



ELISA PENTTILÄ

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DESIGN INTERESTS

Woven design, product design, pattern design, custom projects

LANGUAGES

Finnish, English, French (fluent) / Swedish, Russian, Japanese (proficient)

German, Italian, Spanish (beginner)

COMPUTER SKILLS

Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint and Outlook

Basic knowledge of CSS and HTML

Adobe Photoshop, InDesign and Illustrator

WeavePoint, KnitADesign, CorelDraw

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Design: Major in Textile Design 2016-2020

Metropolia University of Applied Sciences, Helsinki, Finland

- 1-year exchange at Joshibi University of Art and Design, Sagamihara, Japan

Bachelor of Arts: Honours in Art History, Minor in Russian Language 2010-2013

McGill University, Montreal, Quebec, Canada

- Summer Study: Saint-Petersburg State University, Russia (2011)

- Arts Internship Award (2012), Paula Bonato Memorial Prize (2013)

EXHIBITIONS AND PROJECTS

Table cloth design "Omotesando" 2019

Joshibi Textile Students' Exhibition, Spiral Café, Tokyo, Japan

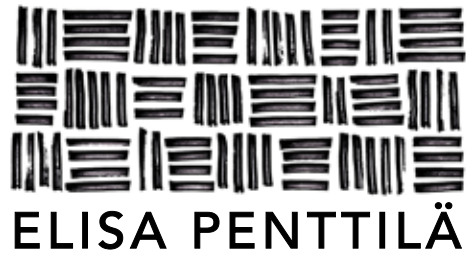
Crochet group project "Ghosts of the Sea" 2017

Suomi neuloo -event, Kattilahalli, Helsinki, Finland

The artwork was sold in an auction and the funds were donated to John Nurmisen Säätiö.

Crochet group project "Ghosts of the Sea" 2016

Yarn Visions -exhibition, Taide- ja museokeskus Sinkka, Kerava, Finland



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SELECTED WORK EXPERIENCE

- Marketing and Design Intern 2019
Novita Oy, Helsinki
- Created content for novitaknits.com (text, illustrations)
- Wrote pattern instructions and drew pattern illustrations
- Finished and prepared products for photoshoots and trade shows
- Program Assistant (Summer) 2016, 2017, 2019
AFS Intercultural Programs Finland, Helsinki, Finland
- Recruited host families, created internal marketing materials
- Receptionist 2016-2017
Cable Factory Museums / Securitas, Helsinki, Finland
- Managed the front desk: ticket sales, tour bookings
- Customer Service Team Supervisor 2014-2016
Complexe Desjardins / SGM Agence, Montreal, Canada
- Trained and managed the Customer Service Team
- Tourist Information Agent 2014
Tourisme Montréal, Montreal, Canada
- Informed clients about Montreal's tourist attractions
- SELECTED VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE*
- Interviewer, Camp Leader, Intercultural Mentor 2008-
AFS Intercultural Programs Canada and Finland
- Volunteered at exchange student organization's activities
- Co-President, Catalogue Designer, Curator 2010-2013
Fridge Door Gallery, McGill University, Montreal, Canada
- Managed the running of the student-run art gallery
- Museum and Volunteer Service Intern 2012
The State Hermitage Museum, Saint-Petersburg, Russia
- Drew archaeological illustrations, welcomed visitors