

Annika Ruuska

CV

b. 1977

lives in Helsinki, works in Espoo

EDUCATION

2002–2007 Bachelor of Fine Arts, Lahti University of Applied Sciences, Lahti

2004 University of Pais Vasco, Bilbao, Spain

1999–2001 Alfa-Art Art School, Helsinki

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2024 Promenadigallery, Hyvinkää

2019 TM gallery, Karuselli, Helsinki

2019 Gallery Aarni, Espoo

2018 Gallery 7.dream, Helsinki

2010 Gallery Uusi Kipinä, Lahti

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2025 Gallery Aarni, Espoo

2024 Gallery Ruutikellari, Hamina

2023 Kiltapaviljonki, Gallery Gjutars, Vantaa

2022 Art Center Almintalo, Espoo Artists' Guild, Loviisa

2022 Kiltapaviljonki, Kera halls, Espoo

2022 Ronga Gallery, Espoo Artists Guild, Tampere

2021 Aarni Gallery, Espoo

2021 Light Pavilion, Promenadi Gallery, Hyvinkää

2021 Susi, Espoo Artists Guild, Keuruu Museum

2020 Encounters, Sofia Gallery, Helsinki

2019 HTS Christmas Exhibition, Katariina Gallery, Helsinki

2018 Face to face, Strömforsin ruukki, Ruotsinpyhtää

2017 Body Images, Gallery Kantti, Helsinki

2010 H2O10 Häme Art Council Regional exhibition, Lahti

2009 Lahti Artists society tour exhibition, Porvoo Art Hall

2009 Silvekoski Foundation Scholarship Exhibition, Sibelius Hall, Lahti

2008 Kauno ry exhibition, Uusi Kipinä, Lahti

2007 Choices, Art Institute summer exhibition, Sibelius Hall, Lahti

2007 The Art of Basware, Sanomatalo, Helsinki

2006 SKjL 06, Taidepanimo, Lahti

2006 Vimma exhibition, Cable Factory, Helsinki

2006 Vimma exhibition, Lahti Art Museum, Lahti

2005 S-gallery, Helsinki

2002 Aula gallery, Lahti

2001 Cable Factory, Helsinki

2001 Euro-Point, Taunusalange, Frankfurt

2000 Euro-Point, Sanomatalo, Helsinki

MEMBERSHIPS

The Finnish Painters' Union (full member)

Helsinki Artists' Association
Espoo Artists' Guild

POSITIONS OF RESPONSIBILITY

2024 - Exhibition Committee, Espoo Artists' Guild
2021–2023 Board member of the Espoo Artists' Guild

GRANTS, AWARDS

2009 Finnish Cultural Foundation, Päijät-Häme Fund grant
2009 Silvekoski Foundation scholarship

COLLECTIONS

Liisa and Reijo Joronen collections
Private collections

RESIDENCIES

2022 Art teacher in a group residency, Saari Manor, Mynämäki
2011-2014 Liisa and Reijo Joronen art residency, Lorgues, France

OTHER ACTIVITIES

2025-, 2007-2010 Art teacher, Kaarisilta Art and Activity Centre, Lahti
2019- 2025 Gallery work, Galleria Art Kaarisilta, Helsinki
2018 Art teacher at summer camps, Kaarisilta Art and Activity Centre, Lahti

FURTHER EDUCATION

2017–2020 Education of Art Therapy, Roiha Institution, Helsinki
2016 Method Education of Expressive Art Therapy, Helsinki
2022 Dyes from nature, Helsinki Region Summer University, Helsinki
2010 Color just and not almost, Espoo Visual Artists, WeeGeen Exhibition Centre, Espoo