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STUDIES

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| 2010-2011 | University of Applied Sciences, Arts Academy at Turku, Finland, Art in Public Space |
| 1992-1995 | University of Art and Design Helsinki (UIAH), Finland, Pedagogic Studies for an Artist |
| 1978-1983 | University of Art and Design Helsinki (UIAH), Finland, Ceramics Department |
| 1977-1978 | University of Helsinki, Finland, Art History and Ethnography |
| 1976-1983 | University of Art and Design Helsinki (UIAH), Finland, General Studies |

AWARDS, scholarships for artistic work

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| 2019 | Alfred Kordelin Foundation |
| 2017 | Finnish Cultural Foundation |
| 2016, 2013, 2011, 2003 | Finnish Cultural Foundation, North Savo Regional Fund |
| 2016, 2015, 2014 | Arts Promotion Centre Finland North Savo |
| 2013, 2009, 2006, 1998 | The Arts Council of the Northern Savo |
| 1994 | The Fund of the Province of Kuopio |
| 1989 | The Fund of the Province of Mikkeli |
| 2007 | The Varkaus Council of Culture |

GRANTS, scholarships for artistic projects

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| 2010 | Finnish Cultural Foundation |
| 2009 | Finnish Cultural Foundation, North Savo Regional Fund |
| 2016, 2015, 2014 | Arts Promotion Centre Finland |
| 2016, 2015, 2014 | Arts Promotion Centre Finland North Savo |
| 2014, 2011, 2010 | OLVI Fund |
| 2011 | Greta and William Lehtinen Fund |
| 2007, 2006, 2001, 1998, 1994 | The Finnish Council of Design |
| 2015, 2004, 2003, 2002, 2001 | The Varkaus Council of Culture |
| 1995 | Pohjola-Norden |
| 1995 | Kulturfonden Island-Finland |
| 1990, 1987, 1982 | The Arts Council for the Province of Mikkeli |
| 1985 | The Fund of the Province of Mikkeli |

MEMBERSHIPS

The International Academy of Ceramics, IAC

The Association of Finnish Sculptors

The Finnish Association of Designers ORNAMO, Artists O, a member artist group of O gallery 2014-

2015, member of The Art Department`s Board 2016-2018
Ars Libera, Kuopio Artists Association, member of the board 2009-2010
Varkaus Artists Association
Kuvasto ry

TEACHING EMPLOYMENTS

2006 Savo Consortium for Education
2004, 2001 Savonia University of Applied Sciences
1998 Lahti University of Applied Sciences
1995 The Icelandic College of Art and Crafts, visitor/workshop
1988-1994, 1998, 2007 Varkaus School of Art for Children
1985-1991 Leppävirta Open College
1984-2004 Varkaus Vocational School of Arts and Design

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS (over 20)

2019 ECHOES, Helsinki Music Centre, Helsinki, Finland
2018 Reflections, Galerie Pleiku, Berlin, Germany
2018 Three colours, Ars Libera Gallery, Kuopio, Finland
2018 Artists O, Artist of the Month, May 2018, www.artists-o.fi
2017 Door, AARNI Gallery, Espoo, Finland
2017 Vegetation, SEINÄ Gallery, Helsinki, Finland
2016 OX (Retrospective), Varkaus Art Museum, Varkaus, Kuopio Art Museum, Kuopio
Sculptor Gallery (The Artist of the Month/October), Helsinki, Finland
2016 DAILY ART (Retrospective), all over Varkaus, Finland
2015 Anthropocene, O Gallery, Helsinki, Finland
2014 Fortuna, G12, Kuopio, Finland
2012, 2008 Artists O, Artist of the Month, netgallery www.artists-o.fi / Design Museum, Helsinki,
Finland
2012 When The Rain Didn't Come, Kumbukumbu, The Finnish Evangelical Lutheran
Mission Museum, Helsinki, Finland
2007 Laterna Magica, Helsinki, Finland
1995 The Icelandic College of Art and Crafts, Reykjavik, Iceland
1994 Septaria Gallery, Helsinki, Finland

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS (over 50)

2018 Contemporary Touch – Finnish Ceramic Art in Taiwan 2018, Sanyi Fu-Guei Gallery,
Sanyi Township, Taiwan
2017 Sjählö 9, Reflections of otherness, Lapinlahti Gallery, Helsinki, Finland
2017 Juuret(on), Kellarikalleria, Suonenjoki, Finland
2015 Sjählö 9, The Finnish Institute, Berlin, Germany
2015 LARU15 HUMAN ERA, Nordic Environmental Art Exhibition, Helsinki, Finland
2014 SAVI sublime, Kadieff, Helsinki, Finland
2014 Sjählö 9, Tikanoja Art Museum, Vaasa, Finland
2014 Sjählö 9, Nordic House, Reykjavik, Iceland
2013 Sjählö 9, Hyvinkää Art Museum, Hyvinkää, Finland
2012 LOVE, Kuopio Art Museum, Kuopio, Finland
2012 WATERS - VESIÄ - AMANZI, WDC Helsinki 2012, Lahti, Finland
2011 WATERS - VESIÄ – AMANZI, Rovaniemi, Helsinki, Kuopio, Finland
2011 "Oon kaupungissa" – "Designspotting", Helsinki, Finland
2011 CREATIVE MOMENTS, Galerie Forum Berlin am Meer, Berlin, Germany
2011 VISIONARIES, five views to one material, Varkaus Art Museum, Varkaus, Finland

- 2010 WATERS-VESIÄ-AMANZI, Johannesburg, Durban, Cape Town, South Africa
- 2010 BOATS - sculptures by the shore, Housing Fare, Kuopio, Finland
- 2010 Creative moments, SoHo- Gallery, Osaka, Japan
- 2010 9 finnish ceramic artists, The Finnish Institute in St. Petersburg, St. Petersburg, Russia
- 2009 Kalma, Culture Center Poleeni, Pieksämäki, Finland
- 2008 OTTO, Circulo de Bellas Artes, Madrid, Spain
- 2008 THAMBOS 8, Vic, Spain 2008 ID(entitats), Centelles, Spain
- 2008 The Art Career, Helsinki, Finland, Forja, Valencia, Spain

SELECTED JOINT EXHIBITIONS (over 70)

- 2018 IAC Member's Exhibition, Free Expression, Yingge Ceramics Museum, New Taipei City, Taiwan
- 2018 IAC Member's Exhibition, Thematic Exhibition, Yingge Ceramics Museum, New Taipei City, Taiwan
- 2018 BELA Biennial 2018, Cable Factory, Helsinki, Finland
- 2018 Enokojima, Art, Culture and Creative Center, Osaka, Japan
- AVA Art Festival 2018, Centro Cultural Light, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil,
- 2017 JOKA HETKI ON POIKKEUS, State of the Art – contemporary art from The Collection of Finnish State Art Commission, Riihimäki, Finland
- 2013-2012 Now Here Finland 2012, Valencia, Spain, Jyväskylä, Savonlinna, Lahti, Finland
- 2012, 2009, 1996 Ceramega, Voipaala Art Center, Sääksmäki, Finland
- 2012 Argilla Italia, International Fair in Faenza, Italy
- 2012 BELA Biennial 2012, Galeria do Palácio, Porto, Portugal
- 2011 Between tradition and future, Cheongju International Craft Biennale, Cheongju, South-Korea
- 2009, 2011 ArtHelsinki Contemporary Art Fair, Helsinki, Finland
- 2008/2009 R.ASIA, Kuparipaja, Fiskars, Finland
- 2008 FIRE, Le Arie del Tempo, Genoa, Italy

ATR WORKS IN THE COLLECTIONS a.o.

- State of Finland
- Kuopio Art Museum, Finland
- The Craft Museum of Finland, Jyväskylä, Finland
- Munkkiniemi Parish, Helsinki, Finland
- Folksbank Cloppenburg, Germany
- SAK Gallery, Svendborg, Denmark

PUBLIC WORKS

- Joesuu University, Joensuu, Finland
- Rantasalmi Church, Rantasalmi, Finland
- Service Center Louhirinne 1 and 2, Varkaus, Finland
- Senior House, Varkaus, Finland

OTHER ARTISTIC ACTIVITY a.o.

- 2017- IAC, exhibition team for kongress in Rovaniemi, Finland 2002
- 2011- Sjählö9, interdisciplinary artist-scientific group
- 2011 Visionaries, Varkaus Art Museum, Varkaus, Finland, curator and producer
- 2009-2012 WATERS-VESIÄ-AMANZI, Finnis - South African exhibition project, organized by the artist group

- 2010 Boats, Housing Fare, Kuopio, Finland, curator and producer
2013, 2008 The Ryijy lives On, Budapest, Hungary and Varkaus, Finland, exhibition hangout plan
2005 IN VIA VII International Environmental Art Exhibition, Varkaus, Finland, member of organizing team

NOTABLE EXCURSIONS

Japan, Korea 2018, Georgia, Armenia 2017, Germany (Berlin) 2018, 2016, Iceland 2014, 1995, Namibia 2011, South Africa 2010, Italy 2016, 2008, Switzerland 2008, Cuba 2007, New Zealand 2004, Russia, Mongolia, China 2002, Egypt 2000, Chile 1999, Spain 1991, Mexico, Guatemala 1989, USA 1974-1975