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EDUCATION

2017 - 2021
Lahti University of Applied Sciences, Institute of Art and Design
Bachelor of Arts, Photography
www.lab.fi

2011 - 2016
Metropolia University of Applied Sciences
Bachelor of Media engineering
www.metropolia.fi

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

10/2022
Sivuttain/Sidlänges
11 finnish artists explores narration of photobooks.
Makers' Gallery, Vaasa

09/2020
Visual Catalysts, Backlight Photo Festival
The exhibition brings together artists around for catalyzing our transition to a sustainable circular economy.
Cultural House Laikku, Tampere, Finland

03/2019
"Life is a Journey"
Lahti Deaconess Institute's 150th anniversary event, Lahti

11/2019
Surface
Exhibition about trip to Nursultan, Kazakhstan.
Luja Gallery, Lahti

05/2018
24 hour Prisma people
YKSI group exhibition, Lahti

08/2011
Facades
PASILA group exhibition, Main library, Helsinki

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

08-09/2025
In Transit - Traveling in North Korea
Kumlinge Kulturcentrum, Åland

01/2025
In Transit - Traveling in North Korea
Laterna Magica, Helsinki
laterna.net/nayttelyt

PUBLICATIONS

12/2024
In Transit - Traveling in North Korea
144 pages / Size 14x23 cm / Edition 280 pcs

06/2022
Kutomotie 1, Stockmannintie 1
36 pages / Size 14x17 cm / Edition 57 pcs

11/2018
"Hetken olemme" 2019 photo calendar about Relationship between human and nature
212 pages / Size 21x24 cm

07/2018
24 hour Prisma People
28 pages / Size 29x36 cm / Edition 100 pcs

GRANTS

06/2021
Planning a photobook about North Korea in the context of Dark tourism
The Central Association of Finnish Photographic Organizations, Finnfoto
finnfoto.fi/apuraha/

WORKSHOPS

03/2022
Page turner - photography, the book & self-publishing by Paula Roush
Helsinki, Finland
www.msdm.org.uk/page-turner

09/2019
Canon Student development program
Visa pour l'image, Perpignan, France
www.visapourlimage.com

09/2019
Analog diptych workshop by photographer Lubo Stacho
Lahti, Finland
lubostacho.webnode.sk