

## **MORTEN SØNDERGAARD**

Lives and works in Copenhagen and Pietrasanta

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## **EDUCATION**

1993 Cand.phil in litterature from University of Copenhagen

1989–1991 School of Authors

## **SOLO EXHIBITIONS**

2019 Sproghospitalet, Sorø Kunstmuseum, DK

2019 Journal 2019, Galleri Tom Christoffersen, DK

2017 Ukend dig selv, Brandts13, DK

2016 The sound of my room, Galleri Tom Christoffersen, DK

2015 Suture, BDP, Berlin, DE

2014 Pharmacie du Mot, Galerie EOF, Paris, FR

2014 Bestarium, Læsø Kunsthø, DK

2014 Wordpharmacy, Hardy Tree gallery, London, UK

2013 ALTER/GANG, Vor Frue kirke, DK

2013 Ord, rod, Orden, Rytterskolen, DK

2012 LOVE, Skovgaard museum, Viborg, DK

2012 Tråde, sammenhænge og forbindelseslinjer i Morten Søndergaards  
forfatterskab, Åby Bibliotek, DK

2012 Bakkehusalfabetet, at Bakkehusmuseet, Frederiksberg, DK

2011 Sahara under mine fødder, Galleri Tom Christoffersen, DK

2010 LOVE, Nikolaj Kunsthø, DK

- 2010 Ordskomfur, Museum of Contemporary Art, Roskilde, DK
- 2006 A Step in the Right Direction, in co-operation with Elisabeth Topsø.  
Gammel Holtegaard, DK
- 2004 Stenvaskeriet, Museum of Contemporary Art, Roskilde, DK

### **GROUP EXHIBITIONS**

- 2017 Cool Calm and Collected, ARoS, DK
- 2017 I say "store" or "flower", The Catalyst Experiment, Artspace KH7, DK
- 2015 Friends with books, Hamburger Bahnhof, DE
- 2015 When words collide 2, Galleri Tom Christoffersen, DK
- 2013 When words collide, Galleri Tom Christoffersen, DK
- 2013 Andre Fiktioner, Fotografisk Center, Copenhagen, DK
- 2007 An Sigt, Esbjerg Artmuseum, DK
- 2005 Labyrinter – Kunstens rum, Charlottenborg, Copenhagen, DK

### **COMMISSIONS**

- 2017 Dream Wall. project for the Royal Festival Hall at the Southbank Centre in London, UK.
- 2017 Sugar Theater, Panum Institutttet, DK
- 2015 Drømmegavlen, Gadekærvej, Valby  
– Modtager af Foreningen til Hovedstadens Forskønnelse diplom, 2015  
og IALD International Lighting Design Awards, USA, 2016

### **COMMISSIONS**

The Danish Arts Foundation  
Esbjerg Kunstmuseum  
Design Museum Danmark  
Danish Museum of Science & Technology

### **GRANTS**

- 2017 Grosserer L.F. Foghts Legat
- 2014 The Danish Arts Foundation Life Long Grant
- 2013 Henrik Pontoppidan Mindefonds Legat
- 2011 Premio Prata
- 2008 Morten Nielsens Legat
- 2008 Harald Kidde og Peder Jensen Kjærgaards Fond
- 2006 Beatrice-Prisen

- 2003 Peter Freuchens Mindelegat  
1998 Michael Strunge Prisen  
1997- Reciever of Danish Arts Foundations three-year work grant  
1999

## **PUBLICATIONS**

- 2019 Journal 2019, Gyldendal  
2019 Gilgamesh (med Sophus Helle), Gyldendal  
2017 Fra i dag - Samlede digte 1992-2017, Gyldendal  
2017 Ukend dig selv, Hormuz Mentor Press  
2016 Døden er en del af mit navn, Gyldendal  
2015 Suture, Broken Dimanche Press  
2013 Fordele og ulemper ved at udvikle vinger, Gyldendal  
2010 Processen og det halve kongerige, Gyldendal  
2010 Ordapoteket, translated into German, English and Norwegian in 2012  
2009 Må sort dreng dø ren, Arena  
2005 Et skridt i den rigtige retning, Borgen (nominated for Nordisk Råds Litteratur Pris 2007), translated into Spanish in 2013, English and Swedish in 2012 and German in 2010  
2004 At holde havet tilbage med en kost, Borgen  
2004 Fedtdigte, Gammel Mønt  
2002 Vinci, senere, digte, Borgens Forlag, (nominated for Nordisk Råds Litteratur Pris 2003), translated into Italian in 2007 and English 2005  
2000 Tingenes orden, roman, Borgens Forlag, published in Beirut in 2010  
1998 Bier dør sovende, digte, Borgens Forlag, translated into German in 2008  
1998 Hypoteser for to stemmer (m. Tomas Thøfner), Øverste Kirurgiske, Borgens Forlag, 2002  
1996 Ubestemmelser, Brøndums Forlag  
1994 Ild og tal, digte, Borgens Forlag  
1992 Sahara i mine hænder, digte, Borgens Forlag, translated into French in 2005

## **RECORD RELEASES**

- 2016 The sound of my room, Hormuz Mentor Records  
2007 Hjertets abe sparker sig fri, CD, in co-operation with Schweppenhäuser/Thomsen, Geiger Records  
2006 audioPoesi – Superpositionsprincippet, CD, in co-operation with Schweppenhäuser/Thomsen, Geiger Records  
1992 Random Rooms, LP, in co-operation with Niels Lyngsø, Olufsens

## Records

### **DRAMATIC WORKS**

- 2014 Text for the theater play Kosmos+, Hotel Pro Forma,
- 2014 Libretto for the opera Babel, Athelas
- 2010 Text for the theater play Ellen, Hotel Pro Forma
- 2007 Libretto for the opera Orfeus remix, music by Bo Lundby  
Jæger, The Funen Opera
- 2000 Text for the multimedial play Site Seeing Zoom, Hotel Pro  
Forma