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Education

- 1993 Art Institute of Boston, B.F.A.
- 1990 Brevard Community College, photography
- 1988 University of Iceland, B.A. in French

Selected Solo Exhibitions

- 2014 Deborah Berke, "Vanished Summer" — New York, USA
- 2013 ASÍ Museum, "Vanished Summer" — Reykjavík, Iceland
- 2012 The Shed, "Here you'll find no roses growing" — Reykjavík, Iceland
- 2010 Gallerí Ágúst, "Equivocal: The Sequel" — Reykjavík, Iceland
- 2010 Reykjavík Art Museum, "Nowhereland" — Reykjavík, Iceland
- 2008 Gallerí Ágúst, "Equivocal" — Reykjavík, Iceland
- 2008 Reykjavík Museum of Photography, "Home-away" — Reykjavík, Iceland
- 2007 National Museum of Iceland, "Without a Trace" — Reykjavík, Iceland
- 2007 ASÍ Museum, "Of This World" — Reykjavík, Iceland
- 2005 Ísafjörður Art Museum, "Longing" — Ísafjörður, Iceland
- 2005 SÍM House, "The Savior" — Reykjavík, Iceland
- 2004 Hafnarborg Institute of Culture and Fine Art, "Memory" — Hafnarfjörður, Iceland
- 2003 Mokka, "Breathless" — Reykjavík, Iceland
- 2003 Seventh and Second Gallery, "Revenants" — New York, NY, USA
- 2002 Akureyri Art Museum, "Revenants" — Akureyri, Iceland
- 2002 Gallerí Skuggi, "Revenants / Proximal Dimension" — Reykjavík, Iceland

Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2015 University of Richmond Museum, "Anti-Grand" — Richmond, VA, USA
- 2014 Hillyer Art Space, "Visible Iceland" — Washington, DC, USA
- 2014 Reykjavík Museum of Photography, "From a Different Angle" — Reykjavík, Iceland
- 2014 LA Art Museum, "Cyclone" — Hveragerði, Iceland
- 2014 Akureyri Art Museum, "Icelandic Contemporary Portraits" — Akureyri, Iceland
- 2013 Eskilstuna Konstmuseum, "Nordic Art Station" — Eskilstuna, Sweden
- 2013 ASÍ Museum, "Auglitis til Auglitis" — Reykjavík, Iceland
- 2013 Hippolyte Gallery, "Frontiers of Another Nature" — Helsinki, Finland
- 2012 Hafnarborg, "Skia-Shadow" — Hafnarfjörður, Iceland
- 2012 Voies-Off Festival, "Family business/Photography from the North" — Arles, France
- 2012 LÁ Art Museum, "Nautn og Notagildi" — Hveragerði, Iceland
- 2012 La Sala, "Art of Darkness" — Brooklyn, NY, USA
- 2012 Reykjavík Photography Festival, "Icelandic Contemporary Photography 1990-2011" — Reykjavík, Iceland
- 2011 Frankfurter Kunstverein, "Frontiers of Another Nature" — Frankfurt, Germany
- 2011 Akureyri Art Museum, "Awakening" — Akureyri, Iceland
- 2010 Reykjanes Art Museum, "Window Mirrors" — Reykjanesbær, Iceland
- 2009 LÁ Art Museum, "Flash at a Moment of Danger" — Hveragerði, Iceland
- 2009 Ridgefield Guild of Artists, "Camera Works 2009" — Ridgefield, CT, USA
- 2008 National Museum of Iceland, "Reflection – Icelandic Contemporary Photography" — Reykjavík, Iceland
- 2008 Eagle Art Gallery, "Magic Silver" — Murray, KY, USA
- 2007 Stay Gold Gallery, "Blowup" — Brooklyn, NY, USA
- 2005 C.A.T. Nordlicht, "Myth and Melancholy" — Cologne, Germany
- 2005 Living Art Museum, "Morar-nærvidd", with M. Hemstock — Reykjavík, Iceland
- 2004 La Maison Européenne de la Photographie, "SYN" — Paris, France
- 2004 Klink og Bank Gallery, "Sound & Vision" — Reykjavík, Iceland
- 2003 Society for Contemporary Photography, "Current Works 2003" — Kansas City, MO, USA

- 2003 Gallery Korea, “Haunted” — New York, NY, USA
- 2003 LBI Foundation of the Arts and Sciences, “ Photography and Digital Images” — Loveladies, NJ, USA
- 2003 Rathaus, Nordischer Klang 2003, “Contemporary Reykjavík” — Greifswald, Germany
- 2003 Reykjavík Art Museum – Kjarvalsstaðir, “New Times in Icelandic Photography” — Reykjavík, Iceland
- 2003 Korean Cultural Center, “Cultural Narratives” — Los Angeles, CA, USA
- 2003 Soho Photo Gallery, “Krappy Kamera” — New York, NY, USA
- 2003 Reykjavík Museum of Photography, “Light-Speed” — Reykjavík, Iceland
- 2002 Moscow House of Photography, “Seasons of Icelandic Photography” — Moscow, Russia

Books

- 2013 Vanished Summer. Crymogea, Reykjavík, Iceland
- 2013 Nordic Now, Aalto Helsinki, Finland
- 2012 Equivocal. Crymogea, Reykjavík, Iceland
- 2011 Frontiers of Another Nature, Crymogea, Reykjavík, and Kehrer Verlag, Heidelberg/Berlin
- 2008 Reflection: Icelandic Contemporary Photography. National Museum of Iceland, Reykjavík
- 2005 Mórar-nærvídd, 12 Tónar, Reykjavík, Iceland

Curatorial Projects

- 2014 National Museum of Iceland, “From a Different Angle” — Reykjavík, Iceland
- 2014 Reykjavík Museum of Photography, “From a Different Angle” — Reykjavík, Iceland
- 2014 Norwegian House, “Landform” — Stykkisholmur, Iceland
- 2010 Nordic House, “Núna – The Present is Now” — Reykjavík, Iceland

Boards & Committees

- 2011-2015 Board Member, Icelandic Art Center, Reykjavík
- 2012-2015 Professional Committee, Icelandic Art Center, Reykjavík
- 2009-2012 Board Member, SÍM – Visual Artist Association, Reykjavík, Iceland
- 2007-2013 Co-Founder, Board Member, The Icelandic Contemporary Photographers’ Association
- 2012-2016 Co-Founder, Board Member, Photography Days Festival, Reykjavík, Iceland

Awards & Grants

- 2014 Ministry of Culture, 12 month Artist Stipend— Iceland
- 2013 The Visual Arts Fund, Project Grant — Iceland
- 2013 Icelandic Visual Arts Copyright Association, Travel Grant — Iceland
- 2013 Ministry of Culture, 3-month Artist Stipend— Iceland
- 2013 City of Reykjavík, Project Grant — Iceland
- 2012 Ministry of Culture, 6-month Artist Stipend— Iceland
- 2012 Icelandic Visual Arts Copyright Association, Project Grant — Iceland
- 2011 Ministry of Culture, 3-month Artist Stipend— Iceland
- 2010 City of Reykjavík, Project Grant — Iceland
- 2009 Künstlerhaus Lukas, 1-month Scholarship — Ahrenshoop, Germany
- 2009 Ministry of Culture, 6-month Artist Stipend — Iceland
- 2009 Ridgefield Guild of Artists, First Prize in “Camera Works 2009” — Ridgefield, CT, USA
- 2008 Icelandic Visual Arts Copyright Association, Project Grant — Iceland
- 2008 Center for Icelandic Art, Project Grant — Iceland
- 2007 Icelandic Visual Arts Copyright Association, Honorary Award nomination — Iceland
- 2007 Icelandic Visual Arts Copyright Association, Travel Grant — Iceland
- 2007 Muggur, Residency Grant — Reykjavík, Iceland
- 2007 Stockholm Cultural Fund, Travel Grant — Stockholm, Sweden
- 2004 Bank of Iceland, Cultural Fund Grant — Iceland
- 2003 Ministry of Education, Travel Grant — Iceland
- 2003 Society for Contemporary Photography, Merit Award — Kansas City, MO, USA
- 2003 Soho Photo Gallery, “Krappy Kamera”, First Prize — New York, USA
- 2002 Icelandic Visual Arts Copyright Association, Project Grant — Iceland
- 2002 Ministry of Education, Arts and Culture Fund Grant— Iceland
- 2002 South Shore Art Center, “White, Black and Shades of Gray”, Third Prize — Cohasset, MA