

## KRISTIINA UUSITALO Curriculum Vitae

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### STUDIES

- 1986–1988 Master of Fine Arts, Tyler School of Art, Temple University,  
Philadelphia, PA, USA  
1978–1982 The School of Fine Arts Academy of Finland, Helsinki

### SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2024 Laukko Manor, Vesilahti  
2023 Villa Suruton, Savonlinna  
2022 Turku Art Museum  
2022 Galleria Heino, Helsinki  
2021 Studio Ilo, Savonlinna  
2019 Finlandia University Gallery, Hancock , MI, USA  
2019 Gallery Pictor, Vihti, Finland  
2019 Gallery Heino, Helsinki, Finland  
2018 Galleria Valo, University of Lapland, Arktikum , Rovaniemi  
2017 Kunstlerhaus FRISE, Hamburg, Germany  
Gallery Harmaja, Oulu  
Auran galleria , Turku  
Gallery Himmelblau, Tampere  
2016 Gallery Heino, Helsinki  
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2012 Amos Anderson Art Museum, Helsinki  
Gallery Harmaja, Oulu  
2010 Gallery Heino, Helsinki  
2008 Gallery Ama, Turku  
2007 Nelimarkka Museum, Alajärvi  
Gallery Heino, Helsinki  
Gallery Harmaja, Oulu  
2005 Oulu Art Museum, Finland  
2004 Gallery Forum Box, Helsinki  
Gallery Artina, Helsinki  
2002 Taidesalonki HUSA, Tampere (and 2004)  
2000 Mikkeli Art Museum  
1999 Gallery Artina, Helsinki  
1998 South Karelia Art Museum, Lappeenranta  
1996 Unibank Gallery, New York, N.Y., USA  
1995 A.I.R. Gallery, New York, N.Y., USA  
Gallery Titanik, Turku  
Galerie Kaj Forsblom, Helsinki  
1993 Gallery D'Arte, Helsinki  
1992 Savonlinna Art Museum  
1991 Gallery D'Arte, Helsinki

1990 Gallery Pelin, Helsinki  
 1989 Jessica Berwind Gallery, Philadelphia, PA, USA  
 1987 Gallery Sculptor, Helsinki  
 1984 Gallery Katariina, Helsinki (and 1985)

#### SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2026 Statutum Est Hominibus Mori, Forum Box ,Helsinki  
 2026 Lummekilpi, Someron Kivimeijeri , Somero  
 2025 M\_itä Biennial, Kumma, Kuopio  
 2024 Kesäretkellä, Forum Box 25-v, Galleria 3H+K, Pori  
 2021 Artists Draw Their Studios, BYRDCLIFFE Kleinert/James Center for the Arts, Woodstock, NY, USA  
 2021 Jälkiä, Rovaniemen Taidemuseo  
 2020 Luonnon edestä- teoksia Heino Taidesäätiön kokoelmasta, Kouvola Art Museum Poikilo  
 2020 Elämän Vesi, Gallery Kling&Bang, Reykjavik, Iceland  
 2019 Enchantment /Lumous, Purnu Art Center, Orivesi, Finland  
 2019 Con Amore, Rovaniemi Art Museum, Rovaniemi, Finland  
 2017 More Women, desing sublime, Girls' Club, Available Space Miami Beach, Florida, USA  
 Real Celebration, Rovaniemi Art Museum, Rovaniemi  
 Treats from Finland, Nordic Art gallery, Antibes, Ranska  
 2016 From Heino with Love,HAM, Helsinki  
 2015 Women's Weapons: Lipstick and Tears, Sara Hilden Art Museum, Tampere, Finland  
 2014 Festen ,Gallery Forum Box , Helsinki, Finland  
 2012 Little Languages / Coded Pictures, Kathryn Markel Fine Art, New York, N.Y., USA  
 2011 Metsä – The Forest, Serlachius Art Museum, Mänttä Finland  
 Taiteen Vuoksi-Lake Saimaa in Images, South Karelia Art Museum ( 2012 Mikkeli Art Museum and Kuopio Art Museum)  
 2010 Export-Import, Helsinki Kunsthall  
 2009 Häikäisevää- Dazzling, Väinö Aaltonen Art Museum, Turku  
 Maalaamisen arvoista- Worth Painting, Amos Anderson Art Museum, Helsinki  
 Heijastuksia-Reflections, Hämeenlinna Art Museum  
 2008 3rd Beijing Biennial, Beijing, China  
 'Heijastuksia – Reflections', Kuntsi Museum of Modern Art, Vaasa  
 2006 Intiimi, Mänttä Art Festival  
 The Artist and the Spectator, Sara Hilden Art Museum, Tampere  
 2005 2nd Beijing Biennial, Beijing, China  
 2004 Mystiikan portit, Tampere Art Museum  
 Stream of Seeing, Amos Anderson Art Museum, Helsinki  
 Alex Gallery, Washington DC, USA  
 2003 Luonto ja Ihmisluonto, Purnu, Orivesi  
 Na Vode – Veden runoutta, Museum of Russian Art, St. Petersburg, Russia  
 2002 Northern Borders, Perimeter College Fine Arts Gallery, Clarkston GA, USA; West Georgia University Fine Art Gallery, Atlanta, GA, USA  
 Maisema ajassa, Heinola Art Museum  
 2001 Isänmaa ja äidinkieli, Oulu Art Museum  
 Wihuri Foundation Collection, Kunsthalle Helsinki  
 2000 The Realm of Senses, Turku Art Museum

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| 1999 | Aika- Time, Mänttä Art Festival<br>Finnish Painters' Union, Amos Anderson Art Museum                                                                                                       |
| 1997 | Henkilökohtaista, Mänttä Art Festival<br>Helsinki Artists' Association, Kunsthalle Helsinki; Stockholm                                                                                     |
| 1995 | Kärsimys ja Paratiisi, South Karelian Art Museum, Lappeenranta<br>Contemporary Exchanges, Quartair Gallery, Den Haag, Holland<br>Crossing Over – Changing Places, Helsinki City Art Museum |
| 1992 | International Ceramic Workshop, Tokoname, Japan                                                                                                                                            |
| 1989 | Jessica Berwind Gallery, Philadelphia, PA, USA( and 1991,1993)<br>The Fabric Workshop Gallery, Philadelphia, PA, USA                                                                       |
| 1988 | Scandinavian Drawing Triennial, Skellefteå, Sweden<br>Pauhaus, Savonlinna Art Museum; Mikkeli Art Museum                                                                                   |
| 1987 | Hedelmiä, Kunsthalle Helsinki                                                                                                                                                              |

## PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

Aalto University  
 Ahlstrom Company  
 Aine Art Museum, Tornio  
 Amos Anderson Art Museum, Helsinki  
 Heino Collection  
 Helsinki Art Museum  
 Imatra Art Museum  
 Imatran Voima  
 Jenny and Antti Wihuri Foundation Collection, Rovaniemi Art Museum  
 Joensuu Art Museum  
 Kiasma Museum of Contemporary Art  
 Merita Art Foundation  
 Mikkeli Art Museum  
 Oulu Art Museum  
 Paulo Foundation  
 Pirkanmaan sairaanhoitopiiri  
 Region Östergötland, Lindköping  
 Saastamoinen Foundation Art Collection, Espoo  
 Sara Hilden Art Museum, Tampere  
 Savonlinna Art Museum  
 South Karelia Art Museum, Lappeenranta  
 Tampere Museum of Contemporary Art  
 The Evangelic Lutheran Parish of Helsinki  
 The Evangelic Lutheran Parish of Imatra  
 Turku Art Museum  
 University of Tampere  
 Varma Insurance Company

## AWARDS

|      |                                                                 |
|------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|
| 2008 | State Prize for Visual Arts                                     |
| 1997 | 1st Price in Tainionkoski Church Altarpiece Competition, Imatra |

## PUBLIC WORKS

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|------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 2024 | Laine Hospital Lobby paintings, Kuopio                                                               |
| 2023 | The K1, K2, and K3 buildings' art collection Engineering Materials, Aalto University                 |
| 2019 | Vietnam Finland International School, 18 prints on glass in school foyers, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam |
| 2013 | Mural for lobby at Malmi Hospital, City of Helsinki                                                  |
| 1997 | Altarpiece, Tainionkoski Church, Imatra Evangelic Lutheran Congregation                              |

## SELECTED GRANTS

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|-----------|---------------------------------------------------------------|
| 2018      | Wihuri Foundation                                             |
|           | The Finnish Cultural Foundation                               |
| 2013-2017 | State Artist Grant                                            |
| 2011      | The Finnish Cultural Foundation (also 1997, 1992, 1987, 1983) |
| 2005-2009 | State Artist Grant                                            |
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| 1996      | The Elizabeth Foundation                                      |
| 1991      | State Artist Grant                                            |
| 1986-1987 | Fulbright Grant                                               |