

SARA AHDE



- Itken silmät poasta
^{lks} helonä tärisee
jo tuntee kuin menettä-
sin järkeni.

Itken surua, Itken
vähyyttä, suuttumusta
En tiedä enää
mitte itken.

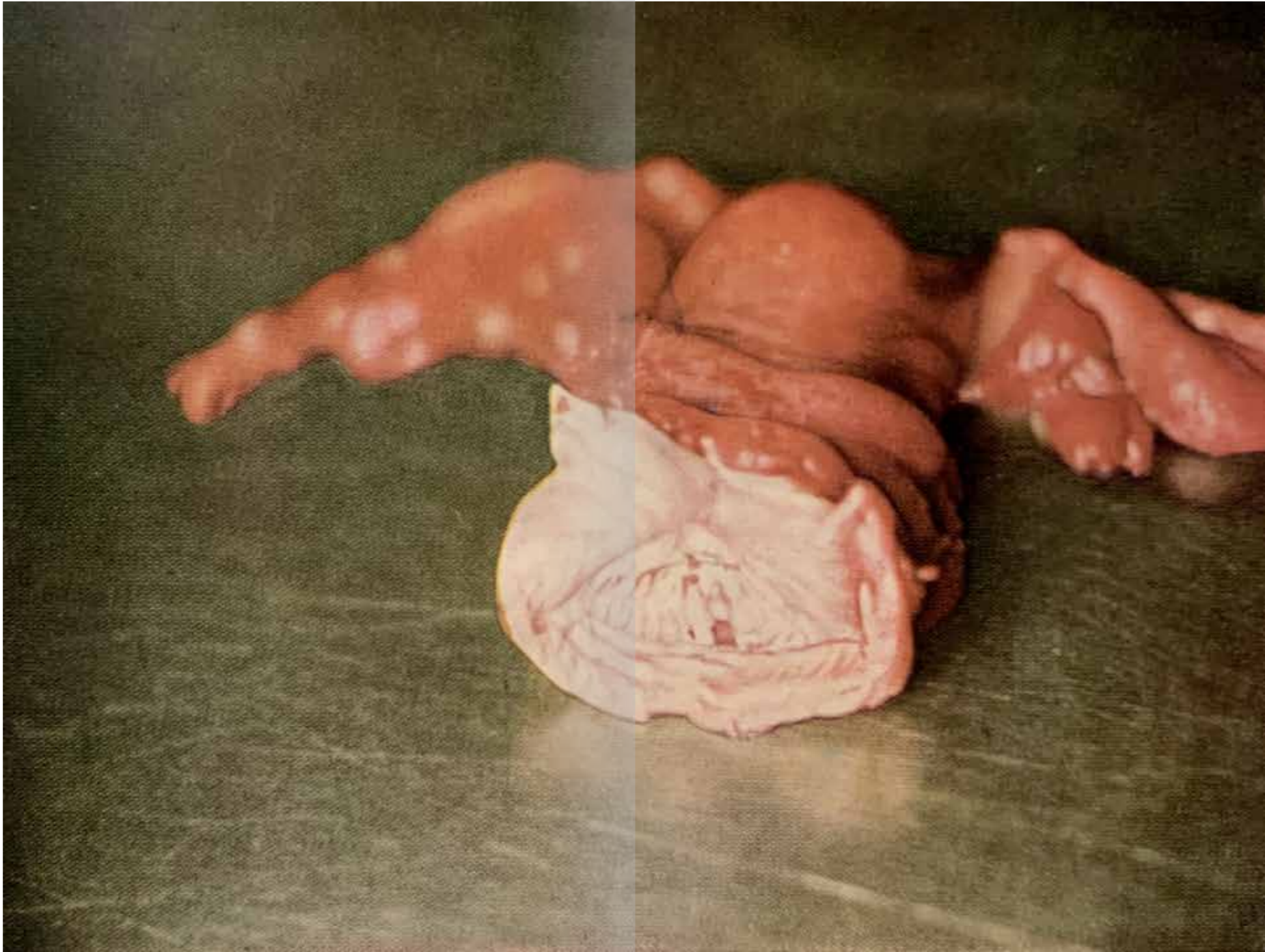
Lehduton, pöyryin
onainen ohitus
Itku valtaa kaiken
ja kappua ei näy
Lautanen heikkäsi
...

Tunne valtaa taas
jo itku alkaa uudelleen.

Olen aina ollut kiinnostu-
nut ihmisen mielen käyttä-
tyksestä. Reaktiosta,
hokautuksista ajatuksista

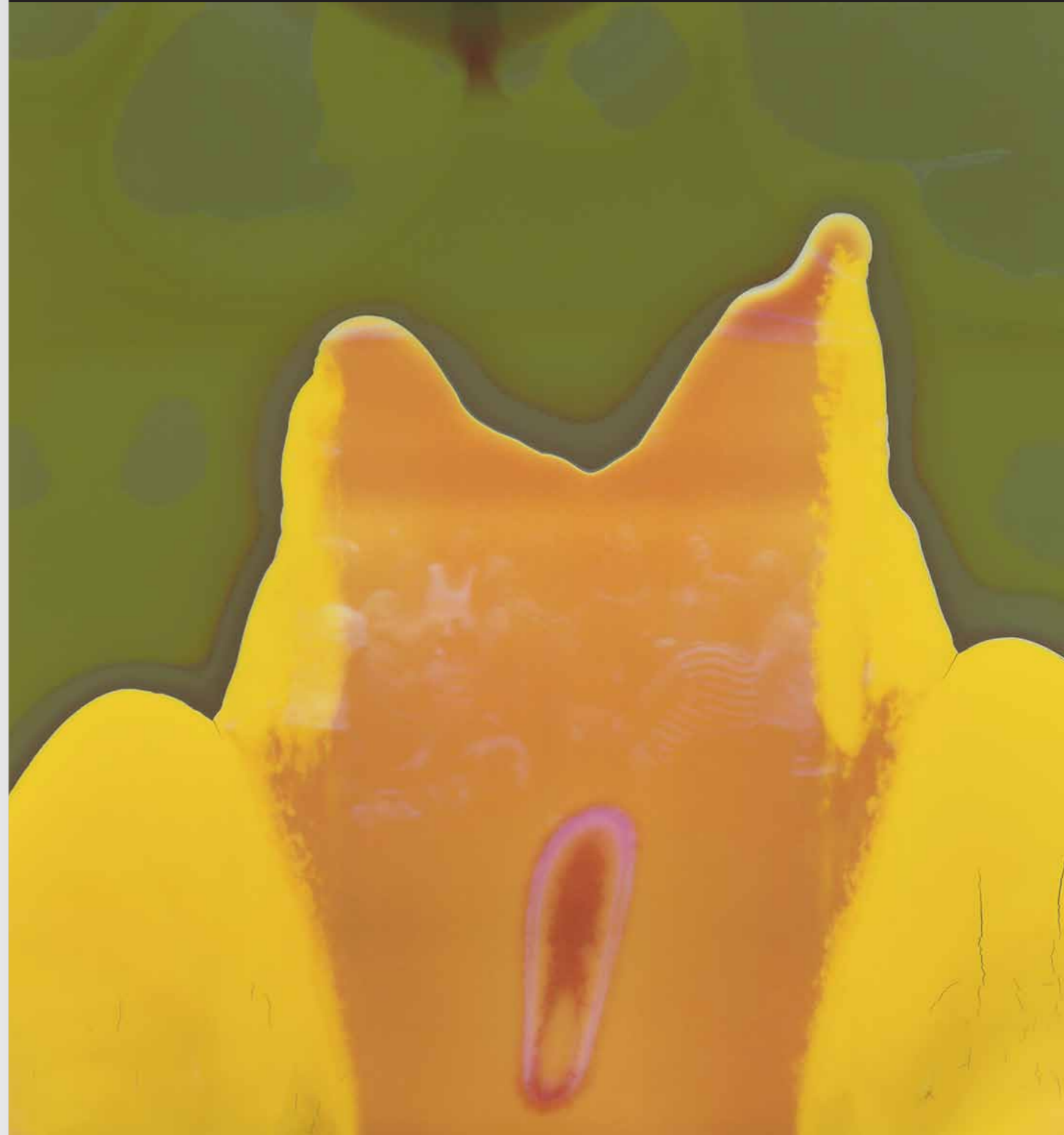
> Käyttäytymisestä

Kiintoa herkkiä ne olonne
Kiintoa hauraita ja
särkyviä ja toisaalta
sitkeitä ja kestäviä.















Soul Catcher 2020
Sara Ahde
Galleria Bässen





Solution, Group exhibition Byrokratia
Galleria Rankka, Finland 2019



Take it and Behold
(Test work for the future exhibitions)
exhibition
Art Fair Finland 2019



Documentation of series *Solution* (2014) in solo exhibition *Aftermath*. Gallery Saskiat, Finland



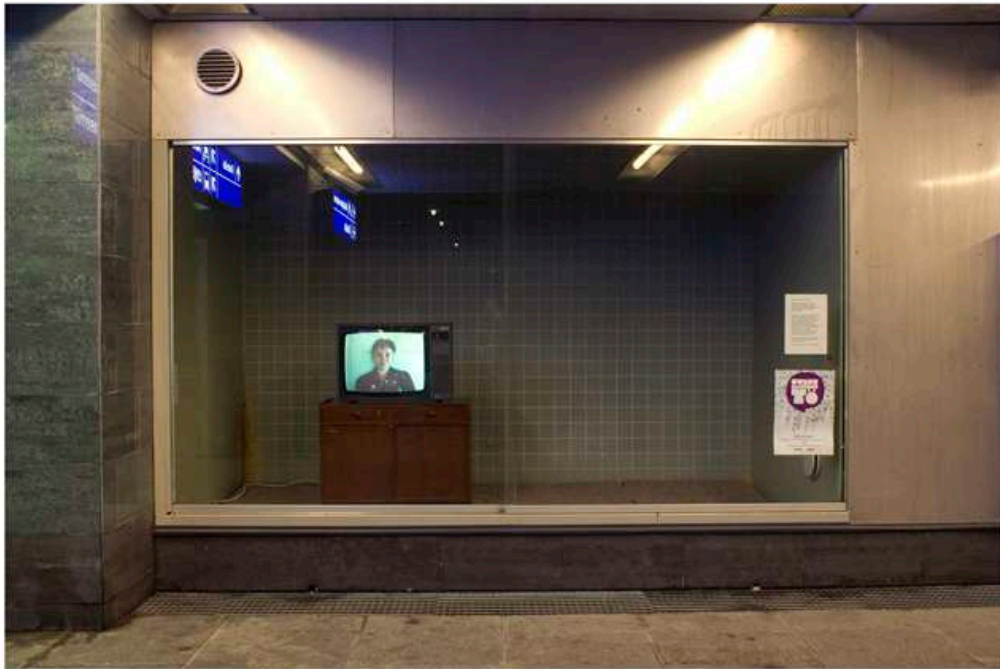
Documentation of the series Oulu
XVIII Mänttä Art Festival, City of Dreams 2013



Documentation of the series Memory in
Pingyao International Photography Festival 2012, China



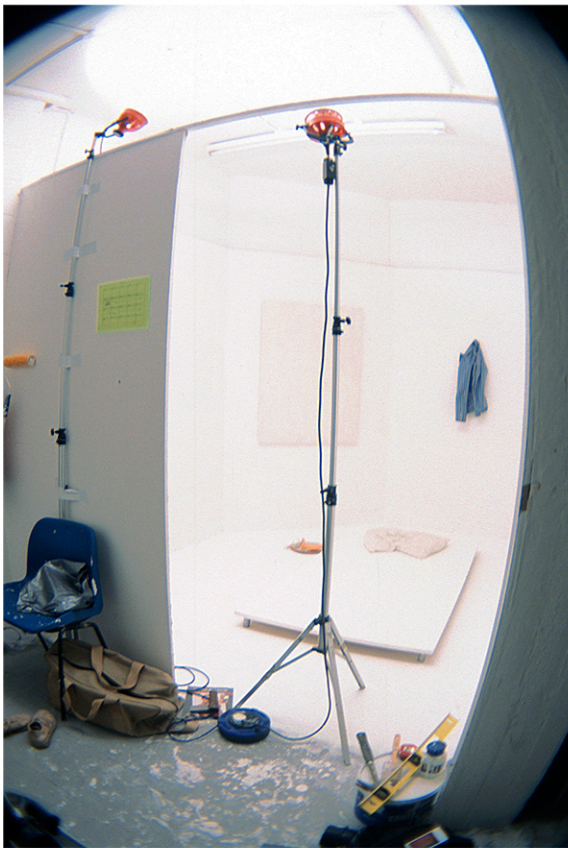
Documentation of an exhibition 'The Role Game and Sugar' in Kummi gallery, Northern Photography Centre (2010)



Exhibition: Encounters / Work: Installation N3
at the space of Oulun Museum of Art 2009



Exhibition: Bonified Genius⁴
Work: Installation N3⁴
at Concourse Gallery, London, UK 2010
Also exhibited in Petroskoi Art museum,
Russia 2012



Installation N1
as well as set for video
Self Portrait, London, UK 2003

CURRICULUM VITAE

SARA AHDE 1979, Oulu, Finland

ART EDUCATION

2000-2003 B.A. (Hons.) Fine Art, Byam Shaw, Central St Martin, University of the Arts London, UK

1998-1999 Liminka School of Art, Liminka, Finland

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2020 Soul Catcher, Galleria Bässen, Mustio, Finland

2018 KLO, Gallery Om'pu and Sauna Arla, Helsinki, Finland

2014 Aftermath Gallery Saskia, Tampere, Finland

2011 Somewhere Else, Kellari Gallery, Oulu, Finland

2010 Sugar and The Role Game, Northern Photographic Centre, Kummigalleria, Oulu, Finland

2009 Encounters, Oulu Museum of Art space in railway station tunnel, Finland

2003 Isi and Me, Concourse Gallery, London, UK

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2020 Galleria Rankka 5YEARS, Helsinki Finland

2019 Byrokrazia, Galleria Rankka, Helsinki, Finland

2019 Art Fare Suomi '19 also '17, '12 and '11, Helsinki Finland

2018 VTL30 Summer living room, Photographic Gallery Hippolyte, Helsinki, Finland

2016 Näillä Lakeuksilla, Vilho Lampi museum, Liminka, Finland

2014 Dialog, Finnish-Russian Cultural Forum, Oulu, Finland

2013 Edsvik Konsthall, Höstsalongen 2013, Stockholm, Sweden

2013 XVIII Mänttä Art Festival, City of Dreams, Mänttä, Finland

2013 In Time - Moment (Oulu Artist Society 50th Anniversary Exhibition), Gallery 5, Finland

2012 Nordic Memories, Pingyao International Photography Festival, Pingyao, China

2012 Iskusstvo.fi, Petrozavodsk Art museum, Russia

2012 Artist Favourites exhibition, Flere Sider Fotografi, Norway

2011 65°N Group, Gallery Myötätuuli, Raahe, Finland

2010 65°N Group Kanneltalo Gallery, Helsinki, Finland

2010 Bona Fide Genius, Byam Shaw School of Art anniversary exhibition, London, UK

2010 Tempo documentary festival, Stockholm, Sweden

2010 OTS Now, Valve Gallery, Oulu, Finland

2010 Episode1: Acute melancholia, Studio44, Stockholm, Sweden

2010 Oulu Artist Society 63, new member's exhibition, Valve Gallery, Oulu, Finland

2009 Omat Seinät, Oulun Museum of Art, Oulu, Finland

2009 Ample horizon, Vilho Lampi Museum, Finland

2007 Nordic Stories, Elastic Residence, London, UK

2005 Art event: B-Movie, London, UK

2004 Tarts Eggs, Nylon Gallery, London, UK

GRANTS

2021 Nation Cultural Fund, project grant

2020 Art Council of Finland, Covid19 work Grant x2

2019 Finnish Cultural Foundation, work grant

2014, 2013, 2012, 2011 2010 Art Council of Finland, project grant

2013 Oskar Öflunds Stiftelse, project grant

2012 Art Council of Finland, work (public display) grants

2011 Arts Council of Oulu, ½ -year work grant

2011 Oulu City Cultural board, project grant

2010 Finnish Art Association, project grant

2010 Nordic Culture Point, Stockholm exhibition travel grant

2010 Art Council of Finland, London exhibition travel grant

2009 Oulu City Cultural board, young artist grant
2001 Nation Cultural Fund, project grant

PUBLICATIONS

2018 *Tiheä hetki*, Art photography annual book, Publishers are The Photographic Artists' Association and Maahenki Oy
2010 *Remembering the Present* An essay on the photographic exploration of memory in the work of Sara Ahde.
By Sara Ahde and Richard N. Jones

POSITION OF TRUST AND MEMBERSHIPS

2019-present Visek board of grant's
2018-present Kuvasto Ry, board of directors and executive committee
2017-2019 Art Fair Suomi '17 and '19, program manager.
2017-2019, 2021 The chair of exhibition committee in Hippolyte gallery (The Photographic Artists' Association)
2015-present The Photographic Artists' Association, board of directors
2009-2013 Northern photographic Centre, board of directors / vice chairman 2010.
2011-present Artists' Association of Finland, Member
2009-present Oulu Artist Society 63 registered association, member

WORK IN ART FIELD

2020-present Gallerist and curator at Galleria Bässen
2018-2019 Gallery coordinator at Gallery Rankka

COMMISSIONED WORK AS A PHOTOGRAPHER AND DIGITAL ART

2018-present Creating large scale digital collages art work for artist Jyrki Riekki
2005-Documenting various artist artwork for their installation, books etc, Kari Caven, Jussi Meuronen...
2005-present Portraits for various clients, e.g Rosa Liksom Nicole Willis, Mirell Wagner, Essi Kummu, Pauliina Vanhatalo.
2015 Collection shoot for fashion designer Katja Iljanalle.
2011-2012 Commissioned by Finnish Cultural foundation. DocumAxenting artwork, bought and donated since 1975.
2009 Advertising campaign of running shoes for Karhu Nordic OY/AB, USA/Finland
2007 Advertising campaign for Brok Beer, England,UK
2007 Events photography for Wrong Gallery, London, UK

TEACHER/VISITING LECTURE

2014-present Vocational College Live, Audiovisual department, Degree work reviewer and lecture of photography and video production, Helsinki, Finland.
2009- Liminka School of Art, teacher and lecturer in Art photography, Liminka, Finland
2011 Oulujoki adult education college, teacher of photography, Finland
2009, 2010 Setlementti ry, teacher of photography, Oulu, Finland
2006 Amersham & Wycombe College, B.A. (Hons.), lecturer in photography, London, UK

PHOTOGRAPHIC ASSISTANT 2004-2008

Hugo Glendinning's fist assistant in Art photography, portraiture, advertising and producing work for other artists.
www.hugoglendinning.com.
Producing work for artists: Martin Greed, Paola Pivi, and Yinka Shonibare etc.
Clients: Jake & Dinos Chapman, Tracey Emin, Royal Shakespeare Company, National Theatre UK, Royal Opera House UK, Barbican, Sadler's Wells, etc.