

# Eike Eplik

## CURRICULUM VITAE

Born 1982 in Rapla, Estonia.  
Lives and works in Tartu, Estonia.  
Portfolio: [www.eikeeplik.ee](http://www.eikeeplik.ee)

### Education:

2007-2010 Estonian Academy of Arts, Fine Arts department, sculpture, MA  
2002-2007 Tartu Art College, sculpture department

### Selected solo/duo exhibitions:

2016 **Artishok Biennale 2016: Installation "Staging"** – art and criticism event, Theatre No99, Tallinn  
2016 **Eike Eplik/ Berit Talpsepp-Jaanisoo**, Gallery Noorus, Tartu  
2015 **Some of These Birds Flew on Their Backs** Tallinn City Gallery, Tallinn  
2014 **Kuiukuiu**, Draakoni Gallery, Tallinn  
2013 **Stratum** – exhibition with Eleriin Ello and Krista Sokolova, Tartu Art House, Tartu  
2012 **The Girl Who Loved Everything** – personal exhibition of KUKU NUNNU young artist prize winner, Y-Gallery, Tartu  
2012 **Exhibition**, Paper Museum, Tartu  
2011 **The Tiny Twig**, Y-Gallery, Tartu  
2010 **House and Me**, MA thesis at Estonian Academy of Arts, Raja Gallery, Tallinn

### Selected group exhibitions:

2015 **Perceptionsphere** – joint project at music festival Üle Heli with Tencu (Andres Tenusaar) and ensemble Eeter, Kanuti Gildi SAAL, Tallinn  
2015 **Body Language**, curated by Tiiu Kirsipuu, Tallinn Art Hall  
2015 **Youth Mode: Installation „Lick It Up. Be Your Own Pet“** – collaboration with Helmi Arrak, Tartu Art Museum, Tartu  
2014 **Paper Stands for Everything**, Estonian Sculptors Union, Design and Architecture Gallery, Tallinn; The Museum of New Art, Pärnu; Saaremaa Art Studio, Kuressaare  
2014 **Roadside Picnic. Tartu 1860-2014**, curated by Peeter Talvistu, Tallinn Art Hall, Tallinn  
2014 **Cardigans and Kostabis. Tartu Exhibition Spaces 1990-2014**, curated by Triin Tulgiste, Tartu Art Museum, Tartu  
2013 **Sculpture Is Space**, Estonian Sculptors Union Annual Exhibition, Hobusepea Gallery, Tallinn  
2013 **Mv Mythology**, Gallery Noorus, Tartu  
2011 **Five Moments of Spring**, sculpture exhibition, Merikarvia, Finland  
2010 **Sculpture Palimpsest**, Nabaklab, Riga  
2009 **Ecstasy is the New Frequency!!!! Mask is the Latest Hype!!!!**, Sadamateater, Tartu  
2009 **Scary Challenge/Raske samm**, Tallinn Post Office, Tallinn

- 2008 **Monuments of Freedom**, Maarjamäe castle park, Estonian History Museum, Tallinn
- 2007 **Apartment for Rent**. Gallerv Raia. Tallinn
- 2007 **Gull**. Lindakivi Culture Center Gallerv. Tallinn
- 2007 **Crocodile Ate Bears Honev**. Tartu Art Museum, Tartu
- 2007 **2 Beginnings**, Athena Center, Tartu

### Prizes and Scholarships:

- 2015 Sadolin Art Prize nominee
- 2012 ART IST KUKU NU UT contemporary art festival, young artist prize KUKU NUNNU
- 2006 Eduard Wiiralt's fund

### Works in collections

Tartu Art Museum, Estonia

### Other projects:

- 2015 **Tartu Artist Union Annual Exhibition** – designer
- 2015 **Vassilissa** – scenery for dance performance by Ingrid Tuksam
- 2014 **Warrior. Wolf's Journey Through the Guts of Little Red Riding Hood** – scenery for dance performance by Eva Labotkin and Mai Sööt
- 2013 **Chinatown-installation**. Urban Festival Uit. Tartu
- 2010 Participation with an installation **Do You Remember the Gun I Told You About? Lately, there are So Many Things I'd Like to Shoot Dead** in The Shifts' music video
- 2010 **Large-scale Short-term** – international symposium, Tartu
- 2007 **Reason, come home!** – urban joint project, Tallinn

### Bibliography:

In english:

#### **Generation of young sculptors as a distinct phenomenon**

Marie Vellevoog, *Estonian Art* 2/2013, <http://bit.ly/2fWKepp>

#### **The Girl Who Loved Everything**

*Exhibition catalog, texts by Kaisa Eiche, Eike Eplik, Indrek Grigor, Ervin Lazar, 2012*

In Estonian:

#### **Video story: Exhibition „Some of These Birds Flew on Their Backs”**

Gerli Nõmm, *ERR Culture News*, 23.09.2015, <http://bit.ly/2gmhvuC>

#### **Artishok Biennale. Eplik and Soans**

Hanno Soans, *Postimees*, 14.10.2016, <http://bit.ly/2fKapV>

#### **Skulptorid. kes on aiaast ja klišeedest üle**

Mari Kartau, *Kultuur.err.ee*, 7.10.2015, <http://bit.ly/2fweero>

**Interview with Eike Eplik**

*Hanna-Liis Kont, Kunst ja avalik ruum, blog 20.11.2013, <http://bit.ly/2fd0CmB>*

**Metsamuinasjutt puruvana ja hiirekesega. Vaim skulptuurides**

*Ragne Nukk, Puhkepäev/Äripäev 22.03.2013, p 7*

**Eike Eplik sulatas (rämpsust ja loodusest) ökokatastroofi-kujulise vaagna**

*Mai Sööt, Postimees, 29.10.2012, <http://bit.ly/2gml6Je>*

**Eike Eplik – Tüdruk, kes kõike armastas**

*Kaisa Eiche, Mürileht nr. 22, 2012, p 4, <http://bit.ly/2g9pWXP>*