

KAISU ARO / Curriculum Vitae

Born in 1949 in Ylitornio, Finland

ART STUDIES

Art Academy of Finland 1970-1974

SOLO SHOWS IN FINLAND

2010 Galleria Kone, Hämeenlinna

2009 Galleria Ama, Turku

2007 Gallery Sculptor, Helsinki

2002 Seinäjoki Art Hall

2002 Gallery Bakeliittibambi, Helsinki

1998, 1993, 1990, 1985 ja 1983 Gallery Taidesalonki, Helsinki

1997 The Aine Art Museum, Tornio

1996, 1987 ja 1982 Hyvinkää Art Museum, Hyvinkää

1991 Gallery Pinacotheca, Jyväskylä

1983 Gallery Husan Taidesalonki, Tampere

1982 Gallery Strindberg, Helsinki

1975 Kluuvi Gallery, Helsinki

SOLO SHOWS ABROAD

1994 Galerie du Temple, Paris

1993 Cité Internationale des Arts, Paris

1993 Gallery Sirius, Kostroma, Russia

1991 Tecota Art Gallery, Toronto, Canada

SELECTED GROUP SHOWS IN FINLAND

2009 Worth Painting, Finnish Painters' Union's 80th Anniversary Exhibition, Amos Anderson Art Museum

2007 "PAIKALLISTA" ("LOCAL"), Ars-Häme, The Jetty Barracks Gallery, Suomenlinna, Helsinki

2007 Iki-Digi Art, Hämeenlinna

2003 Kerava Art Museum, Kerava

2002 Gallery Promenade, Hyvinkää

2001 Mikola Watercolour Museum, Vaasa

2001 TAJU 2001 - Contemporary Art Event, Hyvinkää

2000-1973 Annual Exhibitions of the Artists of Hyvinkää

1999 Art Center Villa Wegelius, Ikaalinen

1998 "KATO" ("LOOK"), Vantaa

1998 The 40th Anniversary Exhibition of Hyvinkää Artists' Association, Hyvinkää

1997 Purnu Summer Exhibition, Orivesi

1996, 1982, 1975 and 1974 Finnish Artists' Exhibition, Helsinki

1996 Galleria Allinna, Riihimäki

1994 XL Art Fair, Turku

1992 and 1983 The Uusimaa Regional Exhibition, Helsinki

1985 The Artists of the Year, Hyvinkää Art Museum

1981, 1976, 1975 ja 1974 Young Artists' Exhibition, Helsinki

1977 Näyttely 77/Exhibition 77, Kunsthalle Helsinki

1976 Suomalainen akvarelli/Finnish Watercolour, Helsinki

1973 Union of Finnish Art Associations' Exhibition, Jyväskylä

GROUP SHOWS ABROAD

2002 Kostroma Art Gallery, Kostroma, Russia

1999 Stockholm Art Fair
1998 The 3rd International Biennial Watercolour Exhibition, Coyacán, Mexico
1992 Galleri Konstepidemin, Göteborg, Sweden
1982 Hyvinkää Artists' Association, Deva, Rumania
1974 Galleri Plaisir, Hässelby Slott, Vällingby, Sweden

PUBLICATIONS

A review, Art Journal Taide 6/02
Maalaton kuvan kieli, Taide 1/03
Maalauksia, Kaisu Aro, Hyvinkää Art Museum Publication Series Number 25

PUBLIC WORKS

1995 Wall painting in Martti Community Centre, Hyvinkää
1990 Wall painting in Anttila Primary School and Nursery, Hyvinkää

COMPETITIONS

2004 Hyvinkää Parish Altarpiece Competition, Hyvinkää

AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

2009 and 2007 Arts Council of Häme
2005, 2001, 1998, 1996, 1993 and 1990 The State of Finland
2005 and 2001 Alfred Kordelin Foundation 2001
2004 and 2001 The City of Hyvinkää
2004 The State of Finland 1-year Grant
2003, 1998 and 1993 Uusimaa Fund of the Finnish Cultural Foundation
2003 and 1998 The State of Finland Exhibition Grant
1997 Arts Council of Uusimaa
1997 Hotel Cheillon Grant of the Finnish Cultural Foundation
1996 Reward of The Artists' Association of Finland
1996 Finnish Cultural Foundation
1994 Oskar Öflund Foundation
1992 Studio Grant of the Nordic Art Centre
1987 The City of Hyvinkää Art Award

SELECTED COLLECTIONS

The State of Finland
The City of Helsinki
The City of Hyvinkää
Hyvinkää Art Museum
The Fine Arts Society of Finland
Wihuri Foundation
Bäcksbacka Collection
The Aine Art Foundation
Postipankki Oy
Suur-Helsingin Osuuspankki Bank
Kansallisosakepankki Bank
Säästöpankki Bank
Ada-bolaget (Sweden)
Pohjola Group
The Municipality of Heinävesi
Kiljava Hospital

MEMBERSHIPS

Finnish Painters' Union

Hyvinkää Artists' Association

Ars-Häme

TEACHING

Hyvinkää Art School 2003-

Pekka Halonen Academy, Tuusula 1996-