

# FINNISH PAINTERS

## Viggo Wallensköld

Born 1969, Porvoo, Finland

Lives and works in Tampere and Helsinki, Finland

### Education

- 2000 University of Industrial Arts, Helsinki, Finland / Pedagogic studies (FI)
- 1995 Academy of Fine Arts, Helsinki, Finland / Master of Fine Arts Degree in Painting (FI)
- 1990 University of Helsinki, Art Studio (FI)
- 1990 University of Helsinki, Department of Art History (FI)

### Solo Exhibitions

- 2024 *Viggo Wallensköld. Paintings*, Gallery Halmetoja Helsinki and Gallery Halmetoja Mänttä (FI)
- 2022–2023 *Viggo Wallensköld. The Human Factor*, HAM Helsinki Art Museum (FI)
- 2020 *Memorial Sermon*, Gallery Halmetoja, Helsinki (FI)
- 2020 *The Manor*, Haihara Art Centre, Tampere (FI)
- 2020 Cultural Centre Sofia, Helsinki (FI)
- 2019 Gallery Live, Helsinki (FI)
- 2019 *Fifteen weeks of Viggo Wallensköld*, The Aine Art Museum, Tornio (FI)
- 2018 Taidesalonki-Konstsalongen, Helsinki (FI)
- 2018 *Mindful Portraits*, Maison Louis Carré, Bazoches-sur-Guyonne (FR)
- 2016 *Ladies. Hölgyek*. Finnish Institute FinnAgora, Barabás Villa, Budapest (HU)
- 2016 Taidesalonki - Konstsalongen, Helsinki (FI)
- 2014 *Variations*. Hämeenlinna Art Museum (FI)
- 2013 Edsvik Konsthall, Sollentuna (SE)
- 2012 Taidesalonki - Konstsalongen, Helsinki (FI)
- 2009–2010 Taidesalonki - Konstsalongen, Helsinki (FI)
- 2008–2009 *Invisible*. Ludwig Museum in the Russian Museum – Marble Palace, St. Petersburg (RU)
- 2007 Taidesalonki - Konstsalongen, Helsinki (FI)
- 2006 Gallery Vanha Kappalaisentalo, Porvoo (FI)
- 2005 Tampere Art Museum, Tampere (FI)
- 2005 Forum Box, Helsinki (FI)
- 2005 Taidesalonki - Konstsalongen, Helsinki (FI)
- 2005 Amos Anderson Art Museum, Helsinki (FI)
- 2005 *L' Hiver*. Aquatinte, Strasbourg (FR)

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2002	Taidesalonki - Konstsalongen, Helsinki (FI)
2000	Taidesalonki - Konstsalongen, Helsinki (FI)
1998	Gallery Katariina, Helsinki (FI)
1996	tm•gallery, Helsinki (FI)
1995	Gallery of the Academy of Fine Arts, Helsinki (FI)
1994	The Porvoo Art Exhibition Hall, Porvoo (FI)
1994	Graduating Students' Exhibition, Academy of Fine Arts, Helsinki (FI)
1993	Gallery Segerman, Loviisa (FI)
1992	Academy of Fine Arts, Helsinki (FI)
1989	Kukko ja Kana, Helsinki (FI)

## Group Exhibitions

2024–2025	<i>Art Prolongs Life – Prescriptions from the HUS Art Collection</i> , Kunsthalle Helsinki (FI)
2024	<i>Roots and Blossoms</i> , Heljä and Viggo Wallensköld, Museum of New Art, Pärnu (EE)
2024	<i>I feel, for now</i> , Amos Rex, Helsinki (FI)
2021–2022	<i>Ars Fennica 2021</i> , Hämeenlinna Art Museum, Hämeenlinna (FI)
2019–2020	<i>The Budding Centenarian – Jubilee exhibition of the Tampere Artists' Association</i> , Kunsthalle Helsinki (FI)
2019–2020	<i>Genderfuck 1900</i> , HAM Helsinki Art Museum (FI)
2019–2020	<i>Shared Dreams</i> , Oulu Museum of Art, Oulu (FI)
2019	<i>Prima Vista</i> , Rovaniemi Art Museum Korundi, Rovaniemi (FI)
2019	<i>Art goes Kapakka</i> , GLO Hotel Art, Helsinki (FI)
2019	<i>Hämeenlinna 380</i> , Hämeenlinna Art Museum (FI)
2018	<i>Nude</i> , Galleri Elverket, Tammisaari (FI)
2018	<i>Man and Woman XXV</i> , The Museum of New Art in Pärnu, Pärnu (EE)
2017	<i>Minun Suomeksi / My Finland</i> , Kajaani Art Museum, Kajaani (FI)
2017	<i>Me: Self-Portraits Through Time</i> , Kunsthalle Helsinki (FI)
2017	<i>In-Out</i> , Art Center Haihatus, Joutsa (FI)
2017	<i>Pyhäniemi 2017</i> , Pyhäniemi Manor, Hollola (FI)
2016	<i>Freehand</i> , Art Center Purnu 2016, Orivesi (FI)
2016	<i>From Heino with Love</i> , HAM Helsinki Art Museum, Helsinki (FI)
2016	<i>Salon Maila Talvio</i> , Hartola (FI)
2016	<i>Authors Choice</i> , Pinxinmäki, Sysmä (FI)
2015	<i>Uudisrakennus / Nybygge / New Building</i> , Taidesalonki, Helsinki (FI)
2015	<i>Man and Woman XXII</i> , The Museum of New Art in Pärnu, Pärnu (EE)
2015	<i>MAP OF THE NEW ART. Imago Mundi</i> , Fondazione Giorgio Zini, Venice (IT)
2014–15	<i>Nordisk Salong 2014</i> , Dunkers Kulturhus, Helsingborg (SE)
2014	<i>Contemporary Finnish</i> , Bukowskis, Helsinki (FI)
2013	<i>Man and Woman XX</i> , The Museum of New Art in Pärnu (EE)
2013	<i>Pop Up Art Näsilinna</i> , Tampere (FI)
2012–2013	<i>The 7<sup>th</sup> Wave – Wihuri and Visual Art</i> , Kunsthalle Helsinki (FI)

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- 2012–2013 Lönström Art Museum, Rauma (FI)
- 2012 *Pirkanmaan 5. Triennaali*, The Lenin Museum, Tampere (FI)
- 2012 *Man and Woman XIX*, The Museum of New Art in Pärnu, Pärnu (EE)
- 2012 *Art is So Gay*, Forum Box, Helsinki (FI)
- 2011–2012 *Mazzano!* Amos Anderson Art Museum, Helsinki; Tampere Art Museum, Tampere (FI);
- 2011–2012 Rotermann's Salt Storage - The Museum of Estonian Architecture, Tallinn, (EE)
- 2010 *Posh painting*, Gallery Kalhama & Piippo Contemporary, Savonlinna Temporary, Savonlinna (FI)
- 2010 Camilla Pyk, Viggo Wallensköld, Grafström Gallery, Stockholm (SE)
- 2009 *(un)naturally*, Kiasma, Museum of Contemporary Art, Helsinki (FI)
- 2008–2009 *Synligt-Osynligt*, Galleri Elverket, Tammisaari (FI); Kajaani Art museum, Kajaani (FI);  
Kuntsi Museum of Modern Art, Vaasa (FI); Observatory, Turku (FI); Rackstadsmuseet, Arvika (SE)
- 2008 *"som en tjuv om natten"*, Galleri Elverket, Tammisaari (FI)
- 2007 *Transgressio*, South Karelia Art Museum, Lappeenranta (FI)
- 2007 Paavo Paunu, Viggo Wallensköld, Raisio Museum Harkko (FI)
- 2007 *Boogie Woogie. Art and Jazz*, Kunsthalle Helsinki (FI)
- 2007 *Self Portrait*, Gallery Katariina, Helsinki (FI)
- 2005 *Unmentionables – Men's Underwear Culture*, The Helsinki City Art Museum (FI)
- 2004 IX Mäntän kuvataideviikot – Art festival, Mänttä (FI)
- 2004 *Alaston/Naked/Nude*, Sara Hildén Art Museum, Tampere (FI)
- 2003 *Market: Young Artists Biennial*, Kunsthalle Helsinki (FI)
- 2002 Biennale Balticum 02, *Basic elements*, Rauma Artmuseum, Rauma (FI)
- 2002 107. Annual exhibition of Finnish Artists. Kunsthalle Helsinki (FI)
- 2002 *Auf dem Spuren von Jean Sibelius*, Landeskulturzentrum Salzbau (DE)
- 2002 *Zeitzeichen II*, Kommunale Galerie, Berlin (DE)
- 2002 *Wald und Feld*, Galerie Classico, Berlin (DE)
- 2001 106. Annual exhibition of Finnish Artists. Keski-Suomen museo, Jyväskylä (FI)
- 2001 *Finnischer Sommer 2001*, Galerie Dekorativ / Papierfabrik, Neumünster (DE)
- 1999–2000 *Painting. Finnish Painters' Union 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary exhibition*, Amos Anderson Art Museum, Helsinki (FI)
- 1999 *Paloja – Bitar 99*. Galeria Pintura / Hörhammer, Helsinki (FI)
- 1998 *Cut. 102*. Annual exhibition of Finnish Artists. Kunsthalle Helsinki (FI)
- 1998 *Bonzai-project 2*. Hotel, Zürich (CH)
- 1997 *Lädt Ein*, IAAB-ateliers, Basel and Liestal (CH)
- 1996 *Maan kuva – Exhibition*. Hanko (FI)
- 1993 Paunu, Pynnä, Wallensköld. Gallery Valkoinen huone, Tampere (FI)
- 1992 Young Artists' Exhibition, Kunsthalle Helsinki (FI)
- 1991 Young Artists' Exhibition, Kunsthalle Helsinki (FI)

## Awards

- 2024 Stina Krook Foundation (FI)
- 2023 Literature Prize of the City of Tampere (FI)
- 2021 Audience favourite award / Ars Fennica (FI)

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2014	Marcus Collin prize, Society of Swedish Literature in Finland (FI)
2013	The William Thuring Foundation's main prize (FI)
2009	Stina Krook Foundation (FI)
2007	Aktia Art Grant (FI)
2005	Young Artist of the Year, City of Tampere and Nokia Plc (FI)
2002	The Ducat Prize of the Finnish Art Society (FI)
2000	Stina Krook Foundation (FI)

## Works in Collections

Amos Anderson Art Museum, Helsinki (FI)  
Helsinki City Art Museum (FI)  
Kiasma. Museum of Contemporary Art (FI)  
Ludwig Museum in the Russian Museum, St. Petersburg (RU)  
Saastamoinen Foundation Art Collection / EMMA - Espoo Museum of Modern Art (FI)  
Sara Hildén Art Museum (FI)  
Tampere Art Museum (FI)  
Hämeenlinna Art Museum (FI)  
Aine Pictorial Art Foundation (FI)  
The Aine Art Museum (FI)  
Kuopio Art Museum (FI)  
Kajaani Art Museum (FI)  
Vexi Salmi Collection of Art, Hämeenlinna Art Museum (FI)  
Niemistö Collection (FI)  
Wihuri Foundation, Rovaniemi Art Museum (FI)  
Pori Art Museum, Deposit Collection/ AJ (FI)  
Lars Swanljung Collection of Art / Kuntsi Museum of Modern Art (FI)  
The Museum of New Art in Pärnu (EE)  
Finnish State Collection of Art (FI)  
Christoph Merian Stiftung (CH)  
Nelimarkka-foundation (FI)  
Paulo Foundation (FI)  
Foundation Pro Artibus (FI)  
Svenska litteratursällskapet i Finland (FI)  
Cultural Centre SofiA (FI)  
Villa Urpo, Finland  
Academy of Fine Arts (FI)  
Apoteket Konstförening (SE)  
The Artists' Association of Finland (FI)  
Carl Gustaf Ehrnrooth Collection of Art (FI)  
The City of Porvoo (FI)  
The City of Loviisa (FI)

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Nokia Corporation (FI)  
SOK Group, Helsinki (FI)  
Imago Mundi (IT)