

Curriculum Vitae

Ulla Jokisalo

Born 1955 in Kannus, Finland. Lives and works in Helsinki, Finland.

Education

1977-1983 University of Art and Design, Helsinki, FI

Academic experience

1984- University of Art and Design, Helsinki, FI

2002-04 Professor, Department of Visual Culture, University of Arts and Design, Helsinki, FI

Curatorial and Professional experience

1998-99 The curator of The Third Finnish Photography Triennial What is real, Helsinki
Kunstahalle, Helsinki, Mikkelin Art Museum, Mikkelin

1991 For Private Use, tv-film (with art historian Arja Elovirta and tv-producer Tarja Strandén),
YLE 1

1987 The Essential Vocabulary, tv-film about the work of Ulla Jokisalo (with tv-producer Tarja
Strandén), YLE 1

Solo Exhibitions (selected)

2011 Intentions - Under the Guise of Play, Finnish Museum of Photography, Helsinki, FI

2011 Ars Nova Museum, Turku, Finland (with a Monograph)

2006 Regression works, Synart Gallery, Frankfurt am Main, DE

The World imaginable, The State Museum of History of St. Petersburg, RU

2005 An Open book, Photographic Gallery Hippolyte, Helsinki, FI

2002 NaDiff Gallery, Tokyo, JP

2001 The Memory of My Images, the Years 1980-2000; retrospective show, Helsinki City Art
Museum, Helsinki, FI

1997 Silhouettes, Photographic Gallery Hippolyte, Helsinki, FI

Victor Barsokevitch Photographic Centre, Kuopio, FI

1993 Cutting; retrospective show, Kuopio Art Museum, Kuopio, FI

1992 ANIMALis, The Museum of Contemporary Art Helsinki, FI

Puberty, Rantagalleria, Oulu, FI

1989 Private Fantasies, Photographic Gallery Finnfoto, Helsinki, FI

1986 Essence, Photographic Gallery Finnfoto, Helsinki, FI

Wäinö Aaltonen Museum, Turku, FI

1985 Alvar Aalto Museum, Jyväskylä, FI

1984 The Essential Vocabulary, Photographic Gallery Finnfoto, Helsinki, FI

Hämeenlinna Art Museum, Hämeenlinna, FI

1983 On loneliness, on that which separates us and from which memory creates a
shared experience, on us, Photographic Gallery Finnfoto, Helsinki, FI

Group Exhibitions (selected)

2011 Female View - Part 2, Fotoraum, Vienna, AT

2011 Alice in Wonderland, Logomo, Turku, Finland; cat.

A Female View, Purdy/Hicks, London Viennafair, Vienna, Austria

2010 Daegu Photo Biennale, South Korea; cat.

2009 Ecology of Emotions, XIV Mänttä Art Festival, Mänttä, FI

Finlandia 200, Finnish Portraiture 1809-2009, Helsinki City Art Museum

Works, Deeds, The Finnish Museum of Photography, Helsinki, FI

The Artist's Kalevala, Ateneum Art Museum, The National Gallery of Finland, FI

A Stich in Time (with Leena Saraste), Photographic Gallery Hippolyte, Helsinki, FI

2008 Helsinki by Night, Gallery Taik, Berlin, DE

2007 Paris Photo, Art Fair, Paris, FR

Our Land! Photographs from Finland, Helsinki City Art Museum, Helsinki, FR

To Look or to see, Finnish Museum of Photography, Helsinki, FI

Emma, Museum of Modern Art Espoo, FI

- 2006 Reflections, The Photography Centre of Mikkeli, FI
 Paris Photo, Central Exhibition Pays Nordiques a L'Honneur, Paris, FR
 Black and white metaphor, Helsinki Kunsthalle, Helsinki, FI
 The Helsinki School – A new Approach, Hotel de Ville de Bruxelles, Brüssels, BE
 Borås Art Museum, Borås, SE
- 2005 The Helsinki School – A new Approach, Künstlerhaus Bethanien, Berlin, DE
 The Helsinki School, Photography by Taik, Kulturhuset, Stockholm, SE
 Fractures of life, Museum of Contemporary Art KIASMA, Helsinki, FI
- 2004 To look or to see, The Finnish Museum of Photography, Helsinki, FI
 Love me or leave me, The Museum of Contemporary Art KIASMA, Helsinki30 by Taik, The Finnish Museum of Photography, Helsinki, FI
 Finnish Contemporary Photography, Roellin/Duerr galerie, St. Gallen, CH
- 2003 New Realities, Hasselblad Center, Göteborg, SE
 iD, Platform, Vaasa, FI
 Laps Suomen, Tikanojan taidekoti, Vaasa; Salo Art Museum, FI
 Finlands Institutet (with Aino Kannisto), Stockholm, SE
- 2002 Mutter, Fotogalerie Wien, Vienna, AT
 Almost perfect, Jugendsali, Helsinki; Kuopio Art Museum, Kuopio, FI
 Vapaa kappale, Jukka Male Museum, Helsinki, FI
- 2001 Familienbild, Neuer Berliner Kunstverein, Berlin, DE
 Voltti, The Lönnström Art Museum, Rauma, FI
 The Art Weeks in Mänttä, Mänttä, FI
- 2000 The Human Body as an Expression of the Subconscious, Tokyo Metropolitan Museum of Photography, Tokyo, JP
 Dein Wille geschehe...Das Bild des Vaters in Zeitgenössischer Kunst und Wissenschaft, Haus am Waldsee, Berlin, DE
 Pohjoinen postmodernismi, Museum of Contemporary Art KIASMA, Helsinki, FI
- 1999 Auf der Suche nach der Zeit, Haus am Waldsee, Berlin, DE
 In Visible Light, Photographic Art Museum, Helsinki, FI
 The Home District, The Photography Centre of Mikkeli, Mikkeli, FI
- 1998 The Second Finnish Art Triennale, Helsinki Kunsthalle, Helsinki, FI
 The Nude and the Masked, Images of Woman in Finnish Art, Helsinki City Art Museum, Helsinki, FI
 Fins Huis (with Stefan Bremer), Antwerpen, BE
- 1997 Above/Below, the Surface, The Museum of Contemporary Art Helsinki, Helsinki, FI
 Dark Side, Kari Kenetti Gallery, Helsinki, FI
 The Drum and the Camera, The Gallen-Kallela Museum, Espoo, FI
 Galerie Lichtblick, Cologne, DE
- 1996 Borealis 7 - Desire, Bergen Art Museum, Bergen, Norway, Gallery F 15, Moss, NO
 Göteborg Art Museum/Hasselblad Center, Göteborg, SE
- 1996 Above/Below, the Surface, Museum van Hedendaagse Kunst Antwerpen MUHKA, Antwerpen, BE
 Momentum, The Finnish Museum of Photography, Helsinki, FI
 Divers Memories, The Pielinen Museum, Lieksa, FI
 Vents du Nord, N.C.E. la gallerie, Paris, FR
 Bosnia-Herzegovina Art Museum, Sarajevo, BIH
- 1995 The Script, The Second Finnish Photography Triennial, Helsinki Kunsthalle, Helsinki, FI
 Borealis 7 - Desire, Helsinki City Art Museum, Helsinki, Louisiana, The Museum of Modern Art, Humblebaek, DK
 Postfem, Female Photographers Post Art Exhibition, Helsinki Post Museum, Helsinki, FI
 Vents du Nord, Le Mois de la Photographie, Talant, FR
- 1994 Floating forks, The Centre fo Creative Photography, Jyväskylä, FI
 ART=ACT, Galleria dell credito Valtellinase, Milan, IT
 Le cruxifié Artic, Institut Finlandaise, Paris, FR
 Album, Private photographs from Finland and Sweden, Turku, FI
- 1993 ART=ACT, The Finnish Museum of Photography, Helsinki, FI
 A Woman's Laughter II, Vapauden aukio, Helsinki, FI
- 1992 Fotogalerie Wien, Vienna, AT
 The Touch, Villa Roma, Turku, FI
 Postmoral, The First Finnish Photography Triennial, Helsinki, FI
 Kunsthalle, Helsinki, FI
 A Woman's Laughter, Vapauden aukio, Helsinki, FI
- 1991 The Speaking Eye, Otso Gallery, Espoo, FI
 ZET, Rotuaari, Oulu, FI

- 1990 La Photographie et la Philosophie, Institut Finlandaise, Paris, FR
 1989 Colour, Photographic Gallery Hippolyte, Helsinki, Okra Gallery, Vantaa, FI
 The Photography Centre of Mikkeli (with Armi Laukia), Mikkeli, FI
 13 Most, Moscow; Krasnogvarsk, Kiov, Kazan, Harkov, Talinn, EST
 Photographers look at themselves, Rundetårn, Copenhagen, DK
 1988 Questioning Europe, Reinterpretations within Photography, Holland-America Line
 Terminal, Rotterdam, BE
 Utopia and Memory, Taidesalonki Bellárte, Turku, Gallery Uusikuva, Kotka, Kuopio Art
 Museum, Kuopio, Kluuvi Gallery, Helsinki, Joensuu Art Museum, Joensuu, FI
 Muu, The Muu Society's Exhibition, Artis's Union Gallery, Helsinki, FI
 Kilo III Finale (with MOX Mäkelä), Kilo, Espoo, FI
 1987 Künstlerische Fotografie in Skandinavien heute, Kunstmuseum Düsseldorf, DE
 13- New Finnish Photography Art, Otso Gallery, Espoo, FI
 Contemporary Finnish Photography, Ganser Art Gallery, Pennsylvania, USA
 1986 Zeitgenössische Photographen, Nikon-Galerie, Vienna, AT
 Where - Finnish Photographic Art in 1842-1986, Helsinki Kunsthalle, Helsinki, FI
 1985 Nordisk Fotokunst, Odense, DK
 Woman's Energies (with Kari Paajanen), Jugendsali, Helsinki, FI
 1984 Varrella virran, Pori Art Museum, Pori, FO
 26 – The First Group Exhibition of Female Photographers in Finland, Photographic
 Gallery Hippolyte, Helsinki; Wäinö Aaltonen Museum, Turku, Canon Photo Gallery,
 Amsterdam, Holland, Hämeenlinna Art Museum, Hämeenlinna, Joensuu Art Museum,
 Joensuu, FI

Publications (selected)

- 2005 Fort-da, Portfolio with ten pigment ink prints and two appended sheets, issue of twenty
 numbered and signed copies, Musta Taide
 2001 Monograph Ulla Jokisalo, The Memory of My Images, the Years 1980-2000, Musta Taide
 1998 The Bond (with author Anja Snellman), WSOY
 1983 All by the Border, silkscreen print publication (with Taneli Eskola)

Awards

- 2004-09 Art Professorship of the State
 2002 The Finnish Culture Fund Prize
 2001 The State Art Prize
 1985 Finnish Cultural Union Award
 1984 State Art Prize
 1983 University of Art and Design scholarship

Collections

Alvar Aalto Museum
 Bibliotheque Henri Vincenot
 Espoo City
 Hasselblad Foundation
 Helsinki City Art Museum
 The Museum of Contemporary Art KIASMA
 Pori Art Museum
 KOURI Collection
 Kuntsi Museum of Modern Art, Swanljung Collection
 The Saastamoinen Collection
 The Finnish Museum of Photography
 The Museum of Contemporary Art Tampere
 The Finnish State; Wäinö Aaltonen Museum
 The Oulu Art Museum
 Private Collections in Belgium, Holland, France, Austria, Switzerland, Norway, Sweden,
 Germany and Finland.