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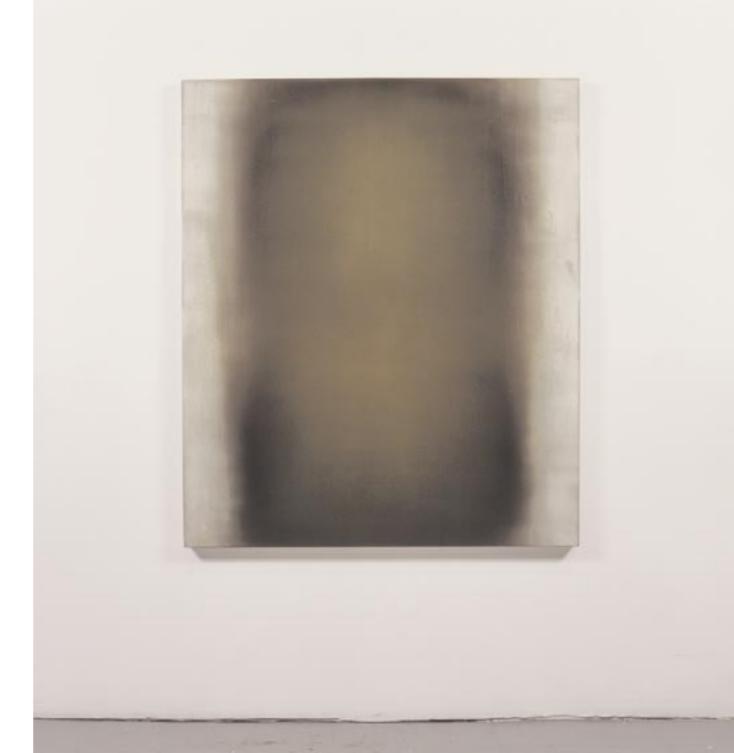
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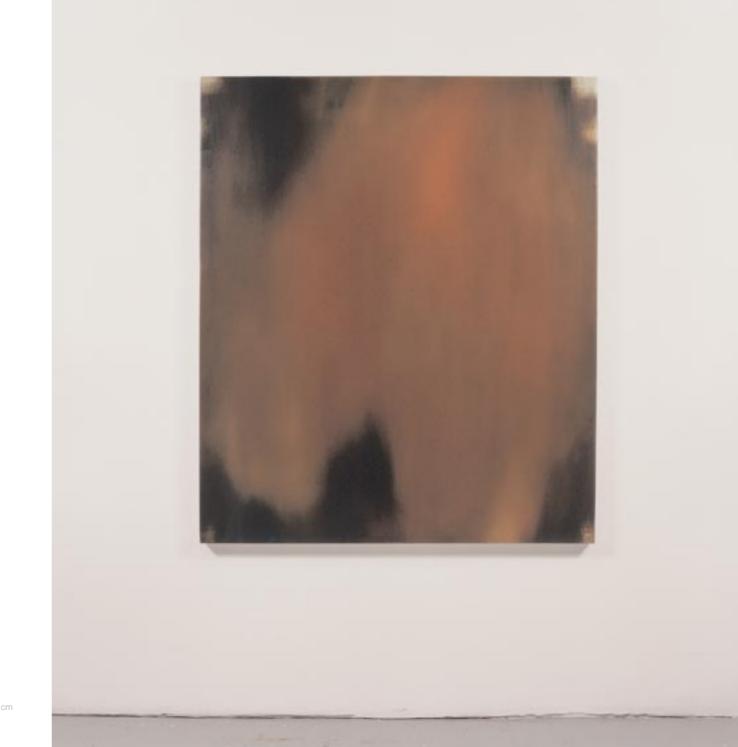
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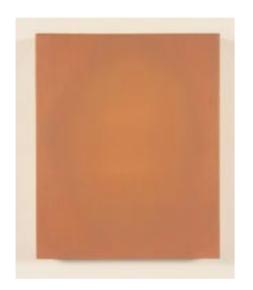
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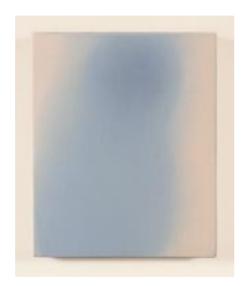








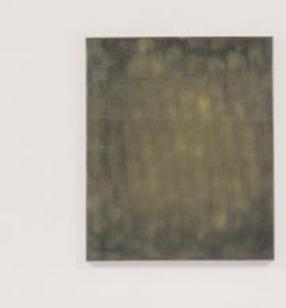




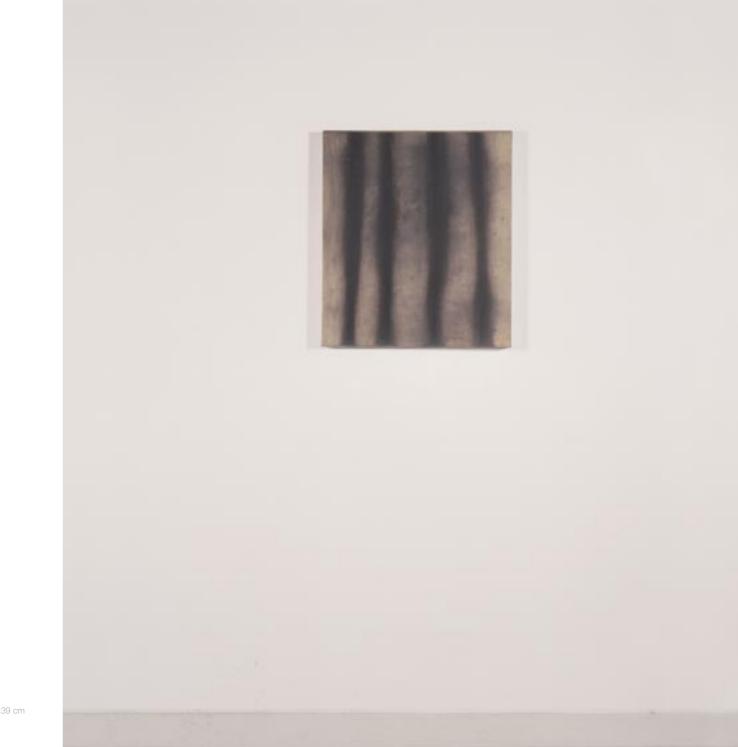


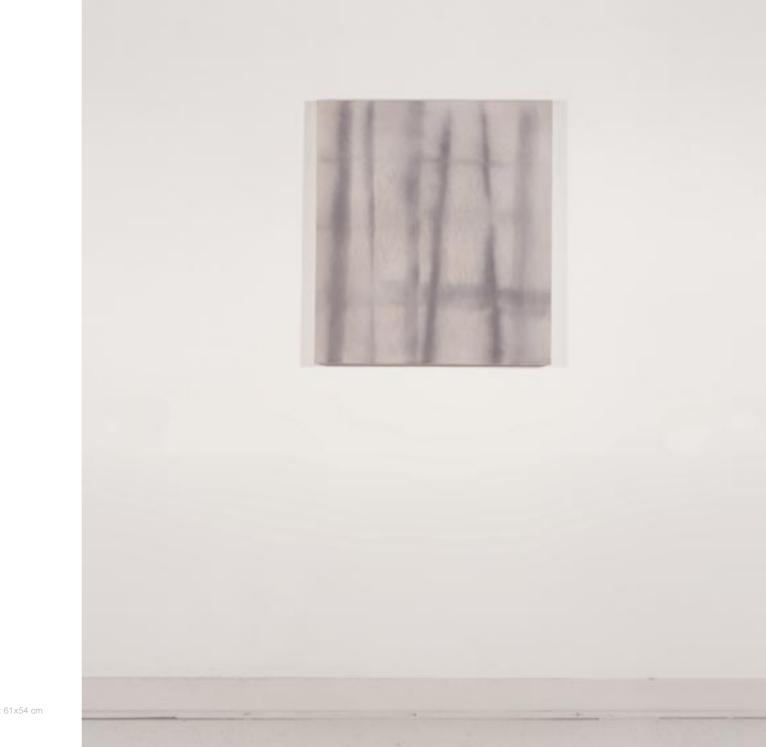


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#### Biografie

Né à Stockholm, Suède 1960, vit et travaille à Stockholm. A étudié à Konstskolan Idun Lovén, (1983-85) /Acadèmie libre de peinture et à Kungliga Konsthögskolan Stockholm, (1987-92) /École Nationale Supérieure des Beaux-Arts de Stockholm.

#### Expositions personnelles

1990	Ljusdals Museum, Ljusdal, Suède
1330	Ljusuais Museum, Ljusuai, Sueue
1992	Galleri Mejan, Stockholm, Suède
1993	Galleri Adlercreutz Björkholmen, Stockholm, Suède
1995	Forumgalleriet , Malmö, Suède
1996	Galleri Magnus Karlsson, Västerås, Suède
1999	OFF OFF BROADWAY, Finnboda varv, Stockholm, Suède
2001	Konstforum, Norrköping, Suède
2002	Gallerie Birthe Laursen, Paris

#### Expositions collectives

1992	Galleri Doktor Glas, Stockholm, Suède
1992	Högberga gård ,Lidingö, Suède
1993	Galleri Adlercreutz Björkholmen, Stockholm, Suède
1995	Comp i Box , c/o Cristian Rieloff, Stockholm, Suède
1996	Nya Stockholm 1996 (Brunkebergstorg) , Stockholm, Suède
1999	Konstakuten, Stockholm, Suède
2001	Gallerie Birthe Laursen, Paris
2002	Gallerie Birthe Laursen, Paris
	Multiplar, SAK, Suède

#### Foires internationales

2000	Stockholm Art Fair, Konstakuten, Suède	
2002	Stockholm Art Fair, ALP galleri Peter Bergman, Suèd	le

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