

## CV

Seija Ulkuniemi

Senior University Lecturer in Art Education, photographer

### Education & profession

M.Ed. (University of Oulu, 1985)

M.A. (University of Lapland, 1994)

Doctor of Arts (Art and Design) (University of Lapland, 2005)

Photographer (Lappia, Kemi-Tornio, 2011)

Since 1997 worked as a senior university lecturer in visual art education at primary education teacher training at the University of Lapland

### Selected solo photo exhibitions

1996-2008 four solo exhibitions about private photography in several places and countries (e.g. Norway, Spain, Great-Britain, South-Africa, The Netherlands, Sweden, Norway); in 2003 all four in Rovaniemi Art Museum

1998 Restaurant Lapinpaula, Rovaniemi

2009 Library Gallery, Muurola

2012 Contemporary art museum of Torresblascopedro, Jaén, Spain

2012 Library Gallery, Muurola & 2014 Kubburinn-gallery, Academy of Arts, Reykjavik, Iceland

2014 Centro de Desarrollo de Artes, La Habana, Cuba & 2015 in Casa Museo de Diego Velázquez, Cuba

2015 Finnland-Zentrum, Berlin, Germany & 2016 Centro Cultural Prat Puig, Santiago de Cuba, Cuba & 2016 Gallery Galerie Pleiku, Berlin, Germany

2015 Korundi, Rovaniemi

2016 Casa Museo de Diego Velázquez, Santiago de Cuba, Cuba

2016 Library Gallery, Muurola & ELTE TÓK -university, Budapest, Hungary & Varjo Gallery, Rovaniemi

2016 University of Iceland, Iceland & Universidad Jaume I, Castellon de la Plana, Spain

2016 Galeria 10 de octubre, Havana, Cuba (in co-operation with Rosy Martin)

2016 Bacardí, Santiago de Cuba, Cuba

2017 Gallery of Centro Universidad de Cardenal Cisneros, Alcalá, Spain

2017 Library Gallery, Muurola

2017 University of Iceland, Iceland & Faculty of Art & Design, Rovaniemi, Finland

2017 Casa Museo de Diego Velázquez, Santiago de Cuba, Cuba

2017 Taller Amelia Peláez, Municipio 10 de Octubre, La Habana, Cuba

2018 Seinä Gallery, University of Lapland

2019 Hotel Riviera & Sala Eterna Juventud, Havana; Galería de Biblioteca Provincial Julio Antonio Mella Camagüey

2019 Casa Museo de Diego Velázquez, Santiago de Cuba

2020 Ränni Gallery, Oulu

2020 Oulunsalo Library Exhibition Space, Oulunsalo (Artist of the year of Oulunsalo soi Music Festival)

2020 Library Gallery, Muurola

2020 Gallery Lyhty, Rovaniemi

### **Installations**

1998 & 1999-2000 & 2000 Library Gallery, Muurola

2003 Darkroom of the Faculty of Education, University of Lapland, Rovaniemi

2004 Main Hall of the University of Lapland & 2006 in Valo-gallery, Rovaniemi

2006 Library Gallery, Muurola & 2006 in Katve-gallery, Rovaniemi  
2010 University of Lapland, Rovaniemi & 2011 Kemi Art Museum  
2013 Square of Lordi, Rovaniemi  
2015 Art Museum of Lahti, Finland & 2016 in Korundi, Rovaniemi  
2017 Gallery of library of Centro Universidad de Cardenal Cisneros, Alcalá, Spain  
2017 Napa-gallery, Rovaniemi, Finland  
2018 Room for silence, Central hospital of Rovaniemi  
2018 Faculty of Arts (Bellas Artes), Universidad de Granada, Granada, Spain  
2012-2020 Flag(s) each year in Flag festival C'est is d'Best, Zagreb, Croatia

#### **Works in co-exhibitions**

2004 Kummi-gallery, Oulu  
2006: Rovaniemi Main Library  
2008 Brinkkala Gallery, Turku  
2010 Bildungsmarkt Waldenser ggmb (Zentrale), Berlin, Germany  
2010 Salon "Izidor Kršnjavi", Zagreb, Croatia  
2013 Photographs in co-operation with Rosy Martin, Terrace Gallery, Jehangir Art Gallery, Mumbai, India  
2013 Kemi art museum  
2016 Gallery Kilo, University of Lapland, Rovaniemi  
2017 Gallery Napa, Rovaniemi, Finland  
2017 Revontuli-shopping center, Rovaniemi, Finland  
2018 Sampokeskus shopping center, Rovaniemi, Finland  
2018 Beta Space, Aalto University, Espoo  
2018 Anu Pentik Gallery, Posio

2019 Art Center Mältinranta, Tampere

2019 Veteli Art Mansion, Veteli

2019 Centro Provincial de Artes Plásticas, Havana, Cuba

2019 Gallery Seinä & Gallery Kajo, Rovaniemi

2020 MeriNapa in Art Museum, Kemi

2020 Studio Mustanapa, Rovaniemi

2020 Casa Museo de Diego Velázquez, Santiago de Cuba

2020 Photographs in co-operation with Rosy Martin, London Art Fair, Great Britain

### **Works in collections**

Photographs in collections of Contemporary art museum of Torresblascopedro, Jaén, Spain; Centro de Desarrollo de Artes, La Habana, Cuba; Centro Universidad de Cardenal Cisneros, Alcalá, Spain; Textile installation in Jenny and Antti Wihuri Foundation, Rovaniemi, Finland

### **Latest grants**

2013 Grant: use of artists' residence in Berlin (2014) / Arts Promotion Centre Finland

2014 Grant for photo exhibition in Cuba / Arts Promotion Centre Finland

2018 Grant for photo exhibition in Cuba / Frame

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### **Links**

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