

STINE BIDSTRUP

b. 1982, Denmark

Stine Bidstrup is a Danish glass artist and art historian whose practice delves into the ideology of optical phenomena and theories of both chaos and utopia. Working across studios in Denmark and Sweden, Bidstrup's sculptures are made from mouth-blown colored glass fitted to plaster molds while in a molten state. They emerge from their molds as craggy architectural models and jagged artificial landscapes. Utilizing technology in conjunction with traditional techniques, Bidstrup often produces digital prints on the interiors of her sculptures. She applies scrawled lines, intricate networks, and map-like web patterns in this manner, allowing drawn forms to show through beneath layers of glass.

Bidstrup's interest in the early twentieth-century utopian teachings of Paul Scheerbart and the architect Bruno Taut's visionary proposals serves as a foundation for her forms as well as the thrust of her philosophical inquiry. The materiality and vibrant hues of her glass sculptures recall many of Taut's drawings while materializing the fantastical literary descriptions of floating crystal cities detailed in Scheerbart's 1914 manifesto *Glasarchitektur*. These historic meditations on urban planning occurred at the onset of World War I and, as such, were never realized—a fact that provides Bidstrup with ample room to reinterpret their ideas in her series "Architectural Glass Fantasies," produced over a century later.

Bidstrup has taught at the Royal Danish Academy of Fine Art's School of Design on Bornholm since 2009, and was a visiting lecturer at the University of Wisconsin–Madison in 2015. Together with fellow Copenhagen-based glass artists, she founded the collaborative studio Luftkraft Glass Studio in 2007, and has exhibited nationally and worldwide for the past 15 years. In 2018, Bidstrup joined the exhibition council at the Glass Museum Ebeltoft, and in 2021, she was selected as the curator of the 8th Tallinn Applied Art Triennial.



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EDUCATION

BA in Art History, University of Copenhagen, Copenhagen, Denmark
 Post-Baccalaureate (honors) in Glass, Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI
 BA in Glass, The Royal Danish Academy of Fine Art, School of Design, Bornholm,
 Denmark

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

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- Focus: Stine Bidstrup, Heller Gallery, New York, NY
 Architectural Glass Fantasies, Gallery FUMI, London, UK

 Architectural Glass Fantasies: Utopia Materialized, Heller Gallery, New York, NY
 To Present What Has Already Past, 7th Floor Gallery, University of Wisconsin-Madison,
- 2013 Knotted Narratives, X-rummet, The HOUSE in Asnæs, Denmark
- 2012 Award Recipient of 2012, Hempel Glass Museum, Denmark Rupert's Chaos, BOX Gallery, Lynfabrikken, Aarhus, Denmark
- 2011-2012 Studies in Search of Order and Chaos, Glass Museum Ebeltoft, Denmark
- 2010 New Work, Galleri Jytte Møller, Fredericia, Denmark
- 2009 When the Earth Reflects, The HOUSE in Asnæs, Denmark
- 2008 Sense of Reflection, Agallery, Copenhagen, Denmark
 We Map Ourselves Inside of It, Tesch & Hallberg, Copenhagen, Denmark

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2024 Indeterminate Objects, Arts + Literature Laboratory, Madison, WI
- 2023 Generation Why, Risør Kunstpark, Risør, Norway
 Growth + Form: Gallery FUMI at 15, Gallery FUMI, London, United Kingdom
 The Salon Art + Design with Gallery FUMI, Park Avenue Armory, New York City, NY
 Studio Glass from Denmark, European Museum of Modern Glass, Kunstsammlungen der
 Veste Coburg, Germany
 - FOG Design+Art with Hostler Burrows, Fort Mason Center, San Francisco, CA
- 2022 The Future is Present, Designmuseum Denmark, Copenhagen, Denmark

 Homo Faber, Fondazione Giorgio Cini, San Giorgio Maggiore Island, Venice, Italy

Matter at Hand, Hostler Burrows, Los Angeles, CA

New Glass Now, Toyama Glass Art Museum, Toyama, Japan

Structures from a Molten World, The Glass Factory, Boda Glasbruk, Sweden

Autonomous Zones, Traver Gallery, Seattle, WA

Autonomous Zones, BWA Wroclaw Galleries of Contemporary Art, Wroclaw, Poland

Detox—Clean it up!, Östergötlands Museum, Linköking, Sweden

Handmade, Gallery FUMI, London, United Kingdom

2021 Curator of the 8th Tallinn Applied Art Triennial, Kai Art Centre, Tallinn, Estonia
Melting Point, Heller Gallery, New York City & Ferrin Contemporary, North Adams, MA
Matter at Hand, Hostler Burrows, New York, NY

Homo Faber, Fondazione Giorgio Cini, San Giorgio Maggiore Island, Venice, Italy Mindcraft Project 2021, Virtual platform, Copenhagen, Denmark

Passage at The Byre, Bullseye Projects, Latheronwheel, Scotland

New Glass Now, The Renwick Gallery of the Smithsonian American Art Museum, Washington, DC

The Biennale for Craft and Design, Museum Koldinghus, Kolding, Denmark

A Vase is a Vase is a Vase, Hempel Glass Museum, Nykøbing Sjælland, Denmark

Glass Art—Art in Glass, Galleri Montan, Copenhagen, Denmark

2020 It's Good To Be Home, Gallery FUMI, London, UK

The Spring Exhibition, Kunsthal Charlottenborg, Copenhagen, Denmark

Opening Exhibition, Holmegaard Glass Factory, Næstved, Denmark

The Palace, The Glass Factory, Boda, Sweden

Gallery FUMI for Sotheby's Preferred, Sotheby's Preferred Members Room, London, UK

Detox—Clean it up!, Rejmyre Art Lab Residency Exhibition, Rejmyre, Sweden

Intersect Aspen 2020 with Heller Gallery, New York, NY, virtual viewing room

Intersect Chicago 2020 with Heller Gallery, virtual viewing room

2019 New Glass Now, Corning Museum of Glass, Corning, NY

47th Intl. Glass Invitational Award Exhibition, Habatat Galleries, Royal Oak, MI

Now & Then: Moments in Glass History, Toledo Museum of Art, Toledo, OH

SOFA Chicago with Heller Gallery, Navy Pier, Chicago, IL

BRAFA Art Fair with Clara Scremini Gallery, Royal Depot, Brussels, Belgium

Art Market San Francisco with Heller Gallery, San Francisco, CA

13th Intl. Glass Symposium Novy Bor, Museum of Decorative Arts, Prague, Czech Republic

2018 SOFA Chicago with Heller Gallery, Navy Pier, Chicago, IL

The Salon Art + Design with Heller Gallery, Park Avenue Armory, New York, NY

Scandinavian Glass—Starting All Over, Glass Museum Ebeltoft, Denmark

New Scandinavian Glass, Vessel Gallery, London, UK

Art Palm Springs with Heller Gallery, Palm Springs, CA

Show Up, RØM Exhibition Space, Copenhagen, Denmark

Pop-up exhibition at the National Workshops for Art, Copenhagen, Denmark

AIR in \$12—A Retrospective, \$12 Gallery and Studio, Bergen, Norway

2017 SOFA Chicago with Heller Gallery, Chicago, IL

Scandinavian Glass—Starting All Over, The Glass Factory, Boda, Sweden & The Finnish Glass Museum, Riihimaki, Finland

Glass Weekend with Heller Gallery, Wheaton Arts Center, Millville, NJ

Mapping Denmark II: Luftkraft, Grønbechs Gård, Denmark

Summertime '17, Galleri Christoffer Egelund, Copenhagen, Denmark

2016 Great Danes—Danish Glass from Modern Factory Design to Contemporary Art,

Glazenhuis Flemish Center for Contemporary Glass Art, Lommel, Belgium

Europa grenze(n)loos glas, Glasrijk Tubbergen 2016, Holland

FUNN, \$12 Gallery, Bergen, Norway

Mapping Denmark II: Luftkraft, Glass Museum Ebeltoft, Denmark

2015 The Process—The International Glass Prize 2015, Glass Museum Glazenhuis, Lommel, Belgium

The Soul and The Pawnshop, Sediment Gallery, Richmond, VA

Danish Glass 15, Glass Museum Ebeltoft, Denmark

European Glass Experience, Museo del Vetro, Murano, Venice, Italy

Pop-up exhibition, Studio 0601-0603, Copenhagen, Denmark

2014 Aurora—Nordic Contemporary Glass, Pera Museum, Istanbul, Turkey

Vitrum Balticum: Optical Outlook, M.K. Ciurlionis National Museum of Art, Kaunas, Lithuania

Danish Stars, Konsthantverkarna, Stockholm, Sweden

Navigating the North, Bredgade Kunsthandel, Copenhagen, Denmark

Tartu Art House, Tartu, Estonia

Pilchuck on Display, The Westin, Seattle, WA

European Glass Experience, The Finnish Glass Museum, Riihimäki, Finland

Via the Water, Palæfløjen, Roskilde, Denmark

2013 The International Exhibition of Glass Kanazawa 2013, Design Center Ishikawa & Notojima Glass Art Museum, Ishikawa, Japan

Creative Glass Center of America Alumni Biennial, Wheaton Arts Center, Millville, NJ

Knotted Narratives, Gallery Art Positive, Bajaj Capital Art House, New Delhi, India

Composites: 3 Views on Glass, \$12 Gallery, Bergen, Norway

Nordic Contemporary Glass, The Glass Factory, Boda, Sweden

Wheaton Glass: The Art of The Fellowship, Museum of American Glass, Millville, NJ

Substance 2013, Bredgade Kunsthandel, Copenhagen, Denmark

2012 Young & Loving—Restrospective 2012, \$12 Gallery and Gallery Format, Bergen, Norway Mesh Up, Gallery Klejn, Bornholm, Denmark

European Glass Context 2012, The Royal Danish Academy of Fine Art, School of Design

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Substance 2012, Bredgade Kunsthandel, Copenhagen, Denmark

New Additions, Glass Museum Ebeltoft, Denmark

Dialogue, Designer Zoo, Copenhagen, Denmark

The HOUSE in Asnæs, Asnæs, Denmark

2011 The Biennale of Art and Design 2011, Koldinghus, Kolding, Denmark

Substance 2011, Bredgade Kunsthandel, Copenhagen, Denmark

The Art Association of August 14th, Designmuseum Denmark, Copenhagen, Denmark Nääs Castle, Gothenburg, Sweden

2010 The International Exhibition of Glass Kanazawa 2010, Design Center Ishikawa & Notojima Glass Art Museum, Ishikawa, Japan

The Danish Arts and Crafts Award of 1879, Danish Museum of Art & Design, Denmark Contemporary Glass Art, Rejmyre Glass Museum, Rejmyre, Sweden In_box, Designer Zoo Copenhagen, Denmark

2009 Sculpture Biennale Kijkduin 2009, Kijkduin, Holland

The Spring Exhibition, Kunsthal Charlottenborg, Copenhagen, Denmark Young & Loving 2009, S12 Gallery, Bergen, Norway

Glass Guerillas/Post Glass Artist, Corning, NY

2008 Copenhagen Furniture Festival, GUBI Showroom, Copenhagen, Denmark Summer Exhibition, Designer Zoo, Copenhagen, Denmark

Maison et Objet with Danish Crafts, Paris, France

ICFF with Danish Crafts, New York, NY

KiC Special Exhibition, Aarhus, Denmark

2007 The Artists' Fall Exhibition, Den Frie Centre of Contemporary Art, Copenhagen,
Denmark

Emerging Artists in Residence, Friesen Gallery, Seattle, WA

GLASSS 2007, Holstebro Museum of Art & Danish Museum of Art & Design, Denmark Biennale of Art and Design 2007, Trapholt & Koldinghus, Kolding, Denmark

CGCA Fellowship Recipients Exhibition, Wheaton Arts, Millville, NJ

2006 Double Visions, Hillel Gallery, Brown University, Providence, RI

RISD at UMASS, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, MA

Disappearances, MFA Row, the Peerless Lofts Gallery, Providence, RI

Phenomena, Sol Koffler Gallery, Providence, RI

2005 Sight/Site, The Space at Westminster, Providence, RI

Free Form, The Round Tower, Copenhagen, Denmark

Talente 2005, Münich, Germany

2004 Degree Show, Bornholm Museum of Art and Politikens Hus, Copenhagen, Denmark Gallery Brandt Contemporary, Stockholm, Sweden and Oslo City Hall, Oslo, Norway Biennale of Art and Design 2004, KUNSTEN Museum of Modern Art and Trapholt,

Denmark

Since Last...Danish Glass 2004, Glass Museum, Ebeltoft, Denmark

COLLECTIONS

Designmuseum Denmark, Copenhagen, Denmark

Chazen Museum of Art, Madison, WI

The Finnish Glass Museum, Riihimaki, Finland

Toledo Museum of Art, Toledo, OH

Speed Art Museum, Louisville, KY

Corning Museum of Glass, Corning, NY

Glasmuseum Alter Hof Herding, Ernsting Stiftung, Coesfeld, Germany

Glasmuseet Ebeltoft, Ebeltoft, Denmark

Museum of American Glass, Millville, NJ

Hempel Glass Museum, Nykøbing Sjælland, Denmark

The Art Association of August 14th, Copenhagen, Denmark

The Art Association of The Swedish Handelsbank, Stockholm, Sweden

GRANTS AND AWARDS

The Danish Arts Foundation 3-year Work Grant

The Danish Arts Foundation Honorarium

The Danish Arts Foundation Work Grant

The Danish Arts Foundation Project Funding

The Danish Arts Foundation Travel Grant

Inga & Ejvind Kold Christensens Honorary Award 2021

Hempel Glass Prize 2012

The Danish National Bank's Anniversary Foundation of 1968

Grosserer L.F. Foghts Foundation

Knud & Ellen Dalhoff Larsens Foundation

Augustinus Foundation

Knud Højgaards Foundation

Frimodt-Heineke Foundation

Den Hielmstierne-Rosencroneske Foundation

Glass Trader Johan Franz Ronges Foundation

Direktør Ib Henriksen Foundation

Nordea-Denmark Foundation

The Danish Tennis Foundation

Kunsthåndværkerprisen af 1879

Talente Prize for Design, Germany

SOFA Special Merit Awards, USA

Rhode Pilchud Cultur Becker Thoma Monta Klint F Præmi Det Ro	& Jep Finks Memorial Foundation for Architecture and Applied Arts Island School of Design Fellowship ck Glass School Student Scholarship re Point North – Kulturkontakt Nord, Finland tt Foundation as B.Thriges Foundation na Furniture Foundation eselskabets Fælleslegat eiersenske Foundation Esmers Memorial Foundation
WOR	RKSHOPS
2012	Architectural master class with James Carpenter, European Glass Context 2012, Denmark
2011 2009 2004	Classes with Harumi Yukutake and Pike Powers, Pilchuck Glass School Place as Matter, interdisciplinary workshop held at Rejmyre Art Lab, Sweden Classes with Harumi Yukutake and Pike Powers, Pilchuck Glass School
RESI	DENCIES
2021	Visiting Artist, Museum of Glass, Tacoma, WA (postponed)
	Artist in Residence, Corning Museum of Glass, Corning, NY (postponed)
2020	Artist in Residence, The Royal Danish Academy of Art, School of Design, Bornholm,
	Denmark
	Detox—Clean It Up! Rejmyre Art Lab Research Residency, Sweden
2019	Rejmyre Art Lab Summer Artist Residency, Rejmyre, Sweden
2014	Artist in Residence, Olustvere Glass Studio, Olustvere, Estonia
2013	Artist in Residence, S12 Gallery and Studio, Bergen, Norway
	Artist in Residence, University of Sunderland, UK
	Fellowship, Creative Glass Center of America, Wheaton Arts, Millville, NJ
2012	Artist in Residence, ChoChoma Studio, Chennai, India
2010	Rejmyre Art Lab Summer Artist Residency, Rejmyre, Sweden
2008	The National Workshops for Art, Copenhagen, Denmark

Fellowship, Creative Glass Center of America, Wheaton Arts, Millville, NJ

Emerging Artist in Residence, Pilchuck Glass School, Stanwood, WA

2007

2006

TEACHING AND LECTURES

- 2021 Part-time Faculty and Critic, 2021-2010, The Royal Danish Academy of Fine Art, School of Design, Bornholm, Denmark
 - External Critic, Estonian Academy of Art, Tallinn, Estonia
- 2020 Part-time Faculty and Critic, 2020-2010, The Royal Danish Academy of Fine Art, School of Design, Bornholm, Denmark
 - Visiting Artist Lecture, National College of Art and Design, Dublin, Ireland
 - Instructor: Fluid Traditions (postponed), Pilchuck Glass School, Stanwood, WA
- 2019 Instructor and Critic, 2019-2010, The Royal Danish Academy of Fine Art, School of Design, Bornholm, Denmark
 - Speaker at MANIFESTA 2019, The Danish Arts Foundation at the Royal Danish Academy of Fine Art, Denmark
- 2017 Instructor and Critic, 2017-2010, The Royal Danish Academy of Fine Art, School of Design, Bornholm, Denmark
 - Instructor: Inspirations and Expirations, Haystack Mountain School of Crafts, Deer Isle, ME
 - Demonstrator at The Glass Factory in connection with Scandinavian Glass Starting All Over, Boda, Sweden
- 2016 Instructor and Critic, 2016-2010, The Royal Danish Academy of Fine Art, School of Design, Bornholm, Denmark
 - Demonstrator at the 45th GAS Conference, Corning Museum of Glass, Corning, NY Teaching Assistant: UnObject, Pilchuck Glass School, Stanwood, WA
- 2015 Visiting Lecturer and Scholar, Art Department Glass Lab, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI
 - Visiting Artist Lecture, Chrysler Museum of Art, Norfolk, VA
 - Visiting Artist, Art Department, University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point, Stevens Point, WI
 - Visiting Artist, Anoka Ramsey College, Minneapolis, MN
 - Instructor: Two-Way Window Optics of Glass and the Eye, Urban Glass, Brooklyn, NY
 - Visiting Critic, Pitzer College, Claremont, Los Angeles, CA
 - Visiting Artist, School of Art and Design, University of Southern Illinois, Carbondale, IL
 - Instructor and Critic, 2015-2010, The Royal Danish Academy of Fine Art, School of Design, Bornholm, Denmark
- 2014 Instructor and Critic, 2014-2010, The Royal Danish Academy of Fine Art, School of Design, Bornholm, Denmark
 - Workshop in connection with European Glass Experience Lassismi Glass, Riihimäki, Finland
 - Instructor: A Finely Crafted Idea Strategies for Conceptual Development, Pilchuck Glass School, Stanwood, WA
 - Artist Talk, Konsthantverkarna, Stockholm, Sweden
- 2013 Visiting Artist, University of the Arts, Philadelphia, PA

- Visiting Artist, Alfred University, School of Art and Design, Alfred, NY Visiting Artist, The Royal College of Art, London, UK Lecture, Bergen Academy of Art and Design, Bergen, Norway
- 2012 Full-time Faculty, 2011-12, The Royal Danish Academy of Fine Art, School of Design, Bornholm, Denmark
- 2010 Instructor and Critic, The Royal Danish Academy of Fine Art, School of Design, Bornholm, Denmark
 - Instructor, 2008-2010, Engelsholm Højskole, Art and Music School, Bredsten, Denmark
- 2009 Full-time Faculty, The Royal Danish Academy of Fine Art, School of Design, Bornholm, Denmark
 - Lecture, Bornholms Højskole, Art School, Bornholm, Denmark
- 2007 Visiting Artist, Virginia Commonwealth University, School of Art, Richmond, VA
- 2006 Teaching Assistant for Jeffrey Sarmiento, Pilchuck Glass School, Stanwood, WA Lecture, Cornish College of Art, Seattle, WA
- 2005 Graduate Assistant, 2005-2006, Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI Lecture, National College of Art and Design, Dublin, Ireland

OTHER ACTIVITIES

- 2018–2021 Member of the Exhibition Council at Glass Museum Ebeltoft, Ebeltoft, Denmark
- 2018 Invited for The XIIIth International Glass Symposium 2018 Novy Bor, Czech Republic
- 2017 Writer for Glass Art Society Journal, Seattle, WA
- 2014 Jury Member for the exhibition Danish Glass 15, Glass Museum Ebeltoft, Denmark
- 2008–2009 Selected for participation in Danish Crafts Collection 12, Denmark
- 2008 Writer for Kopenhagen.dk (online art magazine), Copenhagen, Denmark
- 2007-present Founder and member of the collective Luftkraft Glass Studio in Copenhagen,

 Denmark