

## TR Ericsson

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### **SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS**

- 2017 Cinders, [November 30 – January 13, 2018] Albertz Benda, New York, NY  
*I Was Born To Bring You Into This World*, [September 16 – December 31] Everson Museum of Art, Syracuse, NY  
*Jeanne*, [May 12 – August 6], The Print Center, Philadelphia, PA
- 2015 *All My Love Always No Matter What*, [September 11 – October 18], Harlan Levey Projects, Brussels, Belgium  
*TR Ericsson: Crackle & Drag*, [May 23 – August 23], Cleveland Museum of Art, Cleveland, Ohio  
*Lucifer's Kiss: Photographs by TR Ericsson*, [January 7 – February 13], Institute of Fine Arts, New York, NY
- 2014 *Crackle & Drag: Film Index*, [January 24 – April 5], BCA, Burlington City Arts, Burlington, VT
- 2013 *Photographs, Paintings and Objects for a Film*, [October 26 – December 20], SHAHEEN modern and contemporary art, Cleveland, OH
- 2011 *SHOT 44*, [April 9 – May 15], Kunsthalle Marcel Duchamp, Cully, Switzerland  
*Étant donnés 2°*, [January 12 – February 25 ], Francis M. Naumann Fine Art, New York, NY
- 2010 *Étant Donnes*, [September 17 – November 12], SHAHEEN modern and contemporary art, Cleveland, OH
- 2008 *Nicotine Dream*, [September 9 – October 15], Paul Kasmin Gallery, New York, NY  
*Narcissus*, [November 15 – December 20], SHAHEEN modern and contemporary art, Cleveland, OH  
*Thanksgiving*, [November 7 – December 20], The Sculpture Center, Cleveland, OH
- 2007 *As if life isn't hard enough they have to tear out your flowers*, [October 11 - November 3], Heidi Cho Gallery, New York, NY
- 2005 *The Year of the Motorcycle*, [July 20 – October 6], Progressive Art Collection, Cleveland, OH  
*I'm still waiting for you...*, [August 18 – September 21], Arts Collinwood, Collinwood, OH
- 2003 *Angste*, [May 24 – July 25], Cleveland Public Art, Cleveland, OH

### **SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS**

- 2017 Untitled, Miami Beach, [December 6 – 10], Harlan Levey Projects, Miami, FL  
Detroit Art Book Fair, [October 14 – 15], Overnight Projects, Detroit, MI  
EXPO CHICAGO: EXPOSURE, [September 14 – 17], Harlan Levey Projects, Chicago, IL  
*We Invite*, Antwerp Art Weekend, [May 19 - 21], Harlan Levey Projects, Antwerp, Belgium  
Philadelphia Art Book Fair, [May 5-6], presented by Philadelphia Photo Arts Center & The Print Center, Philadelphia, PA  
Dallas Art Fair, [April 6 – 9], Harlan Levey Projects, Dallas, TX  
*Family*, [February 25 – August 20], Akron Art Museum, Akron, OH
- 2016 *Residual Historical Haunting*, [September 7 – October 9], Johannes Vogt Gallery, New York, NY  
Paris Photo-Aperture Foundation PhotoBook Awards 2015 Exhibition, [August 19 – 27], Landskrona Foto Festival, Landskrona, Sweden  
*Imprints*, [June 2 – 30], Harlan Levey Projects, Brussels, Belgium  
Paris Photo-Aperture Foundation PhotoBook Awards 2015 Exhibition, [June 17 – 19], LOOK 3 Festival of the Photograph, Focus on Photobooks, JAAHC, Charlottesville, Virginia  
Paris Photo-Aperture Foundation PhotoBook Awards 2015 Exhibition, [June 9 – 19], 15th International Festival of Photography in Łódź, Fotofestival 2016, Poland

- Paris Photo-Aperture Foundation PhotoBook Awards 2015 Exhibition, [May 12 – June 3],  
Self-Publish Riga Photomonth, Latvia  
Paris Photo-Aperture Foundation PhotoBook Awards 2015 Exhibition, [May 1 – 31], Scotiabank  
CONTACT Photography Festival, Toronto  
Art Brussels, [April 21 – 24], Harlan Levey Projects, Brussels, Belgium  
Dallas Art Fair, [April 14 – 17], Harlan Levey Projects, Dallas, TX  
Philadelphia Art Book Fair, [April 1-2], presented by Philadelphia Photo Arts Center & The  
Print Center, Philadelphia, PA  
Paris Photo-Aperture Foundation PhotoBook Awards 2015 Exhibition, [January 16 – February 14],  
Huis Marseille, Amsterdam  
Paris Photo-Aperture Foundation PhotoBook Awards 2015 Exhibition, [December 12 – February 8],  
Aperture Foundation, New York, NY  
*New Acquisitions* [December 11 – February 27], Ikon Ltd. Contemporary Art, Santa Monica, CA
- 2015 Paris Photo-Aperture Foundation PhotoBook Awards 2015 Exhibition, [November 12 – 15],  
Paris Photo, Grand Palais, Paris, France  
Paris Photo, [November 12 – 15], Robert Koch Gallery, Paris, France  
EXPO CHICAGO, [September 17 – 20], Robert Koch Gallery, Chicago, IL  
MIMEO REVOLUTION Artist Book + Zine Fair, [August 27 – 29], MOCA Cleveland, Cleveland, OH  
Past & Present, [June 4 – July 17], Francis M. Naumann Fine Art, New York, NY  
NOADA Art Exposition, [May 7 – 10], SHAHEEN modern and contemporary art, Cleveland, OH  
Art Brussels, [April 21 – 24], Harlan Levey Projects, Brussels, Belgium  
Dallas Art Fair, [April 14 – 17], Harlan Levey Projects, Dallas, TX  
*Words Matter*, [February 19 – May 30], Robert Koch Gallery, San Francisco, CA  
*Every day I'm...*, [January 17 – February 22], Harlan Levey Projects, Brussels, Belgium  
LA Art Book Fair, [January 31-February 2], The Geffen Contemporary at MOCA, Los Angeles
- 2014 Paris Photo, [November 13 – 16], Robert Koch Gallery, Paris, France  
The NY Art Book Fair, [September 26 - 28], Secret Behavior, MoMA PS1, Long Island City,  
Queens, NY  
EXPO CHICAGO, [September 18 – 21], Robert Koch Gallery, Chicago, IL  
*Quotom*, Swiss Culture Magazine, Instagram, [May 12 – 25]  
*The Big Show*, [April 11], Zygote Press, Cleveland, OH  
*Dirge: Reflections on [Life and] Death*, [March 7 – June 8], MOCA Cleveland, Cleveland, OH  
NOADA Art Exposition, [March 14 – 16], SHAHEEN modern and contemporary art, Cleveland, OH
- 2013 *A Different Kind of Order*, The ICP Triennial, Artist Book Installation, [May 17 – September 22],  
International Center of Photography, New York, NY  
*Where I'm Calling From*, curated by Todd Hido, [May 24 – August 24], Transformer Station,  
Cleveland, OH  
NOADA Art Exposition, [May 10 – 12], SHAHEEN modern and contemporary art, Cleveland, OH  
The Armory Show, [March 7 – 10], Francis M. Naumann Fine Art, New York, NY  
*A Family Affair: Selections from the Progressive Art Collection*, [February 23 – May 19],  
Colorado Springs Fine Arts Center Museum, Colorado Springs, CO  
*Light of Day*, [February 1 - May 4], Transformer Station, Cleveland Museum of Art, Cleveland, OH  
*Marcel Duchamp's Nude Descending a Staircase: An Homage*, [February 15 – March 29],  
Francis M. Naumann Fine Art, New York, NY  
*Graphite*, [December 7 – April 7, 2013], Indianapolis Museum of Art, Indianapolis, IN
- 2012 *DIY: Photographers & Books*, [August 11 – December 30], Cleveland Museum of Art, Cleveland, OH  
Art Miami, [December 6 – 9], SHAHEEN modern and contemporary art, Miami, FL  
NOADA Art Exposition, [April 20 – 22], SHAHEEN modern and contemporary art, Cleveland, OH  
*Earth: Language and Symbols* [January 20 – March 5], Cara and Cabezas Contemporary,  
Kansas City, MO
- 2011 *Nicotine*, [September 24 – November 4], SHAHEEN Modern and Contemporary Art, Cleveland, OH  
*Practice to Deceive: Smoke and Mirrors in Fashion, Fine art and Film*, [April 15 – July 16],  
Shop Show studio, London, UK  
New Work, [June], Francis Naumann Fine Art, New York, NY  
ABC Artists' Books Cooperative, [June 3 – June 30], Printed Matter, New York, NY  
*Piece of Mind*, [May 5 – 28], Elga Wimmer PCC, New York, NY  
Dallas Art Fair [April 8 – 10], Shaheen modern and contemporary art, Dallas, TX  
*Facsimile* [November 30 – September 30], Girl's Club, Ft. Lauderdale, FL

- 2010 Art Basel Miami [December 2 – 5], Francis M. Naumann Fine Art, Miami, FI  
 The NY Art Book Fair [November 5 – 7], Iconoclast Editions, MoMA PS1, Long Island City, Queens, NY  
*TRANSPARENT TRANSLUCENT*, [Aug. 27 – Sept. 17], Flash Space, Lawrence, KS  
*Detour* [May 14 – July 16], SPACES, Cleveland, OH  
*Printed Matter Distribution Program*, Printed Matter, Inc., New York, NY  
*Recent Acquisitions* [April 10 – June 12], Ikon Ltd. Fine Art, Santa Monica, CA  
*Eyelevel Resheving Initiative Four*, [February 26- April 3], EyeLevel Gallery, Halifax, Nova Scotia
- 2009 *My Gay Uncle* [Dec. 11 - Jan. 16], Kate Werble Gallery, New York, NY  
*On Paper* [Nov. 3-Dec. 18], SHAHEEN Modern and Contemporary Art, Cleveland, OH  
 The NY Art Book Fair [October 2- 4], Iconoclast Editions, MoMA P.S.1, Long Island City, Queens, NY  
 balm White Show [Oct. 23rd, 2009 to January 18th, 2010], Signs of Life Gallery, Lawrence, KA  
*On Paper* [May 1 – June 24], William Shearburn Gallery, Santa Fe, NM
- 2008 The NY Art Book Fair [October 24 - 26], Iconoclast Editions, Phillips De Pury & Company, New York, NY  
 Frieze Art Fair, Regents Park, [October 15 – 18], Paul Kasmin Gallery, London, UK  
*Contemporary Journals: More than meets the eye*: [May], Ingalls Library and Archives, The Cleveland Museum of Art, Cleveland, OH  
*A Photographic Perspective*, [February 21 – March 22], Heidi Cho Gallery, New York, NY
- 2007 Aqua Art Miami, Aqua Hotel, [December 5 – 9], Ashley Gallery/Heidi Cho Gallery, Miami, FL  
*Andy Warhol: Factory Now*, [September 7 –October 6], Kasia Key Art Projects, Chicago, IL  
 MACO, México Arte Contemporáneo Art Fair, [April 25 – 29], Ashley Gallery, DF, Mexico  
 Red Dot Art Fair, [February 23 – 26], Ashley Gallery, New York, NY
- 2006 Featured artist at Scope Miami, [December 6 – December 10], Ashley Gallery, Miami, FL  
 7<sup>th</sup> International Toronto International Art Fair, [November 9 –13], Art Toronto, Ashley Gallery, Toronto, Canada
- 2004 Pedestrian, Nowhere to go and no money to get there, [March 13 – April 24], Bronx River Art Center, Bronx, NY

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### **ARTIST'S BOOKS/PUBLICATIONS**

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### **FILM FESTIVALS/FILM SCREENINGS**

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Experimental Films Inspire TR Ericsson (film screening), Chris Marker [La Jetee], Hollis Frampton [Nostalgia], Bruce Baillie [Mass for the Dakota Sioux], organized by Eric Ford,  
Vermont International Film Foundation, BCA Burlington City Arts, Burlington, VT, February 28, 2014  
The Year of the Motorcycle, The Cleveland International Film Festival, Cleveland, OH, 2006  
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### **AWARDS**

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Lloyd Sherwood Grant, New York, NY, 1994-95  
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### **PUBLIC COLLECTIONS**

Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, NY  
The Cleveland Museum of Art, Cleveland, OH  
Indianapolis Museum of Art, Indianapolis, IN  
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Agnes Gund Collection, New York, NY  
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