

G A L E R I E F O R S B L O M

ILKKA SUPPANEN

1968 Born in Kotka, Finland
Lives and works in Helsinki

EDUCATION

1992 Gerrit Rietveld Academy, Amsterdam
1989 University of Art and Design, Helsinki
1988 Faculty of Architecture, Helsinki University of
Technology

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2019 *Points of View*, Galerie Forsblom, Helsinki
2016 *LIMINAL*, Galerie Forsblom, Helsinki
Design Museum, Helsinki
2015 Röhsska Museum, Gothenburg Sweden
2013 *Éclat*, Galerie Maria Wettergren, Paris
2012 *Broken*, Galerie Forsblom, Helsinki

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2012 *Radical Design*, Shanghai Museum of Contemporary Art,
China
2010 *Hirameki Design x Finland*, Tokyo Design Week
2008 *Hardcore – New Finnish Design*, New York, USA
2006 Ilkka Suppanen + Harri Koskinen, Design Museum,
Helsinki
2005 *Sauma*, Washington DC; New York; Los Angeles,
USA
2003 *The Q exhibition*, Tokyo
2001 *Work spheres*, Museum of Modern Art, New York, USA
2000 Hothouse, Kortrijk, Belgium
1998 *Modern Finnish Design*, Bard Graduate Center, New York,
USA
1997 *Snowcrash*, Milan Design Week, Italy
1992 *The Fifth International Exhibition of Architecture*, Venice
Biennale, Italy

SELECTED COMPETITIONS AND PRIZES

2015 Torsten & Wanja Söderberg Prize, Gothenburg Sweden
The Finnish Cultural Foundation Prize, Helsinki
Ilmari Tapiovaara Prize, Helsinki Finland
2013 Interior Innovation Award, Cologne Germany
2012 Red Dot, Best of the Best Award, Essen, Germany
2009 Asko Avonius Prize, Finland
2008 Good design Award, Chicago, USA
Fennia Prize, Finland

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2006 Bruno Mathsson Award, Mathsson Foundation, Sweden
2001 Avotakka Award, Finland
Young designer of the Year prize with Harri Koskinen,
Finland
1998 Finnish National Award for Young Art
1995 Habitare Award, Helsinki

WORK

1996- Product development and concept design for many
international design companies including: Cappellini,
Nokia, Saab, Zanotta, Iittala, Marimekko, Leucos, Koizumi
1996- Interior and exhibition design commissions worldwide
1996- Teacher in University of Art and Design, Helsinki
2000–2001 Creative director Snowcrash Ab, Sweden
1998–1999 Research project with Nokia Multimedia Terminals,
Finland