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PROFILE

Heli Hartikainen is a saxophonist and clarinetist, composer and performing artist based in Helsinki, Finland. Her training and interests lie in experimental free improvisation and combining different forms of art.

instruments:

soprano saxophone

alto saxophone

tenor saxophone

bb-clarinet

eb-clarinet

bass clarinet

Nordic folk wind instruments

EDUCATION

Folk Music Department of the Sibelius Academy of the University of the Arts, Helsinki, Master of Music 2022

The Conservatory of Kuopio,
musicians vocational education
2012-2015

The Music High School of Kuopio 2009-2012

ALBUMS

- Aoide - I (Helmi Levyt 2020)
- Sibelius Academy Folk Big Band - Katrilli toisesta elämästä (Siba Records 2019)
- Museum of Impossible Forms - thinking sound (Impossible Reader 2019)
- Project Vainiolla Ensemble - Suruvesi (Vainiolla Sounds 2018)

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TEACHING

Private saxophone and clarinet lessons since 2012 in for example Töölö music school, Kallio music school, pop & jazz school Tauko, Akateemiset Muusikot and Nilsiä music & dance camp

OTHER STUDIES AND COLLECTIVES

- University of the Arts & Cirko - centre for new circus: Academy of Artistic Thinking 2021-2022
- Laponia Improvisations 2015-2017
- Finnish Clarinet Society; Experimental clarinet techniques 2015

THEATRE AND PERFORMANCE ART

- Musician, Kuopio City Theatre 2022-2024
- Musician, performer: Dance theatre Auraco, 'AINUT' 2021-
- Musician, composer, sound designer, performer: Dance theatre Auraco, Miksi Mix 2020-
- Fire saxophonist: Maria Baric Company and fire theatre Tulikansa, 2018-
- Musician and performer, Dance theatre Auraco, Tuntu 2017-
- Musician, performer: Performance 'Dance Like a Mofo', Peloton Collective 2016
- Performer, assistant: Dance theatre Tsuumi, 'Natasja - mene jumalan tähden' 2016

SOUND ART

- CHRONOVARIATIONS - sound installation and electroacoustic concert piece for tenor saxophone, live electronics and industrial metal objects 2022. The work was part of the program of the FLOW Festival 2022 and has received support from the Arts Promotion Center Finland and the Finnish Music Foundation.