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ART STUDIES	2023-2025 Master of Culture and Arts, LAB-University of Applied Sciences, Lappeenranta 2019-2020 Vocational upper secondary qualification, Artisan of Ceramics, Forssa Vocational Institut 2010-2011 Biographic methods in visual arts, Turku University of Applied Sciences 2008-2009 Visual Artist's Specialization Studies, Lahti University of Applied Sciences 1994-1997 Fine Art, Sculpture, Satakunta University of Applied Sciences, Kankaanpää	
WORKS IN COLLECTIONS	Kemi Art Museum Tampere City Kangasala Community Kankaanpää Community Kankaanpää Art Academy Raimo Anttila Foundation Tornio Restaurant, Helsinki Tampere-Maja, Tartto, Estland Urjala Community Forst (Lausitz) Community, Germany Private collections	
ARTWORKS IN PUBLIC SPACE	<i>Wall Roses</i> <i>Traces</i> Drawings printed on aluminium Drawings, reliefs <i>Bronze sculptures</i> <i>Bronze sculpture</i> Site-specific artwork of old railroad (with Heli Mäkinen), Nahkiala lake, Akaa, 2003 Installation Monumental ceramic sculpture Granit sculpture	Tohmajärvi library, Tohmajärvi Community, 2023 Vuores, Tampere, Visura Oy, 2016 Scandic Hotel Rosendahl, Tampere, 2014 Hatanpää Health Centre, Tampere, 2008 Terra Artis Art Region, Kangasala, 2005 Kangasala library, Kangasala, 2004 Urjala Community library, Urjala, 1999 Kankaanpää Social Office, Kankaanpää, 1997 Kankaanpää centre, Kankaanpää, 1995
SOLO EXHIBITIONS (selected)	2025 Naantalin taidehuone, Naantali 2024 Runeberg house, Tampere 2023 Gallery Saskia, Tampere 2022 Järvinlinna Art Centre, Laukaa 2021 Gallery Koppelo, Tampere 2017 Keskus galleria, Tampere 2017 Art Centre Ahjo, Joensuu 2016 Drawing Gallery D5, Helsinki 2013 Tampere-Maja, Tartto, Estland 2012 Tampere Hall, Wintergarden 2012 Gallery Leonardo, Tampere 2011 Gallery Pihatto, Lappeenranta 2007 Gallery Napa, Rovaniemi 2006 Gallery Pirkko-Liisa Topelius, Helsinki 2005 Art House, Nokia 2003 Mältinranta Art Centre, Tampere 2000 Porthan -Park, Turku 1998 Tornio Atelje-bar, Helsinki	
JOIN & GROUP EXHIBITIONS IN FINLAND AND ABROAD (selected)	2021 <i>Light Gallery</i> of Tampere City and Art Museum, Public facades in Tampere 2020 100 Years Anniversary of Tampere Artists' Association, Culture House Laikku, Tampere 2020 <i>The Way I Chose</i> , Wiurila Summer Exhibition, Wiurila Art Centre, Halikko 2018 Summer exhibition of Kuhmalahden taidepappila, Kuhmalahti	

2015 *Volume*, Haihara Arts Centre, Tampere  
 2014 *Anonymous Artist*, Mäntinranta Arts Centre, Tampere  
 2013 *HEHHEH*- humour exhibition, Hirvitalo, Centre of Contemporary Art, Tampere  
 2012 *Plurale al Femminile*, Drena, Italy  
 2011 *2000 and 11 Self-Portraits*, Gallery Å, Turku  
 2011 *Ars jok vars*, Jämsä  
 2010 Art on Distribution Cabinets, Tampere Museum of Contemporary Art  
 2010 *Image of Pirkanmaa*, Voipaala Art Centre, Sääksmäki  
 2009 *Women's Space*, Kemi Art Museum  
 2009 *Open*, Voipaala Art Centre, Valkeakoski  
 2008 *Draw in*, 00130 Gallery, Helsinki  
 2008 *Impuls*, 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Exhibition of the Union of Finnish Art Associations, in internet  
 2007 *Salon August*, MUU Gallery, Helsinki  
 2007 *6 All'Femminile*, Garbagnate Milanese, Italy  
 2007 ж ж, *Livejournal*, Anna Akhmatova Museum, St.Petersburg, Russia  
 2006 *Body Navigation* Festival for Contemporary Art, Elagin-Island, St. Petersburg, Russia  
 2005 Site-Specific Art from St.Petersburg and Pirkanmaa, Kuhmalahti Art Centre, Kuhmalahti  
 2004 *Kovcheg*, Manege, St.Petersburg, Russia  
 2003 65. Annual Exhibition of the Union of Finnish Art Associations, Varkaus Art Museum  
 2003 *View*, Exhibition of Site-Specific Art, Toijala, Finland  
 2003 *Europastello*, International Exhibition of Modern Pastel Painting, St.Petersburg, Russia  
 2002 *Europastello*, International Exhibition of Modern Pastel Painting, Cuneo, Italy  
 2001 Summer Exhibition of Tampere Artists' Association, Tampere  
 1999 80. Anniversary of Tampere Artists' Association, Tampere  
 1998 *Whipped Cream*, Exhibition of Stockholm and Southwest of Finland, Rauma Art Museum  
 1995 *Whore Academy*, Artists' Association MUU, The Old Theatre Museum, Helsinki  
 1995 *Everlastings*, Gallery Mosabacka, Helsinki

#### SCULPTURE SYMPOSIUMS

2016 HolzART, Braunwald, Switzerland  
 2013 1. International Sculpture Symposium, Forst/Lausitz, Germany  
 2013 AFA-Symposium, Augsburg, Germany  
 2009 Spreewaldatelier, Lübbenau, Germany

#### MEMBERSHIPS

Finnish Painters' Union  
 Artists' Association of Tampere

#### GRANTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

2024 Culture Moves Europe, travel grant  
 2021 Arts Promotion Centre, Finland, working grant  
 2016 The Finnish Cultural Foundation, Myrsky-project (with KRIS -Tampere ry)  
 2014 Aili and Allan Salo Foundation, studio grant  
 2013 Tampere City, exhibition grant for Tampere-Maja in Tartu, Estland  
 2009 Arts Council of Finland, travel grant (for workgroup)  
 2007 Ministry of Education (for workgroup)  
 2007 Arts Council of Pirkanmaa (for workgroup)  
 2005 Arts Council of Finland, travel grant  
 2004 and 2005 Nordic Institut of Contemporary Art, travel grant  
 2002 Aili and Allan Salo Foundation  
 2000 Arts Council of Pirkanmaa  
 1998 Arts Council of Satakunta

#### OTHER ARTISTIC ACTIVITIES (selected)

2024 Artist residence, Suceava, Romania  
 2023 Artist residence, Tohmajärvi, Finland  
 2022 Artist residence, Fyns Grafiske Verksted, Odense, Denmark  
 2022 onwards Teacher of creative, functional methods, Bachelor of Social Services, Tampere University of Applied Sciences  
 2017-20 Leader of rehabilitative, therapeutic art workshop, VALO-valmennusyhdistys, Tampere  
 2009-2016 Art teacher in Tampere University of Technology, architecture department  
 2009 Coordinator and curator of *Livejournal* - Exhibition and Festival of Contemporary Art and Dance, Kemi Art Museum, Finland  
 2007 Organizer & curator of ж ж, *Livejournal* – Exhibition and Festival of Contemporary Art and Dance, Anna Akhmatova Museum, St.Petersburg  
 2006 Member of the jury in *Terra Artis* – Art Region, Pirkanmaa, Finland