

KATI LEINONEN

CV

Artist Kati Leinonen, Photography and Media Art
Master of Arts
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EDUCATION AND WORK EXPERIENCE

2013– Doctoral studies, University of Lapland, Faculty of Art and Design
2011–2013 Master of Arts, University of Lapland, Faculty of Art and Design
2008– Working on independent art projects
2008 Studied wet-plate collodion process with France Scully-Osterman in Rochester, New York, USA
2001– Working as a freelance photographer
1997–1999 BA (Hons) Photography, London College of Printing, London, England
1995–1997 BTEC Higher National Diploma in Photography, Berkshire College of Art and Design, Reading, England

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2015 Mirrors & Cracks (with Eija Timonen); Vaasa Art Gallery, Vaasa, Finland
2014 Reflection; Northern Photographic Centre, Oulu, Finland
2014 Lifes; Wet-Plate Portraits at Victor Barsokevitsch Centre, Kuopio, Finland
2012 Oulunsalo Soi Chamber Music Festival's artist of the year exhibition in Oulunsalo Library, Finland
2011 Lifes; Wet-Plate Portraits at Gallery Metsola, Oulu, Finland
2011 Lifes; Wet-Plate Portraits at Gallery Hippolyte, Helsinki, Finland
2010 Lifes; Wet-Plate Portraits at Northern Photographic Centre, Oulu, Finland
2010 Valoja ja kuvia – Solo exhibition at Gallery 5, Oulu, Finland

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2013 Magic and Dreams, Dudelage, Luxembourg
2013 Allure of Light, Photographic Art 2013, Lahti Art Museum, Finland
2012 Snowball Effect, Oulu Art Museum, Finland
2011 Fotofinlandia finalists' exhibition at Sanomatalo, Helsinki Finland
2011 ArtOulu group exhibition at Gallery Valve, Oulu, Finland
2011 Finnish Advertising Photographers' annual exhibition 2011 at Sanomatalo, Helsinki Finland
2011 SKjL Yearly Exhibition at Kaapelitehdas, Helsinki, Finland
2010 Finnish Advertising Photographers' annual exhibition 2010 at Sanomatalo, Helsinki Finland
2010 ArtOulu group exhibition at Gallery Valve, Oulu, Finland
2010 Horizon; Oulu Artists' Association's group exhibition at O. Jauhaisen museo, Kiiminki, Finland
2010 Art Fair Suomi 2010 at Kaapelitehdas, Helsinki, Finland

GRANTS

2015 Arts Promotional Center Finland
2015 Arts Council of Oulu Province
2014 Finnish Cultural Foundation, North Ostrobothnia Regional Fund
2014 Arts Promotion Centre Finland, Photographic Art
2013 Finnfoto
2012 Finnish Cultural Foundation, North Ostrobothnia Regional Fund
2011 Finnish Cultural Foundation
2011 Arts Council of Oulu Province
2011 Finnfoto
2011 National Council for Photographic Art

COMPETITIONS

2011 Fotofinlandia 2011, Finalist with series *Still Men* and *Lifes*
2010 Winner of Finnish Advertising Photographers yearly competition 2010 category *Portrait series*

MEMBERSHIPS

Northern Ostrobothnia and Kainuu Regional Arts Council (Member of the Council 2013–2014)
Lasarettinväylä Cultural Association (Member of the Board 2013–2014)
Northern Photographic Centre (Member of the Board 2011–2014)
Oulu Arts Night Association (Chair of the Board 2013–2014)
Finnish Association of Journalists
Union of Artist Photographers
Oulu Artists' Association