

PEKKA TURUNEN

Born 1958

EDUCATION

1987 University of Art and Design Helsinki

SOLO EXHIBITIONS IN FINLAND

2006 "Absolut Lande", Villa Lande, Kemiö
 2005 "Greetings from Finland", Kraft -gallery, Turku
 2004 "Konsten att se", Söderlångvik museum, Dragsfjärd
 2000 "Collected Works", Antinsali, Lahti
 1999 "Collected Works", Museum of Photography, Helsinki
 1999 "Collected Works", Photographic center in Kuopio
 1999 "Collected Works", Photographic center in Mikkeli
 1999 Gallery Zebra, Karjaa
 1997 Gallery Harmonia, Jyväskylä
 1997 "Collected Works", Lusto Forest Museum, Punkaharju; Ekenäs Museum

SOLO EXHIBITIONS ABROAD

2009 Kominek-Gallery, Berlin Germany
 2003 Finnland-institut in Deutschland, Berlin Germany
 2002 Musée de Normandie, Caen, France
 2001 Kunsthaus Boskamp, Hohenlockstedt, Germany
 1999 Galleri Specta, Copenhagen, Denmark
 1997 Stephen Bulger Gallery, Toronto, Canada
 1997 Galleri Specta, Copenhagen, Denmark
 1997 "Against the Wall", Up-Gallery, Stockholm, Sweden
 1994 "Against the Wall", Photographic Gallery, Copenhagen, Denmark
 1991 "Against the Wall", Nice, France
 1991 "Against the Wall", Centre of Contemporary Art, Moscow, Russia

GROUP EXHIBITIONS IN FINLAND

2010 "Polku", Honkahai Art Centre, Mänttä
 2009 "FINLANDIA 200", Finish Portraits 1809 – 2009, Helsinki Art Museum
 2009 "The Farmer's Dream", Salo Art Museum
 2008 "Yrke: Konstnär", gamla kommunalstugan, Pargas
 2006 "Every object tells a story", Ethnological Helinä Rautavaara -Museum, Espoo
 2004 "Se mikä on tavallista", Turun taidemuseo
 2004 „30byTaik“, Photography museum; Helsinki
 2004 "Every object tells a story", Salo Art Museum
 2003 "Inhimillinen arki", Vantaa Art Museum

- 2003 "Ihmisiä itärajoilla", Imatra Art Museum
 2002 "Roots", Arthall, Helsinki, Arthall Tallin, Estonia
 2002 "Boys", gallery Peri, Turku
 1999 "Ruralia", Pori Art Museum
 1996 "Strangers in the Arctic", Museum of Contemporary Art, Helsinki and Pori Art Museum,
 1995 "PEMOHT" (Remont), together with Esko Männikkö, Tampere Art Museum; Northern Photography Triennial, Oulu Art Museum
 1994 "Road", touring exhibition
 1994 "Postmorality", 1st Triennial of Finnish Photography, Kunsthalle Helsinki
 1992 "Country & Eastern", together with Ari Jaskari and Esko Männikkö, Vantaa, Oulu, Tampere, Varkaus
 1986 "Minne (Where) - Finnish Photography 1842-1986", Kunsthalle Helsinki

GROUP EXHIBITIONS ABROAD

- 2011 "Nordic Light", (Esko Männikkö) Kristiansund, Norway
 2007 „Photo“ Specta, Denmark
 2006 "Finlandia" (Joakim Eskildssen, Ari Saarto, Jouko Lehtola) De Hallen, Haarlem, Netherlands
 2006 "Randgebieten" vier Fotografen aus Finland (Joakim Eskildssen, Ritva Kovalainen, Esko Männikkö), Düsseldorf, Germany
 2006 "Soucasná finská fotografie", Prague House of Photography
 2004 "37,3°C" Vikingsberg, Helsingborg, Ruotsi
 2003 "Piled-up", Foyer of Rathaus of the city of Essen, Germany
 2003 "Ihmisiä itärajoilla", Slovakia
 2003 Nya verkligheter, Finlands institutet, Stockholm (Esko Männikkö, Elina Brotherusoch Marja Helander)
 2003 "New Realities, Finsk samtida fotografi", Hasselblad Center, Gothenburg
 2002 "Minasiname", Centre Photographique d'île-de-France, Pontault-Combault
 2002 "Roots" Arthall, Tallinn Estonia
 2001 "Sehnsucht nach der sehnsucht", meciac fotografie, Bratislava
 2001 "Images beyond the naked eye" WWF touring exhibition, Haag, Frankfurt
 1999 "Sehnsucht nach der sehnsucht", Die Nordischen Botschaften, Berlin
 1998 "Everyday", 11th biennale of Sydney
 1998 "Underexposed", Metro exhibition in Stockholm
 1998 "Art of the World", Passage de Retz, Paris
 1997 "Strangers in the Arctic", AGO, Toronto, Canada
 1996 "PEMOHT" (Remont), together with Esko Männikkö, Museum of Modern Art, Oslo, Norway
 1996 "Strangers in the Arctic", Rundetårn, Copenhagen, Denmark
 1993 "Country & Eastern", together with Ari Jaskari and Esko Männikkö, European Parliament, Brussels, Belgium; Murmansk Art Museum, Russia
 1992 "Decennium", Bucarest, Romania; Scotland; Istanbul and Ankara, Turkey; Barcelona and Madrid, Spain

WORKS IN THE FOLLOWING COLLECTIONS

Arvid Svensson Collection, Väsrerås, Sweden
 Det Nationale Fotomuseum, Copenhagen Denmark
 Finnish Association for Nature Conservation

Frac Basse-Normandie, Caen France
Hasselblad Center, Göteborg Sweden
Kaleva Collection, Finland
Kopioisto, Finland
Murmansk Art Museum, Russia
Oulu Art Museum, Finland
Salo Art Museum, Finland
Tampere Art Museum, Finland,
The Finnish Museum of Photography, Helsinki, State Art Collection, Finland
The National Gallery of Canada
Väino Aaltonen Art Museum, Turku Finland

PUBLICATIONS

- 2009 "I Promise I Will Talk To My Neighbours", (Riku Korhonen), The city of Salo
2004 "Esineen tarina - Every object tells a story", LIKE (Ulla Leino)
2003 "Greetings from Finland" postcard-portfolio, Carbon Sink Production partnership
2000 "Sagalund- min kostsamma leksak" Sagalund museum(Li Näse, Ritva Kovalainen)
1998 "Collected Works", 2nd edition 1999; Kustannus Pohjoinen and Carbon Sink Production Partnership
1995 "Against the Wall: Lypö, Tilkkanen, Mörsky and I", Kustannus Pohjoinen
1994 "Ekophoto?", Academy of Fine Arts, Helsinki. 2nd edition 1996

BIBLIOGRAPHY

- 2009 VIEW photography magazine no. 14, Brussels
2006 Martin Parr and Gerry Badger: The Photobook: A History volume II, Phaidon Press Limited, ISBN-10:0 71484433 0
2005 Paul Wilson: "Banality as Critique: Contemporary Photography and Finnish National Landscapes" Journal of Finish Studies Volume 9 Number 2 December 2005, IBSN 0-9737165-7-6
2004 Tarja Laine: Shame and Desire, Intersubjectivity in Finish Visual Culture, © ASCA Press, ISBN 90-9017867-8
2002 Anne Durez: Pekka Turunen, MinäSinäMe, © 2002 l'Ambassade de Finlande en France et par l'Institut finlandais, ISBN 2-9518850-0-8
1999 "Longing for longing" six nordic photographers, Förlaget Brandts Klaedefabrik, ISBN:87-7766-089-7
1994 "Pemoht". Katalog, quaterly magazine for Photography, December 1993. Denmark
1991 Suomen luonto (Finnish Nature), magazine, 10/1991
1991 Camera International, Vol. 30/1991, France
1986 Picture Show, magazine 2/1986, Sweden

VIDEOS AND DOCUMENTARY FILMS

- 1994 "Greasy Raymond", rockvideo, ESEK
1990 "And that's a fact", TV1, Finland and Finnish Film Foundation (with Markku Honkanen)
1987 "Joinsuussa", TV2, Finland (with Markku Honkanen)
1986 "One night stand", MTV3, Finland (with Ritva Kovalainen)

GRANTS PRIZES

- 2005-2009 State Grant for photographic Art
2004 Konstsfundet
2003 Svenska kulturfonden, Finland
2002 Hasselblad Foundation, Sweden
1998-2002 State Grant for photographic Art
2001 Best Designed Books in Finland, The Committee of Finish Book Design
1998 Best Designed Books in Finland, The Committee of Finish Book Design
1998 Annual Biodiversity Award, Finnish Biodiversity Research Programme FIBRE
1996 Tammissaari Photo Award, Finland
1994 Main Award of the Oulu Rock video Festival, Finland