

# GALERIE FORSBLOM

## KATJA TUKAINEN

1969 Lives and works in Helsinki

### EDUCATION

2007-2009 Master of Fine Arts, Finnish Academy of Fine Arts, Helsinki  
1990-1996 Master of Arts, University of Art and Design, Helsinki  
1994-1995 Studies in painting, Academy of fine arts of Venice, Italy

### SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2019 Paradis Q, Macro Asilo, MACRO Museum of Contemporary Art, Rome  
2018 Play the field GIRL, Makasiini Contemporary, Turku, Finland  
2017 Hang Loose, Gallery Saariaho Järvenpää, Helsinki, Finland  
2017 Dangerous Landscapes, Galleria Himmelblau Puuvillasali, Tampere, Finland  
2016 Katja Tukainen vs. Sigga Björg Sigurðaedottir, The Museum of Drawings, Laholm, Sweden  
Lunapark Abbondanato, Core Gallery, Rome  
2015 P is for Paradise, Auran Galleria, Turku, Finland  
2014 A Midsummer Night's Dream, Galleria Kouvelinna, Pukkila, Finland  
Paradis n (Névtelen hősök) / Paradis N (Nameless Heroes), Luukku, Budapest, Hungary, curated by Finnagora  
Comrade!, Finnish Toy Museum, WeeGee Exhibition Centre, Espoo, Finland  
2013 Kaunis Maailma, Galerie Forsblom, Helsinki  
Cake Theory, collaboration with Riiko Sakkinen, curated by Jernej Skof, Galerija Alkatraz, Ljubljana, Slovenia  
2012 Paradis L, curated by Selma Green, Lönnström Art Museum, Rauma, Finland  
2011 Such a Lovely Place, Galerie Forsblom, Helsinki  
2010 Paradis f, Tasty Gallery, Riga  
Paradis e, Finnish Culture Institute of Estonia  
Good Heavens! EMMA, Espoo Museum of Modern Art, Espoo, Finland  
Paradis d, Café Bar No 9, Helsinki  
2009 Katja Tukainen Exhibition, KUD Gallery, Ljubljana, Slovenia  
Playground –my work is my pleasure, Korjaamo Galleria, Helsinki  
Katja Tukainen Exhibition, Gallery 100 Svoih, St.Petersburgh, Russia  
2008 Red Curtains, Nordic ArtWorks London Gallery, London  
Paintings, curated by Selma Green, Finnish Culture Institute of Sweden, Stockholm  
Paintings, Galleria Krista Mikkola, Helsinki  
2006 A thousand dollar's buck, Galleria Bakeliittibambi, Helsinki  
2005 Nursing diary, Galleria Bakeliittibambi, Helsinki  
2004 Paintings and comics, Art Museum of Kouvola, Kouvola, Finland  
2003 Keep on the asphalt, collaboration with Niko Luoma and Riiko Sakkinen, curated by Krista Mikkola, Galleria Käytävä, Cable Factory, Helsinki  
Tulainen, paintings, Galleria Bakeliittibambi, Helsinki  
2001 Paintings, Gallery Artaround, Helsinki  
2000 When the pee does not come, curated by Maimu Berg, Finnish Culture Institute of Estonia, Tallinn  
1999 Crochet Hook, Galleria Bakeliittibambi, Helsinki  
Tyttö ja mummo -paintings, Galleria Bakeliittibambi, Helsinki  
1996 Paintings, Into Galleria, Helsinki  
1995 Sins = Eleven Pink Elephants, Kinki Galleria, Helsinki

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## GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2019      Personal Structures, Palazzo Mora, Venice, Italy  
            Classic Works of Fine Art at the Manor, Serlachius Museum Gösta, Mänttä, Finland  
            The Annual Spring Exhibition, Galleri Thomassen, Göteborg, Sweden  
            Nordiske akvareller 2019, Frederikshavn Kunstmuseum, Frederikshavn, Denmark
- 2018      FUSION, The Nordic Watercolour Museum, Skärhamn, Sweden  
            SUMMER EXHIBITION, Makasiini Contemporary, Turku, Finland  
            The Finnish Illusion, Embassy of Finland in Washinton D.C.  
            Transizioni e Passaggi, Spazio Cerere, Rome  
            Travel Altar R2014, Hyvinkää Art Museum, Hyvinkää, Finland  
            The Finnish Illusion, Spruill Gallery, Atlanta, USA
- 2017      Self Mascot in Grandi Formati, Mondrian Suite Art Gallery, Rome  
            International art exhibition NordArt 2017, Büdelsdorf, Germany  
            Art Goes Logomo, Turku, Finland  
            Finnish Fireworks / Finskt Fyrverkeri, Malmö Museum, Malmö, Sweden  
            OPEN STORAGE - Remembering for the Future, Pori Art Museum, Finland  
            Rascal / Vallaton, Artsi Vantaa Art Museum, Vantaa, Finland
- 2016      European Cuteness, Sofia Arsenal, Museum of Contemporary Art, Sofia  
            PoPism -da Warhol a Banksy, LOC Museo Comune di Capo D'Orlando, Sicily, Italy  
            Hyper Mentalized artworks - Hypo mentalized artists, Art Yourself Gallery, Bucharest, Romania  
            PoPism, Palazzo Corvaja, Taormina, Italy  
            Peak Experience, P Galleria, Pori, Finland  
            Mikko Hallikainen & Nanna Susi & Katja Tukiainen, G12, Gallery, Kuopio, Finland  
            Haava/Wound, Seppo Fränti Art Collection Exhibition, Lapinlahden Lähde, Helsinki  
            EXTENSION European Cuteness Art, Istituto di Cultura Italiano in Romania, Bucharest, Romania  
            European Cuteness Art, Palace of Parliament of Romania, Constantin Brâncusi Exhibition Hall, Bucharest, Romania
- 2015      Boutique -where art meets fashion, The Nordic Embassies Felleshus, Berlin  
            The Adventure Can Begin, The Nordic Watercolour Museum, Skärhamn, Sweden  
            Touch, Saastamoinen Foundation Art Collection Exhibition, EMMA Espoo Museum of Modern Art, Espoo, Finland  
            Beyond Eden 15, Copro Gallery, Santa Monica, California, USA  
            Ups!, Eduard Vilde Museum, Tallin, Estonia  
            Katja Tukiainen & Matti Hagelberg, Taiga Space, Saint Petersburg, Russia  
            Gisp!, Nordens Institut på Åland, Mariehamn, Åland Islands, Finland  
            Summer Fair, Auran Galleria, Turku, Finland  
            Gisp!, Stoa, Helsinki  
            Gisp!, Nordatlantens Brygge, Copenhagen  
            Bienal de Arte Contemporáneo del Fin del Mundo, Argentina
- 2014      Boutique -Where Art Meets Fashion, Spiral Art, Tokio  
            Gisp!, Nordic House, Faroe Islands  
            Contaminazioni 014, GARD Galleria Arte Roma Design, Rome  
            Contaminazioni 014, Varna City Art Gallery, Varna, Bulgaria  
            Contaminazioni 014, Muzeul de Istorie Nationala si Archeologia de Constanta, Constanta, Romania  
            BUSINESS TALK PATRNER ZONE, Wayfarers Gallery, Brooklyn, NY, USA  
            BUSINESS TALK REGIONAL, Kavárna Mlýnská, Prague  
            Häntä pystyyn!, Oulu Art Museum, Oulu, Finland  
            Altar, Tuusula Art Museum, Tuusula, Finland

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- Under The Cuteness, Hybrida Contemporanea, Roma  
Heponauta, Hyvinkää Art Museum, Finland  
Tampere Biennale, Winter Garden, Tampere Hall, Finland  
2013 Schenken als Problem, Group Global 3000, Berlin  
Boutique -where art meets fashion, curated by Annamari Vänskä, Embassy of Finland, Washington D.C  
The Blab Show, curated by Monte Beauchamp, Copro Gallery, Santa Monica, California, USA  
The Name The Nose, curated by Raúl Zamudio, Museolaboratorio Ex Manifattura Tabacchi, Citta Sant'Angelo, Italy  
Respetando los derechos humanos nunca saldremos da la crisis, collaboration with Riiko Sakkinen, Espacio AVAart, Gijón, Spain  
Tekijän oikeudella, curated by Antti Kirjalainen, Telakkakatu 6, Helsinki  
Homelessness Fair, collaboration with people experienced homelessness, curated by Jani Leinonen and Riiko Sakkinen, Hyvinkää Art Museum, Hyvinkää, Finland  
Art Argos, curated by Pertti Ketonen, Stockmann Argos-hall, Helsinki, 2012  
Boutique -where art meets fashion, curated by Annamari Vänskä, Amos Anderson Art Museum, Helsinki  
Mazzano!, curated by Timo Valjakka, The Museum of Estonian Architecture, Tallinn  
Himmelblau at Retretti, curated by Pertti Ketonen, Retretti Art Center, Punkaharju, Finland  
@BAR, Kalevankatu 13, Helsinki  
Eyeballing! (Paradis k), KIASMA, Museum of Contemporary Art, Helsinki  
2011 Mazzano! (Paradis j), curated by Timo Valjakka, Tampere Art Museum, Tampere; Finland  
Camping Trip (Paradis i), Salo Art Museum, Salo, Finland  
Little Red Riding Hood II (Paradis h), curated by Satu Itkonen, Lahti Art Museum, Finland  
Mazzano! (Paradis g), curated by Timo Valjakka, Amos Anderson Art Museum, Helsinki  
2010 Little Red Riding Hood I (Paradis c), curated by Satu Itkonen, Oulu Art Museum, Finland  
8140 kg Anssi Kasitonni - Jani Leinonen - Katja Tukiainen, (Paradis b), curated by Laura Köönikkä, Tampere Art Museum, Finland  
Mänttä Art Festival 2010 (Paradis a), curated, Finland  
Contemporary Nordic Comics, Nordic Watercolour Museum, Skärhamn, Sweden  
2009 Hyvä Naiset, Hyvinkää Art Museum, Finland  
Kalevala 2009, Ateneum Art Museum, Helsinki, Finland  
Trickle Down Theory, curated by Riiko Sakkinen, Korjaamo Galleria, Helsinki  
2008 Henki, Galleria Jangva, Helsinki  
Finnish-Norwegian Culture Institute, Oslo  
Sampo, curated by Eero-Pekka Rislakki, 4mula Gallery, Saint Petersburg, Russia  
Helsinki à Saint Sulpice, curated by Krista Mikkola, Paris  
2007 Piirustusluokka -tyhjä on täysi, Kunsthalle Helsinki, Helsinki, Finland  
Akkurat! Bomuldsfabrik Kunsthall, Arendal, Norway  
Idän taju, curated by J.O. Mallander, Hyvinkää Art Museum, Hyvinkää, Finland  
Points of View, Fiskars, Finland  
Amerikka! Taidekeskus Ihana, Heinola, Finland  
Kuvia ja kuplia, Lahti Art Museum, Lahti  
2006 Terrortory, Pakt// Gallery, Amsterdam  
Terrortory, Muu gallery, Helsinki  
Unterwegs, Fumetto Gallery, Luzern, Switzerland  
Regardless of the weather, Gallery Karton, Budapest  
Katja Tukiainen & Matti Hagelberg en Inde, Institut Finlandais, Paris  
Kaikuja Idästä, Voipaalan kulttuurikeskus, Voipaala, Finland

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2005	Helsinki International, curated by Timo Valjakka, Kulttuuritehdas Korjaamo, Helsinki Pictures & words, Magma Clerkenwell, London 6. Salaolisboa -de ilustracao e banda desenhada, curated by Marcos Farrajota, Bedeteca, Lisbon Comics aus Finnland, Fumetto Gallery, Luzern, Switzerland Nian, Reykjavik art museum, Iceland
2003	Sharp Shooting, curated by Heather Galbraith, St Paul St, Auckland Tyttöjen elämästä, Amos Anderson Art Museum, Helsinki Tiettyä magnetismia, Lönnström Art Museum, Rauma, Finland
2001	Biennale of Young Artists of Europe and Mediterranean, collaboration with Niko Luoma and Riiko Sakkinen, projectcurated by Krista Mikkola, Athens 106 th Annual Exhibiton of Finnish Artists, Jyväskylä Art Museum, Finland A letter for a dead friend, Picasso Museum, Luzern, Switzerland Mänttä Art Festival 2001, curated by Marja Kolu, Mänttä, Finland Mazzanon aika, curated by Timo Valjakka, Kunsthalle Helsinki, Helsinki Young artists exhibition 2001, Kunsthalle Helsinki, Helsinki, Finland Bd@fi exhibition, Paris, Caen, Antwerben, Berliini, Kemi, Tukholma, Göteborg, Helsinki
2000	Big Torino -biennale di arte emergente, project curated by Krista Mikkola, Torino, Italy
1999	Whom I should call next?, curated by Harto Hänninen and Petri Kemppinen, KIASMA, Museum of Contemporary Art, Helsinki
1996	Ruudun valossa, Tampere Museum of Contemporary Art, Tampere, Finland
1995	Sarjakuvastin triennaali, Galleria Jangva, Helsinki, Finland XLV Rassegna d'Arte 1995, Palazzo Oliva, Sassoferato, Italy Venezia Pianeta Spose -Le nozze nella storia e nella moda di oggi, Giudecca, Venice, Italy Auto Arte, Tronchetto Parking, Venice, Italy

## COLLECTIONS

Amos Anderson's Art Museum, Helsinki  
Dittmar & Indrenius Art Collection, Helsinki  
Finland State Art Collection, Helsinki  
Gösta Serlachius Fine Arts Foundation, Mänttä, Finland  
Halland County Art Collection, Sweden  
Halmstad Municipality Art Collection, Sweden  
Helsinki Art Museum HAM, Helsinki  
Hämeenlinna Art Museum, Hämeenlinna, Finland  
Museum of Contemporary Art KIASMA, Helsinki  
Kouvola Art Museum, Kouvola, Finland  
Lönnström Art Museum, Rauma, Finland  
Museolaboratorio Ex Manifattura Tabacchi, Citta Sant'Angelo, Italy  
Nelimarkka Foundation, Alajärvi, Finland  
Nordic Watercolour Museum, Skärhamn, Sweden  
Saastamoinen Foundation, EMMA Espoo Museum of Modern Art, Finland  
Salo Art Museum, Salo, Finland  
Seppo Fränti Art Collection, Finland  
The City of Oulu Art Collection, Oulu, Finland  
The City of Pori Art Collection, Pori Art Museum, Pori, Finland  
The Museum of Drawings, Laholm, Sweden  
Wihuri Foundation, Art Museum of Rovaniemi, Rovaniemi, Finland

## PERMANENT INSTALLATIONS

2012	Katja Tukiainen Art Suite, Klaus K Hotel, Helsinki
2010	Secret Garden, HUS Children Hospital, Helsinki

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## AWARDS & OTHER

- 2011 William Thuring Price, The Finnish Art Society  
2007 State Prize, Central Art Council of Finland  
2003 Puupää -hattu, Finland's comics association prize  
1999-2001 The regional Artist of the Arts Council of Uusimaa, Helsinki

## ARTIST IN RESIDENCE

- 2017 Digitalents Helsinki, Helsinki, Finland  
2016 The Museum of Drawings, Laholm, Sweden  
2014 Luukku Atelier, Finnagora, Budapest, Hungary  
2009 Spiral / Walcoal Art Center & Bank Art Residence, Yokohama, Japan  
2008 77 Bleecker Street, Finnish Cultural Institute in New York  
2003 Keep on the asphalt -artists on the road, with Niko Luoma and Riiko Sakkinen, Helsinki, Sarajevo, Tirana and Athens  
1997 Mazzano Romano, Väinö Tanner Foundation, Italy

## ART FAIRS

- 2016 ArtHelsinki, Gallery Saariaho Järvenpää  
2011 Fair of Contemporary Art Helsinki, Galerie Forsblom  
2010 Copenhagen Art Fair, Korjaamo Gallery Helsinki Art Fair  
2009 Helsinki Art Fair, Korjaamo Gallery  
2007 Glasgow Art Fair, Nordic Art Works  
Affordable Art Fair, London, Nordic Art Works  
1995 Arte s Pordenone, Venice Academy of Fine Arts

## MONOGRAPHS

- 2013 Katja Tukiainen Works Part Two, art book, 216 pages, article by Raul Zamudio, foreword by Riiko Sakkinen, Parvs Publishing  
2007 Katja Tukiainen Works, art book, 128 pages, article by Timo Valjakka, Daada Publishing

## GRAPHIC NOVELS

- 2015 The Raisin, Boom Kniga, Russia (in Russian)  
2010 Kisun 1,2,3, 32 pages, Publishing house Otava, Finland  
2008 Russinet, 100 pages, Optimal Press, Sweden  
Rusina, 96 pages, Like Publishing house, Finland  
2007 Kisun ABC, 32 pages, Publishing house Otava, Finland  
2003 Brev från Indien, 96 pages, Optimall press, Sweden  
2002 Postia Intiasta (Post from India), 96 pages, Suomen Yrityslehdet  
1999 Jos olisin prinsessa (If I were a princess), 24 pages, Suomen Yrityslehdet, Finland  
A-B-C, 128 pages, author's edition, Finland  
1998 Tyttö ja mummo, 45 pages, Publishing house Jalava, Finland  
1997 Tytöjen leikit, 46 pages, Publishing house Jalava, Finland