

## SANNA KANNISTO

Born in Hämeenlinna (Finland) in 1974, she lives and works in Helsinki.

### SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS:

- 2019 *Observing Eye*, Helsinki Contemporary, Helsinki  
*Trabajo de Campo, Centro de la Imagen*, Lima, Peru
- 2018 *A Song System*, Metronom, Modena
- 2017 *White Space*, NonostanteMarras, Milan
- 2015 *Local Vernacular*, Helsinki Contemporary, Helsinki  
*Local Vernacular*, Galerie La Ferronnerie, Paris
- 2013 *Far*, Fabbrica Arte Rimini, Galleria d'arte moderna e contemporanea, Rimini, Italy
- 2012 *Le Château d'Eau*, Toulouse, France  
*Close Observer*, METRONOM, Modena, Italy  
*Close Observer*, Galerie La Ferronnerie, Paris  
*Gallery taik persons*, Berlin, Germany
- 2011 *Sørlandets Kunstmuseum*, Kristiansand, Norway  
*Fieldwork*, Aperture Gallery, New York, USA  
*Kalhama & Piippo Contemporary*, Helsinki, Finland
- 2008 *Domaine de Kerguéhennec*, Contemporary Art Centre, Bignan, France  
*Le centre photographique d'Ile-de-France CPIF*, together with Ilkka Halso, France  
*Galerie La Ferronnerie*, Paris, France  
*Galerie Wilma Tolksdorf*, Frankfurt am Main, Germany  
*Korjaamo Culture Factory*, Gallery 1 & 2, Helsinki, Finland
- 2007 *Galerie Georg Kargl*, Vienna, Austria
- 2006 *Jackson Fine Art*, Atlanta, USA  
*Galerie La Ferronnerie*, Paris, France  
*Yours Gallery*, Warsaw, Poland  
*Galerie Wilma Tolksdorf*, Berlin, Germany  
*Gallery F-Station*, Photomonth in Cracow, Poland

### SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS:

- 2018 *Considering Finland*, Kunstverein Ludwigshafen / Port25 Raum für Gegenwartskunst, Mannheim, DE  
*Nature as a Playground*, The Museum of Photography Seoul, South Korea  
*Endangered Species: Artists on the Front Line of Biodiversity*, Whatcom Museum, Washington
- 2017 *THE VON WRIGHT BROTHERS*, Ateneum, Helsinki  
*Kuusi*, Lachenmann Art, Konstanz, Germany  
*Systema Naturae*, Kunsthall Stavanger, Norway  
*ANTOLOGIA*, Metronom, Modena, Italy  
*Human / Nature*, Northern Photographic Centre, Oulu, Finland  
*You want truth or beauty?*, KUNSTHALLE im Kunsthau Nexus, Austria  
*Herbarium*, Fotografisk Center, Copenhagen, Denmark
- 2016 *Paradise Lost*, Museum Villa Rot, Burgrieden – Rot, Germany  
*Unseen Photo Fair*, Amsterdam, Metronom booth
- 2015 *Fotografia contemporanea nell'Europa Nord-Occidentale*, Fondazione Fotografia, Modena, Italy
- 2014 *Collective Collection*, volet 2, BBB centre d'art, Toulouse, France  
*Selezione estiva – De Buck Gallery*, New York City, New York  
*What's Life Anyway?*, Tromso Kunstforening, Tromsø, Norway  
*Asombrosas afinidades*, PHE2014, Fundación Antonio Saura. Casa Zavala, Spain  
*Nordic Light International Festival of Photography*, Kristiansund, Norway  
*Photography into Art. The Hannula & Hinkka Collection*, Aboa Vetus & Ars Nova, Finland  
*Le bestiaire des photographes*, Centre culturel Henri-Desbals, Toulouse, France

- 2013 Vermessene Dinge/ Measured things, Eres Stiftung, Munich, Germany
- Spécimens, Domaine de Chamarande, Chamarande, France  
 Reality Bites, Kiasma Museum of Contemporary Art, Helsinki, Finland  
 The Near and the Distant - Photography and Space, Künstlerhaus Dortmund, Germany
- 2012 The Helsinki School. "Regards finlandais sur la nature", Abbaye de Jumièges, Jumièges, France
- Révélations, Galerie La Ferronnerie, Paris, France  
 State of the Art - New Contemporary Photography, NRW-Forum, Düsseldorf, Germany  
 Festival of Photography, Knokke-Heist, Belgium  
 Äärimmäisyksien yhteinen tekijä, WAM, Turku, Finland  
 Baltimore Contemporary, Baltimore, USA  
 Sammen/together, trondheim Kunstmuseum, Norway
- 2011 A Female View. Part 2-aus der Helsinki School, Foto Raum, Wien, Austria  
 Für Hund und Katz ist auch noch Platz, Art Foyer DZ Bank, Frankfurt am Main, Germany  
 Beautiful Vagabonds, Yancey Richarson Gallery, USA  
 Prague Biennale, The romantic construct, Czech Republic  
 8th Mercosul Biennial, Essays on Geopoetics, Porto Alegre, Brasil
- 2010 Strange Travelers, Tanya Bonakdar gallery, curated by Mark Dion, New York, USA  
 elles@centrepompidou, women artists in the collections of the Centre Pompidou, Paris, France  
 Wald, Städtische Galerie Waldkraiburg, Waldkraiburg, Germany  
 Repeat All, Centro Cultural Chacao, Caracas, Venezuela  
 Speed, Ulrich Museum of Art, Kansas, USA
- 2009 The Tree, Fuglsang Art Museum, Island of Lolland, Denmark  
 Variations on Transcending the Finiteness of Human Vision, Riga Art Space, Latvia  
 FotoRio Short List/The Dream Machine, Niterói Museum of contemporary art, Rio de Janeiro, Brasil  
 Arctic hysteria Onscreen, Ludwig Museum of Contemporary Art, Budapest, Hungary  
 PhotoEspaña, Descubrimientos PHE Madrid, Spain  
 Får ej övertäckas, Eskilstuna Art Museum, Sweden  
 Nature en Kit, MUDAC, Losanna, Switzerland  
 Struggle for life, Eres Stiftung, Munich, Germany
- 2008 Other florae, Galeria Nara Roesler, São Paulo, Brasil  
 Video short list : Machines à rêver/ Dream machine, Passage de Retz, Paris, France  
 REAL, Städel Museum, Frankfurt am Main, Germany  
 Arctic hysteria Onscreen, Museum of Modern Art Moma, New York, USA  
 Cinéma et videos d'artistes, Maison Européenne de la Photographie, Paris, France  
 Five variations on the finiteness of human vision, Artget Gallery, Cultural Centre of Belgrado, Serbia  
 Tapis, coussins et videos, 36th La Rochelle International Film Festival, La Rochelle, France
- 2007 Research and Invention, Fotomuseum Winterthur, Switzerland  
 Bird Watching in Harlem, De Vishal exposition space, Haarlem, Netherlands  
 Garden Eden –The Garden in Art since 1900, Kunsthalle Emden, Germany  
 Self-timer, National Museum of Contemporary Art (MNAC), Bucarest, Romania  
 Age of the Animal, Ateneum Art Museum, Helsinki, Finland  
 Grey matters - photography is thinking, Finnish Museum of Photography, Helsinki, Finland  
 Repeat All, Centro Cultural Matucana 100, Santiago de Chile, Chile  
 Photo Finnish - The Helsinki School, Stenersen Art Museum, Norway  
 Repeat All, La Casa de la Cultura, Buenos Aires, Argentina
- 2006 Self-timer, Nikolaj Contemporary, Copenhagen, Denmark  
 Art, Life & Confusion, The Belgrade Biennial, Serbia  
 Streams of Story, Glasgow Festival of Contemporary Visual Art, Tramway Gallery, UK  
 The Faraway Nearby, White Box, New York, USA  
 Focus Finland, KBB Barcelona, Spain

Self-timer/ Selbstaumlöser, Kunsthalle Fridericianum, Kassel, Germany  
Presence, Wäinö Aaltonen Art Museum, Turku, Finland  
Vad är fotografi? The Helsinki School, Borås Art Museum, Sweden

#### AWARDS AND RESIDENCIES:

- 2017 CISCA, Centro Italiano Studi per la conservazione e l'ambiente, Isola Ponza
- 2015 State Prize for Photographic Art, Finland  
Arts Council of Finland, Finnish Cultural Foundation
- 2012 Finnish Cultural Foundation Prize
- 2010 Arts Council of Finland, Frame
- 2009 Arts Council of Finland
- 2007 Arts Council of Finland, Ministry of Education, Oskar Öflund Foundation, FRAME,  
Greta and William Lehtinen Foundation
- 2006 Fine Arts Society of Finland, FRAME
- 2005 Alfred Kordelin Foundation, Arts Council of Finland, Finnish Cultural Foundation
- 2004 City of Paris, FRAME
- 2003 Hasselblad Foundation, Ministry of Education, Finnish Cultural Foundation

#### SELECTED PUBLICATIONS:

- 2017 *White Space*, Sanna Kannisto, Metronom Books
- 2012 State of The Art Photography, Feymedia and NRW-Forum Düsseldorf, Germany
- 2011 Fieldwork, monograph, Aperture Foundation, New York  
The Helsinki School, Vol. 4, A Female View, Hatje Cantz, Germany
- 2009 Foam Magazine #19, Foam Fotografiemuseum Amsterdam, Netherlands  
Northwawe, Overview of video art in the Nordic Countries, Guerini, Milan
- 2008 Photo Art: The New World of Photography, Thames and Hudson  
Photo Art: Photography in the 21st Century, Aperture  
REAL, From the collection of DZ-Bank, Städel Museum and Hatje Cantz, Frankfurt am Main, Germany
- 2007 Research and Invention, catalogue, Fotomuseum Winterthur, Switzerland  
Photo Art: Fotografie im 21. Jahrhundert, DuMont Literatur und Kunst Verlag, Germany  
Garden Eden, DuMont Literatur und Kunst Verlag, Germany  
The Helsinki School, Hatje Cantz, Germany
- 2005 Selbstaumlöser – catalogue, Kunsthalle Fridericianum  
The Helsinki School, Hatje Cantz, Germany

#### COLLECTIONS:

Fondazione Fotografia Modena, Italy  
Centre Pompidou - Musée National d'Art Moderne, Paris, France  
Fotomuseum Winterthur, Switzerland  
MEP, Maison européenne de la photographie, France  
Le Fonds national d'art contemporain (FNAC), The State Art Collection, France  
Fonds Régional d'Art Contemporain, FRAC Haute-Normandie, France  
Fonds Régional d'Art Contemporain, FRAC Bretagne, France  
DZ-Bank Art Collection, Germany  
Kiasma - Museum of Contemporary Art, Helsinki, Finland  
Finnish Museum of Photography, Finland  
Helsinki City Art Museum, Finland  
State Art Collection, Finland  
Vihuri Foundation, Rovaniemi Art Museum, Finland  
Salo Art Museum, Finland  
SKMU Sørlandets Kunstmuseum, Norway  
Le Château d'Eau, Toulouse, France



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