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born: 1941 in Tuupovaara, Finland

### **OBJECTIVE**

A teaching position at the college level in the arts department focusing on textile designing and coloration, where I can make a significant impact on student's understanding of art.

### **SUMMARY**

An experienced artist in the textile designing and icon painting field, who has an own gallery and studio in the USA and in Finland, and has lectured and taught students for the last 15 years.

### **EDUCATION**

University of Massachusetts Dartmouth, MA Master of Fine Arts, major: Fiber Arts 1997  
Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, RI Bachelor of Fine Arts,  
major: Textile Design, minor: Painting. 1990  
Fairleigh Dickinson University, Teaneck, NJ Associate Degree, Liberal Arts 1987  
Retail Sales Institute, Jollas, Certified Retail Sales Manager, 1968.

### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

#### **ART TEACHING**

Genesis Spiritual Center Westfield, MA 1994 –  
Brookfield Craft Center, Brookfield, CT 1995 –

Handicraft Club Providence, RI 1994 - 1998  
Marywood Life Center, Jacksonville, FL 1997-2000  
Ruuhk Catholic Center Houston, TX 1998  
Interlaken School of Art, Stuckbridge, MA 1998-2001  
Peters Valley ,NJ 2002.  
Kassandra ry Moninaiset, Helsinki 2005-2006

#### **OTHER**

Self Employed, created and sold tapestries, paintings, and other own arts 1989-1991.  
G.A. Serlachius, Mantta Cost Accountant, 1972-1974  
Sokos Mantta Department Manager, Textils and Fabrics, 1970-1972

### **SOLO EXHIBITIONS**

#### **Finland:**

Minna Gallery, Kuopio 1994  
Martta Gallery, Helsinki 1996  
Ympyratalo, Helsinki 1998  
Tattoo Hamina, 1999  
Kontula Library, Helsinki 2006  
Kapygrilli, Helsinki 2007  
Own Gallery Pikku-Huopalahti, Helsinki 2003-2005

#### **Sweden:**

Båtellet, Marstrand 1997

Library, Marstrand (Icons exhibition) 1998

**USA**

Fasset Gallery Fall River, MA 1990  
Commonwealth insurance company N. Providence  
Fairleigh Dickinson University Gallery, 1992  
Santarella Museum, MA 1997,1998,1999  
Jewish Community Center Providence, RI 1994  
Grand Hotell, Boston 1998  
Peters Valley NJ 1999  
Barrington Library, RI 1998  
Own Gallery in Warwick, RI 1996-2001

**GROUP EXHIBITIONS**

International Design Center New York City 1990  
Museum of Fine Art Newport 1995  
White Gallery Barrington, RI 1998  
U-Mass Gallery MA 1997  
Rhode Island School of Design 1990

**ART IN PUBLIC COLLECTIONS:**

Women and Infants Hospital, Providence, RI, USA  
Women Breast Cancer Center, Providence, RI, USA  
Bank of Rhode Island, Head Quarters, Providence, RI, USA  
Chrysler Corporation, Miami, USA  
Genesis life Center MA, USA  
Sally O'Neel Collection, USA

**GRANTS:**

Finlandia Foundation, Study Icon Painting 1991-1992

**LANGUAGES:**

Finnish-Swedish-English