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| 1945       | Born the 4th of June in Copenhagen, Denmark                                     |
| 1963-1966  | Apprenticeship at the Royal Copenhagen Porcelain Manufactory                    |
| 1966-1968  | Post formation at Kähler's Ceramic Studio                                       |
| 1974-1978  | Independent studio in southern France and collaboration with Nils Decotes-Genon |
| 1978 -1980 | Project leader of a pilot project in Ugweno, Tanzania                           |
| Since 1980 | Independent studio in Areuse, Switzerland                                       |
| 1984       | Member of the Swiss Ceramist Association  |

### **Exhibitions**

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| 2022 | 12 <sup>th</sup> International ceramic Festival in Mino (Japan)  |
| 2020 | International Coffee Cup. Taipei County. Yingge Ceramics Museum (Taiwan)<br>MERIT MENTION  |
| 2018 | Intervenant with Suzanne Balkert at Academy of Arts, Hangzhou (China)  |
| 2017 | Personal exhibition at Galerie Jonas, Cortaillod (CH)  |
| 2016 | Biennale Internationale of Ceramics, Saint-Cergue (CH)   |
| 2015 | Westerwald Keramik Museum, Höhr-Grenzhausen (Deutschland)<br>Schloss Gotthof Schlesvig Holstein (Deutschland)<br>Personal exhibition at Galerie Yv'art, Yverdon-les-Bains (CH) |

- 2014 Collective exhibition Galerie Singidunum Belgrade (Serbia)  
Collective exhibition Mino festival, Mino (Japan)
- 2013 Personal exhibition at Galerie J.J. Hofstetter, Fribourg (CH)
- 2012 11th International biennale of miniature art Cultural Center Gornji Milanovac (Serbia)  
Collective exhibition at Ceramica Multiplex, Varazdin (Croatia)
- 2011 Collective exhibition at Galerie Visinand, Montreux (CH)  
Collective exhibition at Galerie Hofer und Hofer, Cudrefin (CH)  
Personal exhibition at Galerie Virchaux in connection with the "Parcours céramique carougeois", Carouge (CH)  
Personal exhibition at Galerie Artcadache, Vallorbe (CH)  
Personal exhibition at Galerie Nelly L'Eplattenier, Lausanne (CH)
- 2010 FIRST PRICE 10th International biennale of miniature art at Cultural Center Gornji  
Collective exhibition, Mixed Media. Westerwald Keramik Museum. Höhr-  
Grenzhausen (Deutschland)  
Exposition together with Suzy Balkert at Galerie Jonas, Cortaillod (CH)
- 2008 Collective exhibition at Galerie des Amis des Arts, Neuchâtel (CH)  
Personal exhibition at Galerie Jonas, Cortaillod (CH)  
Personal exhibition at Galerie J.J. Hofstetter, Fribourg (CH)  
International exhibition Ceramics Biennale Taipei County Yingge Ceramics Museum  
(Taiwan)  
Collective exhibition at Espace Céramique Contemporaine à Jouxens Mezery (CH).
- 2007 Personal exhibition at Galerie Yv'art, Yverdon-les-Bains (CH)  
Collective exhibition in Carouge, Geneva (CH)
- 2006 Collective exhibition at Espace Céramique Contemporaine, Lausanne (CH)  
Biennale of Design, Luzern (CH)
- 2005 Personal exhibition at Galerie Des Amis des Arts, Neuchatel (CH)
- 2004 Member of the jury Collective exhibition "The Zepter Art Cup" in Prague (Czech  
Republic)  
Personal exhibition at Galerie Yv'art, Yverdon-les-Bains (CH)  
Personal exhibition at Galerie Jonas, Cortaillod (CH)
- 2003 Scholarship in the "Cité Internationale des Arts" in Paris (France)  
President of the jury Collective exhibition "The Cup" in Belgrade (Serbia)
- 2001 Personal exhibition at Galerie Eclat de Lieu, Montreux (CH)  
Collective exhibition in Saint-Cergue (CH)  
Personal exhibition at Galerie Jonas, Cortaillod (CH)  
Collective exhibition on the theme "Thousand Lights" at the City Hall of Yverdon-les-  
Bains (CH)
- 2000 Personal exhibition at Galerie Yv'art, Yverdon-les-Bains (CH)  
Collective exhibition on the theme "Bowl for the Millennium" at the City Hall of  
Yverdon-les-Bains (CH)
- 1999 Collective exhibition on the theme "Jars and Jugs", at the City Hall of Yverdon-les-  
Bains (CH)
- 1993 Collective exhibition at Musée de Carouge (CH)

- 1985            Collective exhibition in Lugano (CH)  
                  Collective exhibition in Spiez (CH)
- 1984            Collective exhibition in Spiez (CH)

**Public Collections**

ARIANA, Museum of Ceramics, Geneva (CH)

Department of school instruction, Neuchatel (CH)

Taipei County. Yingge Ceramics Museum (Taiwan)

Westerwald Keramik Museum, Höhr-Grenzhausen (Deutschland)

Cultural Center, Gornji Milanovac (Serbia)