

Nina Björk

Contemporary artist

Born in Jämtland, northern Sweden | Based in Stockholm

Artist Statement / Bio

Nina Björk is a contemporary artist originally from the mountainous region of Jämtland in northern Sweden, now based in Stockholm. She has been working professionally as an artist since 2016.

Her career began with portraiture, but over time her artistic language evolved into textured, abstract landscapes that explore both the external world and the landscapes within. Deeply inspired by nature, Nina's work is also shaped by literature, music, and quiet moments of reflection.

Her paintings transform natural elements into expressive compositions, using subtle hues and layered textures to evoke atmosphere and emotion. With a strong sense of color and sensitivity to form, she creates spaces that invite contemplation and emotional connection.

Nina believes that creativity flows from within — and through art, we can see more clearly and reconnect with ourselves.

Awards & Recognitions

- **Swedish Art Association Scholarship, 2020**
"Nina Björk's paintings encompass humans, animals, and nature. With her brush, she brings a gentle sensitivity to moods through color and expression."
- **Kiruna Art Scholarship Nominee, 2020**
Included artist residency offer in Kiruna

Initiatives

- **Founder of 12 Bridges Art Association, Stockholm (2016–)**
A nonprofit collective organizing an annual *Art Walk* featuring local artists and artisans — a growing cultural event in the area.

Education

- 1983 – Art & Environment School, Sundsvall
- 2013 – Atelier Portrait Course, Stockholm

Selected Exhibitions

Solo & Group Shows

- 2015 – Solo exhibition, Åre, Fjällgården
- 2015 – Lisselby Group Exhibition, Mora
- 2015 – Art-Tour, Svartsjö castle, Mälarearna
- 2016 – Exhibition, Galleri Hagström
- 2016 – SK Konstens Vecka
- 2016 – Art-Tour Kungsholmen
- 2016 – Winter Salon, group exhibition, Väsby Konsthall
- 2017 – Solo Exhibition at the Castle, Trollebygård, Nye
- 2018 – Solo Exhibition, “Edge,” Galleri 67, Stockholm
- 2018 – Group exhibition. Sigtuna Kulturgård (invited by Saag Gruppen)
- 2019 – Art-Tour Kungsholmen + Artist Talk
- 2020 – “From Abstract to Realism,” Group exhibition Solna Konsthall
- 2020 – Solo Exhibition, Yad Labanim Museum, Rishon LeZion, Israel (*Exhibition & Artist Talk*)
- 2020 – Stockholm Art Salon
- 2021 – Art-Tour, Kungsholmen, Stockholm
- 2022 – Studio & Gallery work during 6 months at Galleri 53
- 2024 – ”Emunah”, Solo exhibition, Galleri Lienhart, Stockholm
- 2024 – Art-tour Kungsholmen
- 2024 – Exhibition, “December Salon,” Galleri Lienhart, Stockholm

- 2024 – Gallery-tour, Stockholm
- 2025 – Group Exhibition, Kungsholmen Kulturhus, Stockholm