

## **Jaap Bongers**

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### **Born:**

1954 Stein, The Netherlands

### **EDUCATION**

1984 Study trip to Zaire for more research

1981 Grant from Dutch Government for study trip to study traditional tribal art in Zaire, Africa

1979-80 Marble Techniques, Pietrasanta, Italy

1977-79 Jan Van Eyck Academie of Fine Arts, Maastricht Holland (MFA)

1976-77 Accademia Di Brera, Milano, Italy

1971-76 Stadsacademie of Fine Arts, Maastricht, Holland (BA)

### **SOLO EXHIBITIONS**

2004 San Jose Institute of Cont. Art, Survey (catalogue)

2002 Object Art Gallery, San Jose

1998 Olive Hyde Gallery, Fremont

1997 D.P. Fong Galleries, San Jose

1996 Academy of Art College Gallery, San Francisco (2 person)

1995 Fairfield Center Gallery, Fairfield

C.I.T.Y. 2000 Gallery, Reno, Nevada

1994 Institute of Contemporary Art, San Jose

Carnegie Center, Turlock (two person)

1991 Triton Museum, Santa Clara

1989 Katia Lacoste Gallery, San Jose

1988 Union Gallery, San Jose State University

Dorothy Weiss Gallery, San Francisco, (2 person)

1987 Gallery Wanda Reiff, Maastricht, Holland

1985 Gallery Wanda Reiff, Maastricht, Holland

1982 Studio Exposition Bonnefontenmuseum, Maastricht

Norrkopings Konstmuseum, Sweden

Kunstmuseum, Herning, Denmark

1981 Charlottenborg, Copenhagen, Denmark

1980 Gammelgard, Herlev, Denmark

Stadshal, Geleen, Holland

### **GROUP EXHIBITIONS:**

2004 Object Art Gallery, San Jose, CA

2003 San Jose Institute of Contemporary Art ,CA  
 2002 Object art Gallery, San Jose, CA  
 2001 Andrea Schwartz Gallery, San Francisco, CA  
 2000 D. P. Fong Galleries, San Jose, CA  
 Object Art Gallery, San Jose, CA  
 Monique Goldstrom Gallery, New York, NY (2x)  
 San Jose Museum of Art, CA  
 1999 San Jose Institute of Contemporary Art, San Jose, CA  
 The Art Foundry Gallery, Sacramento, CA  
 1998 Heritage Bank, San Jose, CA  
 Goldstrom Gallery, New York, NY  
 San Jose Museum of Art, CA  
 1997 Monterey Peninsula College, Art Gallery, CA  
 1996 Heritage Bank, San Jose, CA  
 1995 San Jose Museum of Art CA (Recent Acquisitions)  
 1994 D.P. Fong Gallery, San Jose, CA  
 1994 Triton Museum of Art, Santa Clara, CA  
 Academy of Art College, Gallery, San Francisco, CA  
 Institute of Contemporary Art, San Jose, CA  
 Vacaville Museum, Vacaville, CA  
 Anchorage Museum of Art, Anchorage, AK  
 Art Commission Gallery, San Francisco, CA  
 D.P. Fong Gallery, San Jose, CA  
 1993 Holmes Fine Arts Gallery, San Jose, CA  
 Young Gallery, Los Gatos, CA  
 1992 Katia Lacoste Gallery, San Jose, CA  
 San Jose Museum of Art, KTEH auction show, CA  
 1991 Katia Lacoste Gallery, San Jose, CA  
 Dorothy Weiss Gallery, San Francisco, CA  
 1990 Katia Lacoste Gallery, San Jose, CA (twice)  
 1989 Iannetti Lanzone Gallery, Preview '90, San Francisco, CA  
 Young Gallery, Saratoga, CA  
 Katia Lacoste Gallery, San Jose, CA  
 1988 Rosicrucian Museum, San Jose, CA  
 University of California – Davis, CA  
 1987 Decathlon Center, Santa Clara, CA  
 Rosicrucian Museum, San Jose, CA  
 1986 Centro Expo, Prato, Italy  
 Il Chioistro, Pietrasanta, Italy  
 Gardens University, Maastricht, Holland  
 Castle Goederade, Eys, Holland  
 1983 Bonnefantenmuseum, Maastricht, Holland  
 1982 Art Center de Gele Rijder, Arnhem, Holland (two person show)

- 1981 Cultural Center, Venlo, Holland
- 1980 Gammelgard, Herlev, Denmark
- 1979 Castlepark, Gronsveld, Holland

**PUBLIC AND PRIVATE COMMISSIONS:**

- 2003 Private residence, Carmel, CA, Garden Elements
- 2002 Private residence, Carmel, CA, Floor
- 2000 Private residence, Los Altos Hills, CA, Amphitheatre.
- 1998 Santa Clara Valley Medical Center, CA, Ancestors.
- 1994 Fremont Police Station, CA, Wall of Honor
- 1993 Fire Station #24, San Francisco, CA, Fire
- 1991 Richmond Police Station, San Francisco, CA, Floor “Ripples”
- 1990 Santa Clara Cemetery, Santa Clara, CA, Temple of Leaves  
Parkway Oaks Park, Sacramento, CA, Pouring
- 1986 Secondary School, Maastricht, Holland, Monument for the Drummer and the Bird
- 1984 Meao School, Heerlen, Holland, Habitat

**AWARDS:**

- 1981 Travel grant from Dutch Government to study primitive art in Zaire, Africa
- 1992 First Place Mixed Media KTEH Art Auction Exhibition
- 1994 Artist Fellowship/ Sculpture, Arts Council Silicon Valley

**TEACHING:**

- 1998-Present The Harker High School, San Jose, CA, Chair, Art Department
- 1999-2000 Vermont College, Montpelier, Vermont
- 1991-1998 San Jose Museum of Art School
- 1994-1998 Monterey Peninsula College, Monterey, Sculpture, Stone Carving, Mold Making
- 1994-1995 Academy of Art College, San Francisco, CA, Sculpture, Stone Carving
- 1995-1996 Vermont College, Montpelier, Vermont

**Publications:**

- Catalogue, Kasteelpark Gronsveld, Holland 1979
- “De Limburger”, Dutch newspaper 1980 (4x), 1981 (2x), 1982 (3x), 1987
- “Limburgs Dagblad”, Dutch newspaper 1980, 1981, 1987
- Catalogue, city of Herlev in Denmark 1980 (2x)
- “Herlev Bladet”, Danish newspaper 1980
- “Berlingske Tidendes Kronik”, Danish newspaper 1981

“Kontakt”, Norwegian art magazine	1981
“Politiken”, Danish newspaper	1981
“Ekstra Bladet”, Danish newspaper	1981
“Paletten”, Swedish art magazine	1981
Catalogue, Charlottenborg, Copenhagen, Denmark	1981
Catalogue, Cultureel Centrum Venlo, Holland	1981
“Herning Bladet”, Danish newspaper	1982
Catalogue, Herning Kunstmuseum, Denmark	1982
“Vejle Amts Folkebladet”, Danish newspaper	1982
“Jyllands-Posten”, Danish newspaper	1982
“Norrköping Folkebladet”, Swedish newspaper	1982 (3x)
“De Gelderlander”, Dutch newspaper	1982
“De Gele Rijder”, publication of an art center	1982
Catalogue, Bonnefantenmuseum in Holland	1982
Catalogue, Maastricht University, Holland	1986
Catalogue, Citta di Pietrasanta, Italy	1986
Publication of Wanda Reiff Gallery, Holland	1987
“Metro” Santa Clara Valley’s Weekly, US	1989
“San Jose Mercury News” newspaper, US	1989, 1991, 1994, 1995, 2000
“Home and Garden” magazine in California, US	1991
“Artsletter”, Sacramento Arts Commission	1991
“Members’ Bulletin” Triton Museum of Art, US	1991
“Artweek”, art magazine in California, US	1994, 1997
“Art Issues” art magazine in Los Angeles, US	1994
“Art Scene”, newspaper in Turlock, California	1994
“Daily Republic”, newspaper in California, US	1994, 1995
“Guardian” newspaper in San Francisco, US	1994
“Artist Writer”, publication on art, California, US	1995
“Valley Times”, newspaper in California, US	1995
“Showtime”, magazine in Reno, Nevada, US	1995
“Encore”, newspaper on art in Nevada, US	1995
“Leonardo”, digital reviews	2000
“Art Contemporaries”, magazine of the MOCA at the Luther Burbank Center of the Arts	2004
Catalogue “Reflections” San Jose Institute of Contemporary Art	2004



