

Hannaleena Heiska

Born 1973 in Oulu, Finland

Lives and works in Helsinki, Finland

Studies

2006	Master of Fine Art, Academy of Fine Arts, Helsinki, Finland
1999-2000	Kankaanpää art school
1998-1999	Liminka art school

Solo Exhibitions

2024	<i>Celestial Question Mark</i> , Helsinki Contemporary
2023	<i>Bajt//Heiska</i> , Teckningsmuseet, Laholm, Sweden <i>Metamorphosis</i> , a collaboration with Minna Tervamäki, EMMA – Espoo Museum of Modern Art, Finland
2022	<i>Reflecting Reality</i> , a collaboration with Minna Tervamäki, Ateneum Art Museum, Helsinki, Finland
2021	<i>Blazing World</i> , Helsinki Contemporary, Finland
2019	<i>Hannaleena Heiska</i> , Turku Art Museum, Finland
2018	<i>Camouflage</i> , Helsinki Contemporary, Finland <i>The Trace</i> , a collaboration with Minna Tervamäki, Finnland Institut in Deutschland, Berlin, Germany <i>The Trace</i> , a collaboration with Minna Tervamäki, Beaconsfield Gallery, London, England
2017	<i>The Trace</i> , a collaboration with Minna Tervamäki, Art Fair Suomi 2017, Finland
2016	<i>The Trace</i> , a collaboration with Minna Tervamäki, EMMA – Espoo Museum of Modern Art, Finland
2015	<i>Shadows and Stardust</i> , Helsinki Contemporary, Helsinki, Finland <i>Hannaleena Heiska</i> , The Gothenburg Museum of Art, Gothenburg, Sweden
2013	<i>All those moments will be lost in time, like tears in rain</i> , Helsinki Contemporary, Helsinki, Finland <i>Soul On Fire</i> , Porsgrunn Kunstmuseum, Porsgrunn, Norway
2011	<i>Altered States</i> , Gallery Kalhama & Piippo Contemporary, Helsinki, Finland
2010	<i>Asleep in the cold lakes, awake in the stars in the sky</i> , Taidesalonki Husa, Tampere, Finland
2009	<i>Not of This World</i> , Gallery Kalhama & Piippo Contemporary, Helsinki, Finland
2008	<i>In the Night Side of Eden</i> , Galleria Bakeliittibambi project room, Helsinki, Finland
2007	<i>In the Night Side of Eden</i> , Taidesalonki Husa, Tampere, Finland <i>Heaven Tonight</i> , Huoltamo Galleria, Tampere, Finland
2006	<i>When Love & Death Embrace</i> , Kuvataideakatemian Galleria Kasarminkatu, Helsinki, Finland

Group Exhibitions

2025	<i>Apocalypse: From Last Judgement to Climate Threat</i> , Gothenburg Museum of Art, Sweden
2024	<i>Bambi Forever!</i> , HAM Helsinki Art Museum, Helsinki, Finland <i>PAIN</i> , Oulu Art Museum, Oulu, Finland
2023	<i>Dimensions of a Line</i> , Kuntsi Museum of Modern Art, Vaasa, Finland
2022	<i>Lust for Life</i> , Helsinki Contemporary
2021	<i>Facing Life</i> , Hämeenlinna Art Museum, Hämeenlinna, Finland Chart Art Fair, Copenhagen, Denmark <i>Hypoxia</i> , Galleria Bässänen, Raasepori, Finland III Sirkka Arte Biennale, Raisa Raekallio & Misha del Val's property, Kittilä, Finland <i>Heart Open for Art</i> , Niemistö Collection, Aboa Vetus Ars Nova, Turku, Finland <i>Impressions - from Jenny and Antti Wihuri Foundation Collection</i> , Rovaniemi Art Museum, Finland
2020	<i>Selected Works</i> , Helsinki Contemporary. Helsinki, Finland
2019	MOMENTUM10 Biennal of Contemporary Art: <i>The Emotional Exhibition</i> , Moss, Norway <i>Mostly Happy, Finnish Art Today</i> , Haus am Lützowplatz, Berlin, Germany Coexistence, Human, Animal and Nature in Kiasma's Collections, Kiasma, Helsinki, Finland
2018	<i>Gaze</i> , Susanne Pettersson Gallery, Stockholm, Sweden
2017	<i>Sanoinkuvaamattomasta faktantarkistukseen</i> , State of the Art - Contemporary art from State art commission's collection, The Aine art museum, Tornio & The Kemi art museum, Kemi, Finland In the Belly of Painting, Galleri Thomassen, Gothenburg, Sweden <i>4th Ural Industrial Biennial</i> , Yekaterinburg, Russia <i>Audience Curated Media Art</i> , Huone, EMMA – Espoo Museum of Modern Art, Finland <i>Joka hetki on poikkeus – Contemporary Art from the State Art Deposit Collection</i> , Riihimäki Old Glass Factory, Finland <i>Some Kind of Knowledge –New Artworks in the Collection at Gothenburg Museum of Art</i> , Gothenburg, Sweden <i>Lehmä pitää viedä jääälle, jotta se tanssii</i> , Galerie Samuelis Baumgarte, Bielefeld, Germany <i>Attempting Ideal. Emerging Artists from Kiasma - Museum of Contemporary Art, Helsinki – Works from the Lipponen Collection</i> , Salon Dahlman, Berlin, Germany <i>Me: Self-Portraits Through Time</i> , Kunsthalle Helsinki, Finland <i>Sensual Knowledge</i> , Landskrona Museum, Sweden <i>True Will</i> , KNIPSU, Bergen, Norway
2016	<i>In Search of the Present</i> , EMMA – Espoo Museum of Modern Art, Espoo, Finland Mänttä Art Festival, Mänttä Finland <i>Rencontres d'été</i> , Galerie La Feronnerie, Paris, France <i>Field Trip</i> , Helsinki Contemporary, Helsinki, Finland Drawing Now Paris, Galerie La Feronnerie, Paris, France

2014	<i>I Got You Under My Skin</i> , Voipaala Art Centre, Valkeakoski, Finland <i>Svart Hritt</i> , Bomuldsfabriken Kunsthall, Arendal, Norway <i>Touch</i> , Collection Exhibition, EMMA - Espoo Museum of Modern Art, Espoo, Finland <i>Perspectives Into Various Decades</i> , Collection Exhibition, Hämeenlinna Art Museum, Hämeenlinna, Finland
2013	Black Market Berlin, Project Space Lehrter Siebzehn, Berlin, Germany Market Art Fair, Liljevalchs konsthall, Stockholm, Sweden <i>New Finnish Video Art</i> , Kunsthall Grenland, Porsgrunn, Norway <i>New Acquisitions - New works in the collections</i> , Gothenburg museum of Art, Gothenburg, Sweden <i>Shine</i> , Vanessa Baird (NO), Hrafnhildur Arnadottir (IS), Hannaleena Heiska (FI), Nadine Byrne (SE) and Julie Nord (DK), Bomuldsfabriken Kunsthall, Arendal, Norway, curators, Madeleine Park ja Harald Sollberg
2012	<i>Awakening</i> , w/ Pekka Jylhä, Sami Sänpäkkilä, Espace Louis Vuitton, Tokio, Japan Art Copenhagen, Helsinki Contemporary, Copenhagen, Denmark <i>White Forest</i> , w/ Anni Löppönen, Ville Löppönen, Juhana Moisander, Gallery 56, Savonlinna, Finland <i>Kokoelmakavalkadi</i> , Hämeenlinna Art Museum, Hämeenlinna, Finland <i>FUN!</i> , Riihimäki Art Museum, Finland, curators Timo Vaittinen and Jussi Goman
2011	<i>Work In Progress (Mr. Ward Forever)</i> , together w/ Rauha Mäkilä, Make Your Mark Gallery, Helsinki, Finland
2010	<i>Tunne maisema</i> , Jyväskylä Art Museum, Jyväskylä, Finland <i>Hommage</i> , Villa Roosa, Orimattila, Finland <i>Hetki</i> , Amos Andersson Art Museum, Helsinki, Finland <i>False Recognition</i> , 14 th Vilnius Painting Triennal, curators Evaldas Stankevicius, Anders Kreuger and Magda Kardasz, CAC - Contemporary Art Centre, Vilnius, Lithuania Fourth Beijing International Art Biennale, National Art Museum of China, Beijing, China
2009	MARKET art fair, The Royal Academy of Art, Stockholm, Sweden <i>MOMENTUM 2009 - 5th Nordic Biennal of Contemporary Art, Favoured Nations</i> , Momentum Kunshall and Galleri F15, Moss, Norway, curators Lina Dzuveronic and Stina Höglqvist <i>New Pleasure</i> , Kulturhuset USF, bergen, Norway, curators Silje Heggren and Tuomas A. Laitinen <i>Avara Horisontti</i> , Oulu Museum of Art, Finland, curator Elina Vieru <i>Finnish contemporary art from our permanent collection</i> , Gothenburg Museum of Art, Gothenburg, Sweden <i>Urban Story</i> , Gallery Kalhama & Piippo Contemporary, Helsinki, Finland <i>Väärähtelyjä 09</i> , Danielson-Kalmarin huvila, Vääksy, Finland, curator Roger Gustafsson <i>Trickle Down Theory</i> , Korjaamo Gallery, Helsinki, Finland, curator Riiko Sakkinen <i>Hot Cool</i> , The Road To Contemporary Art, Complesso, Monumentale di Santo in Spirito in Sassia, Roma, Italia, curators Luigi Fassi and Pilvi Kalhama

	<i>Megalomania</i> , Galleria Huoltamo 3 year anniversary exhibition, Huoltamo Galleria, Tampere, Finland
	<i>Dr. Sketchy's Anti-Art-School exhibition</i> , Jukka Male Museo, Cable Factory, Helsinki Finland
2008	<i>SMART</i> , Korjaamo, Helsinki, Finland, curators Aura Seikkula and Timo Valjakka <i>Made in Kuvataideakatemia, works from the collection of the Päivi and Paavo Lipponen Foundation</i> , Kaiku Galleria, Helsinki, Finland, curator Riikka Stewen <i>Tomorrow Always Belongs to Us</i> , Göteborg Konsthall, Gothenburg, Sweden, curators Mika Hannula and Johan Sjöström <i>Ihmisyyden Taito</i> , Mänttä Art Festival, curator Veli Granö <i>Work In Progress (Mr. Ward Forever)</i> , Helsinki Festival, Three day painting performance with Rauha Mäkilä
2006	<i>Kiss me just once more</i> , Vienna International Apartment, Helsinki, Finland, Curator Silvio Salgado <i>Now and Then</i> , Galleri G18, Helsinki, Finland
2005	<i>House of Princess, Art Goes Kapakka</i> , Ravintola Rytmi, Helsinki, Finland <i>Academy of Fine Arts opening exhibition</i> , Kaikukatu, Helsinki <i>Academy of Fine Arts opening exhibition</i> , Helsinki City Art Museum, Tennispalatsi, Helsinki
2004	<i>Pimeä</i> , Festival of Contemporary Arts in Kallio, Helsinki, Finland <i>Academy of Fine Arts opening exhibition</i> , Kaikukatu, Helsinki, Finland Varkaus Art Museum, Varkaus, Finland
2003	Gallery of the Academy of Fine Arts, Helsinki, Finland
2002	Forces of Light, Esplanadi, Helsinki, Finland
2001	Q-teatteri, Saurofonia, Helsinki, Finland Galleria Art Halvare, Oulu, Finland Galerie des Parktheaters, Iserlohn, Germany

Screenings and Festivals

2024	Filmfest Dresden Internatonial Short Film Festival, Dresden, Germany
	London Experimental, London, UK
2023	Tampere Film Festival, Tampere, Finland 41. Le Festival International du Film sur l'Art (Le FIFA), Montréal, Canada Multiplié Dance Film, 5. Minimalen Short Film Festival, Trondheim, Norway On Art - Dance & Film Festival, Warsaw, Poland
2022	Metamorphosis, Experimental Film Guanajuato festival, Mexico
2020	Becoming a Target, Myymälä 2, Helsinki, Finland
	Becoming a Target, Casa della Musica di Cervignano del Friuli, Italy
2018	34th Hamburg International Short Film Festival, Hamburg, Germany
2017	EMMA - Espoo Museum of Modern Art, Mediaboxi, Espoo, FIInland Constellations in move, SIC Gallery, Helsinki, Finland
2016	Artist Film Weekender, Homemcr, Manchester, UK
2014	LiikKUVAT - Taidetta hoitolaitoksiin, Tampere, Finland Impakt Festival, Utrecht, Holland Today We Live, Bomuldsfabriken Kunsthall, Black Box, Arendal, Norway The 30th Hamburg International Shoer Film Festival, Hamburg, Germany

	Faces of Wisdom Film Festival, Helsinki, Finland
	Kinos Film Festival, Lahti, Finland
2013	Arktisen Upeeta Film Festival, Jyväskylä, Finland
	Helsinki Short Film Festival, Helsinki, Finland
	Future Shorts, Flow Festival, Helsinki, Finland
	Hailuoto Theater Festival, short film screening, Hailuoto, Finland
2012	Carte Blanche, Movie Theatre Kino, Andorra, Helsinki, Finland
	Anemic, Festival of Independent Film and New Media Art, Prague, Czech Republic
	Cartes Flux Festival, Espoo, Finland
	36th Open Air Filmfest Weiterstadt, Germany
	Reikäreuna Filmfestival, Orivesi, Finland
	Directors Lounge, Contemporary Art and Media, Berlin, Germany
2011	The International Women's Film Festival Dortmund, Cologne, Germany
	Signes de Nuit, Paris, France
	Milan Film Festival, Milan, Italy
	Future Shorts, Flow Festival, Helsinki, Finland

Works in Collection

Oulu Art Museum
Jenny and Antti Wihuri Foundation
Henna and Pertti Niemistö Foundation
Museum of Contemporary Art Kiasma
Finnish State Art Collection
Göteborg Konstmuseum
Turku Art Museum
Paulo Foundation
Saastamoinen Foundation, EMMA Espoo Museum of Modern Art
City of Tampere
Päivi and Paavo Lipponen Foundation, Museum of Contemporary Art Kiasma
The Labour Institute for Economic Research LABORE
Savonlinna Opera Festival
Collection of the Academy of Fine Arts
EMO Foundation
The Bank of Finland's Art Collection
Aalto University Executive Education Art Collection
Kunsti Museum of Modern Art

Awards and Nominations

2013	1st Prize in category Experimental Film / <i>Today We Live</i> , Helsinki Short Film Festival
2011	William Thuring-award, finnish Art Society
2011	Ars Fennica nominee
2011	Jury's special mention/ <i>Ridestar</i> , VIS-Vienna Independent Shorts, Wien, Austria

Residencies

2017 Artist-in-Residence program, 4th Ural Industrial Biennial, Yekaterinburg, Russia
2008 Berlin, Germany, by Uudenmaa Arts Council Finland

Memberships

Finnish Painters Union
AV-arkki