



Karin Johansson's exhibition *Observations from a Distance* at Ornamantum 2018



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Karin Johansson was born in Sweden and completed her studies at HDK Academy of Design and Crafts Gothenburg University, where she later on became head of the Jewellery Art department from 2007 to 2019. Over the course of her career she has received several grants and awards including the ten-year working grant of the Swedish Arts Grants Committee. She is also one of the founders of the Hnoss Gallery in Gothenburg, later Hnoss Initiative.

Her jewelry acts as an eclectic memoir of her past, using found objects and images from her surroundings to construct the narrative behind her pieces. In 2018, when Ornamantum showed her work, she visited Hudson.

“The two necklaces titled Hudson River Soundtrack and Warren Street Confetti were inspired from our (my daughter Alva and me) lovely stay in Hudson 2018.

The misty boat trip on the river, and all the colorful antique stores on Warren Street.

wish to be back, in a near future”