

LARS BOHMAN GALLERY

Peter Frie

Peter Frie's paintings are rooted in the long tradition of landscape painting, and especially in the way of depicting the landscape as a powerfully charged mood. The paintings manifest a powerful sense of place, but they also have a metaphorical dimension, so that any overly explicit link with a certain place tends to become blurred. Frie does not reproduce views, but paints memories. Peter Frie frequently arranges his painted theme so that it is part of a white painted ground, leaving this 'empty' space to act as a balancing factor that emphasizes the landscape theme. The large white areas flanking the depicted image permit a sense of expansion, like a screen behind which a continuation of the landscape will be revealed. They also have the capacity to concentrate the image, to intensify the spectator's scrutiny and his emotional response". Jeremy Lewison, Director of Collections, Tate Gallery, London 1998."

CV

Born 1947 in Lysekil, Sweden.
Lives and works in Båstad, Sweden.

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2015

Galerie Forsblom, Helsinki, Finland
Vida Museum, Öland, Sweden

2014

Lars Bohman Gallery, Stockholm, Sweden

2013

Galerie Forsblom, Helsinki, Finland
Saltarvet, Fiskebäckskil, Sweden
Frie/Englund, Landskrona Konstmuseum, Sweden

2012

Thielska Galleriet, Stockholm, Sweden
Amstedt, Östra Karup, Sweden
Picasso Museum, Münster, Germany

2011

Lars Bohman Gallery, Stockholm, Sweden
New Arts Centre, Salisbury, UK

2010

Galerie Forsblom, Helsinki, Finland
Eskilstuna Konstmuseum, Sweden
Tunnland, Ltd Edition, Stockholm, Sweden

2009

Varberg Konsthall, Sweden
Stathausgalerie Münster, Germany
Eskilstuna Konstmuseum, Sweden

2007

Lars Bohman Gallery, Stockholm, Sweden

2006

Passing, Amstedt & Kullgren, Östra Karup, Sweden
Passing, Jönköpings Läns Musuem, Jönköping, Sweden
Passing, Galerie Forsblom, Helsinki, Finland

2005

Gewölk, Morat - Institut für Kunst und Kunstwissenschaft, Freiburg, Germany

2004

Skyarna, Galleri Lars Bohman, Stockholm, Sweden
Skyarna, Kalmar Konstmuseum, Kalmar, Sweden
Elementum - Ekelöf/Frie, Josef Kleinheinrich, Munster, Germany

2003

The view belongs to everyone, Galerie Forsblom, Helsinki, Finland

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2002

Visiting, New Art Centre Sculpture Park & Gallery, Roche Court, East Winterslow, Wiltshire, UK
Havet Ekelöf/Frie, Joseph Kleinheinrich, Münster, Germany
Havet Ekelöf/Frie, Arnstedt & Kullgren, Östra Karup, Sweden
Visiting, Galerie S 65, Cologne, Germany
Skaffell, Seydisfjörður, Iceland (with Georg Gudni)

2001

Listening, Roman Zenner, Stuttgart, Germany

2000

Tranströmer/Frie, Josef Kleinheinrich, Munster, Germany
Listening, The Haggerty Museum of Art, Milwaukee, USA
Listening, Galleri Lars Bohman, Stockholm, Sweden

1999

Maisema, Jyväskylä Art Museum, Jyväskylä, Finland
Maisema, Galleri F-15, Moss, Norway
Ruth Bachofner Gallery, Santa Monica, Los Angeles, USA

1998

Galleria Kari Kenetti, Helsinki, Finland
Arnstedt & Kullgren, Östra Karup, Sweden
Maisema, Pori Art Museum, Pori, Finland
Maisema, Hämeenlinna Art Museum, Hämeenlinna, Finland

1997

Norwegian Landscapes, Galleri c/o Atle Gerhardsen, Oslo, Norway
Galleri Lars Bohman, Stockholm, Sweden

1995

Galleri c/o Atle Gerhardsen, Oslo, Norway
Galleri Lars Bohman, Stockholm, Sweden

1992

Galleri Leger, Malmö, Sweden
Galleri Lars Bohman, Stockholm, Sweden

1991

Galleri Kaj Forsblom, Helsinki, Finland

1990

Galleri Lars Bohman, Stockholm, Sweden

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2014

Lars Bohman Gallery, Stockholm, Sweden

2013

New Arts Centre, Salisbury, UK
Lars Bohman Gallery, Stockholm, Sweden

2012

Moln/ Clouds, Skissernas Museum, Lund, Sweden
Lars Bohman Gallery, Stockholm, Sweden

2011

Dunkers Kulturhus, Helsingborg, Sweden
Galerie Proarta, Zürich, Switzerland
Art Cologne, Cologne, Germany

2006

N.A.C Gallery, Basel Art Fair, Basel, Switzerland

2005

Myth and Landscape, Prins Eugens Waldermarsudde, Stockholm, Sweden

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Ars Fennica, Turku Art Museum, Finland
N.A.C Gallery, Basel Art Fair, Basel, Switzerland
Billgren-Frie-Wolgers, Galerie Proarta, Zürich, Switzerland
Arnstedt & Kullgren, Östra Karup, Sweden
Landskap, Malmö Konstmuseum, Malmö, Sweden

2004

Arnstedt & Kullgren, Östra Karup, Sweden
Ars Fennica, Marble Palace, St Petersburg, Russia

2003

Edward Mitterand Gallery, Geneva, Switzerland (with Torsten Andersson)
Arnstedt & Kullgren, Östra Karup, Sweden
Landschaften, S 65, Cologne, Germany

2002

NAC Gallery Basel Art Fair, Basel, Switzerland

2000-01

Kiss the Sky, Ikon Gallery, Birmingham, UK

1998

Art from Sweden, Pusan Metropolitan Art Museum, Pusan, South Korea
Nordic Painting - Carnegie Art Award, The Royal Academy of Fine Arts, Stockholm, Sweden / Sophienholm, Copenhagen, Denmark / Stenersenmuseet, Oslo, Norway / Helsingin Taidehall, Helsinki, Finland / Listasafn Islands, Reykjavik, Iceland.

1997

Växt-Kasvu, Turku Art Museum / Åbo konstmuseum, Finland

1996

Alone together, Liljevalchs Konsthall, Stockholm, Sweden

1995-96

Salut au Monde, Friesichen Museum, Leeuwarden, Holland, Städtische Galerie im Buntentor, Bremen, Kulturgeschichte Museum, Osnabruck, Germany

1993-94

Arbetsnamn: Sommarnatt, Nordic Art Centre, Helsinki, Finland
Tikanoja Art Museum, Vasa, Finland,
Millesgården, Stockholm, Sweden
Sundsvalls Museum, Sundsvall, Sweden

PUBLIC COMMISSIONS

Skogskapellet, Stockholm, Sweden

COLLECTIONS

Moderna Museet, Stockholm, Sweden
Friesichen Museum, Leeuwarden, Holland
Museum of Contemporary Art, Helsinki, Finland
Kiasma, Museum of Contemporary Art, Helsinki, Finland
Malmö Museum, Malmö, Sweden
Örebro Museum, Örebro, Sweden
The National Public Art Council, Stockholm, Sweden
Beckers samling, Stockholm, Sweden
Henna and Pertti Niemisö Collection of Contemporary Art, Hämeenlinna, Finland
Olle Olsson Huset, Stockholm, Sweden
Haggerty Museum of Art, Milwaukee, USA
Hämeenlinna Art Museum, Hämeenlinna, Finland
EMMA - the Modern Art Museum in Espoo, Finland
Kalmar konstmuseum, Kalmar, Sweden
Chalmers, University of Technology, Gothenburg, Sweden
City Museum, Helsinki, Finland
Caldic Collectie, Rotterdam, The Netherlands
The Head Office of H&M, Stockholm, Sweden

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Eskilstuna konstmuseum, Eskilstuna, Sweden
Unesco World Heritage Skogskyrkogården, Stockholm, Sweden
Landskrona konstmuseum, Sweden
Saltarvet Collection, Fiskebäckskil, Sweden

AWARDS

2008
The Memory of Prins Eugene, Award from The Sundbyholm Art Foundation

2001
Art Interflora Award, Sweden

1998
The Ars Fennica Award, from the Henna and Pertti Niemistö Art Foundation, Finland