

CV

Laura Hetemäki

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Education

2024 / master of fine arts, (MFA) Uniarts Helsinki, Academy of Fine Arts (painting department)
2012 / visual artist (BA), Tampere University of Applied Sciences
2010 / study exchange, painting, Limerick Institute of technology, School of Art and Design, Ireland

Selected solo exhibitions

2024 / Mehu, Varikkogallery, Seinäjoki
2022 / Vivid dreams, Gallery Becker, Jyväskylä
2021 / Katsomme toisiamme, Café Bar Pesula, Fiskars
2019 / Huppu ja lamppu, Kyrö Distillery Company, Isokyrö
2018 / Reloaded, Myymälä2 gallery, Helsinki
2017 / Pimeä kevät, Gallery Rajatila, Tampere
2015 / Miska Mutka-Pöppönen, B-gallery project space, Turku

Selected joint exhibitions

2024 / juhuu! with Juliana Hyrrin and Christine Valtonen, Gallery Uusi Kipinä, Lahti
2018 / Space World, with Niina Huovinen, gallery Mustanapa, Rovaniemi
2014 / Toisto, with Niina Huovinen, Seinäjoki arthall

Selected group exhibitions

2025 / Rauma Triennale 'Enchanting Effort', Rauma art museum, Rauma
2024 / Museum collection on view, Saarijärvi art museum
2024 / Uusi Alku, gallery Loisti, Helsinki
2023 / Kuvan Kevät, mfa degree exhibition, Kuva/Tila, Helsinki
2023/ Bridges, Antonia Hamberg's homegallery, Helsinki
2021 / Spring salon, Kosminen gallery, Helsinki
2021 / Third wave, Central Finland museum, Jyväskylä
2019 / Yang art in Ostrobothnia, Vaasa city art gallery
2017 / Avojaloin, Saarijärvi art museum
2013 / Eläin, Haihara art center, Tampere
2012 / Ero, Graduates exhibition, Artcenter Mäntinranta, Tampere

Memberships

Finnish painters union
Jyväskylä art association
Helsinki art association

Grants

2025 / Greta and William Lehtinen foundation, working grant
2025 / Art Promotion Centre Finland, project grant
2024 / Uniarts, working grant for residency

2022 / Finnish Cultural Foundation, working and project grant
2022 / Paulo Foundation, working grant
2021 / Art Promotion Centre Finland, working grant
2021 / Art Promotion Centre Finland, project grant
2020 / Art Promotion Centre Finland, working grant
2020 / Finnish Cultural Foundation, Central Finland regional Fund, working grant

Works in collections

Mannila Art Foundation, Saarijärvi
Finnish Art Society (Artlottery)
Karstula municipality
City of Keuruu
private collections

Residencies

2024 / Uniarts residency Seinäjoki, Finland
2024 / Valóság residency, Budapest, Hungary
2022 / Academy of Fine Arts residency, Berlin, Germany
2019 / Hakoniemi, Luova tila, Rääkkylä, Finland
2019 / Valóság residency, Budapest, Hungary
2013 / Santtu's house, Keuruu museum, Finland