høvikodden, NO

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- 1981 *Northern Lights*, The Photographic Gallery, Cardiff, UK  
*Norsk Samtidsfotografi*, Robert Meyer Samlinger, Reykjavik, IS
- 1979 *Fotografi her og nå*, Henie - Onstad Kunstsenter, Høvikodden, NO  
*Sandberg / Parslow*, Ibsenhuset, Skien, NO
- 1978 *Tusen och en Bild*, Fotografiska Museet, Stockholm, SE  
Statens Kunstutstilling, Kunstnernes Hus, Oslo
- 1977 *Sandberg / Parslow*, Henie - Onstad Kunstsenter, Høvikodden, NO

## PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

Bibliothèque Nationale, Paris  
Bærum Kommunale Kunstsamlinger, Sandvika, NO  
Fotografiska Museet / Moderna Museet, Stockholm, SE  
Galerie du Musée de la Photographie, Charleroi, BE  
Henie-Onstad Kunstsenter, Høvikodden, NO  
Magasin 3, Stockholm Konsthall, SE  
Det Kgl. Bibliotek, Copenhagen, DK  
Ministry of Culture, Paris, FR  
The National Museum of Contemporary Art, Oslo, NO  
Museum für Kunst und Gewerbe, Hamburg, DE  
The Norwegian Art Council, NO  
Norsk Museum for Fotografi, Preus Fotomuseum, Horten, NO  
Rasmus Meyer Collections, Bergen Kunstmuseum, Bergen, NO  
The Astrup Fearnley Museum of Modern Art, Oslo, NO

## PUBLICATIONS

- 2007 "Tom Sandberg. Photographs 1989-2006", essay by Bob Nickas, published by Galleri Riis and P.S.1 MoMA.
- 2003 Tom Sandberg. Portfolio of six motifs executed as Palladium prints, published by Galleri Riis, Oslo
- 2000 "Tom Sandberg - Fotografi/ Photographs by Tom Sandberg", The Astrup Fearnley Museum of Modern Art
- 1995 "Portraits / Portefolie", text by Ole Henrik Moe, Edition Erling Neby  
"Tom Sandberg. Fotografier", Oktober Forlag

## AWARDS

- 2010 Anders Jahre's Culture Award

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