

## **Nina Roos**

Born 1956, Porvoo, Finland  
Lives and works in Helsinki, Finland

### **Education**

1983-88 The Academy of Fine Arts, Helsinki  
1982 Grundskolan för konstnärlig utbildning, Stockholm  
1975-79 University of Helsinki

### **Solo exhibitions**

2020 *Lucid*, Kunsthalle Kohta, Helsinki  
2019 *In the Habit of Hearing*, Galleri K, Oslo  
2019 *Regarding the Point of Restraint*, Lunds konsthall, Lund  
2016 *The Cut*, Galleri Thomas Wallner, Simris  
2015 *Inside Outside and Beside*, Galerie Forsblom, Helsinki  
2014 *Balancing*, Galerie Mansart, Paris  
2013 *situated/ separated*, Galleri K, Oslo  
Galleri Gro, Campus Allegro, Pietarsaari  
*Nina Roos and Astrid Svangren*, Galleri Örsta, Kumla  
2012 *Borders*, Galerie Forsblom, Helsinki  
2010 *shades*, Galerie Anhava, Helsinki  
2009 Kunsternes Hus (together with Jasper Just and Edvine Larssen), Oslo  
*passage*, Galleri Bo Bjerggaard, Copenhagen  
*Nu/Now*, Moderna Museet, Stockholm  
2008 *Positions and Reversals*, Galleri K, Oslo  
Galleri Arnstedt & Kullgren, Östra Karup  
2007 *infinite points*, Galerie Anhava, Helsinki  
Paul Petro Contemporary Art (together with Peter Bowyer), Toronto  
2005 Galerie Anhava, Studio, Helsinki  
2004 Wäinö Aaltonen Museum, Turku  
2003 Galerie Anhava, Helsinki  
*Shifting Spaces: A Rapid Touch*, Malmö Konsthall, Malmö  
*Excursion into the slightest of Signs*, Nina Roos and Anne-Karin Furunes, Galleri K, Oslo  
2002 Bergen Kunsthall, Galleri no 5, Bergen  
2001 *Läpi kuvien/Genom bilder/Through Images*, KIASMA, Museum for Contemporary Art, Helsinki  
1998 *Nina Roos and Paula Modersohn-Becker*, Brandts Klaedefabrik, Odense  
Galerie Gebauer, Berlin  
Paul Petro Contemporary Art, Toronto  
1997 Galerie Anhava, Helsinki  
1996 Galleri Lars Bohman, Stockholm  
Yoshii Gallery, New York

- Gallery Jutempos, Vilnius  
 1995 Galerie Gebauer u. Günther, Berlin  
 1994 Galerie Gebauer u. Günther, Berlin  
 1992 Galleri 11, Reykjavik  
 Galerie Anhava, Helsinki  
 1991 Galleria Sculptor, Helsinki  
 Galéria Arkad, Budapest  
 1990 Fiskars Museum, Fiskars  
 Galleria Johan S., Porvoo  
 1989 Galleri Decorum, Stockholm  
 1988 Galleria Katariina, Helsinki

### **Selected group exhibitions**

- 2020 *La Musée*, Galerie Italienne, Paris  
 2018 *Prime Matter*, Arsenale, Riga  
 2017 *Wither the Winds*, Lunds konsthall, Lund  
*The Cloud of Unknowing*, Värmlands konstmuseum, Karlstad  
*Temporary Futures Exhibition*, M HKA, Museum van Hedendaagse Kunst, Antwerp  
 2016 *With Love Heino*, HAM, Helsinki Art Museum, Helsinki  
*Painting Failures*, Moderna Museet, Malmö  
 2015 *The Nordic Miracle Revisited*, Galleri F15, Moss  
*Prime Matter*, Teckningsmuséet, Laholm  
 2014 *Here/Now*, Artipelag, Stockholm  
 2013 *Channelled*, Lunds Konsthall, Lund  
 2012 *Konst i förvandling*, Amos Andersons konstmuseum, Helsinki  
 2011 *Reflective Shadows*, Ordrupgaard  
*Spatial Places: The Poetry of Place*, Copper Smithy, Fiskars  
 2010 *False Recognition*, Contemporary Art Center, CAC, Vilnius  
 2009 *Annorlunda verkligheter*, Konstakademien, Stockholm  
 2008 *The Continental Unconscious*, KUMU Art Museum, Tallinn  
*Image and After*, KIASMA, Museum of Contemporary Art, Helsinki  
*Kuudes kattaus/Sixth Setting*, HoviArt, Anttolanhovi  
 2007 *Transparent*, Granary, Fiskars  
 2006 Galleri Arnstedt & Kullgren, Östra Karup  
*I Love Malmö*, Turku Art Museum, Turku  
 2006 Saastamoinen Foundation Art Collection, EMMA, Espoo Museum of Modern Art, Espoo  
*Connecting People*, Vestfossen Kunstlaboratorium, Vestfossen  
 2005 Kabusa konsthall, Ystad  
*Ten foreign artists*, Galleri K, Oslo  
*Arjen murtumia/The Fracture of Life*, Kiasma, The Museum of Contemporary Art, Helsinki  
 2003-04 *Carnegie Art Award, 2004 - Nordic Painting*, First prize, Konstakademien, Stockholm;  
 Listasafn Kópavogs, Kópavogur; Kunsternes Hus, Oslo; Charlottenburg, Copenhagen; Victoria Miro Warehouse, London; Kunsthalle Helsinki, Helsinki

- 2003 *Prophetic Corners*, Periferic Contemporary Art Biennial, Iasi
- 2002 *Grace* - Nordic Contemporary Art, Samling Saltarvet, Fiskebäckskil
- 2001 *Interface*, Göteborg Konstmuseum, Gothenburg  
*Sur Face*, Lunds Konsthall, Lund  
*Surface and Whirlpools*, Borås Konstmuseum, Borås  
*The 366/2000 project*, Muka Auckland  
*Hockey Flowers*, Works from the Jenny and Antti Wihuri Foundation Collection at Rovaniemi Art Museum, Kunsthalle Helsinki
- 2000 *Sonic Eye*, with Marianna Uutinen, Yle-Radio Event, Helsinki  
*Europe: Different Perspectives in Painting*, Museo Michetti, Palazzo San Domenico, Francavilla al Mare  
*Painterly*, The 11th Vilnius Painting Triennial, Contemporary Art Centre, CAC, Vilnius  
*Under the same sky*, Vuosaari, KIASMA, Museum of Contemporary Art, Helsinki
- 1999-  
00 *Red Shift: Painting in and out of focus*, Trapholt, Kolding; Kunsthalle Helsinki, Helsinki; Kjarvalsstadir, Reykjavik; Centrum for Beeldende Kunst Rotterdam, Rotterdam
- 1998-  
99 *Carnegie Art Award 1998* - Nordic Painting, Konstakademin, Stockholm; Sophienholm, Lyngby; Stenersensmuseet, Oslo; Kunsthalle Helsinki, Helsinki
- 1998 *Nedbruten*, Storkyrkan, Stockholm
- 1997 *Das erweiterte Feld: Transformation des Bildes*, Kunstverein München, München  
*Ikkuna, peili*, Kunsthalle, Helsinki; Arsenale, Riga
- 1996-  
97 *Above/Below the Surface*, Museum van Hedendaagse Kunst, Antwerpen; Museum of Contemporary Art, Helsinki
- 1996 *Konst i hem-miljö*, Nordic Institute for Contemporary Art, Helsinki
- 1995 *The Image of Europe*, Nicosia  
*XLVI Biennale di Venezia, The Nordic Pavilion*, Venice; Rostock Kunsthalle, Rostock  
Galleri Wang, Oslo  
*ARS 95*, Museum of Contemporary Art, Helsinki
- 1994 *Nina Roos - Jussi Niva*, Sara Hildén Art Museum, Tampere  
*Tidsanda II*, Malmö Art Museum, Malmö  
*X/Y*, Turku Art Museum, Turku; Oulu Art Museum, Oulu  
*The Nordic 90's*, Stockholm Art Fair, Stockholm
- 1993 *Ihanku*, Galerie Anhava, Helsinki  
*Selections*, Sara Hildén Art Museum, Tampere  
*Prospect '93*, Frankfurter Kunstverein, Frankfurt  
*Privat*, Galleri F15, Moss
- 1992 *Rakkautta raunioilla/Love in the Ruins*, The Museum of Modern Art, Tampere  
*Touch*, Villa Roma, Turku
- 1991 *The Image is the final Path*, Sergei Diaghilev Museum, St. Petersburg  
*Aurora 4*, The Nordic Arts Centre, Helsinki; Kulturhuset, Stockholm
- 1990 *The Seoul Art Festival*, The National Museum of Contemporary Art, Seoul  
*Abject*, Galleri Enkehuset, Stockholm; The Nordic Arts Centre, Helsinki  
*1+1+1*, Pynnikinlinna, Tampere
- 1988 *The Factory of Fiskars*, Porvoo

## **Public commissions**

- 2013 *Parallel*, Campus Allegro, Pietarsaari
- 2012 *Life is Echo and Answer*, Altarpiece, The Church of Shadows, Chengdu
- 2006 *Fall I och II*, The Library, University of Gävle, Gävle
- 1998 University of Vaasa, Vaasa
- 1992 Wasa Insurance, Stockholm

## **Collections**

- Amos Anderson Art Museum, Helsinki
- Apoteket AB, Stockholm
- ArtPace, San Antonio
- Niemistö Collection, Hämeenlinna Art Museum, Hämeenlinna
- EMMA, Espoo Museum of Modern Art, Espoo
- Carnegie Art Award, Stockholm
- Gothenburg Art Museum, Gothenburg
- HAM, Helsinki Art Museum, Helsinki
- Heino Foundation, Helsinki
- Kistefos museum, Kistefos, Norway
- KIASMA, The Museum of Contemporary Art, Helsinki
- Malmö Art Museum, Malmö
- Moderna Museet, Stockholm
- The National Public Art Council, Stockholm
- Paulo Foundation, Helsinki
- Pro Artibus Foundation, Helsinki
- Saastamoinen Foundation, Espoo
- Sara Hildén Art Museum, Tampere
- Swanljung Collection, Kuntsi Museum of Modern Art, Vaasa
- Telenor, Oslo
- Turku Art Museum, Turku
- The City of Vantaa
- The Foundation of Serlachius Art Museum, Mänttä
- Wihuri Foundation, Rovaniemi Art Museum, Rovaniemi

## **Awards**

- Suomen Leijonan komentajamerkki, Finland 2020
- Prins Eugen medal, Sweden 2009
- Pro Finlandia, 2007
- First Prize, Carnegie Art Award, Sweden 2004
- Second Prize, Carnegie Art Award, Sweden 1998
- The Edstrand Foundation Art Prize, Sweden 1995

## **Teaching experience**

- 2006 - External Tutor, Malmö Art Academy, Malmö

2004-07 Supervisor, Norwegian Artistic Research Fellowship Programme  
2001-04 Professor of Painting, Academy of Fine Arts, Helsinki  
1996-01 External Tutor, Malmö Art Academy, Malmö  
1998 Visiting Professor, Royal Academy of Fine Arts, Stockholm