

Sílvio Salgado

The Portuguese artist Sílvio Salgado was born in Mozambique in 1968. He lives and works in Helsinki and Brussels.

Salgado has studied graphic design and communication at Antonio Arroyo School of Applied Arts in Lisbon, sculpture and combined media at Chelsea College of Art & Design in London, and fine art sculpture at Central Saint Martins School of Art & Design in London. He has worked as printmaker and Head of Photography at the art studio Apart in Lisbon.

Salgado is the founder of the Vienna International Apartment art association. Since 2001, he has performed as an independent curator.

Recent solo exhibitions, a selection:

'*This is not a Finnish Landscape*' Vienna International Apartment, Spring, Helsinki, 2006,
'*Intermission: Without Sibelius*', Sibelius Museum, Turku (2005),
'*Zeig Mir Was*' (*Show me...*) at Thomas K. Lang Gallery Webster University, Vienna, 2004.

Recent commissioned art-projects, a selection:

'building dwelling thinking across the horizon line', site-specific installation - drawing, Helsinki School of Economics, Department of Marketing & Management, room E2.08, commissioned by Prof. Henriikki Tikkanen, Helsinki, 2007
'4133 Strokes', site-specific installation - drawing, project realized in a private apartment on Lönnrotinkatu, Helsinki, 2006
'The Landscape Within', site-specific installation - drawing, project realized in a private house in Lauttasaari, Helsinki, 2006/07

Recent curatorial projects, a selection:

'Kiss me just once more' Vienna International Apartment, Autumn, Helsinki, 2006,
'The Cat Inside', Vienna International Apartment, Spring, Helsinki, 2007,
'Voyage in Place', Vienna International Apartment, Turku (2005),
'*Without Boundaries*', Wäino Aaltonen Museum (international exhibition featuring 21 young artist from Finland and overseas), Turku (2005).

Salgado has written and given presentations and tutorials both on arts and curatorial practice, in galleries, lecture series and in institutes of arts education.

For more information, see also www.vienna-international-apartment.net and follow the link 'Previous Collaborations and Other Events'.

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