

ALBERT CHRISTOPH RECK

Born 25.7.1922 in Krappitz/Oberschlesien. 1948: Studied at the Art School, Hamburg under Alfred Mahlau, 1949: Studied at the College of Art and Design, Nottingham, U.K. 1950/51: Studied at L'Ecole des Beaux Arts, Paris. 1962: Obtained bursary to travel around Africa. 1963: Emigrated to South Africa and settled in Johannesburg with his wife and children. 1965/68: Lecturer at the Johannesburg School of Art: 1969: Returned to Hamburg. 1970/75: Lecturer at the Fachhochschule für Sozialpädagogik, Hamburg, 1976/77: Travelled to Southern Africa with his own boat. Settled in Swaziland where he established a weaving and graphic centre. Commutes between Swaziland, Johannesburg and Hamburg, where he established a studio in 1982

Selected one-man shows

- 1954 Kunsthalle, Hamburg
Städtisches Museum, Flensburg
- 1958 Kunsthalle, Hamburg
- 1962 Kunsthalle, Kiel
- 1965 S.A. Association of Arts, Pretoria
- 1966 Serendipity Gallery, Johannesburg
- 1969 Nordfriesisches Museum, Husum
S.A. Association of Arts, Pretoria
- 1971 Gallery 101, Johannesburg
- 1974 Städtisches Museum, Flensburg
- 1978 Gallery 21, Johannesburg
- 1981 Galerie Marin, Hagen
- 1983 Gallery 21, Johannesburg

Included in the Public Collections

Städtisches Museum, Flensburg
Schleswig-Holsteinisches Landesmuseum, Schleswig
Kunsthalle, Hamburg
Kunstmuseum, Kiel
Staatliche Sammlungen, Veste Coburg
Grafische Sammlungen, München
Kunstmuseum, Basel
Kulturbehörde, Hamburg
Kulturkreis im Bundesverband der Deutschen Industrie, Köln
Oregon State University, U.S.A.
PELMAMA Permanent Art Collection, Johannesburg
Johannesburg Municipal Art Gallery, Johannesburg

Selected bibliography

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Schleswig (cat.) 1979;
Zeitgenössische Kunst in Schleswig-Holstein (Cat.), 1973
Städtisches Museum, Schleswig (cat.), 1981
Kunstsammlungen der Veste Coburg (cat.), 1978.
Gebrauchsgrafik, Baden-Baden, 1963.