

Teemu Mäenpää

Born 1977 in Kotka

Lives and works in Tampere

Education

- 2008 Master of Fine Arts, Finnish Academy of Fine Arts
Bachelor of Fine Arts, Finnish Academy of Fine Arts
- 2001 Orivesi College, Visual Arts Program

Selected Solo exhibitions

- 2025 *Paradise Lost*, Helsinki Contemporary, Helsinki, Finland
- 2023 *On the Wall*, Helsinki Contemporary, Helsinki, Finland
- 2022 Annikki Poetry Festival, Festival Artist of the Year 2022
- 2021 Gallery Harmaja, Oulu, Finland
Gallery Halmetoja, Helsinki, Finland
Gallery Himmelblau, Finnlayson Art Area, Tampere, Finland
- 2020 Gallery Himmelblau, Tampere, Finland
- 2019 Finnish Painters' Union Gallery, Helsinki, Finland
- 2018 Make Your Mark Gallery, Helsinki, Finland
ARTag Gallery, Helsinki, Finland
- 2016 Gallery Rankka, Helsinki, Finland
Mältinranta Art Center, A&A Salon Foundation Scholarship Exhibition, Tampere, Finland
Galleri Thomassen, Gothenburg, Sweden
- 2015 ARTag Gallery, with Olli Marttila, Helsinki, Finland
- 2014 Make Your Mark Gallery, Helsinki, Finland
- 2011 Kluuvi Gallery, Helsinki, Finland
Taidesalonki Husa, Tampere, Finland
- 2009 Taidesalonki Husa, Tampere, Finland

Selected Group exhibitions

- 2025 *Third Life - Seppo Fränti Collection*, Collection Kirpilä, Helsinki, Finland
XXIX Mänttä Art Festival, Mänttä, Finland
- 2024 *Art Prolongs Life – Prescriptions from the HUS Art Collection*, Helsinki Kunsthalle, Helsinki, Finland
- 2023 *Inside Out*, Helsinki Contemporary, Helsinki, Finland
- 2021 Make Your Mark Gallery 10th Anniversary Exhibition, Helsinki, Finland
- 2021 *Seppo Fränti Collection*, Lappeenranta Art Museum, Lappeenranta, Finland
- 2020 *Kortteli2*, Hämeenlinna, Finland

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- 2019 Ilomiehät, Gallery Kummelholmen, Stockholm, Sweden
- 2018 Finnish Academy of Fine Arts Alumni Exhibition, curators Anna Tuori & Markus Konttinen. Helsinki, Finland
- 2017 *Kaupunki (City)*, Haihara Art Centre, Tampere, Finland
Ilomiehät, Falun Hospital, Falun, Sweden
- 2016 Ilomiehät, Borlänge Konsthall, Borlänge, Sweden
Ilomiehät, Porvoo Triennial, Porvoo, Finland
Gallery Rankka. 1st Anniversary Exhibition, Helsinki, Finland
Nokia Cultural Factory, installation with Jarno Vesala, Nokia, Finland
Seppo Fränti Collection, Lapinlahti Hospital, Helsinki Finland
Hollola Summer Exhibition, Pyhäniemi Manor, Hollola, Finland
Ilomiehät, Supermarket Art Fair, Stockholm, Sweden
Legacy Group Exhibition, Lahti, Finland
- 2014 Ilomiehät, Porvoo Art Hall, Porvoo, Finland
Yrjö16, Helsinki, Finland
- 2013 Jyväskylä Art Museum, Jyväskylä, Finland
Random Psycles, Rasti Gallery, Tampere, Finland
- 2010 Summer Exhibition, Taidesalonki Husa, Tampere, Finland
- 2009 Gallery Huoltamo, with Wille Klén, Tampere, Finland
Traces of Man, Oulu Art Museum, Oulu, Finland
- 2008 *Ex Vandals*, Museum of Contemporary Art Kiasma, Helsinki, Finland
Taidesalonki Husa, Tampere, Finland
- 2007 Taidesalonki Husa, Tampere, Finland
Finnish Academy of Fine Arts graduation exhibition, Tennispalatsi, Helsinki, Finland
Finland
Taidesalonki Husa, Tampere, Finland
Painting Symposium, Riga, Latvia
- 2006 Galerie Forsblom, Kämp, Helsinki, Finland
- 2005 Die Leere, Kastanienallee 82, Berlin, Germany
Elämää havaittu, Köysiratagalleria, Turku, Finland
- 2004 City of Love, The Office Gallery, Glasgow, Scotland
Helsinki Hall of Fame, Gallery Myymälä2, Helsinki, Finland
- 2003 Student Exhibition, Finnish Academy of Fine Arts, Helsinki, Finland

Public Artworks and Commissions

- 2025 *Dancing into the Future* (mural), Rajamäki Campus, Nurmijärvi, Finland
- 2021 Verotalo (tax office), Tampere, Finland
Taideakseli, Street Art Project, (with Petra Martinez) multiple public artworks, Huittinen, Finland
- 2020 Runomuraali, Tampere, Finland
- 2016 Lasipalatsi (Amos Andersson), Helsinki, Finland
- 2015 Porvoo Water Treatment Plant, Porvoo, Finland
- 2014 Nokia Cultural Factory, Nokia, Finland

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Collections

The Finnish State Art Collection

Tampere Art Museum

Turku Art Museum

Seppo Fränti Collection, Museum of Contemporary Art Kiasma

Aalto University EE Collection

Nelimarkka Foundation

Saastamoinen Foundation

Finnish Art Society

Awards

2021 Cultural Achievement of the Year in Tampere, Kalle Kaihari Foundation

2018 William Thuring Prize, Finnish Art Society

2016 Alli & Allan Salo Foundation Grant

Memberships

Finnish Painters' Union

Ilomiehät Group

Tampere Artists' Association

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