



ANTON ALVAREZ

Born 1980, Uppsala, Sweden

EDUCATION

- 2012 Design Products, MA, Royal College of Art, London, UK
- 2009 Interior Architecture and Furniture Design, BFA, Konstfack, Stockholm, Sweden

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2016 The National Centre for Craft & Design, Sleaford, UK (forthcoming, March)
- 2015 *Wrapsody*, Salon 94, New York, NY
- 2014 *Thread Wrapping Architecture*, Steneby Konsthall, Dals Långed, Sweden
Thread Wrapping Architecture, Gustavsbergs Konsthall, Konsthall, Stockholm, Sweden
Wrapper's Delight, Gallery Libby Sellers, London, UK

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2014 *Spacecraft*, The National Centre for Craft & Design, Lincolnshire, UK
Thread Wrapping Architecture, Gallery Libby Sellers, London, UK
Konstallen Hishullt twentieth anniversary exhibition, Hishullt Konsthall, Hishullt, Sweden
Architecture of Enjoyment, Fokidos 21 and Marcelle Josepg Projects, Anthens, Greece
Thread Wrapping Architecture 290414, Gallery Libby Sellers, London, UK
Spacecraft, Platform, London, UK
Every colour is divine, Kvadrat, Salone Internazionale del Mobile, Milan Italy
Desiderabilia, INR, Salone Internazionale del Mobile, Milan, Italy
Entre deux chaises, un livre, The Boghassian Fondation, Brussels, Belgium
Alpine Projects, Kissthesdesign Gallery, Lausanne, Switzerland
Drawn From, Gallery Libby Sellers, London, UK
- 2013 *Mastering Design*, Mudac, Lausanne, Switzerland
Wonderland, 19 Greek Street, London, UK
The Second Life of Roy G Bic, Gallery Libby Sellers, London, UK
Nomadismi, Altai Gallery, Milan, Italy
Works, Salone del Mobile, Milan, Italy
A Palazzo Gallery, MiArt, Milan Italy
Örnsbergsauktionen, SFP Örnsberg, Stockholm, Sweden
Sunset Therapy Center, Minibar Art Space, Stockholm, Sweden
Digital Crystal: Swarovski at the Design Museum, London, UK



- 2012 *Contemporary Collected*, Midori.so, Tokyo, Japan
RCA Collective Mmxii, DDW, Eindhoven, Holland
Cutting Edge, Orleans House Gallery, Twickenham, UK
Out of the Woods: Adventures of 12 Hardwood Chairs, V&A, London, UK
A Spacial Surprise, Mint Gallery, London, UK
Sustain RCA, Royal College of Art, London, UK
RCA 175 Summer Show, Battersea, London, UK
Tropical Heat, Henry Moore galleries, Royal College of Art, London, UK
RCA Paradise, Lambrate, Milan, Italy
- 2011 *Resonance*, Chapel of Bond Street, London, UK
- 2010 *Prezetwory 5*, Soho Factory, Warszawa, Poland
Friday Late, V&A, London, UK
- 2007 *Kaledio grant exhibition*, Kaledio, Uppsala, Sweden

GRANTS/ AWARDS

- 2014 Residence Stora Formpris
The Swedish Arts Grants Committee Project Grant
IASPIS International Exchange
- 2011 Teknik. Dr Marcus Wallenberg Foundation Grant
- 2009 Uppsala Kommuns Culture Prize
- 2007 Kaleido Grant

PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

Nationalmuseum, Stockholm, Sweded
The Röhsska Museum, Gothenburg, Sweden
Statens Konstråd / Public Art Agency Sweden, Stockholm, Sweden



PUBLICATIONS

- 2014
- Turner, Christopher. "Anton Alvarez Designs the 2014 Icon Award Trophies," *Iconeye.com*, December.
- Galamba, Madalena. "Anton Alvarez Jo Nagasaka and Formafantasma," *Fora De Serie*, November 7.
- Power, Vanessa. "The Thread Wrapping Machine is More Than Just a Machine." *Avenir*, November.
- Ley, Rocio. "Ten Temples of Design" *Architectural Digest Spain*, October
- Turner, Christopher. "Anton Alvarez" *Iconeye.com*, September 14
- Watson, Fleur, " Customisation and collectible editions" *The Saturday Paper*, September 27.
- Paper CDG. "Anton Alvarez Feature" *Comme Des Garcons Newspaper*, September 22
- Samson, Anna. "It's a Wrap" *DAMn Magazine*, September
- Steidl, Eva. "Anton Alvarez" *Domus*, July
- Dunlop, Beth. "Dream Job: Design Miami's New Director" *MODERN Magazine*, July
- Bertoli, Rosa, "Design Miami/Basel's 2014 edition broadens in scope and ambition" *Wallpaper**, June 19
- "A Thread-Wrapping Machine" *Interview Magazine*, June 1
- Kirwan-Taylor, Helen. "Five of the Best Young Designers" *The Wall Street Journal*, May 8
- Van der Post, Lucia. "Piece Seekers" *Financial Times*, April
- Mariani, Valentina. "Wrapper's Delight" *ELLE Décor Italia*, March 17
- Stratford, Oli. "Wrapper's Delight" *Disegno. Daily*, March 14
- Bergamasco, Porzia. "Mobili Hip-hop" *Corriere della Sera*, March 6
- Abrahams, Charlotte. "Anton Alvarez: Wrapper's Delight" *Financial Times*, March 5
- "Uncommon Thread" *Vogue Living Australia*, March
- Khemsurov, Monica. "Up and Coming: Anton Alvarez" *Surface Magazine*, March
- Gibson, Grant. "Anton Alvarez: The Spin Doctor" *Crafts Magazine*, March
- Sunshine, Becky. "Telling Tales" *Sunday Times Style Magazine*, February
- Cirelli, Julie. "The Spin Doctor's Studio" *Form Magazine*, February
- "Designer Furniture Inspired by Drawing at Gallery Libby Sellers" *Design Curial*, January 17
- Albus, Volker. "The Design Scene: Anton Alvarez & the Thread Wrapping Machine" *Lindinger + Schmid Kunstzeitung*, January
- Mason, Brook. "Contemporary Design: On the Cutting Edge" *MODERN Magazine*, January
- 2013
- Dalton, Jenny. "Industrial Evolution" *Financial Times*, October
- Khemsurov, Monica. "The 2013 AD Innovators" *Architectural Digest*, October
- Keighran, Mandi. "Anton Alvarez" *ICON Magazine*, September
- Vinson, Nick. "The Report: Top Drawer Furniture" *Mr Porter*, July 16
- "Disegno's Diary: 1-7 July, 2013" *Disegno. Daily*, July 1
- Roux, Caroline. "Design Miami/Basel 2013: An Insider's View" *Wallpaper.com*, June 14
- Lazin, Larry. "On Our Radar: Shining a Light on Color at Design Miami" *Global Lighting*, June 13
- Verghese, Manijeh. " Design Miami / Basel 2013" *Disegno. Daily*, June 10
- Ulmer, Brigitte. "The Furniture-Spinner" *Audi Magazine*, June
- Beatrice, Hanna Nova. "Full Rulle!" *Residence Magazine*, May
- Patel, Riya. "The Thread Wrapping Machine" *Flamingo Magazine*, March
- This Year's Newcomers: Anton Alvarez" *FORM Sweden*, January
- "Binding Ties: The Work of Anton Alvarez" *FORM Germany*, January



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2012

Khemsurov, Monica. "Uncommon Threads" *Surface Magazine*, November
Beatrice, Hanna Nova. "Human Relationship" *FORM Sweden*, November
Thompson, Henrietta. "Material Differences" *The Guardian*, October 27
"Anton Alvaren & Swarovski: Digital Crystal at the Design Museum" *London Design Journal*,
October 2
Sansom, Anna. "House of Fun" *Viewpoint*, October
Thompson, Henrietta. "Wrap Artist" *Wallpaper**, October