

RENJA LEINO

b.1958 Finland, lives and works on Korpo island, Turku archipelago since 1990.

1979-1989 studies in Sweden in Uppsala and Stockholm. 2 children b. 1993,1996

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1998-2004 Head of Department of Photography at Turku Arts Academy.

Lecturer since 1992-

EDUCATION: Konstfack, Academy of Photography, Stockholm 1986-90

Exchange student at University of Industrial Art Craft and Design, Helsinki, Dep. of Photography 89-90

Studio Fotografen AB, photography assistant for Lars Köhler in Uppsala, Sweden 1984-86

Uppsala University (psychologi,dramatics, aesthetics)1980-84

Solo exhibitions, selection

- 2006 City installation Absent Minds, IPRN Changing Faces/Shifts, Jyväskylä
- 2005 Rantagalleria, Northern Center of Photography, Oulu
- 2005 Archipelago Center in Korpoström, opening show
- 2004 NYKYAIKA, Tampere
- 2003 The Finnish Museum of Photography, Project
- 2003 City installation End of Euphoria, City Art –project, Virasto, ARTE, Turku
- 2002 Gallery TITANIK, Turku
- 2000 St Petersburg, Puskinskaja 10, Photoimage gallery, Russia
- 1997 Wäinö Aaltonens Museum, Studio, Turku
- 1997 Zone –gallery, Helsinki
- 1995 Lietuvas Aidas Gallery, Vilnius, Lithuania
- 1995 Rantagallery, Turku
- 1995 Poriginal –gallery, Pori
- 1993 Laterna Magica, Helsinki
- 1992 Hippolyte, Photographic gallery, Helsinki
- 1988 Upplands Museet, Uppsala, Sweden

Group exhibitions, selection

- 2007 Museo Fotografia Contemporanea, Milano. IPRN Changing Faces
- 2006 Athens 13th international Month of Photography, ACG Art. Work/IPRN Changing Faces
- 2006 Museum Folkwang, Germany, *Work in Progress 2/IPRN*, catalog
- 2006 Fotofinlandia finalist show Sanomatalo Helsinki and VB- Photographic Center, Kuopio
- 2005 Salo Art Museum, *MOBIILIMEKKO*
- 2004 Turku Art Museum *Concerning the commonplace*, catalog
- 2004 Helsinki City Art Museum, *Garden of Eden*, Publication
- 2004 Galerie Waidspecher im Kulturhof Krönbacken, Erfurt. Germany *Landnahme*
- 2001 Gallery Titanik, Turku, *Romulux*
- 2000 Puskinskaja 10, St Petersburg, *Memento Mori*, cur, catalog
- 1999 Åland *ARTFARM* cur
- 1997 Center of Photography, PERI *Finland 80v jubileum*
- 1997 Gallery Titanik *Sex, Snackn Pop*
- 1995 Gallery Harmonia, Jyväskylä, *Floating forks, cat*
- 1995 Ars Nova Museum, Turku, *Arteologiset löydökset*
- 1992 Fotografiska Museet i ModernaMuseet, Stockholm, Sweden *5+1* , cur, catalog
- 1992 Ecuador, Guatemala, Honduras, (Swedish Institut)*Figuras Femeninas*
- 1992/93 Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, *Some Swedish Strategies*, cur. catalog
- 1988 Kulturhuset Stockholm, Konstfack *Futurum*

Collections

1991, -92. -94 The State Art Collection of Finland

2006 Finnish Museum of Photography

2004 Helsinki City Art Museum,

Private

1996 Gallery Harmonia

2005 TYKS, Turku University Hospital

Grants/Comissions/Awards

2007	Art Council of South-West Finland
2006	Svenska Kulturfonden
2006	The Arts Council of Finland
2006	Fotofinlandia, finalist
2005	Culture 2000, IPRN Changing Faces Artist Fellow, Comission/ Recidency in TZECH Republic
2005	Finnish Cultural Foundation, (group)
2004 / 2002	Art Council of South – West Finland
2003	The Arts Council of Finland
2003	“ “ , Photographic Art
1997, 1995, 1991	Art Council of Turku and Pori
1995	Konstsamfundet
1993	Finnish- Swedish Art Council
1994	Svenska Kulturfonden, Finland
1988, 1990	The Arts Grants Comittee, Sweden
1987	Uppsala Art Council, Sweden

Memberships

Finnish Union of Art Photographers, ARTE ry, Center of Photography PERI, ARKADIA