

WORKSHOP FOR TEACHERS

Realising Ideas

20 October 2017 at Valand Academy, Glass House
From 09.00 – 12.00

Friday

09.00 – 09.15 Welcome / Sanne Kofod Andersen

09.15 – 10.15 Presentation of past experience by Laura Toots from Estonian Academy of Arts - with Q&A

Laura Toots (1986) is an artist, curator and teacher. She studied at the Estonian Academy of Arts (MA in Fine Arts, 2011), Aalto University (Helsinki, Finland), and Bergen Academy of Art and Design (Norway), and practiced as an intern at the Wiels Contemporary Art Centre in Brussels and at the education department of International Foundation Manifesta in Amsterdam. Since 2017 she's working as a curator–project manager at the Contemporary Art Museum of Estonia and is the artistic director of Tallinn Photomonth '17 contemporary art biennial.

In her lectures and workshops at the Estonian Academy of Arts, Toots emphasises the importance and necessity for a public presentation whether in a format of an exhibition, a publication, special programming or a combination of them.

Toots has herself participated in KUNO courses as a student and was one of the organisers for a KUNO network intensive course "Make Your Own Press" organised in 2014 between Bergen Academy of Art and Design, Jutland Art Academy, and Estonian Academy of Arts. The course concentrated on the history and publishing of artist's books and on the critical study of the present day issues in art publishing.

"Make Your Own Press" took place in Bergen (03.–14.02.14) and in Tallinn (24.03.–4.04.2014) and ended with a public seminar and the launch of a publication "Almost a Centimetre" on contemporary art book publishing at Kumu Art Museum in Tallinn.

10.15 – 10.30 Coffee break

10.30 – 10.45 How to make a Good Proposal / Ulla Tissari from KUVA

- with Q&A

- Requirements and how to schedule an intensive course
- Collaboration and shared responsibilities
- Budget – how easy!
- Common mistakes
- Choosing a title

10.45 – 11.45 Throwing Ideas

- Presentation round: share your idea of a possible topic for an IP, or express your interest in joining an IP (2min each)
- Discussions: Q&A led by Ulla Tissari

11.45 – 12.00 Conclusion by one of the teacher participants

12.00 – 13.00 Lunch

KUNO Teachers Seminar will start in Glass House at 13.00.

19.39 KUNO Dinner – restaurant t.b.a.