

# Kiwa

## education

2002–04 University of Tartu, Department of Philosophy

1996–98 Estonian Academy of Arts, sculpture

1992–96 Tartu Art School, sculpture

## selected solo exhibitions

2015

KIWA - retrospective (Tartu Art Museum, Estonia)

When I Hear The Word 'Exhibition' I reach for My Artificial Eye (Haapsalu City Gallery, Estonia)

2014

Soviet Hippies (with Terje Toomistu, Uppsala Art Museum, Uppsala, Sweden)

Soviet Hippies (with Terje Toomistu, Presentation House gallery, Vancouver, Canada)

2013

enter the untitled (Vaal gallery, Tallinn, Estonia)

Soviet Hippies: The Psychedelic Underground of 1970s Estonia (with Terje Toomistu, Moderna Museet, Malmö, Sweden)

Soviet Hippies: The Psychedelic Underground of 1970s Estonia (with Terje Toomistu, Estonian National Museum, Tartu, Estonia)

RRR projekt (Reality Raum Residenz, Vienna, Austria)

2011

America.Process.Castle (Y-gallery, Tartu, Estonia)

2010

Lack of Stimulus (with T.Thetloff and T.Piibemann, galerie Rivoli 59, Paris) Wildlife Documentaries (Draakon gallery, Tallinn, Estonia)

0-procedures (Y-gallery, Tartu, Estonia)

Stiilne Viisnurk (with J.Zoova, Tartu Art House)

2009

High on Nothing (Kumu Art Museum, Tallinn, Estonia)

2008

High on Nothing (Art Depoo Gallery, Tallinn, Estonia)

2007

Labyrinth and the Paths of Eternal Return (with Tõnis Vint, Rael Artel Gallery: Non-Profit Project Space, Tartu, Estonia)

2004

How Are Connected Displacement & Machines of Purity (with Tillamook Cheddar, Beauliau Gallery, Gent, Belgium)

Illegal Antistyle (Vaal Gallery, Tallinn, Estonia)

Freak Null (City Gallery, Tallinn, Estonia)

I'm a Quotation (with A. Lõo and M. Kleis, Y-Gallery, Tartu, Estonia)

Hlõr U Fang Axaxaxas Mlõ (Rael Artel Gallery, Pärnu, Estonia)

2003

Notes by the Author, Here and Beyond (Theatre Gallery, Pärnu, Estonia) Freak Null (Kondas Centre, Viljandi, Estonia)

2002

LAP (Raatuse Gallery, Tallinn; Kilpkonna Gallery, Viljandi, Estonia) PostPsychoAnalysis (Tartu Children's Art School Gallery, Tartu, Estonia)

2000

Dream of a Provincial Girl (with J. Zoova and T. Laamann, Sopot, Poland) Spring Disco (with Jasper Zoova, City Gallery, Tallinn, Estonia)

Nu Neurotik Naivism (with Anneli Nygren, Tartu Artists' House, Tartu, Estonia) Yo-Yo Club (Tallinn, Estonia) Club Oasis (Waldhof Music Factory, Pärnu, Estonia)

Notes on Girl–Art (Von Krahl's window gallery, Tallinn, Estonia)

Regatta Borealis (Damtan Dance, Tartu, Estonia)

1999

Dessanta (Vaal Gallery, Tallinn, Estonia)

New Video Installations (with Ene-Liis Semper, Sebra Gallery, Tartu, Estonia) Estonia as a Sign (with Jasper Zoova, Estonian Embassy, Prague, Czech Republic) Do U Know Where Estonia Is? (with Jasper Zoova, Toompea, Tallinn)

1998

Muzik at Vremja of my Võhod (Raatuse Gallery, Tallinn, Estonia) CircleSoul (with Ene-Liis Semper, Sebra Gallery, Tartu, Estonia)

1997

Regatta (Raatuse Gallery, Tallinn, Estonia) Bizarre Twist (Roheline Salong, Pärnu)

1996

Lollipop Fiction (with T. Aaliste and E. Frosch, Rüütli Gallery, Tartu, Estonia)

100 years of Solitude (Gallery "Jaani Juures", Tartu, Estonia)

Optimists (Tartu Art School, Tartu, Estonia)

Everlasting Disco (Toompea Art Gallery, Tallinn, Estonia)

1995

Ekshibitsioneerimine (with T. Aaliste, Tartu Art School, Tartu, Estonia)

### **selected group exhibitions**

2015

Black Square - 100 (Kumu Art Museum, Tallinn, Estonia)

Water Tank Project (New York, USA)

tl;dr (Tallinn Art Hall gallery, Tallinn, Estonia)

City of Dreams. Text Art in Tartu 2002-2015 (Tartu Art Museum, Estonia)

Silence is Golden (Kumu Art Museum, Tallinn, Estonia)

Lux Matrix. Tallinn Light Festival

Youth as Lifestyle (Tartu Art Museum, Estonia)

2014

Köler Prize (Estonian Contemporary Art Museum, Tallinn, Estonia)

Typical Individuals. Graffiti and Street Art in Tartu 1994-2014 (Tartu Art Museum, Estonia)

FEMINismTC: "???????" (Vienna, Austria)

The 14th International Contemporary and Video Art Festival "Waterpieces" organised by Culture and Arts Project "NOASS"

Festival de cinéma de Douarnenez (Douarnenez, France)

Art & Science (Applied Art Museum, Tallinn, Estonia)

## Non-comfortable Narratives (ISFAG, Tallinn, Estonia)

2013

Art's Birthday Party (Södra theatre, Stockholm, Sweden)  
Out of Sync. Looking Back at the History of Sound Art (Kumu Art Museum, Tallinn, Estonia)  
FEMINismTC: "???????" (Charim Gallery Events, Vienna, Austria) Nordic Art Station (Eskilstuna Art Museum, Eskilstuna, Sweden) Tartu World Film Festival (Tartu, Estonia)  
TranScreen film festival (Amsterdam, Netherlands)  
LGBT Film Festival (Warsaw, Poland)  
Noise & Fury Festival (DOM, Moscow, Russia) Experimental Sound Gallery (St.Petersburg, Russia) Estomania (Huuto gallery, Helsinki, Finland)  
Kolmkõla (Paide, Estonia)  
Vilsandi Trance (Vilsandi, Estonia)  
Kukemuru Ambient Festival (Kukemuru, Estonia)  
Maikellukese päevad (Kanuti Gildi Saal, Tallinn, Estonia) (das)  
Gift (???????? "????", Yekaterinburg, Russia)  
Tallinn Light Biennale (Tallinn, Estonia)

2012

Sound Around Kaliningrad (Kaliningrad, Russia)  
Wake Pominki Leicheschmaus (Asclepias Physocarpa, Vienna, Austria)  
The Exotic (Tallinn Art Hall, Estonia)  
Silent Revolution (Tallinn Art Hall, Estonia)  
Pori Performance Festival (Pori, Finland)  
Estomania (Club Liberte, Myymälä gallery, Helsinki, Finland)  
Performance Fiesta (Center of Contemporary Art Pispala, Tampere, Finland)  
Trans Rights as Human Rights Conference (Linnköping, Sweden)  
ILGA world conference (Stockholm, Sweden)  
Q! Film Festival (Jakarta, Indonesia)  
The 5th Singapore Indie Doc Fest (Singapur)  
24th Annual Vancouver Queer Film Festival (Vancouver, Canada)  
Entzaubert radical d.i.y. film fest (Berliin, Germany)  
QFest - The 16th Annual Houston GLBTQ International Film Festival (Houston, USA) 4th Bangalore Queer Film Festival (Bangalore, India)  
International Ethnographic Film Festival of Quebec (Montreal, Canada)  
Arceology and Future of Estonian Art Scenes (Kumu Art Museum, Tallinn, Estonia) Pärnu International Film & Video Festival (Pärnu, Estonia)  
Vilsandi Trance (Vilsandi island, Estonia) Kultuuritolm (Patarei prison, Tallinn, Estonia)

2011

Continuum\_the perception zone (Tallinn Art Hall, Estonia)  
Neoist Disaster (Yogyakarta Art Museum, Indonesia)  
Liberté 2011 (Chateau Asnieres, Paris, France)  
Untold Stories (Tallinn Art Hall, Estonia)  
Collected Files (Estonian Contemporary Art Museum, Tallinn, Estonia) 10th Festival Film Documenter (Yogyakarta, Indonesia)  
Kik in der Kok Cyber Sexuality Festival (Tallinna, Estonia)  
Family (März project room, Tallinn, Estonia)  
POT festival (Tallinn, Estonia)  
Eclectica festival (Tartu, Estonia)  
Prima Vista festival (Kick n di Köck museum, Tallinn, Estonia) Kultuuritolm festival (Patarei prison, Tallinn, Estonia)

2010

Fluxus East (Henie-Onstad Artcentre, Oslo, Norway) Äänen Lumo (Kiasma art museum, Helsinki, Finland)  
Next to Nothing (Estonian Contemporary Art Museum, Tallinn, Estonia) Changing Painting (Kumu Art Museum, Tallinn, Estonia)  
Artishok Biennale (Tartu Arthouse, Estonia)  
Estonian Robot Stories (Plektrum Festival, Tallinn, Estonia)

2009

Saison Video (Lille, France)  
Zone (Seccession, Vienna, Austria)  
First Experimental Music and Media Art Festival (Minsk, Belorussia) Manizales Theatre festival (Manizales, Colombia)  
Photophobia 2 (Kaliningrad, Russia)  
Pop Art Forever (Kumu Art Museum, Tallinn, Estonia)  
NU performance festival (Kanuti saal, Tallinn, Estonia)  
Crisis (Roterman Consumer Centre, Tallinn, Estonia) Backscratching... (club Shah, Tallinn, Estonia) Floromany (Kumu Art Museum, Tallinn, Estonia)

2008

Plaisirs de l'imagination (Chateau de Tours, Tours, France)  
Paradise Is Not Lost (Tseretely Gallery, Moscow Museum of Modern Art, Moscow, Russia) Fluxus East (Kumu Art Museum, Tallinn, Estonia)  
Montreal Theatre Festival (Montreal, Canada)  
Prague Theatre Festival (Prague, Czech Republic)  
Stiilne Viisnurk (Tallinn City Gallery, Estonia)  
Boypainting from Tartu (Haapsalu, Estonia)  
Kultuurikatapuldid (Haapsalu, Estonia)  
Hare Weihnachten (Y-Gallery, Tartu, Estonia)

2007

Agadir Theatre Festival (Agadir, Morocco)  
SKIF festival (Peterburg, Russia)  
Eclectica festival (Tartu, Estonia)  
Plektrum festival (Tallinn, Estonia)  
Kultuurikatapuldid (Haapsalu, Estonia)  
Ambientradio Allikas – Voices of Sleep (Viljandi, Estonia)

2006

New Video New Europe (The Kitchen, New York)  
europART - 25 Pieces (Vienna, Austria)  
Radius-Festival (Salzburg, Austria)  
Eye of the Storm (Dale, Norway)  
Festival of Experimental Art (Maneezh, StPetersburg, Russia) Pixelache festival (Helsinki, Finland)  
Collected Crises (Kumu Art Museum, Tallinn, Estonia) Ambientradio Allikas – Music For Plants (Viljandi, Estonia) Lätete pääl (Massiaru, Estonia)  
KTI Talvefoorum (Estonia)  
Eclectica festival (Tartu, Estonia)  
Plektrum festival (Tallinn, Estonia)  
Sex (Vaal galerii, Tallinn, Estonia)

2005

THRUST – The 26th Biennial of Graphic Arts (Ljubljana, Slovenia) Radius–Festival (CAT/MAK, Vienna, Austria) Radiodays (DeAppel, Amsterdam)  
New Video New Europe (Stedelijk Museum, Amsterdam, Netherlands)  
New Video New Europe (Contemporary Art Museum St. Louis, USA)  
Living Sculptures (Tallinn Art Hall, Tallinn)  
Voices (Rottermann's Salt Storage, Art Museum of Estonia, Tallinn, Estonia) Klangwald / La forêt des sons (Riga, Latvia)  
Dance:Fashion:Performance (Tartu Sadama Theatre, Estonia)  
New Estonian Art (Võru Kultuurimaja, Võru, Estonia)  
Eclectica Festival (Tartu, Estonia)

2004

Psychic Landscapes (Yvon Lambert Gallery, New York, USA)  
A Classic and an Absolutely New Thing (Rum46, Arhus, Danmark)  
New Video New Europe (Tate Modern, London, UK)  
New Video New Europe (Renaissance Society/Chicago University, Chicago, USA) Electrodienos Unidentified Sound Objects (Vilnius, Lithuania)  
Sound+Vision (Tartu–Mooste, Estonia)  
Eclectica festival (Tartu, Estonia)  
DSP simman (Kesselaid, Estonia)  
ISEA2004 (Tallinn, Estonia)  
Artist & the Other. Annual Exhibition of Estonian Artists' Association (Tallinn Art Hall Gallery, Tallinn, Estonia) Rehabilitation.  
Annual Exhibition of Estonian Artists' Association (Hobusepea Gallery, Tallinn, Estonia)

2003

Screensaver (Tallinn Art Hall, Tallinn, Estonia)  
Raster 8 / from Koeler to Kiwa (Tartu Art Museum, Tartu, Estonia)  
Last Hero (Rottermann's Salt Storage, Art Museum of Estonia, Tallinn, Estonia) The Clash of the Civilizations (Pärnu Concert Hall, Pärnu, Estonia)  
Performing Art Festival of 9th March (Pärnu Concert Hall, Pärnu, Estonia) Chart (Hobusepea Gallery, Tallinn, Estonia)  
Time-Space-Movement, performance art festival (Paide, Estonia)  
Night of performing arts (Tartu Children's Art School, Tartu, Estonia)  
Childhood (Tartu Art Museum, Tartu, Estonia)

2002

ArtGenda (Hamburg, Germany)

Centre of Attraction VIII Baltic Triennial of International Art (Vilnius, Lithuania) Kinoshok (international film festival, Anapa, Russia)

8th Pärnu Fideo- & Vilm Festival (Pärnu, Estonia)

2nd Nordic poetry festival (Tallinn, Estonia)

Cinematheque Vivante/Living Cinema (Port Artur, Pärnu, Estonia)