

CV

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Education

2008-2010 Tavastia vocational college, Artisan of glassblowing

2002-2006 Kuopio Academy of Design, Savonia University of Applied Sciences, Ceramics and glass Design, Designer

Postgraduate studies and courses

2022 Roll-up, Glass workshop, Anu Penttinen and Slate Grove, Nuutajärvi, Finland

2021 Bronze casting, Taidevalimo Sinisalo, Tommi Toija & Anssi Kasitonni, Säkylä, Finland

2017 Kiln casting, Heike Brachlow, Cesty Skla / Ways of glass, Sázava, Czech

2014 Lampworking, Davide Penso, Nuutajärvi, Finland

2012 Lampworking, Fabio Marcomin, Carisolo, Italy

2010 Breaking Symmetry- workshop, Slate Grove, Nuutajärvi, Finland

2008 Kilncasting, Emma Varga, The Glass Furnace, Istanbul, Turkey

2008 Beadmaking, Lea Swantz, Kihniö, Finland

2006- 2007 Kuopio Academy of Design, specialization in glassdesign, Kuopio, Finland

Private exhibitions

2022 Pinnan alla - Under the Surface, Auran Gallery, Turku, Finland

2021 Aamuin ja illoin, päivin ja öin, Gumbostrand Konst&Form, Sipoo, Finland

2018 All those tears, Galerie Pleiku, Berlin, Germany

2018 Embassy of the Republic of Bulgaria to the Republic of Finland, Finland

2017 Huoli, Gallery G12, Helsinki, Finland

2015 Blanc de blancs, The Finnish Glass Museum, Riihimäki, Finland

2014 Hiljaisuus, S-gallery, Helsinki, Finland

Collaborative two person exhibitions

2022 Transparent World - Helmi Remes & Panu Ruotsalo, House of Culture, Karjaa, Finland

2022 Tunne jälki, Ulla Remes ja Helmi Remes, House of Culture, Kiuruvesi, Suomi

2020 Anatomy of Longing - Helmi Remes & Panu Ruotsalo, The Finnish Glass Museum, Riihimäki, Finland

2018 Helmi Remes and Jaakko Liikanen, Glass, Korundi Art Museum, Rovaniemi, Finland

Group exhibitions

2023 Glass Finlandia Des années 1930 à nos jours, Halle du Verre, Claret, Ranska

2023 Icons of Finnish Glass Art, Craft Museum of Finland, Jyväskylä, Finland

2022 ART[s] Gallery Simone Jansen, THERESI_ART 05, Noordwijk, Netherlands

2022 Nuutajärvi Summer Exhibition, The Glass Age, Nuutajärvi, Finland

2021 Fresh – Contemporary Glass from Finland, Bel Air Fine Art Gallery, Dorsoduro, Venice, Italy

2021 Lasismi – Puhaltaa henkiin, The Finnish Glass Museum, Riihimäki, Finland

2019 Why Not - Finnish American Art Glass, Nuutajärvi, Finland

2017 Scandinavian Glass Starting all over, The Finnish Glass Museum, Finland, Glass Factory, Sweden, Glass Museum Ebeltoft, Denmark

2017 Kiehtova kierre, Filigree Glass in Finland Suomessa, The Finnish Glass Museum, Riihimäki, Finland

2017 100-Years of Glass, The Finnish Glass Museum, Riihimäki, Finland

2017 Roy Aurinko and Helmi Remes, Galleria Kajaste, Oulu, Finland

2016 EGC2016- Curated, European Glass Context 2016, Bornholm Art Museum, Denmark

2016 Accident – 10 Finnish Glass Artists, The Finnish Glass Museum, Riihimäki, Finland

2016 Talente 2016 competition exhibition, International Trade Fair Munich, Germany

2015 Finnish Glass Art 7, The Finnish Glass Museum, Riihimäki, Finland

2014 EGE – European Glass Experience, Finland, Portugal, Spain and Italy

2014 Illuusio summer exhibition, The old glass factory, Riihimäki, Finland

2013 Lasismi, Gernheim Glass Museum, Petershagen, Germany

2013 Kattaillen, Helsinki, Tampere, Oulu, Finland

2013 Ornamo artists, Helsinki, Finland

2012 The Void, Design Forum Finland, Helsinki, Finland

2012 Lasismi - Studioglassartists, The Finnish Glass Museum, Riihimäki, Finland

2011 Finnish Glass Art, around Europe

2010 Finnish Glass Art 6, The Finnish Glass Museum, Riihimäki, Finland

Grants and prizes

2023 Arts Promotion Centre Finland, Regional Fund, working group Helmi Remes and Slate grove, for artistic work
2022 Arts Promotion Centre Finland, Collaborative working group Helmi Remes and Anu Penttinen, Design and implementation of a digital platform that promotes cooperation and knowledge sharing in the Finnish art glass industry
2022 FEDERAL CULTURAL FOUNDATION OF GERMANY, Working Stipend to realize a glass project at Glasmanufaktur Harzkristall, Derenburg, Saksa. Stipend: Anu Penttinen, Invited: Helmi Remes
2021 Arts Promotion Centre Finland, semi-annual for the artistic work
2020 Finnish Cultural Foundation, semi-annual for the artistic work
2017 Tied II place, III place and honorary award, 100-Glass design competition, The Finnish Glass Museum (no I place was given, II prize work was also nominated as The Art Glass Piece of the Year 2017)
2017 Arts Promotion Centre Finland, for the exhibitions
2017 Finnish Cultural Foundation, for the one year artistic work
2016 Arts Promotion Centre Finland, The Arts Council of Uusimaa, for the artistic work
2015 Arts Promotion Centre Finland, The Arts Council of Häme, for the artistic work
2012 Vantaa city, for the artistic work
2011 Ethel E.E. Remes Foundation, for the glass class
2010 Finnish Cultural Foundation, for the glass kiln
2008 Finnish Cultural Foundation, North Savo Foundation, for the glass class

Public art

2019 The City of Riihimäki, Uramo Elementary school, Riihimäki, Finland

Notable commissions

2017 Riite vase for Rosenthal GmbH, design commission for unique vase serie, limited edition
2022/2023 Assistant in the Design Processes class, Aalto University, teacher Slate Grove

Work in collections

The City of Raasepori, Karjaa, Finland
Finnish State Art Deposit Collection, Finland
Murano Glass Museum, Italy
Konstmuseet i Norr, Sweden
Jenny and Antti Wihuri foundation, Finland
Kuopio Academy of Design, Finland
The Finnish Glass Museum, Finland
The City of Riihimäki, Finland

Membership

SPEKULO Association of New Glass, Finland
Lasismi Co-op 2010- Founder member
Ornamo - The Finnish Association of Designers
Artists O – The Finnish Association of Artists

Publications

Suomalaisen lasin vuosikirja 2014-2021, Suomen lasimuseon ystävät ry
100-Lasissa, 100 x Glass, Suomen lasimuseo, 2017
Kiehtova kierre, Filigraanilasi Suomessa, Marja-Leena Salo, Otava 2017
Accident, 10 suomalaista lasitaiteilijaa, Suomen lasimuseo, 2016
Rovaniemen taidemuseo 2015-2020, Rovaniemen taidemuseon kokoelmat, julkaisusarja 1, 2021
Dodir Stakla, A Touch of Glass, Museum of Ancient Glass, Zadar 2015