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Member of the Finnish Painters Union
Member of the Artists 's Association of Lapland

Education:

2010 MA, Aalto – University, Fine Arts University of Arts and Crafts, Helsinki, Finland
2003 ME, University of Turku, Finland
1999 - 2000 Manchester Metropolitan University, Art Education and Design and Technology- studies
1992- 1996 Fine Artist, painter, Fine Arts School of Turku
1991-1992 Liminka College of Art, fine arts studies
1986-1989 The Upper Secondary School of Arts and Crafts, Savonlinna

Private exhibitions:

2021 " Breathing of the Horns " , Black Wall Gallery, Vaasa, Varikko Galleria, Seinäjoki
November 2018 – February 2019, Artist of the Month, Kemi Art Museum
2014 "When you are gone," Installation and Photographs, P-Galleria, Pori
Hella Galleria, Kauhajoki, Galleria Dada, Tampere
2013 Artist of the Month, Korundi, Rovaniemi Art Museum
2012 "Workerman ' s Hands", Invitation Exhibition, Kemi Art Museum with Kristian Krokfors
2011 "Creerings From the Bumpland", Galleria Napa, Rovaniemi
Artist of the Month, Kemi Art Museum
2010 Artist of the Month, Galleria Napa, Rovaniemi
" Paintings" , Galleria Voima, Kemi
2007 "Me, Grandmother and Mr Kekkonen", Galleria Napa, Rovaniemi
2004 Final Exhibition of MA, Vuotalon Galleria, Helsinki
1999 " Paintings" , Auran Galleria, Turku
1998 Artist of the Month, November, Art Library, Turku
1996 "The Flour Room" , Final Exhibition, Fine Arts School of Turku, Auran Galleria, Turku

Group Exhibitions (Selected)

2021 Artist Association of Lapland, Kemi Historical Museum
" Behind the Stream of Thoughts " , Exhibition from the Kemi Art Museum ' s Collection
" About the Light and Dark, 2nd Show " with Maija Vanhatapio, Lapponica Gallery, Rovaniemi
" The Holy Art " , Galleria Kookos, Helsinki
2020 Konstrundan, Kemi, Open Studios,
Listening to Each Others, Galleria Fogga, Helsinki
2019 Artbazaar, Taidebasaari, Aine Art Museum, Tornio
" Tubes Open/ Tuubit auki " , Finnish Painters Union, Open Studios, Kemi
"Free Range Cow 's Milk and Green Skyline", with Laura Eteläinen, Lapponica Gallery, Rovaniemi
Artweeks, Galleria Napa and Studio Mustanapa, Rovaniemi
2017 International Artists 's Camp, Izkantzentry, Hungary
2014 Galleria Fogga, Helsinki
Artists 's Association of Lapland, Korundi, Rovaniemi Art Museum

- 2013 Culture Center Kuulas, Ivalo
 Artist' s Association of Lapland, Sodankylä
 Magentaa, Kemi Art Museum
 "Bare /Paljaana" , Galleria Napa, Rovaniemi
- 2012 " PolART2K – Political Art From Finland from 2000" , Kemi Art Museum
 "I live on the Arctic Circle" – Artists 's Association of Lapland and Curator Reet Varblane (Estonia),
 Tallinn and Riga, August and September
- 2011 " Environment/Ympäristö" , Portait'S Galleria, Pori
 " Art Shop- Shop Art" , Kemi Historical Museum
- 2010 Artist' s Association of Lapland, Pelkosenniemi
 Artist' s Association of Lapland, Cable Factory, Helsinki
 " Factory Superstars" , Cable Factory, Helsinki
 " Summer Exhibition" , Artist' s Association of Lapland, Galleria Napa, Rovaniemi
 " Womens Works/Naisten töitä" , with Leena Knif, Pääatalo-centre, Taivalkoski
 " Cable Fair" , Cable Factory, Helsinki
- 2009 " Essential Woman/ Olennainen" , Galleria Kellokas, Ylläs
 " Womans' space/ NAISEN TILA" , Kemi Art Museum
- 2005 Finland' s Association of Artists 66th Annual Exhibition, Rovaniemi Art Museum
- 2002 " Best Before/ Parasta ennen" , Arte Association, Salo Art Museum
- 2001 " Romuluks" , Arte Association, Galleria Titanik, Turku
- 1998 " Night/ Yö" , Art Library, Turku
 " Elokimara" , Rantagalleria, Turku
- 1997 " Christmast Calendar/ Joulukalenteri" , Turku Artists Association, Brinkkala Galleria, Turku
 " Something Borrowed/ Jotakin Lainattua" , Ateljee Hotell, Turku
 " The Blue August /Sininen Augusti" , Galleria Ykkönen, Turku
 " Arte a'la Carte" , Ateljee Hotell, Turku
 " Young Artists/ Nuoret Taiteilijat" , Rantagalleria, Turku
- 1992 " The Mikkola Sisters" , Ala-Riesto Galleria, Sodankylä

Works in Collections

Private Collection of Ari Kupsus, Izkantzentry, Hungary 2017

Art Collection of Izkantzentry Village, Hungary 2017

Kemi Art Museum 2007

Salo Art Museum: Vilho Hurme - Foundation 1999

Finland's Gallup 1998

Åbo Akademi, (Swedish Speaking University of Turku) 1997

Turku Polytechnic 1996

Raisio Factory Melia Ltd 1996

Grants:

Arts Promotion Centre Finland, (for working) 2021

Arts Promotion Centre Finland,(for working) 2020

Kemi 2000 Culture and Science Foundation: project 2011, project 2020

Lapland art Committee, project 2011

Lapland Art Committee, project 2010

Western Finland Municipality, project 1999

Turku and Pori Municipality Region, project (For Art Group) 1997

Finland's Cultural Fund, project (For Art Group) 1997

Public artworks

Painting: "Ant's Liquorice", The School of Syväkangas, Kemi, 2011

Painting: "The Hare", Administration Building of Turku Swedish Speaking 's University, 1997

Other: Working as a regional artist in Laplands Art Committee, Rovaniemi 2006 -2009
Teaching in workshop called ” Artists Expedition” in Kirovsk Russia, August 2018
