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## Research profile

Line Marie Bruun Jespersen is an Associated Professor at Department of Communication, Aalborg University, and is a member of RELATE (Research Lab for Art and Technology). Lines primary research interest is within art in public spaces, art and publics and the role of art within various types of spatial contexts, that include the interplay between urban architecture, landscape, publics and artistic interventions. A continued focus point of the research on embodied aesthetic experience in the urban landscape and the creation of socially inclusive public spaces through art and artistic interventions, has led to the most recent research on places for play in public space.

## Employment

### Associate Professor

Associate Professor  
Department of Communication and Psychology  
The Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities  
Aalborg, Denmark  
1 Aug 2008 → 31 Dec 4712

### Associate Professor

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The Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities  
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1 Aug 2008 → 31 Dec 4712

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The Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities  
1 Aug 2008 → 31 Dec 4712

### Oplevelsesdesign

1 Aug 2014 → present

### Research Laboratory for Art and Technology

The Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities  
20 Dec 2011 → present

### Børn og Unge SSH Signatur

The Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities

1 May 2024 → present

## Research outputs

### Project as one Argument

Bach, R. C. & Marie Bruun Jespersen, L., 1 Apr 2023, *A Focus on Pedagogy: Teaching, Learning and Research in the Modern Academy*. Marey, A. (ed.). Architecture, Media, Politics, Society, p. 271-280 8 p. (AMPS Proceedings Series; No. 1, Vol. 28).

### Kulkansporet as Transformed Infrastructure

Bach, R. C. & Marie Bruun Jespersen, L., Jul 2022, *Structures and Architecture: A Viable Urban Perspective?*. Hvejsel, M. F. & Cruz, P. J. S. (eds.). CRC Press/Balkema, Vol. 2. p. 187-188 (Structures and Architecture, Vol. 2).

### Kunst og Leg i byens rum

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Producer), Feb 2022

### Kunstneriske Knudepunkter

Jespersen, L. M. B., 18 Jan 2019, *To Be or Not*. Århus: Aarhus Universitetsforlag, p. 213-229

### Problem Orientation in Art and Technology

Jespersen, L. M. B., Apr 2018, In: *Journal of Problem Based Learning in Higher Education*. 6, 1, p. 1-14 14 p.

### Landscape Installations: Enhancing the Experience of Nature through Art and Architecture

Jespersen, L. M. B., 2018, In: *Nordic Journal of Architectural Research*. 30, 1, p. 79-99

### Who's Agency? Emancipatory, empowering processes and ethical dilemmas in participatory art projects

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. & Pedersen, S. B., 2018.

### Man er som man er

Jespersen, L. M. B., 1 Jun 2017, *Jeppe Hein : At sanse verden i dig selv*. Sørensen, S. K. (ed.). Lemvig: Museet for Religiøs Kunst, p. 170-186 16 p.

### Velkommen udenfor! Den offentlige kunst og iscensættelse af mødesteder i byen.

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L., 20 Apr 2017, In: *Periskop*. 17, p. 116-132 16 p.

### Gotta enhance'em all: a case study of two Pokemon GO enhanced urban spaces in Aalborg, Denmark

Wind, S., Jespersen, L. M. B., Löchtefeld, M. & Davidsen, J., 2017, *The making of the Mediated Public Space: Essays on emerging urban phenomena*. Costa, C. S. & Ioannidis, K. (eds.). Centro de Estudos Interdisciplinares em Educação e Desenvolvimento (C ei ED) Instituto de Educação - Universidade Lusófona de Humanidades e Tecnologias: Edições Universitárias Lusófonas, p. 189-200 12 p.

### The Orange Feeling: Mood and Atmosphere in Roskilde Festival

Kiib, H., Kiib, B. M. & Jespersen, L. M. B., 2017, In: *Ambiances*.

### Urban Bike Scapes in New York: Outline of a new urban typology

Marling, G. & Marie Bruun Jespersen, L., 2017, In: *Nordic Journal of Architectural Research*. 29, 01, p. 111-134

### Murmaleri som historiefortælling

Jespersen, L. M. B., 2016, *MurMal. En historie om Det Røde Bånd*. 1. ed. Aalborg, p. 4

### A Tiny Bilbao in the Province? Experience Economy and Cultral Planning in Small Communities

Jespersen, L. M. B., 2014, *Nordic Encounters: Travelling Ideas of Open Space Design and Planning - Programme and Proceedings*. p. 43

### **Collective Reception of Art in Public Space**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L., 2013, *Animation of Public Space through the Arts : Towards More Sustainable Communities*. Duxbury, N. (ed.). Coimbra: Almedina, Livraria, p. 261-274 14 p.

### **Creating Places Through the Arts**

Jespersen, L. M. B., Apr 2010, *Performative Urban Design*. Kiib, H. (ed.). Aalborg: Aalborg Universitetsforlag, p. 137-145 9 p. (Art and Urbanism Series; No. 02).

### **New Aesthetic Experiences in Public Space: Performativity and Interaction in Urban Design**

Jespersen, L. M. B., 2010, *Design Research Epistemologies: Research in architectural design*. Jensen, O. B. (ed.). Aalborg Universitet: Institut for Arkitektur og Medieteknologi, p. 23-43 20 p.

### **Hvad gør den bænk der? in: Marie Nipper (ed.): Jeppe Hein. Sense City.**

Jespersen, L. M. B., Oct 2009, Århus, ARoS : Aros. 7 p.

### **Modified Social Benches - Creating places and new public domains through art**

Jespersen, L. M. B., 2009, *Architecture and stages of the experience city*. Institut for Arkitektur og Medieteknologi, p. 353 359 p. (Institut for Arkitektur og Design Skriftserie; No. 30).

## **Activities**

### **SUMO Modelling Social Housing. The Relational Aesthetics of European Social Housing Estates**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Lecturer) & Bach, R. C. (Lecturer)  
19 Apr 2023 → 21 Apr 2023

### **5th International Conference on Structures and Architecture 2022**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Participant) & Bach, R. C. (Participant)  
7 Jul 2022

### **Medlem af Aalborg Kommunes Kunststudvalg og Billedkunstråd**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Consultant)  
May 2022 → ...

### **Aalborg Municipality (External organisation)**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Vice chairperson)  
May 2022 → ...

### **AMPS: A Focus on Pedagogy**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Speaker) & Bach, R. C. (Speaker)  
22 Apr 2022

### **Kunsthal Nord (External organisation)**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Member)  
Jan 2022 → Jun 2022

### **RELATE Forskningsretreat**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Participant)  
13 Dec 2021 → 16 Dec 2021

### **World University Revisited**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Lecturer)  
18 Nov 2021

**Arts, Health and Humanities (Organisational unit)**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Member)

Nov 2021 → ...

**Aarhus School of Architecture**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Visiting researcher)

19 Apr 2021 → 22 Apr 2021

**Alive Festival, Kuratornetværk**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Consultant)

Jan 2021 → Jun 2021

**RELATE forskningsretreat**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Participant)

1 Dec 2020 → 5 Dec 2020

**Department of Communication and Psychology (Organisational unit)**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Member)

May 2020 → ...

**RELATE Symposium**

Jacobsen, S. L. (Participant) & Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Participant)

12 Dec 2018 → 14 Dec 2018

**Conjunctions : transdisciplinary journal of cultural participation (Journal)**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Peer reviewer)

2 Dec 2018 → 2 Jan 2019

**Art & Technology Fall Exhibition 2018**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Organizer)

28 Nov 2018 → 29 Nov 2018

**You Got STEAM?**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Participant)

22 Nov 2018

**PBL Progression - Kick-Off dag 2018**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Participant)

12 Oct 2018

**Tid og sted**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Speaker)

5 Oct 2018

**Naturmødet 2018**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Participant)

24 May 2018

**Journal of Somaesthetics (Journal)**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Peer reviewer)

14 May 2018

**Art and Technology Spring Exhibition 2018**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Organizer)

8 May 2018 → 9 May 2018

**Ukendt indtil videre (Publisher)**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Peer reviewer)

8 May 2018

**Undervisningens dag 2018**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Participant)

3 May 2018

**Moderator for konferencesporet: Civic participation: spaces and methods**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Other)

19 Apr 2018

**Who's Agency? Emancipatory, Empowering processes and ethical dilemmas in participatory art projects**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Lecturer) & Pedersen, S. B. (Lecturer)

18 Apr 2018 → 20 Apr 2018

**Workshop i forbindelse med ReAct-projektet**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Participant)

8 Mar 2018

**Hvordan der arbejdes med PBL på ArT**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Speaker)

10 Jan 2018

**Workshop om PBL**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Participant)

9 Jan 2018

**Edge: Situated Practice in Art, Architecture and Urbanism**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Participant)

4 Nov 2017

**PBL-gruppe under Institut for Kommunikation og Psykologi (External organisation)**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Member)

Aug 2017 → ...

**Take Part**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Participant)

18 Apr 2017 → 20 Apr 2017

**Studienævnet for Art and Technology (External organisation)**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Chairperson)

Mar 2017 → ...

**Kulturel Deltagelse-i teori og praksis**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Participant)

Dec 2016

**Take Part (External organisation)**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Member)

Dec 2016 → ...

**Kunst og Kultur som drivkraft for udvikling af det offentlige rum**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Speaker)  
24 Nov 2016

**Murmaleri i Aalborg.: Status og Evaluering**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Speaker)  
11 Nov 2016

**Digital Research in Arts and Humanities**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Speaker)  
4 Sept 2016 → 7 Sept 2016

**Murmaleri i Aalborg**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Speaker)  
1 Jun 2016

**Culture Planning and Experience economy in Fringe Areas**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Speaker)  
5 Jun 2015

**ACMMM 2015: ACM International Conference on Multimedia 2015**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Other)  
1 May 2015 → 30 Oct 2015

**Lets Play Public Space**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Lecturer)  
16 Apr 2015 → 18 Apr 2015

**ISIS 2015**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Speaker)  
15 Apr 2015

**Advisory board for Kunsthal Nord (External organisation)**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Member)  
Mar 2015 → ...

**Kunst og Kultur som drivkraft i udvikling af det offentlige rum**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Speaker)  
17 Nov 2014

**The Sculpture Question**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Participant)  
1 Nov 2014 → 2 Nov 2014

**Kunst, Sted og Mennesker**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Participant)  
8 Oct 2014

**Kulturlaboratoriet i Praksis: Paneldeltager på Kulturmødet på Mors 2014**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Panel member)  
22 Aug 2014

**World in Denmark 2014**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Speaker)  
13 Jun 2014

**Mapping Culture: Communities, Sites and Stories**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Speaker)  
28 May 2014 → 30 May 2014

**Instant Urbanism**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Participant)  
6 May 2014

**Land Art Rebild 2014**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Participant)  
28 Mar 2014

**Kunst i Krydsild**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Participant)  
21 Mar 2014

**Relational Interventions**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Speaker)  
27 Jan 2014

**KulturKANten**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Speaker)  
10 Dec 2013

**KulturMetropolØresund**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Speaker)  
26 Nov 2013

**RETHINK**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Speaker)  
16 Nov 2013

**RETHINK**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Speaker)  
14 Nov 2013 → 16 Nov 2013

**Site Transformation Methodologies**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Speaker)  
26 Sept 2013

**Pædagogisk Dag**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Speaker)  
17 Apr 2013

**the 2nd Research Symposium Instant Urbanism- Temporal Art and Architecture in Urban Environments**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Participant)  
Apr 2013

**Instant Urbanism - Temporal Art and Architecture in Urban Environments**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Participant)  
31 Oct 2012

**Instant Urbanism (External organisation)**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Member)  
2 Oct 2012 → 2 Oct 2015

**Studyboard Art and Technology, AAU (External organisation)**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Member)  
1 Feb 2012 → 1 Feb 2014

**Urbane Installationer**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Speaker)  
4 Nov 2011

**Animation of Public Space through the Arts**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Speaker)  
29 Sept 2011

**Press/Media****Art & Technology AAU**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L.  
24/10/2018  
1 Media contribution

**Byggerier klar til Kulturmødet**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L.  
20/08/2015  
1 item of Media coverage

**Debat: Aalborg - International kulturby eller ej?**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L.  
19/06/2020  
1 item of Media coverage

**Kulturfest for alle aldersklasser**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L.  
22/08/2015  
1 item of Media coverage

**Kulturkongres: Vi lægger svellerne mens vi kører**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L.  
01/07/2015  
1 item of Media coverage

**Kunst i det offentlige rum**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L.  
11/10/2021  
1 item of Media coverage

**Lektor bekymret for om kommune har mistet overblik**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L.  
12/06/2020  
1 item of Media coverage



### **Museum udgiver udstillingskatalog**

Jespersen, L. M. B.

27/06/2017

6 items of Media coverage

### **Nyt lys over byen**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L.

05/09/2015

1 item of Media coverage

### **AAU-profiler om kulturbesparelser: Det er nu, vi skal bestemme, om vi vil være superliga eller rykke ned i division**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L.

12/09/2020

1 Media contribution

### **AAU spillede med ved Roskilde Festival**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L.

03/09/2013

1 item of Media coverage

## **Projects**

### **Art and Urbanism. Public Art and Technology**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Project Participant) & Pedersen, S. B. (Project Participant)

01/09/2012 → ...

### **Art+Movement**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Project Participant)

01/09/2013 → ...

### **Instant Cities as Artistic Playground**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Project Participant), Pedersen, S. B. (Project Participant) & Marling, G. (Project Participant)

01/09/2013 → 31/10/2015

### **Instant U: Instant Urbanism**

Kiib, H. S. (Project Participant), Andersson, L. (Project Participant), Marling, G. (Project Participant), Morrison, A. (Project Participant), Kirkegaard, P. H. (Project Participant), Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Project Participant), Parigi, D. (Project Participant), Worre Foged, I. (Project Participant), Olsen, T. V. (Project Participant), Skouboe, E. B. (Project Participant), Sabra, J. B. S. (Project Participant) & Pedersen, S. B. (Project Participant)

01/04/2013 → ...

### **Kunst og Kultur som drivkraft til udvikling af det offentlige rum**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Project Participant)

01/08/2014 → 01/07/2016

### **New aesthetic experiences in public space? Performativity and interaction in urban design**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Project Participant)

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19/05/2010 → 31/07/2011

### **Urbane Installationer**

Marie Bruun Jespersen, L. (Project Participant)

01/08/2008 → 30/07/2011