



Illustrator. Art teacher. Interior architect.

Master of Culture and Arts

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The Finnish Watercolour Society

Member of ORNAMO -
The Finnish Association of Designers
Member of The Finnish Watercolor Society

Born in Leningrad, USSR in 1972. Graduated as an artist of interior design. Relocated to Finland in 2001. Worked in the visual field for more than 20 years practicing in painting, illustration, art teaching, interior design and other. Graduated in Finland as a master of interior architecture. A happy mother of two wonderful children. I care about the environment by the vegan lifestyle and reusing things. I love hiking and cycling, try to grow personally.

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CURRENT ACTIVITY

- 2017 - **Painting and drawing courses and painting demonstrations** for the art groups and societies (Akvalt gallery, ArsSana gallery, Umbra painting group, Helsinki and others)
- 2014 - **Art Studio founder and teacher** | Family Center Happy Land Ry, Espoo
Art courses and workshop for the children and adults, blogging, exhibitions.
The students' works exhibited at and participated in:
 - *Colore del la Pace, International children's art exhibition, Olympic games Rio de Janeiro 2016*
 - *Multilingual children and parents association Göteborg, Sweden 2016*
 - *Espoo City Libraries Iso Omena 2015,2016 and Sello 2017, 2018*
 - *International art competition Flying in the Future organized by FAI, three first prizes in Finland 2018*
 - *Juried children drawing exhibition The cats, dogs and fishes (promotional diploma), Odessa 2018*
- 2012 - **Illustrator** | Sieppo Nature magazine /The Finnish Nature League, Helsinki
- 2017 **Eläinten ystävä** magazine /The Finnish Animal Welfare Association (as a volunteer)

EVENTS

- 10.07.2018 **Organizer and painting demonstrator** of the Open Watercolor Event in Gallen-Kallela museum as a part of Suuri Maalaustapahtuma (Grand Painting Event) on The Finnish National Day of Fine Arts
- 28.04.2018 **Croquis evening** dedicated to Mary Gallén at Gallen-Kallela museum
- 10.07.2017 **Organizer and painting demonstrator** of the Open Watercolor Event in Gallen-Kallela museum under Suuri Maalaustapahtuma (Grand Painting Event) as a part of celebrating program **100-year-old Finland** | Espoo | www.maalaustapahtuma.fi

WORK EXPERIENCE

VISUAL ARTS, ILLUSTRATION AND ART TEACHING

- 1995 - **Visual Artist** |
My works are in the private collections in Finland, Russia, USA, Australia, Lithuania and Poland
 - Juried exhibitions: *Fabriano Watercolor festival* | Fabriano, Italy 2018
This wonderful world | Kharkiv, Ukraine 2018
Totta ja tarua SÄy 20th anniversary exhibition | Kaapelitehdas, Helsinki 2018
Mjau (watercolor cats) | Akvalt gallery, Helsinki, Finland 2018
My Helsinki | Sanomatalo, mediatori | Helsinki, Finland 2010
Harbor and sea | Forum Marinum, Suomen Joutsen | Turku, Finland 2008
Autumn Exhibition | Artists' Association of Russia | St.Petersburg 2000

- 1998 - 2001
 - Personal exhibition: Summer memories | Hausjärven Serafina | Oitti 2010
 - Teacher /Instructor**
 - Course on composition and decorative art skills | St.Petersburg N.Roerich Art College
 - Course on the basics of spatial design | Institute of Applied Arts, St.Petersburg
 - 1996
 - Illustrator** | Raduga Publishing house, Moscow
- INTERIOR DESIGN AND THE OTHER**
- 2016 - 2017
 - Visual UI design** | Oppifi Oy. UI visual design, graphical elements
 - Diploma design for Pension Insurance Company Varma on Verso project completion
 - 1999 - 2013
 - Lighting Planner** | Laatuvalo Ltd, Helsinki: lighting for the private houses
 - Kitchen and Interior Designer**, RSE-Business Ltd | Vantaa, Finland
 - Interior Designer** |entrepreneur OlgaDesign, consultant |The Huvila boutique, Espoo
 - Interior Designer** | Will construction company, St.Petersburg | Public spaces interior renovation
 - 1996 - 2013
 - Interior Designer** | Russia - Finland | Practicing in interior design, mostly private apartments

SKILLS

- Strong visual approach
- Versatility - experienced in various visual fields
- Art teaching and instructing
- Ability to create an encouraging and inspirational atmosphere for the students
- Ability to find the needed information and relevant contacts
- Beautiful sketching, drawing, painting, wide range of art techniques

EXPERIENCE WITH

Illustration	<input type="range"/>
Fine Arts	<input type="range"/>
Art teaching	<input type="range"/>
Graphic design, UI	<input type="range"/>
Interior design	<input type="range"/>
Photography	<input type="range"/>

InDesign	<input type="range"/>
GIMP image processing	<input type="range"/>
Winner Compusoft	<input type="range"/>
CAD, SketchUp	<input type="range"/>

LANGUAGES

Russian	<input type="range"/>
Finnish	<input type="range"/>
English	<input type="range"/>

EDUCATION

- 2018
 - Eglė Lipeikaitė watercolor workshop | Vilnius, Lithuania
- 2016
 - Graphic Design Course | Coursera, web education | University of Colorado Boulder
- 2015
 - Designer as a business promoter | **Service Design** | Tamora Oy 2015
- 2012 - 2014
 - International Master of Interior Architectural Design**, Master of Culture and Arts| Lahti University of Applied Sciences + University of Applied Sciences and Arts of Italian Switzerland/ exchange
- 2013
 - Shopping culture and spaces of exchange| workshop as a part of IMIAD program
 - Istanbul Technical University
- 2006
 - Further Qualification for Entrepreneurs | Espoo Education Center
- 2005 - 2006
 - CAD expert | Educational Center of Espoo, 2006 practicing | L.Piispanen Interior Design office
- 1991 -1997
 - Artist of an Interior Design**, Master degree | Interior Design and Furnishing | Baron Stieglitz State Academy of Industrial Arts in St.Petersburg, Russia
- 1989 - 1991
 - Decorator**| Decoration and Design, N.Roerich Art College, St.Petersburg, Russia
- 1987 - 1989
 - Saint-Petersburg Physical-Technical High School

ACHIEVEMENTS

- 2018
 - Participation in Triple Demo** at FabrianoInAquarello festival (the work is in the International Museum of Fabriano, Italy)
- 2018
 - Juryman** in International Art festival Scandinavian discoveries organized by Salute talents, Helsinki
- 1998
 - Personal Grant Award in architectural line** in The muses of St.Peterburg Competition targeted at the graduated and postgraduate students of humanities, science and art and organized by the City of St Petersburg
- 1997
 - Illustrations for the novel** Gobbolino the witch's cat | Publishing house Raduga, Moskova 1997