# Curriculum Vitae

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### **Education**

2010-2014	Ph.D. degree in Art History and Visual Studies, Lund University
2005-2010	M.A. degree in Art History and Visual Studies / B.Sc. degree in Sociology, Lund University
2004-2005	Studies at the Faculty of Science of Education, University of Granada
2003-2004	Studies at N. Zahles College of Education, Copenhagen

## **Employment and other experience**

2019-present	Founder and coordinator of the <i>Urban Creativity Lund</i> research network
2019-present	Member of the Scientific Committee for <i>Nuart Journal</i>
2018-present	Associate Professor (Reader) of Art History and Visual Studies at the Department of Arts and Cultural Sciences, Lund University
2014-present	Assistant supervisor for 3 PhD candidates
2014-present	Member of the Scientific Committee for Street Art & Urban Creativity Scientific Journal
2018-2019	Coordinator of the <i>Urban Creativity</i> research group at the Pufendorf Institute for Advanced Studies, Lund University
2014-2018	Senior Lecturer at the Department of Arts and Cultural Sciences, Lund University
2017	Guest lecturer (via Erasmus+) at Katholische Privat-Universität Linz, Austria
2015-2016	Member of the <i>Degrowth</i> research group at the Pufendorf Institute for Advanced Studies, Lund University
2014	External lecturer at the Graduate School at the Faculty of Social Sciences, Lund University
2012-2014	Member of the Higher Education Teacher Training reference group for the Board of Education at the Faculties of Humanities and Theology, Lund University

## **Selected publications**

2020	Bengtsen, P., "The monetization of the street art world and the fossilization of urban public space" in <i>Visual Inquiry</i> , 9:1&2. Intellect. ISSN: 2045-5879.
2020	Bengtsen, P., <i>Tracing KEGR scavenger hunt documentary</i> . Video (9:15 minutes) published on YouTube.
2019	Bengtsen, P., "Exploring tags through videography" in <i>Lo Squaderno</i> , 54. ISSN: 1973-9141.
2019	Bengtsen, P., "Decontextualisation of Street Art" in Bonadio, E. (ed.), <i>The Cambridge Handbook of Copyright in Street Art and Graffiti</i> . Cambridge University Press. ISBN: 978-11-0848-2332.
2019	Review of Caitlin Frances Bruce, <i>Painting Publics. Transnational Legal Graffiti Scenes as Spaces for Encounter</i> (2019) in <i>Visual Communication Quarterly</i> , 26:3. Taylor & Francis. ISSN: 1555-1393.
2019	Bengtsen, P., <i>Tracing KEGR</i> . Video (26:14 minutes) published on YouTube.
2018	Bengtsen, P., "Ensuring continuity in teaching at a university based on impermanent employment" in Maurits, A. and Mårtensson, K. (eds.), <i>Pedagogiska dilemman</i> . Lund University. ISBN: 978-91-88473-15-8.
2018	Bengtsen, P., "Street art and the nature of the city" in Hoppe, I. & Blanché, U. (eds.), Urban Art: Creating the Urban with Art. ISBN: 978-989-97712-8-4.
2018	Bengtsen, P., <i>Street Art and the Environment</i> . Almendros de Granada Press. ISBN: 978-91-639-6019-2.
2018	Alftberg. Å. & Bengtsen. P., "The Sci-Fi Brain: Narratives in Neuroscience and Popular Culture" in <i>Culture Unbound: Journal of Current Cultural Research</i> , 10:1. Linköping University Electronic Press. ISSN: 2000-1525.
2018	Bengtsen, P., Liljefors, M. & Petersén, M. (eds.), <i>Bild och Natur. Tio konstvetenskapliga betraktelser</i> . Lund Studies in Arts and Cultural Sciences. ISBN: 978-91-983690-4-5.
2017	Bengtsen, P., "Fashion Curates Art: Takashi Murakami for Louis Vuitton" in Vänskä, A. & Clark, H. (eds.), <i>Fashion Curating: Critical Practice in the Museum and Beyond</i> . Bloomsbury Academic. ISBN: 978-1-4742-8709-8.
2017	Bengtsen, P. (2017), "The myth of the 'street artist': a brief note on terminology" in <i>Street Art &amp; Urban Creativity Scientific Journal</i> , 3:1. ISSN: 2183-3869.
2017	Bengtsen, P. & Suneson, E., "Pathological creativity: How popular media connect neurological disease and creative practices" in Hansson, K. & Idvall, M. (eds.), <i>Interpreting the brain in society. Cultural reflections on neuroscientific practices.</i> Arkiv Academic Press. ISBN: 978-91-7924-293-0.
2017	Ross, J. I., Bengtsen, P., Lennon, J., et al., "In search of academic legitimacy: the current state of scholarship on graffiti and street art" in <i>The Social Science Journal</i> , 54:4. ISSN: 0362-3319.

2016	Bengtsen, P., "Hijacking Banksy: using a contemporary art mystery to increase academic readership" in <i>Street Art &amp; Urban Creativity Scientific Journal</i> , 2:1. ISSN: 2183-3869.
2016	Bengtsen, P., "Stealing from the public: the value of street art taken from the street" in Ross, J. I. (ed.), <i>Routledge Handbook of Graffiti and Street Art</i> . Routledge. ISBN: 978-1-13-879293-7.
2015	Bengtsen, P., "Until the end of the world? Biocentrism and traces of human presence in the paintings of Josh Keyes" in <i>Journal of Ecocriticism</i> , 7:1. ISSN: 1916-1549 (online).
2015	Bengtsen, P., "Carelessness or curatorial chutzpah? On controversies surrounding street art in the museum" in <i>Konsthistorisk tidskrift/Journal of Art History</i> , 84:4. Routledge. ISSN: 1651-2294 (online) and 0023-3609 (print).
2014	Bengtsen, P. & Arvidsson, M., "Spatial justice and street art" in <i>Nordic Journal of Law and Social Research</i> , 5. ISSN: 2305-7238 (online) and ISBN: 978-87-89221-11-3 (print).
2014	Bengtsen, P., <i>The Street Art World</i> . Almendros de Granada Press. ISBN: 978-91-7473-868-1.
2014	Bengtsen, P., Goysdotter, M. & Hedlund, A., "Interdisciplinarity, group responsibility and conflict as resources for learning" in Maurits, A. and Mårtensson, K. (eds.), Högskolepedagogisk reflektion och praktik. Lund University. ISBN: 978-91-87833-00-7.
2013	Bengtsen, P., "Just gardens? On the struggle for space and spatial justice" in <i>Australian Feminist Law Journal</i> , 39:1. Routledge. ISSN: 1320-0968.
2013	Bengtsen. P., "Beyond the public art machine: a critical examination of street art as public art" in <i>Konsthistorisk tidskrift/Journal of Art History</i> , 82:2. Routledge. ISSN: 1651-2294 (online) and 0023-3609 (print).
2013	Bengtsen, P., "Site Specificity and Street Art" in Elkins, J., et al. (eds.), <i>Theorizing Visual Studies: Writing Through the Discipline</i> . Routledge. ISBN: 978-0415877947.

## Selected conference papers, keynotes, roundtables, sessions, and streams

2020	Lisbon Street Art & Urban Creativity International Conference Paper: "Follow me! Experimental methods for engaging with the world of graffiti writing"
2020	Conference on Public Art in the Nordic Countries (Södertörn Högskola, Stockholm) Roundtable: "Public art and the public"
2019	Lund University's Teaching and Learning Conference 2019 Roundtable: "Research seminars as engaging learning environments – the case of the Urban Creativity Seminar"
2019	Lisbon Street Art & Urban Creativity International Conference Paper: "Video as a method for exploring graffiti tagging, analysing empirical material and communicating results to the public"
2019	Rebel Streets: Urban Space, Art, and Social Movements Keynote: "Living with Street Art"

Lisbon Street Art & Urban Creativity International Conference 2018 Keynote: "On environmental street art" 2018 Street Art Europe Cross-disciplinary Seminar Paper: "Is street art site-specific?" 2017 Lisbon Street Art & Urban Creativity International Conference Keynote: "Sanctioned 'street art' and the fossilisation of urban public space" 2016 The American Society of Criminology conference (The Many Colors of Crime & Justice) Roundtable: "Graffiti and Street Art" 2016 Pedagogical Development Conference at Lund University Roundtable: "Ensuring continuity in teaching at a university based on temporary employment" 2016 Urban Art: Creating the urban with art (Humboldt University, Berlin) Paper: "Agent of change: street art and environmental thinking" 2016 Lisbon Street Art & Urban Creativity International Conference Opening keynote: "Hijacking Banksy: a discussion about ethical research practice within the street art world" 2016 Association of Art Historians 2016 Annual Conference Paper: "Street art and visual ecocriticism" 2015 Street art workshop at New York University Abu Dhabi Keynote: "Street art and museums" 2015 Lisbon Street Art & Urban Creativity International Seminar Keynote: "Thoughts on the preservation of street art murals" 2015 NORDIK 2015 (Mapping Uncharted Territories) Paper: "Takashi Murakami and Louis Vuitton: on the integration of art and fashion" 2014 Lisbon Street Art & Urban Creativity International Conference Paper: "Stealing from the public: on the removal of street art from the street" London Conference in Critical Thought 2014 2014 Paper: "Flooding culture: street art and graffiti as means of opposition" 2014 Association of Art Historians Student Summer Symposium (Art and ephemerality) Paper: "The value of street art: on the commodity status of artworks removed from the street" 2013 Pedagogical Development Conference at Lund University Roundtable: "Including everyone and boring no one: on the advantages and challenges of teaching interdisciplinary courses" 2013 Critical Legal Conference 2013 (Reconciliation and Reconstruction) Stream organiser (18 papers presented in 5 sessions): "Artistic and cultural praxes in the transitional and contested territory of urban public space"

2013	International Visual Sociology Association conference 2013 (The Public Image) Paper: "Bridging the islands of consciousness: on street art's potential to affect our perception of public space"
2012	Pedagogical Inspiration Conference for teachers at the Faculties of Humanities and Theology, Lund University Paper: "Interdisciplinarity, group responsibility and conflict as resources for learning"
2012	NORDIK 2012 Paper: "Carelessness or Curatorial Chutzpah? Controversies Surrounding Street Art in the Museum"
2012	Critical Legal Conference 2012 (Gardens of Justice) Paper: "Just Gardens? On Parks as Spaces of Law and Morality"

Paper: "Images of Risk Taking: On Graffiti as Process and Gesture"

## Selected bursaries, grants, scholarships and other recognitions

2011

Nomadikon 2011 (Image=Gesture)

2020	Selected for LMK-stiftelsens Idéforum 2020
2020	Travel grant from Uno Otterstedt's Foundation for Support of Scientific Education and Research
2018	Research grant from Åke Wibergs Stiftelse
2018	Recipient of stipend from Övralidsstipendierna
2018	Travel grant from Uno Otterstedt's Foundation for Support of Scientific Education and Research
2018	Coordinator of successful research application to the Pufendorf Institute, Lund University
2017	Travel grant from The Elisabeth Rausing Memorial Foundation
2017	Publication grant from The Gyllenstierna Krapperup's Foundation
2017	Publication grant from Stiftelsen Längmanska kulturfonden
2017	Two travel grants from Stiftelsen Roy och Maj Franzéns fond
2016	Travel grant from The Elisabeth Rausing Memorial Foundation
2016	Travel grant from Vetenskapssocieteten i Lund
2016	Two travel grants from Uno Otterstedt's Foundation for Support of Scientific Education and Research
2015	Publication grant from Margit Stiernswärd's Foundation for Environmental Research
2015	Two grants from The Elisabeth Rausing Memorial Foundation

2015	Travel grant from Uno Otterstedt's Foundation for Support of Scientific Education and Research
2015	Grant from Stiftelsen Malmö stads jubileumsfond
2015	Research grant from The Gyllenstierna Krapperup's Foundation
2015	Part of successful research application to The Crafoord Foundation
2015	Part of successful research application to the Pufendorf Institute, Lund University
2014	Travel grant from The Knut and Alice Wallenberg Foundation
2014	Travel grant from Hilma Borelius stipendiefond
2013	Publication grant from The Gyllenstierna Krapperup's Foundation
2012	Publication grant from Astrid Holmberg's foundation
2012	Travel grant from Uno Otterstedt's Foundation for Support of Scientific Education and Research
2012	Grant for mobility and internationalisation from the Faculties of Humanities and Theology, Lund University