

# KORNFELD

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## JAN TICHY

1974 Born in Prague, Czech Republic  
Assistant Professor at the School of the Art Institute of Chicago, USA

### Education

2007-09 School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Sculpture Department, MFA  
2005-07 Bezalel Academy of Art and Design, Tel Aviv, Advanced Studies in Fine Art  
1999-2002 Jerusalem School of Photography & New Media, Photography Department  
1995-99 The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Political Science and General Studies

### Public Presentations

2018 Living Architecture, 6018 North, Chicago's Home for Experimental Arts and Culture, Chicago, IL, USA  
Up is Down, Northwestern University, Block Museum of Art, Chicago, IL, USA  
Art on theMart. Chicago, IL, USA  
EXPO Chicago, Galerie Kornfeld, Chicago, IL, USA

2016 Installation Nr. 21, Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago, IL, USA  
Installation Nr. 29 (Neues Rathaus), Kunsthalle Osnabrück, Osnabrück, Germany  
Screening of the videos things to come. Every Friday during the exhibition,  
Guggenheim, New York, USA  
Seven Doors, Santa Barbara Museum of Art, Santa Barbara, USA

2015 Kunsthalle Osnabrück, Germany

### Selected solo exhibitions

2021/22 Tzimtzum, The New Gallery Artist's Teddy Studios, Jerusalem, Israel  
All Monsters, Mike Kelley's Mobile Homestead, Detroit, USA  
NATURAL PATTERN. Lena Ditlmann & Jan Tichy, Galerie Anita Beckers, Frankfurt am Main, Germany

2020/21 Haus Gropius || Fiktional, Haus Gropius, Bauhaus, Dessau, Germany (with Kristof Magnusson)

2020 Light Shop, Fridman Gallery, New York, USA

2019 Weight of Light, Museum Bensheim, Germany  
Thin Lines, Galerie Kornfeld, Berlin, Deutschland

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- 2017 Gnomonics, Berman Museum of Art, Collegeville, PA, USA  
Beyond Streaming, MSU Broad Museum, East Lansing, MI, USA  
Mriz, Drdova Gallery, Prague, Czech Republic
- 2016 Weight of Glass, Galerie Kornfeld, Berlin, Germany  
Art, CA Long Lines, Fridman Gallery, NYC
- 2015 Hezi Cohen Gallery, Tel Aviv, Israel  
Fridman Gallery, New York, USA  
Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago, USA  
sur-round-things, Circle 1 Gallery, Berlin, Germany
- 2014 aroundcenter, Chicago Cultural Center, Chicago, USA
- 2013 Politics of Light, No Longer Empty & Richard Gray Gallery, New York City, USA  
Overlap, Hezi Cohen Gallery, Tel Aviv, Israel  
Helen Day Art Center, Stowe, USA
- 2012 1979:1-2012:21, Museum of Contemporary Photography, Chicago, USA  
Project Cabrini Green, Gordon Gallery, Tel Aviv, Israel  
MATRIX 164, Wadsworth Atheneum Museum of Art, Hartford, USA
- 2011 Installation No.13, Nathan Gottesdiener Prize, Tel Aviv Museum of Art, USA
- 2010 01:37:24:05, Center for Contemporary Art, Tel Aviv, Israel  
Installation No. 10, Spertus Museum, Chicago, USA
- 2009 Installations, Richard Gray Gallery, Chicago, USA  
Recent Works, Museum of Contemporary Art, Bat Yam, Israel, Israel
- 2008 12\*12, Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago, USA
- 2007 1391, Herzliya Museum of Contemporary Art, Israel
- 2004 Beton, Morel Derfler Gallery, Jerusalem, Israel

## **Selected group exhibitions**

- 2022 Houses of Tomorrow: Solar Homes from Keck to Today, Elmhurst Art Museum, Elmhurst, USA
- 2021 Negatives, The Chicago Cluster Project, Epiphany Center for the Arts, Chicago, USA
- 2019 Thin Lines, Galerie Kornfeld, Berlin, Germany

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- Chicago Grid, 68projects, Berlin, Germany (curator)  
100 Jahre Bauhaus Licht.Schatten.Spuren, Akademie der Künste, Berlin,  
Germany
- Currency , Nome Gallery, Berlin, Germany  
Crossing Lines, Kunsthalle Osnabrück, Germany (curator, with Christian Oxenius)  
At the intersection of technology and spirituality, Artist's talk and exhibition about  
Bauhäusler palm prints created in spring 1926 in Dessau, Robert F. Carr Memorial  
Chapel, Chicago, USA
- 2018 Living Architecture, 6018 North, Chicago Kedem Kodem Kadima, CCA Tel Aviv  
Beton Hatzuf, Beit Ariela, Tel Aviv
- 2017 Recent Acquisitions to Rothfeld Collection, American University Museum, DC  
Victory Over the Sun, Kentucky Museum of Art & Design, Louisville, KY The Place  
We Stand, Morel Derfler Gallery, Jerusalem Real Estate: Dwelling in Contemporary  
Art, Berman Museum of Art, Collegeville, PA Mediterranean, Seeds of Color  
Gallery, Israel  
Interstice, Kruger Gallery, Chicago The New Normal, The Hangar, Beirut
- 2016 Lichte Momente, Osnabrueck, Germany Films To Come, Guggenheim Museum,  
NYC  
Contemporary PDF Object, Mana Contemporary, Chicago MoCP at 40, Museum of  
York Photography, Chicago Bene. F. Action, Andrea Meislin Gallery, New  
York
- 2015 Paper Plains, Kornfeld Gallery, Berlin Behind the Fence, Beit Bialik Museum, Tel  
Aviv  
At the headwaters, Gardner Center for Arts, Gary, IN  
First Year, Fernwey Gallery, Chicago, USA  
The Shape of Things to Come, Santa Barbara Museum of Art, USA  
RAY 2015, Museum fuer Angewandte Kunst, Frankfurt, Germany  
After Today, Gallery 400, Chicago, USA  
Currents Jan Tichy and Shawn Decker at the Santa Fe New Media Installation, El  
Museo Cultural de Santa Fe, USA  
Signifiers of Place, Herzliya Museum of Art, Israel
- 2014 Informal Forms, Aran Cravey Gallery, USA  
The Chicago Effect, Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago, USA  
Light3, Fridman Gallery, New York City, USA  
Through a Glass Darkly, Simon/Neuman2 Gallery, New York City, USA  
Visions and Nightmares, Film Museum Dusseldorf, Germany  
On Location, Hygienic Galleries, New London, USA  
Spotlight, Elmhurst Museum of Art, USA  
The Towering Inferno, Tel Aviv University Gallery, Israel  
Home Before Dark, Hezi Cohen Gallery, Tel Aviv, Israel
- 2013 First Circle, C1 Platform for Art and Culture, Berlin, Germany

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- Beyond No Man's Land, Andrea Meislin Gallery, New York City, USA  
ExpoVideo, Expo Chicago, Chicago, USA  
Blackbox, West Jerusalem, Israel  
10x10, threewalls, Chicago, USA  
Quarantine, Hansen House, Jerusalem, Israel  
La citta nuova, Villa Olmo, Como, Italy  
Light and Shadow, Science Museum, Jerusalem, Israel  
Aircraft Carrier, Storefront for Art and Architecture, New York City, USA, and  
Israel Museum, Jerusalem, Israel  
The Eye of the Blackbird, Art House, Tel Aviv, Israel  
Beginning of a Collection, Ashdod Museum of Art, Israel
- 2012 Material Translations, Tadeo Ando Gallery, Art Institute of Chicago, USA  
Suitcase Art, Künstlerhaus Speckstrasse, Hamburg, Germany  
Muse, Richard Gray Gallery, Chicago, USA  
IN/SITU, 12th Expo Chicago, USA  
Aircraft Carrier, 13th Architecture Biennale, Venice  
Skyscraper: Art And Architecture Against Gravity, Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago, USA  
Galicia Mon Amour, SOKOL Cultural Center, Nowy Sacz, Poland  
Luma, Shpilman Institute for Photography, Tel Aviv, Israel  
Grid 2012, International Photography Biennial, Amsterdam, The Netherlands  
Where the fall winds blow, Artists' House, Tel Aviv, Israel  
True Stories, Locks Gallery, Philadelphia, USA  
Soundscapes, Minshar Gallery, Tel Aviv, Israel  
Closing Party, The Heder Gallery, Tel Aviv, Israel
- 2011 Magic Lantern, The Israel Museum Jerusalem, Israel  
Happiness Project, Loop Alliance Pop Up Gallery, Chicago, USA  
Social Housing-Housing the Social, SKOR foundation, Amsterdam, The  
Netherlands  
Experimental Station, LABoral, Gijon, Spain  
ARTLV biennale, Herzliya, Israel  
Urban Imaginarium, Marwen Gallery, Chicago, USA  
In/Ex/Change, ARTSTAYS 9, Slovenia (in collaboration with Shawn Decker)  
Hang In There, Co-Prosperity Sphere, Chicago, USA  
Islands, Worlds, Musrara Gallery, Jerusalem, Israel  
Experimental Station, CA2M, Madrid, Spain  
Without You I Am Nothing - Interactions, MCA Chicago, USA  
White Light, Black Light, Wood Street Galleries, Pittsburgh, USA  
Out of Place, Lora Reynolds Gallery, Austin, USA
- 2010 Place, Origin, Landscape, AMU Gallery, Prague, Czech Republic  
Immaterial Architecture, PPOW Gallery, New York City, USA  
Art Unlimited, Art Basel, Switzerland  
MusraraMix #10, International Art Festival, Jerusalem, Israel  
Moholy: An Education of the Senses, Loyola University Museum of Art, Chicago ,

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- USA (exhibition design in collaboration with Helen Maria Nugent)  
Disquieted, Portland Art Museum, Portland, USA  
Family/Tree II, Helena Rubinstein Pavilion, Tel Aviv Museum of Art, Israel
- 2009 ArtTLV Biennale, Tel Aviv, Israel  
Learning Modern, Sullivan Galleries, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, USA  
(in collaboration with Helen Maria Nugent)  
Dreary Structures, Dreamy Structures, Ashdod Museum of Art, Israel  
After Architecture: Typologies of the Afterwards, Centre d'Art Santa Monica,  
Barcelona, Spain  
Family/Tree I, Helena Rubinstein Pavilion, Tel Aviv Museum of Art, Israel  
Cent Ans de Dialogue par l'Art, Orangerie du Senat, Paris, France  
The Age of a Different Re-Action: New Israeli Art Scene, Galerie Davide Gallo,  
Berlin, Germany  
Paperworks, The Israel Museum (Beit Ticho), Jerusalem, Israel  
Annual MFA Graduate Exhibition, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Israel
- 2008 Additions, La Biennale di Venezia, 11th International Architecture Exhibition,  
Israeli Pavilion, Venice, Italy  
Access to Israel, The Jewish Museum in Frankfurt, Frankfurt, Germany  
Can Art Do More?, Art Focus 5, Jerusalem, Israel  
LAYLA: Young Israeli Artists, INGA Gallery, New York City, USA  
Future Perfect, International Triennial of Contemporary Art, National Gallery,  
Prague, Czech Republic  
Blind Spot, Petach Tikva Museum of Modern Art, Israel  
60 Years, Arc Gallery, Chicago, USA  
Real Time: Art in Israel 1998-2008, The Israel Museum Jerusalem, Israel  
Young Artist Awards, Haifa Museum of Art, Israel  
Personal Landscapes, The American University Museum, Washington D.C., USA  
Twosidedness, Kulturhuset, Stockholm, Sweden  
First Show: Contemporary Art from The Israel Museum, Beit Mani, Tel Aviv, Israel
- 2007 Forks and Napkins, G2 Gallery, Chicago, USA  
Jerusalem of One's Eye, The Social Gallery, Jerusalem, Israel  
Herzliya Biennale, Herzliya Museum of Contemporary Art, Israel  
VideoMarina, Museum of Contemporary Art, Bat Yam, Israel  
Artic 9, Tel Aviv University Gallery, Tel Aviv, Israel  
Salame 007, Graduate Show MFA, Bezalel Academy of Arts, Tel Aviv, Israel  
Fleeing Away From What Bothers You Most, Magasin 3 Stockholm Konsthall,  
Stockholm, Sweden
- 2006 Normality, The Heder Gallery, Tel Aviv, Israel  
CzechPoint, NOD Gallery and Cs2 Gallery, Prague, Czech Republic  
Liquorish Light, Saloona, Tel Aviv, Israel  
Paperworks, The Heder Gallery, Tel Aviv, Israel  
Collaboration on Site, ARS 06 Biennale, Kiasma Museum of Modern Art, Helsinki,  
Finland

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Israeli Salon of Photography, Agripas Cooperative Gallery, Jerusalem, Israel  
Vacation, Tarbut High School Gallery, Rishon Lezion, Israel  
Courtain, Venta Gallery, Jerusalem, Israel

- 2005 Natures Mortes, Morel Derfler Gallery, Jerusalem, Israel
- 2004 Real Time, Jerusalem Film Festival, Jerusalem, Israel
- 2003 Jerusalem a Vif, Le Passage de Retz, Paris, France  
Mi churvotich ibnech, Time for Art Museum, Tel Aviv, Israel  
Artic 5, Ramat Gan Museum of Art, Tel Aviv, Israel  
Arting Jerusalem, International Art Project, Jerusalem, Israel  
Hearat Shulaim 5, Sergei Courtyard, Jerusalem, Israel  
Bab El Musrara, Musrara Community Gallery and Morel Derfler Gallery,  
Jerusalem, Israel (in collaboration with Alon Cohen-Lipshitz and Halely Mazor)
- 2002 Israeli Video Art, Display Gallery, Prague, Czech Republic  
Kav HaTefer, Morel Derfler Gallery, Jerusalem, Israel  
Space 01, Opal Gallery, Tel Aviv, Israel  
Final Projects, Museum of Photography, Tel Hai, Israel  
Mother's Tongue, Israel Festival, Jerusalem, Israel  
Biut HaTeva (Domestication of Nature), Morel Derfler Gallery, Jerusalem, Israel
- 2001 Ber Mekfet, Musrara Community Gallery, Jerusalem, Israel
- 2000 HP Digital Photography Awards, Budapest, Barcelona, Moscow, Russia
- 1999 Short cuts, Art Space in Yavne Street, Tel Aviv, Israel  
Obviously, HaZira, Jerusalem, Israel

## Selected Projects

- 2018 CPS Lives, collaborative photography project with Benito Juarez High School and Chicago Public Library  
Senior Park, collaboration between 21st Century Academy, Gary Senior Housing  
and SAIC 2017 First Light/Gary Lights Open Works, collaboration between SAIC's  
Public Light & Space and Social Solar classes with Thea Bowman Junior High in Gary
- 2016 Beyond Streaming, workshops and installation connecting students from Flint and Lansing, MI  
Changing Osnabrueck, workshops and installation, Felix Nussbaum Haus Museum  
Year of Imagine More, collaborative workshop and video installation with SBMA education department
- 2015 Heat Light Water Project, collaboration with artists, educators and art administrators from Gary and Chicago reclaiming and repurposing a building in

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Gary, IN

- 2015 Heat Light Water Cultural Project (HLWCP), collaboration Dr. Jeffreen Hayes reclaiming and repurposing a building in Gary, IN
- 2014 The Art Assignment PBS Digital Studios  
Young Changing Chicago, collaboration with high school photography programs
- 2013 Build Your Own Light and Public Light & Lower East Side, collaboration with No Longer Empty youth outreach  
Project Tesla Orava, collaboration with students from art&tech high school Nizna on a proposal of public art project for the village, Nizna, Slovakia
- 2012 The MoCP Tagging Project, collaboration with MFA students from SAIC, CCC, UIC and UofC at the Museum of Contemporary Photography, Chicago  
Lighten Up, public art project in collaboration with the Amistad Center for Art and Culture at the Wadsworth Atheneum Museum of Art, Hartford, CT
- 2011 Project Cabrini Green, public art project in Cabrini Green, Chicago IL and at MCA Chicago - in collaboration with Efrat Appel and students and faculty from the School of the Art Institute of Chicago
- 2010 The Gate Project, Near North Montessori School, Chicago - with Merav Argov Delineations II, College Art Association (CAA) Conference closing event, Sullivan Galleries, Chicago - in collaboration with Helen Maria Nugent
- 2009 Lighting The Crown Hall, Illinois Institute of Technology, Chicago - with MFA International students  
with Interpretation of The Collection of SSAC, Reavis Elementary School, Chicago - Drea Howenstein and students from the School of the Art institute of Chicago
- 2008 Tzofia, light design, Tel Aviv - in collaboration with Ernesto Pujol
- 2006 IPO 70, three-channel video installation for the Israel Philharmonic Orchestra, Tel Aviv - in collaboration with Nevet Yitzhak
- 2005 Stop Motion, photo dance performance, Duncan Centre, Prague - in collaboration with Oren Tischler  
MusraraMix , 6th International Art Festival
- 2002-05 Prozdor Student Gallery in Musrara Community Center, Jerusalem
- 2004 Blow Up, photo dance performance, HaZira, Jerusalem - in collaboration with Oren Tischler and Vertigo Dance Company
- 2002 Hafra'a Video Gallery, HaZira, Jerusalem

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2001-03 Hafra'a, community video art magazine - with Ran Eisenstadt, Liron Meshulam  
and Lael Kline

## Selected honors

2012 Faculty Enrichment Grant, The School of the Art Institute of Chicago

2011 Gold Award in the Council for Advancement and Support of Education (CASE) for Public Light & Space Catalog by SAIC

2010 Nathan Gottesdiener Foundation, The Israeli Art Prize

2009 MFA Fellowship Award, The School of the Art Institute of Chicago

2008 America-Israel Cultural Foundation Scholarship

2007 The Young Artist Award, Israeli Ministry of Culture  
Rich Foundation Scholarship  
America-Israel Cultural Foundation Scholarship

2003 America-Israel Cultural Foundation Scholarship

2002 Mayor of Jerusalem Award for Excellence in Art Studies

2000 HP Digital Photography Awards  
Scholarship for Excellence in Studies, Jerusalem School of Photography, Musrara

## Residencies

2020 Bauhaus residency, Haus Schlemmer, Bauhaus, Dessau, Germany

## Public Collections

American University Museum, Washington DC  
Asdod Museum of Art, Israel  
Herzliya Museum of Contemporary Art  
Indianapolis Museum of Art, Indiana  
The Israel Museum Jerusalem  
Magasin 3 Stockholm Konsthall  
Museum of Contemporary Photography, Chicago  
Museum of Modern Art, New York  
SONS, Antwerp, Belgium  
Spertus Museum, Chicago

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The Shpilman Institute of Photography  
Tel Aviv Museum of Art