

Curriculum Vitae

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Education in Art:

- 2005 - 2014 Master of Arts, The Program of Audiovisual Media Culture, University of Lapland, Rovaniemi, Finland
2009 Konstfack - The Department of Fine Arts, Stockholm, Sweden
(exchange studies, autumn semester)
1999 – 2003 Taidekoulu Maa - School of Fine Arts, Helsinki, Finland

Memberships:

MUU ry (Artists' Association of Finland)
AV-arkki (Centre for Finnish Media Art)
Kuvasto ry (Copyright Organisation for Visual Artists in Finland)
Artists' Association of Lapland
Northern Media Culture Association Magneetti

Artistic Work:

Screenings (selected):

2022 Inversia Festival, Murmansk, Russia
2021 Kinos Film Festival, Lahti, Finland
2020 Fisura, International Festival of Experimental Film & Video, Mexico City, Mexico
2020 Super Off - International Super 8 Film Festival, São Paulo, Brazil
2020 Split Videoart Festival, Croatia
2020 That One Film Festiva, Muncie, Indiana, USA
2020 Platforms Project Athens, Greece
2020 BioRex Goes Art – Arctic Media Art, Rovaniemi, Finland
2020 Mad Lab - Experiment 6 Screening, Albuquerque, NM, USA
2020 Inversia Festival, Murmansk, Russia
2019 Transient Visions: Festival of the Moving Image, Johnson City, NY, USA
2019 Experimental Film Guanajuato Festival, Guanajuato, Mexico
2019 Pugniant Film Series: This Is Not a Robot Film Festival, Athens, Greece
2019 Pile of Bones Underground Film Festival, Regina, Canada
2019 DOBRA - Festival Int'l de Cinema Experimental, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
2019 Lino Kino Public Access-Installation, Philadelphia, PA, USA
2019 Nomads Festival: Kino Club Helsinki meets Laponia Improvisations, Helsinki, Finland
2019 Bogotá Experimental Film Festival, Colombia
2019 Kunsthalle Turku, Screening event, Turku, Finland
2019 Post Midsummer-Studio, Gallery Ars Libera, Kuopio, Finland
2019 The Hazel Eye Film Festival, USA
2019 Video Prima Event, Rovaniemi Art Museum, Finland
2018 Pugniant Film Series: Chronophobie & Auto-Catastrophie, Athens, Greece
2018 MUU Gala 2018, Sergey Kuryokhin Center for Modern Art, Saint Petersburg, Russia
2018 MUU Gala 2018, Art Center Ahjo, Joensuu, Finland
2018 MUU Gala 2018, Helsinki, Finland
2018 Pugniant Film Series: Fuck Narration, Athens, Greece
2017 MUU Monday Screening (Experiment), Helsinki, Finland
2017 Kino Club Helsinki (Made in Home), Finland
2017 Moviate Screening: Best of 2016, Harrisburg, PA, USA
2016 Moviate Underground Film Festival, Harrisburg, PA, USA
2015 Videodrunken Film Festival, Toronto, Canada
2015 Lausanne Underground Film and Music Festival, Switzerland
2015 Bogotá Experimental Film Festival, Colombia

2015 Unseen Zinema 3, Madrid, Spain
 2015 Experiments In Cinema Festival, Albuquerque, NM, USA
 2015 Kinostudio Film Festival, Lahti, Finland
 2014 Transient Visions: Festival of the Moving Image, Johnson City, NY, USA
 2014 Antimatter [Media Art] Festival, Victoria, Canada
 2013 Vitus Festival, Rovaniemi, Finland
 2013 Antimatter [Media Art] Festival, Victoria, Canada
 2013 International Super 8mm Festival Szeged, Hungary
 2013 Montreal Underground Film Festival, Canada
 2013 Milwaukee Underground Film Festival, Milwaukee, WI, USA
 2013 Kinostudio Film Festival, Lahti, Finland
 2013 The West Virginia Mountaineer Short Film Festival, Morgantown, WV, USA
 2012 Arctic Fury film festival, Rovaniemi, Finland
 2012 Antimatter Film Festival, Victoria, Canada
 2012 Reikäreuna Film Festival, Orivesi, Finland
 2012 Montreal Underground Film Festival, Canada
 2012 Experimental Film Festival Portland, Portland, OR, USA
 2012 The West Virginia Mountaineer Short Film Festival, Morgantown, WV, USA
 2012 The Berlin International Directors Lounge Festival, Germany
 2012 Tromsø International Film Festival, Tromsø, Norway
 2011 Antimatter Film Festival, Victoria, Canada
 2011 New England Underground Film Festival, Hartford, CT, USA
 2011 The West Virginia Mountaineer Short Film Festival, Morgantown, WV, USA
 2010 Winnipeg's Festival of Film and Video Art, Winnipeg, Canada
 2010 IFEM, Inari Festival of Experimental Music, Inari, Finland
 2010 Takoma Park Experimental Film Festival, Silver Spring, MD, USA
 2010 Flicker Chapel Hill, Durham, NC, USA
 2010 United States Super 8 Film and Digital Video Festival, NJ, USA
 2010 Tromsø International Film Festival, Tromsø, Norway
 2009 The Kettupäivät - Finnish Shortfilm and Documentary Film Festival, Helsinki, Finland
 2009 Arctic Fury film festival, Rovaniemi, Finland
 2009 Super8 FF, International Super8 Film Festival Milan, Italy
 2005 Valosta – festival of video art, Tampere, Finland
 2005 Avanto- festival of audiovisual art, Helsinki, Finland
 2003 La-baz international event for performance, video, sound and installation, Kunsthalle Helsinki, Finland
 2002 Pärnu International Film & Video Festival, Pärnu, Estonia

Solo exhibitions:

2022 Studio Mustanapa, Rovaniemi, Finland (coming up)
 2020 Artist of the Month, Rovaniemi Art Museum, Finland
 2019 Picturing a Micropolis: 96100-97690, MUU Studio, Helsinki, Finland
 2018 Picturing a Micropolis: 96100-97690, Studio Mustanapa, Rovaniemi, Finland
 2016 Somewhere Else and Yet Always Here, Studio Mustanapa, Rovaniemi, Finland
 2013 Out of Order, Gallery Katve, Rovaniemi, Finland
 2010 Hiljaisuudesta toiseen, Gallery Katve, Rovaniemi, Finland
 2009 Microhistories, Gallery Katve, Rovaniemi, Finland
 2006 Sydänyö, Napa - Gallery, Rovaniemi, Finland
 2005 Sydänyö, Gallery Majakka, Helsinki, Finland

Group Exhibitions :

2022 Joint Russian-Finnish group exhibition (working title) organised by Artists' Association of Lapland, Gallery Napa, Rovaniemi, Finland (coming up)
 2021 Space, Environment, Architecture, Cable Factory Puristamo & MUU Helsinki, Contemporary Art Centre, Helsinki, Finland
 2021 Wiping the Ice-Cream Off Your Face - De-arcticfication' in Nordic Arts, Gallery Valo, Rovaniemi, Finland
 2020 Exploration to Possible Futures, Gallery Hämärä, Rovaniemi, Finland

- 2019 66 pohjoista ja 25 itäistä, Mältinranta Artcenter, Tampere
- 2014 The Snowball Effect - the North Finland Biennial, Rovaniemi Museum of Art, Rovaniemi, Finland
- 2012 PolArt2K-Exhibition, Kemi Art Museum, Kemi, Finland
- 2012 The Snowball Effect - the North Finland Biennial, Oulu Museum of Art, Oulu, Finland
- 2011 YOUNG ARTISTS 2011 - Finnish Artist's Association's exhibition for Young Artists, Kunsthalle Helsinki, Finland
- 2011 Live Herring 2011: In Unreality, Keuruu Museum, Keuruu, Finland
- 2009 1, Galleri Konstfack, Stockholm, Sweden
- 2007 Santa Faro, Gallery Majakka, Helsinki, Finland
- 2007 Aallon harjalla, Gallery Katve, Rovaniemi, Finland
- 2003 Unia todesta, New Underground School Gallery, Lahti, Finland
- 2003 Free trial, Parosen sali - gallery, Riihimäki, Finland
- 2002 Taidekoulu Maa Graduation Exhibition, Suomenlinnan Rantakasarmi Gallery, Helsinki, Finland
- 2001 Maisema/Identiteetti, Kanneltalo Gallery, Helsinki, Finland
- 2001 Maisemasta identiteettin, Gallery Push firma beige, Helsinki, Finland
- 2000 Taidekoulu Maa Spring Exhibition, Taidekoulu Maa Spaces, Helsinki, Finland
- 2002 Aika, ajatus, avaruus - event, Tampere, Finland

Published Audio Works on Compilations:

MUU FOR EARS 10 CD (MUU ry, 2012)

Residencies:

2016 Artists' Residency, Berlin Sessions in Culturia, Berlin, November

Awards:

- 2013 International Super 8mm Festival Szeged, Hungary
Jury Mention for the film "Out of Order"
- 2010 Winnipeg's Festival of Film and Video Art, Winnipeg, Canada:
Jury Prize of Best International Work for the film "From One's Silence to Other's"
- 2010 United States Super 8 Film and Digital Video Festival, New Jersey, USA:
Honorary mention for the film "From One's Silence to Other's"

Grants:

- 2021 The Arts Promotion Centre Finland, Public Display Grant
- 2020 The Arts Promotion Centre Finland, media art project grant
- 2020 The Arts Promotion Centre Finland, corona grant
- 2020 The Arts Promotion Centre Finland, Regional Office of Lapland, project grant (for working group)
- 2020 The Finnish-Norwegian Cultural Foundation, project grant (for working group)
- 2019 The Foundation of Jussi Eiramo
- 2018 The Arts Promotion Centre Finland, Regional Office of Lapland, ½ year artist grant
- 2018 VISEK – The Centre for the Promotion of Visual Art
- 2017 AVEK - The Promotion Centre for Audiovisual Culture
- 2017 The Arts Promotion Centre Finland, Regional Office of Lapland, 3-month artist grant
- 2016 The City of Rovaniemi
- 2015 Finnish Cultural Foundation, ½ year artist grant
- 2014 Finnish Cultural Foundation, Lapland Regional fund, ½ year artist grant
- 2011 Lapland University Foundation
- 2006 Foundation of Valto Pernu

Other Activities

2021 Young Arctic Artists 2021, Galleria Napa, Rovaniemi, Finland & Alta Kunsforening, Norway (Curating together with Savu Korteniemi, Katriina Pedersen and Åsne Kummeneje Mellem)

2021 Split Videoart Festival, Croatia (Jury Member)

2020 Inversia Festival, Murmansk, Russia (Curating a video art screening at the festival)

2019 Young Arctic Artists, Galleria Napa, Rovaniemi (Curating together with Ninni Korkalo)

2019 Video Prima, Rovaniemi Art Museum, Finland Curating three video art screenings for the event)

Filmography:

Men at Work (2022) 6mins

Film originally compiled in 2010, completely revised in 2022

Found Footage 16mm film transferred to 4K-video

Pienkaupunkisinfonia: 96100-97690 / Picturing a Micropolis: 96100-97690 (2018) 10min54s

Super-8 transferred to 4K-video

Jossain muualla ja silti aina ta a lla / Somewhere Else and Yet Always Here (2017) 59min32s

Super-8 transferred to HD-video

Hiljaisuudesta toiseen / From One's Silence to Other's (2014) 8min36s

Made in cooperation with Annika Rapo

Film originally compiled in 2009, completely revised in 2014

Super-8 transferred to HD-video

Smokestacks, Below (2012) 6min 16s

Found Footage 16mm film transferred to HD-video

Out of Order (2011)

1 channel film (11min58s) & 3 channel installation (12min13s)

Super-8 transferred to HD-video

The Mystery and the Melancholy of a Street (2003) 4min23s

Super-8 transferred to video

Valmiina seikkailuun / Ready for the Adventure (2003) 3min50s

Found Footage 16mm film transferred to video

Osta keuhkosityöpä! / Buy Yourself a Lung Cancer! (2003) 2min3s

Found Footage 16mm film transferred to video