

GALERIE FORSBLOM

KIM SOMERUUORI

1975 Born in Helsinki
Lives and works in Helsinki

EDUCATION

2012 Master of Fine Arts, Academy of Fine Arts, Department of
Painting, Helsinki, Finland
2006 Vårdingeby Folk High School, Stockholm, Sweden

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2026 *Mingus*, Galerie Forsblom, Helsinki, Finland
2025 Gallery Halmetoja, Helsinki, Finland
2023 Galleria Paja, with Jukka Korkeila, Helsinki, Finland
Galerie Toolbox, Berlin, Germany
Espoo Cultural Center (Ahjo) with Anna Korpilinna, Finland
2022 Gallery Halmetoja, Helsinki, Finland
Dimension 50 years, Tampere Art Museum, Finland
2019 Galleria Mältinranta, Tampere, Finland
2017 Forum Box, Helsinki, Finland
2017 TM-Galleria, Helsinki, Finland
2013 Make Your Mark Gallery, Helsinki, Finland
2012 Korjaamo Gallery, Helsinki, Finland
2011 Taidesalonki Husa, Tampere, Finland
Vantaan taidemuseo, projektitila, Vantaa, Finland

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2026 *Encore! Classics and contemporary art from the collections*,
Tampere Art Museum, Finland
2025 *Steps in the City*, Vantaa Art Museum Artsi, Finland
Third Life – Seppo Fränti Collection, Kirpilä, Helsinki, Finland
Art Prologns Life – Prescriptions from the HUS Art Collection,
Kunsthalle Helsinki, Finland
Lumous, Haihatus, Joutsa, Finland
Square Heart, Galleria Rankka, Helsinki, Finland
Kesähuone, Hanko, Finland
Toivonojan kesä, Nastola, Finland

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- 2024 Porvoo Triennial, Porvoo, Finland
Gallery Halmetoja Mänttä, Finland
- 2023 *Mänttä Art Week* with J.P Köykkä and Peetu Liesinen, Mänttä, Finland
- 2022 Best Friends Showroom, Falun, Sweden
- 2021 *Sininen planeetta*, Art and Museum Centre Sinkka, Kerava, Finland
- 2020 *Mad Love – Seppo Fränti Collection*, Museum of Contemporary Art Kiasma, Helsinki, Finland
- 2018 Mänttä Art Festival, Mänttä, Finland
- 2017 Borlänge Kunstahalle, Stockholm, Sweden
- 2016 Hämeenlinna Art Museum, Hämeenlinna, Finland
Seppo Fränti Collection, Lapinlahden sairaala, Helsinki, Finland
- 2015 *Grande Finale*, Korjaamo Gallery, Helsinki, Finland
- 2011 Galleri 21, Malmö, Sweden
Holden Gallery, Manchester, UK
- 2009 *Young Artists Exhibition*, Helsinki Kunsthalle, Finland

AWARDS

- 2015 William Thuring Memorial Award
2011 Finnish Art Society, Young Artist Award

COLLECTIONS

State Art Deposit Collection
Saastamoinen Foundation, Finland
Helsinki Art Museum HAM
Kiasma Collection / Seppo Fränti Collection, Finland
Portrait of the President of the Republic of Finland, Sauli Niinistö, in collaboration with 100 artists, in the collections of the Prime Minister's Office, Finland
Tampere Art Museum, Finland
Hämeenlinna Art Museum, Finland
Finnish Art Society
HUS Art Collection, Finland
Huslab collection, Finland
Seppo Fränti Collection, Finland
Paulo Foundation, Finland
Vahanen Companies, Finland
Intrum Oy, Finland
Esko Jääsalo Collections, Finland
Jyri Sarpaniemi & Co Law Firm, Finland
Jonni Aromaa Collections, Finland