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SUMMARY

An experienced artist in the textile designing and Icon painting field, who has had an own gallery and studio in the USA and in Finland, and has lectured and taught students for the last 20 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, Finland, Certified Retail Sales Manager, 1968.

WORK EXPERIENCE

ART TEACHING

Petra Kauniainen City Adult Education Center, Finland 2008 –
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
Ruarh 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
Own Gallery Pikku-Huopalahti, Helsinki 2003-2005
Kontula Library, Helsinki 2006
Kapygrilli, Helsinki 2007, 2010
Kauniainen City Hall 2007

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
Rhode Island School of Design 1990
Museum of Fine Art Newport 1995
U-Mass Gallery MA 1997
White Gallery Barrington, RI 1998
Galerie All That Jazz, Nice, France 2008
Broome Street Gallery, Soho, New York 2009

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