

**Raisa Raekallio** b. 1978 Kittilä, Finland

Bachelor of Fine Arts, Lahden Taideinstituutti, Finland, 2002

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Current: MPhil (Master of Philosophy), National University of Distance Education, Spain

MA (Master of Art) studies, Collage of Fine Arts, Sydney, Australia, 2008, 2009

Bachelor of Fine Arts, University of Basque Country, Spain, 2003

### **Solo Exhibitions (as Raisa Raekallio and Misha del Val)**

2025 Aboa Vetus Ars Nova Museum, Turku, Finland

2025 Makasiini Contemporary, Turku, Finland

2024 Aine Art Museum, Tornio, Finland

2024 Galleria Sculptor, with artist Pauliina Turakka-Purhonen, Helsinki, Finland

2024 Espacio Marzana - Cultural Projects, Bilbao, Basque Country, Spain

2023 Makasiini Contemporary, Turku, Finland

2022 Galleria Huuto, Helsinki, Finland

2022 Makasiini Contemporary, Turku, Finland

2021 Makasiini Contemporary, Turku, Finland

2020 Tm•galleria, Helsinki, Finland

2020 Torre de Ariz, Basauri, Bilbao, Basque Country, Spain

2018 Kemi Art Museum, Finland

2018 Espacio Marzana - Cultural Projects, Bilbao, Basque Country, Spain

2018 Galleria Napa, Rovaniemi, Finland

2017 Galleria Valo, Arktikum, Rovaniemi, Finland (with photographer Juha Tolonen)

2016 Galerie Pleiku, Berlin, Germany

2015 Aitta-studio, Sirkka, Finland

2015 Buddhistisches Tor Berlin, Berlin, Germany

2014 Aitta-studio, Sirkka, Finland

### **Group Exhibitions - Selection**

2025 *Aihkin kanssa – With an old tree*, curated by Maria Huhmarniemi, Kemi Art Museum, FI

2025 Laukko Manor / Laukon Kartano's Summer Exhibition, FI

2024 Papier vol. II, Delphian Gallery, Helsinki, FI

2024 Residency Biennale Internazionale di Opere di Carta, Palazzo Fogazzaro, Schio, IT

2024 Taidepappilan Summer Exhibition, Kuhmalampi, FI

2023 *Fortunate Coincidences - Lars Göran Johnsson Collection*, Turku Art Museum, Turku FI

2023 XXVII *Mänttän Kuvataideviikot*, Mänttä, FI

2023 Navigating North – Works from *Wihuri Foundation Collection*, Rovaniemi Art Museum

2023 *About Art 2023*, Logomo, Turku, FI  
2023 *Outoja Tiloja / Next Station*, curated Arttu Nieminen, Rovaniemi, FI  
2023 *Mañana Incierto*, Fire Station Creative, Dunfermline, Scotland  
2022 *Navigating North – Works from Wihuri Foundation Collection*, KIASMA Museum of Contemporary Art, Helsinki, FI  
2022 *Untitled Miami Art Fair*, Miami, USA  
2022 *Mañana Incierto*, curated Txema Agiriano, Liane Lang, Sophy Rickett, Filet Art Space, London, UK  
2022 *Mañana Incierto* Espacio Marzana - Cultural Projects, Bilbao, Basque Country, ES  
2022 *Väylän väki*, Aine Art Museum, Tornio, FI  
2022 *Joulubileet*, Galleria Rankka, Helsinki, FI  
2022 *Arts Nartae*, curated Tanja Koistinen, Galleria Kellokas, Äkäslompola, FI  
2022 *Serlachius Residency*, Mänttä, FI  
2021 *Lumipalloefekti / Snow Ball Effect 2021*, curated Pauliina Leikas, Oulu Art Museum, Oulu, Finland  
2021 *ISEAS (International Socially Engaged Art Symposium)* exhibition, curated Katja Juhola, Rovaniemi Art Museum, Rovaniemi, Finland  
2021 *Pohojonen*, Galleria Rankka, Helsinki, Finland  
2020 *Peep Space*, New York, USA (Raekallio)  
2020 *Aine Art Museum*, Tornio, Finland (Raekallio)  
2019 *Ars Kärsämäki 2019*, curated Konsta Huusko, Finland  
2019 *MEM, Experimental Arts International Festival*, curated Txema Aguiriano, Bilbao, Basque Country, Spain  
2019 *Taidemaalariliiton juhluvuoden näyttely*, curated Tuomas Korkalo, galleria Napa, Rovaniemi, Finland  
2019, 20, 21, 22, 23 *Kuvataideviikot*, galleria Napa, Rovaniemi, Finland  
2018 *Echoes from the North / Kaikuja pohjoisesta*, curated Hanna Kress, Galleria Kakslauttanen, Finland  
2018 *Polte*, curated Anu Riestola and Esa Meltaus, Galleria Kellokas, Äkäslompola, Finland  
2017 *Portrait Now*, Frederiksborg Castle, Denmark and Ljungbergmuseum, Sweden

### **Curatorial Projects**

2023 'A Home Near the Precipice. Painting Practice in Finland Today' Anna Tuori, Camilla Vuorenmaa, Eeva Peura, Henri Hagman, Konsta Huusko, Liisa Karintaus and Reima Nevalainen, Galleria Napa and Mustanapa, Rovaniemi, FI (del Val)  
2023 Oulu Artists Association 60th Anniversary Exhibition, Valvegalleria, Oulu, FI (del Val)  
2022 'Kittilän Lapset' Kittilän kunantalo (del Val)  
2021 III Sirkka Arte Biennale

2021 'Northern Affinity: Artists from Lapland and Basque Country' Galleria Napa, Studio Mustanapa and seminar at Korundi Art Museum, Rovaniemi, Finland (del Val)  
2021 'Wiping the Ice-Cream Off Your Face - 30 Nordic Artists' Perspectives on De-Arcticfication to Celebrate 30 Years of the Artists' Association of Lapland' curated Misha del Val and Andreas Hoffmann (Arctic Culture Lab, GL), Galleria Valo, Rovaniemi, FI  
2020 Ars Kårsämäki 2020  
2019 II Sirkka Arte Biennale  
2017 Sirkka Arte Biennale

### **Performance Work**

2020 'La nación transparente y la casa de madera' Bilbaoarte Foundation, Basque Country, Spain  
2018 'Nerviön - Ounasjoki', Espacio Marzana, Bilbao, Basque Country, Spain  
2018 'Not Very Sure If We Did It, But We Take Full Credit For It' Kemi Art Museum, Finland  
2017 'The Misgivings of Perfect Love' Aitta-studio, Sirkka, Finland  
2016 'The Joy of Not Being What I Think I Am', galerie Pleiku, Berlin, Germany  
2015 'So, How Do You Do in Finland? Well, It Depends When You Are Asking' Aitta- studio, Sirkka, Finland

### **Podcasts**

2021/present, *God Liver* (An after-breakfast experimental podcast on art and stuff)  
2022 *On Painting Podcast* (del Val)  
2021 *Rousk Rousk* - Contemporary Art and Culture in Lapland (del Val, in Spanish)

### **Comic**

2022 'Saturnuksen Renkaat', Staal magazine  
2016 'Ulkomaalainen' Kielmukka magazine, issue 2016

### **Residencies**

2024 *Biennale Internazionale di Opere di Carta*, Schio, IT  
2022 Serlachius Residency, Mänttä, Finland  
2021 Arctic Culture Lab, Ilulissat, Greenland  
2020 ISEAS (International Socially Engaged Art Symposium) Äkäslompola, Finland  
2019 Arctic Art Week, Kakslauttanen, Finland

### **Grants and Awards**

2024 Arts Promotion Centre Finland, Working Grant  
2023 Artists's Association of Finland 2023 Visual Artist Award

2023 Finnish Cultural Foundation, Working Grant  
2023 VISEK Grant  
2022 William Thuring Prize 2022  
2022 Finnish Cultural Foundation, Working Grant  
2022 Shortlisted Below Zero Art Prize 2023  
2022 Arts Promotion Centre Finland, Corona Working Grant  
2022 Arts Promotion Centre Finland, Project Grant 'IV Sirkka Arte Biennale'  
2021 Kordelin Foundation, Working Grant  
2021 Finnish Cultural Foundation, Working Grant  
2021 Arts Promotion Centre Finland - Central Fund, Project Grant 'III Sirkka Arte Biennale'  
2021 Arts Promotion Centre Finland - Lapland Regional Fund, Project Grant 'III Sirkka Arte Biennale'  
2020 Anita Snellman Foundation  
2020 Arts Promotion Centre Finland - Central Fund, Project grant 'Northern Affinity: Artists from Lapland and Basque Country'  
2020 Arts Promotion Centre Finland - Lapland Regional Fund, Working Grant  
2020 Arts Promotion Centre Finland, Corona Assistance Grant  
2020 Bilbaoarte Production Grant, for exhibition at Torre de Ariz, Bilbao, Basque Country, Spain  
2020 Frame Contemporary Art Finland, Traveling Grant - Bilbao, Basque Country, Spain  
2020 Kone Foundation, 1-month Working Grant, ISEAS project, Äkäslompolo, Finland  
2020 Nordic Cultural Fund – '*Wiping the Ice-Cream Off Your Face*' exhibition  
2020 Kiitilä Municipality *Kulttuuriavustus*  
2019 Arts Promotion Centre Finland, Lapland Regional Fund - Working Grant (6 months) for artistic project 'Space Refugees'  
2018 Arts Promotion Centre Finland - Traveling Grant for exhibition at Espacio Marzana, Bilbao, Basque Country, Spain  
2017 Arts Promotion Centre Finland, Lapland Regional Fund – Working Grant (3 months) for exhibition at Kemi Art Museum  
2016 Arts Promotion Centre Finland - Traveling Grant for exhibition/residency at Galerie Pleiku, Berlin, Germany

### **Raisa Raekallio and Misha del Val in Collections**

Janny and Antti Wihuri Foundation  
Saastamoinen Foundation Collection  
Lars Göran Johnsson Collection at Turku Art Museum  
Rovaniemi Art Museum  
Oulu Art Museum

Aine Art Museum, Tornio, Finland  
Palsa-museo/Kauko Sorjonen  
Foundation Bilbaoarte Foundation, Bilbao, Spain  
Kittilän Kunta, Finland  
Gällivara Council, Sweden

### **Memberships**

Painters Association of Finland - Taidemaalariliitto (del Val Board member)  
Artists' Association of Lapland - Lapin Taiteilijaseura (del Val and Raekallio Board members)  
Staalo Artists' Association, Kittilä (del Val Board member)