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Iida Nissinen (she/her/they/them),
Helsinki-based artist & art educator.

EDUCATION

ARTS, Aalto University:

Visual Cultures, Curating and
Contemporary Art ViCCA (MA) 2021-

Master of Arts / Art Education 2014–
2018

The Ohio State Uni, Fine Arts & Art
Education, Administration & Policy.
Visitor Scholar. Columbus, USA 2015

Bachelor of Arts / Art Education 2010–
2014

Griffith Uni, Queensland College of
Art, Fine Arts: Brisbane, Australia
2012

Aalto Scholarship 1500€, 2015

ARTS Grant 600€, 2015

Aalto Scholarship 1500€, 2012

DUOS & COLLECTIVES

Becoming Collective (2020–)

Iida Nissinen, Ima Idoozee, Joy
Mariama Smith, Vishnu Vardhani and
Jeanne van Heeswijk.

Burnout Bitches / Witches / Mermaids
(2017–) Iida Nissinen & Melanie Orenius.

Sikä että (2018–)

Iida Nissinen & Kaura Raudaskoski.

Nissinen–Yrjölä–Nissinen (2017–)

Iida Nissinen, Elina Nissinen & Eero
Yrjölä.

COMMUNAL PROJECTS

NURJA (2019–) a queer-feminist sub-
cultural space & creative community,
founding member/ **QUERQ Ry**, board
member

Cyber Witch Circle (2020–) Affinity
group to share magic online. Collab w/
Riikka Ala-Hakula

NON-/PERFORMATIVE & PARTICIPATORY PROJECTS

8/2020 Merpersoning / Burnout
Mermaids, Espoo. Rehearsing
Hospitalities programme 2020 / Frame,
m-cult and M{if}. Participatory
performative event and a workshop

2020– **The Already Not-Yet – Becoming
Collective:**

– 18/9 Lapsody: Paramatter,
International Live Art and Performance
Festival. PUBLICS, Helsinki.

Performative workshop

– 21/11 Reading You / Making Matters
Symposium: Collective Material
Practices in Critical Times. Online
performance

2020– **RSVP - Letters And Dates
Between Spaces/ Querq w/ Third
Space.** Durational, ongoing artistic
dialogue

2019 **Public Faculty #13 w/ Cáit Máire Ní
Dhuinnín, Jemina Lindholm, Fatima
Usman, Kaisa Kukkonen, Vishnu
Vardhani & Jeanne van Heeswijk.**
PUBLICS commission. Performative
participatory project

2018 **Strangers' Dinner/ Sikä että,**
Helsinki. Participatory social
experiment

2017 **The Five Stages: Offering/ Burnout
Bitches.** Galerie Toolbox, Berlin.
Performance

6 & 7/2017 **Seine - City Art Program +
Lapinlahden Lähde<3ART.**
Experimental workshops w/ Jani
Nummela

2015 **Safe Crossing/ Reykjavik, Iceland.**
Public participatory performance

2014 **Baltic Queen/ M/S Baltic Queen,**
Tallink Silja Line, Gulf of Finland.
Intervention and performance



ONLINE & ON-SITE EXHIBITIONS

9/2021 Coming up: Burnout Mermaids/
Zelda online zine, FANTASIA. Video and
text

2019 The Hierophant/ Nissinen–Yrjölä–
Nissinen. Third Space, Helsinki.
Participatory performance and
installation

2018 The Anatomy Lesson of Dr.
Nicolaes Tulp/ w/ Eero Yrjölä. Galleria
Lapinlahti, Helsinki. Oil and epoxy on
MDF

2018 The Art of Basware/ Clarion,
Helsinki. Oil and epoxy on MDF

2017 Seascape/ Nissinen–Yrjölä–
Nissinen. Third Space, Helsinki. Media
installation and a website

2015 Helsinki Design Museum Tapio
Wirkkala Revisited – Retrospective
Exhibition/ Wall Drawings w/ Elina
Nissinen

2014 Baltic Queen/ M/S Baltic Queen
ristelyalus, Tallink Silja Line, Gulf of
Finland. Installation in the passenger
cabin

**TEXTS & PUBLICATIONS / TALKS &
PRESENTATIONS**

2022 Coming up: Finnish translation of
Legacy Russell's Glitch Feminism: A
Manifesto (2020) w/ Riikka Ala-Hakula,
Juuli Lappalainen, Henrik Pathirane,
Oona Rohde, Iina Tossavainen, Taneli
Viljanen & Vishnu Vardhani Rajan.
Publisher: Tutkijaliitto

8/2021 Coming up: Encrypted Bodies:
Multiple Perspectives on Glitch
Feminism w/ the working group.
Tutkijaliitto Summer School

2/2021 Uushenkisyys on yksilön
projekti/ Kulttuurikoktail Live, Yle
Areena. Talk on magic and art

4/2021 Merpersons: Disability,
Accessibility, Gender and Art.
Rehearsing Hospitalities programme
2021. Talk/ Burnout Mermaids

2019 Feminist Tours as a Critique of
Institution and Art w/ Valter Sandell/
Amos Rex Art Museum. Research &
tours

ART EDU, FACILITATION ETC.

2020-21 m-cult Media Art Agency/
Producer, editor, facilitator + Jeanne
van Heeswijk project *Maunulan
Portailla*, Fall 2019.

2018– Amos Rex Art Museum/ Art
Educator. Helsinki.

2017-19 Ateneum Art Museum/ Art
Educator in Taidetestaajat -project.
National Gallery, Helsinki.

2016-19 Galleria Sculptor/ Gallery
Assistant. Association of Finnish
Sculptors, Helsinki.

2016-2018 Kirkkonummi Civic College +
School of Arts/ Art Teacher.
Kirkkonummi.

2019 Sinebrychoff Art Museum/ Art
Educator. National Gallery, Helsinki.
Queering Museum -workshops w/ Jani
Nummela.

2016-19 Ministry of Foreign Affairs/ Art
Teacher. Art club, Helsinki.

2016 & 2015 Kiasma Art Competition/
Assistant. Finnish State Art
Commission, Helsinki.

2015 IHME Contemporary Art Festival/
Audience work. Pro Arte Foundation.
Helsinki, Espoo, Vantaa. Jeremy Deller's
project DoTouch.

2013-2017 Helsinki Upper Secondary
School of Visual Arts/ Art Teacher.
Substitutions.

2015 Sinebrychoff Art Museum/ Art
Educator. National Gallery, Helsinki.

2015 & 2014 Kesälukioseura ry/ Art
Teacher. Summer camps in Kullaa &
Naantali.

2014 Aalto University MoA'14 – Masters
of Aalto Exhibition/ Art Educator.
Helsinki.