

# Fredrik Åkum Biography

Born 1987, lives and works in Sweden.

## Selected Solo Exhibitions

- 2024 *Promemoria*, Dalslands Konstmuseum, Uppered, Sweden
- 2022 *ECCPROJECTS #05*, ECC Project Room, Chieri, Italy
- 2021 *Waiting for the Summer Rain*, Galleri Cora Hillebrand, Gothenburg, Sweden
- 2020 *Beckers Art Award*, Höganäs Museum & Konsthall, Höganäs, Sweden  
*Beckers Art Award*, Färgfabriken, Stockholm, Sweden
- 2019 *Tear out Pages/Tear of Jacqueline*, Gallery Steinsland Berliner, Stockholm, Sweden  
*Spreads*, Alta Art Space, Malmö, Sweden
- 2018 *Limbo*, Galleri Cora Hillebrand, Gothenburg, Sweden  
*Nine Paintings*, Tungsten Gallery, London, United Kingdom  
*I mean, if it's real, where's the crease?*, Bistro 21, Leipzig, Germany  
*Xerox Dust*, Wadström Tönnheim Gallery, Malmö, Sweden  
*Flatbed*, 3:e Våningen, Gothenburg, Sweden
- 2017 *B-B-B-Bootlegs*, Gallery Steinsland Berliner, Stockholm, Sweden  
*Bouquet*, Galleri Lars Hjelm, Karlstad, Sweden
- 2016 *Sten A Olsson Kulturstipendium*, Stenahallen, Gothenburg Museum of Art, Sweden  
*Endless Hunt*, Galleri Thomassen, Gothenburg, Sweden
- 2014 *Lupine Wreath*, Gallery Steinsland Berliner, Stockholm, Sweden
- 2013 *Climbing Windthrown Trees*, Gallery Rotor, Gothenburg, Sweden  
*Ode to the Loss*, Good Press Gallery, Glasgow, United Kingdom
- 2012 *Forgiven by the Lake*, Gallery Steinsland Berliner, Stockholm, Sweden
- 2009 *PS Room*, Kristinehamn Museum of Art, Kristinehamn, Sweden

## Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2024 *Polyfoni 6*, Galleri Thomas Wallner, Simris, Sweden  
*Blind Taste*, ARBAG, Lisbon, Portugal
- 2023 *Jag föreställer mig ett hem*, Göteborgs Konsthall, Gothenburg, Sweden
- 2022 *Stille Post*, with Emanuel Cederqvist, Galleri Cora Hillebrand, Gothenburg, Sweden  
*Landskrona Foto*, Landskrona, Sweden  
*Dream paper*, Galerie Slika, Lyon, France
- 2019 *The Family Show*, Gallery Steinsland Berliner, Stockholm, Sweden

- 2018 *Our Winter Show*, Gallery Steinsland Berliner, Stockholm, Sweden
- 2017 *Konvergenser*, Nevven, Gothenburg, Sweden  
*Lilla Göteborg*, Raum Vollreinigung, Berlin, Germany  
*Någon sorts kunskap*, Gothenburg Museum of Art, Sweden  
*Micro Salon #7*, Galerie l'inlassable, Paris, France
- 2016 *Konvergenser #2*, Nevven, Gothenburg, Sweden  
*Do Re Mi Fa SØ La Ti Do*, SØ, Copenhagen, Denmark  
*Painting Failure*, Moderna Museet, Malmö, Sweden
- 2015 *Our Winter Show*, Gallery Steinsland Berliner, Stockholm, Sweden  
*Imago Mundi: Map of the New Art*, Fondazione Giorgio Cini, Venice, Italy  
*Konvergenser*, Nevven, Gothenburg, Sweden  
 Group exhibition, Galleri Thomassen, Gothenburg, Sweden
- 2014 *Panaché: Carte Blanche a Broadcast Posters L'attrape-couleurs*, Lyon, France  
*What a gas! At the zoo*, 3:e Våningen, Gothenburg, Sweden
- 2013 *GSB 5 years*, Gallery Steinsland Berliner, Stockholm, Sweden  
*24 Spaces – A Cacophony*, Malmö Konsthall, Malmö, Sweden  
*Frames & Stages*, Göteborgs Konsthall, Gothenburg, Sweden
- 2012 *Collected*, Jarko, Grafik i Väst, Gothenburg, Sweden  
*Our Winter Show*, Gallery Steinsland Berliner, Stockholm, Sweden  
*The Family Show II*, Good Press Gallery, Glasgow, United Kingdom  
 SAK, Sven-Harrys Art Museum, Stockholm, Sweden  
*Barn av sin stad*, Galleri Kvadraten, Kristinehamn, Sweden  
*Painting for real*, Östergötlands Museum, Linköping, Sweden  
*Valand Fanzines & Artist books*, Galleri Vända Sida, Linköping, Sweden
- 2010 *Our Winter Show*, Gallery Steinsland Berliner, Stockholm, Sweden  
*Jarko: America*, Gallery Box, Gothenburg, Sweden
- 2009 *Drawing so far*, Teckningsmuseet, Laholm, Sweden  
*Our Winter Show*, Gallery Steinsland Berliner, Stockholm, Sweden
- 2006 *Kristinehamns Konstmuseums Sommarsalong*, Kristinehamn, Sweden

## Fairs

- 2023 Market Art Fair, Gallery Steinsland Berliner, Liljevalchs Konsthall, Stockholm, Sweden
- 2021 Market Art Fair, Gallery Steinsland Berliner, Liljevalchs Konsthall, Stockholm, Sweden  
*The Death-drive*, Chart Art Fair, Galleri Cora Hillebrand, Kunsthall Charlottenborg, Copenhagen, Denmark
- 2017 Chart Art Fair, Gallery Steinsland Berliner, Kunsthall Charlottenborg, Copenhagen, Denmark

## Education

- 2011-13 MFA, Valand Academy, Fine Art, Gothenburg  
2008-11 BFA, Valand School of fine art, Fine Art, Gothenburg  
2007-08 Gothenburg School of Art, Gothenburg

## Curatorial

- 2023 *Sunless Press*, with Daniel Jensen, David Klasson, Lisa Liljeström, Olof Marsja, Julia Selin, Alina Vergnano & Fredrik Åkum, Galleri Cora Hillebrand, Gothenburg, Sweden  
2014 *Förna & tidevann* with Hannah Rosvoll & Julia Selin, Galleri Box, Gothenburg, Sweden  
*What a Gas! At the Zoo!* group exhibition with Anna Topuriya, Fredrik Åkum, Hanna Andersson, Jacob Hurtig, Joakim Ojanen, Klara Persson, Malin Gabriella Nordin, Martin Solymar, Max Andersson, Ragnar Persson & Sofie Karp. 3:e Våningen, Gothenburg, Sweden

## Collections

- Gothenburg Museum of Art  
Kristinehamns Konstmuseum  
Lindéngruppen  
Sveriges Allmänna Konstförening  
Statens Konstråd  
Stenastiftelsen  
Västra Götalandsregionen

## Public Works

- Akademiska Sjukhuset, Uppsala läns landsting  
Korpen, Visby, Region Gotland  
Lönecentrum, Kristinehamns kommun  
Hultskolan, Askim, Göteborgs kommun  
Regeringskansliet, Stockholms kommun, Statens Konstråd  
Region Halland  
Region Skåne  
Sjukhuset i Gävle, Gävleborgs läns landsting  
Södersjukhuset, Stockholms läns landsting  
Statens Skolinspektion, Stockholms kommun, Statens Konstråd  
Uppsala Kommun  
Värmlands Landsting

## Grants & Awards

- 2022 Hasselblad Foundation, Photo Book Grant  
One year working grant, the Swedish Arts Grants Committee
- 2020 Göteborgs Stad Kulturstipendium  
Stiftelsen Längmanska Kulturfonden  
Beckers Art Award
- 2018 Two year working grant, the Swedish Arts Grants Committee  
International Cultural Exchange Grant, The Swedish Arts Grants Committee  
Pronto, Göteborgs Stads Kulturnämnd
- 2016 Sten A Olsson Kulturstipendium  
Adlerbertska Kulturstipendiet
- 2015 One year working grant, the Swedish Arts Grants Committee
- 2013 Stiftelsen Eric Ericsson  
Stiftelsen Bertha Neuberghs Stipendiefond för konstnärlig utbildning
- 2012 Stiftelsen Otto och Charlotte Mannheimers fond  
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- 2011 Grafik i Västs Stipendium, Jarko  
Greta Munthe Sandbergs Stipendium  
Stiftelsen Otto och Charlotte Mannheimers fond  
Kultur Ungdom
- 2010 Stiftelsen Otto och Charlotte Mannheimers fond
- 2009 Stiftelsen Otto och Charlotte Mannheimers fond  
Kristinehamns Konstmuseums Ungdomsstipendium
- 2005 Kristinehamns kommuns ungdomsstipendium, Kultur  
Torsten Björkroths Stipendium

## Bibliography

### Selected Self-Published Solo Publications

- 2023 *Two Suns*, 21 x 28 cm, Edition of 300
- 2021 *River End*, 21 x 28 cm, Edition of 300  
*Waiting for the Summer Rain*, 21 x 28 cm, Edition of 200
- 2020 *War Paint*, 14 x 20 cm, Edition of 30  
*Then, Eighteen and Nineteen*, 14 x 20 cm, Edition of 200  
*Week Seventeen and Eighteen*, 14 x 20 cm, Edition of 30  
*Week fifteen, Wednesday–Thursday*, 14 x 20 cm, Edition of 20

- 2019 *Drawings (Details)*, 14 x 20 cm, Edition of 20  
*Unattended as the moorlands heather*, 14 x 20 cm, Edition of 30, numbered  
*Untitled Xerox Publication*, 27 x 19 cm, Edition of 20, numbered & signed  
*Untitled Collage Publication*, 27 x 19 cm, Edition of: 20  
*Spreads*, 27 x 19 cm, 20 pages, Edition of 30  
*Spreads*, 14 x 20 cm, 20 pages, Edition of 100
- 2018 *Flatbed*, 14,8 x 21 cm, 20 pages, Edition of 50 + AP  
*Flatbed*, 14,8 x 21 cm, 20 pages, Edition of 250 + AP
- 2017 *4:33*, 14,8 x 21 cm, 20 pages, Edition of: 250 + AP
- 2016 *Endless Hunt II*, 14,8 x 21 cm, 24 pages, Edition of 50 + AP
- 2015 *Endless Hunt (Bootleg)*, 14,8 x 21 cm, 24 pages, Edition of 100 + AP
- 2014 *Portraits*, 14,8 x 21 cm, 16 pages, Edition of 50
- 2013 *Valley*, 20 x 27 cm, 16 pages, Edition of 150 + AP  
*Climbing Windthrown Trees*, 14 x 20 cm, 16 pages + insert, Edition of 100  
*Ode to the loss*, 14 x 20 cm, 16 pages, Edition of 30 + AP
- 2012 *Hood*, 14 x 20 cm, 16 pages, Edition of 10 + AP  
*SS12*, 14 x 19,6 cm, 16 pages, Edition of 5 + AP
- 2011 *Warm land*, 14 x 19 cm, 16 pages, Edition of 20 + AP  
*Five tears a year*, A5, 40 pages, Edition of 50 + AP  
*Untitled*, 14 x 20 cm, 16 pages, Edition of 25 + AP
- 2010 *Ocarina*, 14 x 20 cm, 16 pages, Edition of 50  
*Shake for the sake of shake*, 14 x 20 cm, 16 pages, Edition of 20 + AP

### **Selected Solo Publications**

- 2020 *Beckers Konstnärstipendium 2020*, Fredrik Åkum, published by Färgfabriken
- 2014 *Diorama*, published by GPOD, Good Press

### **Sunless Press**

- 2023 Fredrik Åkum - *Promemoria*, Edition of 300  
David Klasson - *Till och från*, Edition of 100  
Lisa Liljeström - *Good Time*, Edition of 100  
Daniel Jensen - *Shipwrecked*, Edition of 100  
Julia Selin - *The insect's innermost desire*, Edition of 100  
Alina Vergnano - *Feverish Dreams Future Fears*, Edition of 100  
Fredrik Åkum - *November*, Edition of 300  
Olof Marsja - *In the Shadow of the Comet*, Edition of 100  
Fredrik Åkum - *Key*, Edition of 100

### **Self-Published Collaboration Publications**

2012 *Jarko Solo Zine: Isabel Theselius - Film Stills* 14 x 20 cm, 28 pages, Edition of 25

*Jarko Solo Zine: Jim Thorell*, 14 x 19 cm, 20 pages, Edition of 25

2011 *Jarko Solo Zine: Sofie Karp - O*, 14 x 20 cm, 16 pages, Edition of 50

*Jarko Solo Zine: Marja Knape - Mowgly*, 14 x 20 cm, 16 pages, Edition of 50

2010 *Jarko Solo Zine: Martin Solymar - Karisma*, 14 x 20 cm, 16 pages, Edition of 25

*Jarko No.2*, A5, 40 pages, Edition of 50

2009 *Jarko No.1*, A5, 40 pages, Edition of 50

Jarko is a collaboration with Jacob Hurtig