

Education

2010 – 2012 Master of Fine Arts / Royal Institute of Art / Stockholm, Sweden

2006 – 2009 Bachelor of Fine Arts: Ceramics & Glass / Konstfack / Stockholm, Sweden

2005 – 2006 Ceramics / Capellagården / Vickleby, Sweden

2002 – 2005 Upper secondary School/ Arts Programme / Vaggaskolan / Karlshamn, Sweden

Exhibitions

2019

Björkholmen gallery / Stockholm / Sweden

Dusty Deco / Stockholm / Sweden

Interaction XXX / Stockholm / Sweden / solo

2018

Årstider / permanent skulptur / Årstadal, Stockholm / Sweden

Mjölneholmen / Solo / Karlskrona, Sweden

Residency - Largo das Artes / Rio de Janeiro / Brazil / Solo show.

Blås & Knåda / Stockholm / Sweden

2017

Örnsbergauktionen / Stockholm, Sweden / Feb

Hangmen Projects med Lotta Antonsson / Stockholm, Sweden / Jan

2016

Kulturcentrum / Ronnebykonsthall / Gate of Ishtar and other Objects / Ronneby, Sweden / Nov / solo show

The Death of Ceramics / Hangmen Projects / Stockholm, Sweden / Aug

Karneval / Gustavsbergs Konsthall / Stockholm, Sweden / Maj

Flax / Nääs Konsthantverk / Solo show / Göteborg, Sweden / April

2015

Project 12 / Hangmen Projects / Stockholm, Sweden

Milan Fashion week / Corso Como 10 / Milan, Italy

Fake Sculpture / Hangmen Projects / Stockholm, Sweden / Solo

Represented by The State Art Council / Stockholm, Sweden

Black Mass / C4-Konstnärer / Regionmuséet Kristianstad / Sweden

Super Market / Stockholm, Sweden

Vackrare än Verkligheten / Commission / Kristianstad, Sweden
PLX Art Auction #2 / Musikaliska / Stockholm

2014

Black Mass / Skankaloss Missionen / Gagnef, Sweden
Eriksberg / Karlshamn, Sweden
Young Designer / Formex / Stockholm, Sweden
PLX Art Auction #1 / Malmö

2013

Brutus / Skankaloss / Gagnef, Sweden
Master of Craft / Galleri GKM / Malmö, Sweden

2012

Represented by The State Art Council / Stockholm, Sweden
Graduation, Spring exhibition / Royal Academy of Art / Stockholm, Sweden

2011

Graduation Exhibition / Galleri Mejan / Stockholm, Sweden
Ett rop från barken / Smedjebacken / Dalarna, Sweden
SAK, Sweden Art Association / Konstnärshuset, Sveriges Konstföreningar / Stockholm, Sweden.

2010

Spring Exhibition / Liljevalchs / Stockholm. Sweden

2009

Tingens Talan / Sundsvalls museum / Sundvall, Sweden
Tingens Talan / Kulturhuset / Stockholm, Sweden
Stills in Repeat / Gustavsbergs konsthall / Stockholm, Sweden
Tingens Talan / Steneby konsthall / Dals Långed, Sweden
Sakernas Tillstånd / Kulturhuset / Stockholm, Sweden
Spring Exhibition / Konstfack / Stockholm, Sweden
Tingens Talan / Edsviks konsthall / Sollentuna, Sweden
Form Design Center / Malmö, Sweden

2008

Milan Design Week / Milan, Italy
Liljevalchs Spring Exhibition / Liljevalchs / Stockholm, Sweden

2006

Summer Exhibition / Capellagården / Vickleby, Sweden

Collections

2019 Björkholmen Gallery

2019 Represented SAK- Sveriges allmänna konstföreningar

2019 Represented Dusty Deco Stockholm

2017 Represented Vitra Design Museum , Germany.

2015 Represented by the State Art Council Hälsouniversitetet, Linköping, skulptur: Club Tropicana

2015 Represented by the State Art Council / sculpture: Cocoon I. Sweden

2015 Represented by the State Art Council / sculpture: Cocoon II. Sweden

2012 Represented by SEB bank art collection / Stockholm, Sweden

2012 SAK-Sveriges allmänna konstförening

2012 Represented by the State Art Council / sculpture: Cake me (kakfat).

Commissions

2017 - 2018 Public art / Årstider / Årsta Berg Stockholm, Sweden

2014 - 2015 Public art / "vackrare än verkligheten" / City hall, Kristianstad, Sweden

Media & Publications

2014 Janson, Mathias / *"En våg av svartkonst – Black Metal i samtidskonsten"* / TidningenKulturen.se / August 16th

2014 Westberg, Örjan / *"Keramik och Maktkritik i Skankaloss Konsthall"* / Dt.se / July 10th

2014 Enckell, Peter / *"Unga konstnärer ställde ut på Eriksberg"* / Commersen / May 6th

2014 Arnqvist Engström, Frida / *"Maximalism med funktion"* / Kurbits.nu / January 25th

2013 Dziurlikowska, Magdalena / *INTERWIU Haidar Mahdi* / Konstperspektiv / Nr 3

- 2013** Lagerwall, Åsa / *"Haidar Mahdi"* / Youngswedishdesign.se / May 2nd
2013 Sandström, Oskar / *"Haidar utforskar brukskeramiken"* / Commersen /
April 10th
2012 Janson, Mathias / *"Black Metal som frusen keramik"* / Konsten.net /
February 25th
2012 Artist talk / *"ART IS FUN (At least it should be)"* / Konsthopp.com /
2009 "New kid on the Block" / Rum magazine / July

Scholarships, Grants & Awards

- 2019** Stockholmstad Kulturstipendium för konsthantverk 40.000kr
2019 Ateljéstöd, Stockholmstad. 16.000kr
2018 Konstnärsnämnden, Projektbidrag Interction 300.000 SEK
2017 Iaspis 80 0000 Recidency Rio de Janeiro
2016 Johny Martinsson fond / 2500SEK
2015 Region Blekinge Kulture grant / 15000 SEK
2014 One-year working grant / the Visual Arts Fund / Stockholm, Sweden /
100.000 SEK
2006 Youngest student Grant / Konstfack / Stockholm, Sweden / 2000 SEK