

RAISA RAEKALLIO & MISHA DEL VAL

Working in collaboration started in 2013

Raisa Raekallio (b. 1978) and Misha del Val (b. 1979) | Lives and works in Lapland, Finland

EDUCATION

Raisa Raekallio

2002 BA of Fine Arts | Lahti Institute of Design, Lahti, Finland

Misha del Val

2025 (Current) MPhil of Philosophy, National University of Distance Education, Spain

2008-2009 MA of Art Studies, Collage of Fine Arts | University of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia

2003 BA of Fine Arts | University of Basque Country, Spain

SOLO EXHIBITIONS (as Raisa Raekallio and Misha del Val)

2025 Milieu | Aboa Vetus Ars Nova, Turku, Finland

2024 Lapin piha | Aine Art Museum, Tornio, Finland

Here, There and In-Between (with artist Pauliina Turakka-Purhonen) | Galleria Sculptor, Helsinki, Finland

The Rings of Saturn | MAKASIINI CONTEMPORARY, Turku, Finland

Espacio Marzana - Cultural Projects, Bilbao, Basque Country, Spain

2023 Two Fools To Eudaimonia | MAKASIINI CONTEMPORARY, Turku, Finland

2022 'That's Right, Hold My Hand' Said the Lumberjack to the Limping Buddha | Galleria Huuto, Helsinki, Finland

Encounters of Broken Folk | MAKASIINI CONTEMPORARY, Turku, Finland

2021 The Clown, the Pilot and the Samurai | MAKASIINI CONTEMPORARY, Turku, Finland

2020 Tm•galleria, Helsinki, Finland

Torre de Ariz, Basauri, Bilbao, Basque Country, Spain

2018 Espacio Marzana - Cultural Projects, Bilbao, Basque Country, Spain

Kemi Art Museum, Finland

Galleria Napa, Rovaniemi, Finland

2017 Galleria Valo, Arktikum, Rovaniemi, Finland (with photographer Juha Tolonen)

2016 Galerie Pleiku, Berlin, Germany

2015 Aitta-studio, Sirkka, Finland

Buddhistisches Tor Berlin, Berlin, Germany

2014 Aitta-studio, Sirkka, Finland

GROUP EXHIBITIONS (as Raisa Raekallio and Misha del Val)

2024 Papier vol. II | Delphian Gallery, Helsinki, Finland

Taidepappila Summer Exhibition | Kuhmalampi, Finland

2023 Fortunate Coincidences - Lars Göran Johnsson Collection | Turku Art Museum, Turku, Finland

XXVII Mänttä Art Festival, Mänttä, Finland

Untitled Art Miami with MAKASIINI CONTEMPORARY | Miami FL, USA

Navigating North - Works from Wihuri Foundation Collection | Rovaniemi Art Museum, Rovaniemi, Finland

About Art 2023 | MAKASIINI CONTEMPORARY at Logomo, Turku, Finland

Outoja Tiloja / Next Station | Curated by Arttu Nieminen, Rovaniemi, Finland

Mañana Incierto | Curated by Txema Agiriano, Fire Station Creative, Dunfermline, Scotland

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- 2022 Navigating North | KIASMA Museum of Contemporary Art, Helsinki, Finland
 Untitled Art Miami with MAKASIINI CONTEMPORARY | Miami FL, USA
 Mañana Incierto | Curated by Txema Agiriano, Filet Art Space, London, UK
 Mañana Incierto | Espacio Marzana - Cultural Projects, Bilbao, Spain
 Väylän väki | Aine Art Museum, Tornio, Finland
 Arts Nartae | Curated by Tanja Köistinen, Galleria Kellokas, Äkäslompolo, Finland
 Galleria Rankka, Helsinki, Finland
- 2021 Snow Ball Effect 2021 | Oulu Art Museum, Oulu, Finland
 ISEAS (International Socially Engaged Art Symposium) exhibition | Korundi Art Museum, Finland
 'Pohojonen' Galleria Rankka, Helsinki, Finland
- 2020 Peep Space | New York, USA (Raisa Raekallio)
 Aine Art Museum, Tornio, Finland (Raisa Raekallio)
- 2019 Ars Kärsämäki 2019, Finland
 MEM, Experimental Arts International Festival, Bilbao, Basque Country, Spain
 Taidemaalariliiton juhluvuoden näyttely | Galleria Napa, Rovaniemi, Finland
 Kuvataideviikot | Galleria Napa, Rovaniemi, Finland
- 2018 Echoes from the North / Kaikuja pohjoisesta | Galleria Kakslauttanen, Finland
 Polte | Galleria Kellokas, Ylläs, Finland
- 2017 Portrait Now | Frederiksborg Castle, Denmark and Ljungbergmuseum, Sweden

PERFORMANCE WORK

- 2020 La nación transparente y la casa de madera | Bilbaoarte Foundation, Basque Country, Spain
- 2018 Nervión - Ounasjoki | Espacio Marzana, Bilbao, Basque Country, Spain
 Not Very Sure If We Did It, But We Take Full Credit For It | Kemi Art Museum, Finland
- 2017 The Misgivings of Perfect Love | Aitta-studio, Sirkka, Finland
- 2016 The Joy of Not Being What I Think I Am | galerie Pleiku, Berlin, Germany
- 2015 So, How Do You Do in Finland? Well, It Depends When You Are Asking | Aitta- studio, Sirkka, Finland

AWARDS | GRANTS

- 2024 Arts Promotion Centre Finland, Working Grant
 Finnish Cultural Foundation, Lapland Regional Fund, Project Grant for V Sirkka Arte Biennale
- 2023 Visual Artist Award, Artists' Association of Finland
 Finnish Cultural Foundation, Working Grant for IV Sirkka Arte Biennale
 VISEK Grant
 Arts Promotion Centre Finland and Kittilä Municipality, Project Grant
- 2022 William Thuring Prize, Finnish Art Society
 Finnish Cultural Foundation, Working Grant
 Arts Promotion Centre Finland, Corona Working Grant
- 2021 Kordelin Foundation, Working Grant
 Finnish Cultural Foundation, Working Grant
 Arts Promotion Centre Finland - Central Fund, Project Grant for III Sirkka Arte Biennale
 Arts Promotion Centre Finland - Lapland Regional Fund, Project Grant for III Sirkka Arte Biennale
- 2020 Arts Promotion Centre Finland - Central Fund, Project grant 'Northern Affinity: Artists from Lapland and Basque Country'
 Anita Snellman Foundation
 Arts Promotion Centre Finland - Lapland Regional Fund - Working Grant (4 months)

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- Arts Promotion Centre Finland, Corona Assistance grant
 Bilbaoarte Production Grant, for exhibition at Torre de Ariz, Bilbao, Basque Country, Spain
 Frame Contemporary Art Finland, Traveling Grant - Bilbao, Basque Country, Spain
 Kone Foundation, 1-month Working Grant, ISEAS project, Äkäslompolo, Finland
 Nordic Cultural Fund - 'Wiping the Ice-Cream Off Your Face' concept exhibition
 Kiitilä Municipality Kulttuuriavustus
- 2019 Arts Promotion Centre Finland, Lapland Regional Fund - Working Grant (6 months) for artistic project
 'Space Refugees'
- 2018 Arts Promotion Centre Finland - Traveling Grant for exhibition at Espacio Marzana, Bilbao, Basque Country, Spain
- 2017 Arts Promotion Centre Finland, Lapland Regional Fund - Working Grant (3 months) for exhibition at Kemi
 Art Museum
- 2016 Arts Promotion Centre Finland - Traveling Grant for exhibition/residency at galerie Pleiku, Berlin, Germany

COLLECTIONS

- Aine Art Museum, Tornio, Finland
 Bilbaoarte Foundation, Bilbao, Spain (del Val)
 Gallivara Council, Sweden (Raekallio)
 Kittilä Council, Finland
 Lars Göran Johnsson Collection, Turku Art Museum, Finland
 Museum and Science Centre Luuppi, Oulu, Finland
 Palsa-museo/Kauko Sorjonen Foundation, Finland
 Rovaniemi Art Museum, Finland
 Saastamoinen Foundation Collection, Finland
 Savukoski Council, Finland
 Särestöniemi museum, Kaukonen, Finland
 Wihuri Foundation, Finland