

# CURRICULUM VITAE

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## EDUCATION

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1987 - 1991

Theatre Academy of Finland, Master's degree in Theatre and Drama

1977 - 1985

Apprentice of the famous Finnish magician Solmu Mäkelä

## MAGIC PRODUCTIONS IN THEATRE

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2012 -

Waiting for Hitchcock (the international version of Magic!)

2009 - 2011

Magic!, City Theatre of Helsinki, directed by Neil Hardwick

2005 - 2006

Taikalisa, Teatteri Avoimet Ovet, Helsinki, directed by Micke Rejström

2003 - 2004

Maaginen Ilta, Teatteri Avoimet Ovet, Helsinki, directed by Micke Rejström

2002

Magisk Afton, Svenska Teatern, Helsinki, directed by Micke Rejström

2001

Guldklockan, Svenska Teatern, Helsinki, own production

1993

Absent/Poissaoleva, Svenska Teatern, Helsinki, directed by Tiina Pirhonen

1990

Bachelor's life/Ungkarliv, Theatre Academy, Helsinki, directed by Tiina Pirhonen

## **INTERNATIONAL PERFORMANCES**

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- Magic Castle, Hollywood 1989, 1995, 1999, 2004, 2006 and 2010
- Monday Night Magic, New York, 2004, 2006, 2010
- Several performances in European countries including France, Spain, Switzerland, Austria, Belgium, Sweden, Estonia, Greenland

## **REPRESENTING FINLAND ABROAD**

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- Co-founder of the Nordic Magic Festival in Stadra, Sweden, 2006-2012
- Chairman of jury at the Nordic championships for magicians, 2007 and 2011
- Gala performance at the FISM World Convention in Stockholm, Sweden 2006
- FISM World Championships for Magicians, 3rd prize, Parlour magic category, The Hague 2003, "8 minutes to landing", directed by Neil Hardwick
- Participated in competitions at the FISM conventions in Japan 1996 and Switzerland 1982
- Participated in competitions in Great Britain including the Isle of Man and Ron McMillan's conventions, 1993, 1996 and 1999
- Received several prizes at the Nordic competitions in Sweden, Norway and Finland 1980-1982

## **CLIENTS IN FINLAND**

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- Full-time professional magician since 1997
- Wide client base including over 700 companies and organisations in Finland: international corporations, theatres, city councils, schools, libraries, exhibitions, cruises, amusement parks, restaurants, shows, festivals
- High-profile events including a performance for the President of Finland and the Finnish Parliament
- International conventions in Finland, including CIA Senior Management Congress
- Various private events and collaborations with leading artists

## **APPEARANCES ON TELEVISION**

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- Leading role in Troubleshooter TV series, magic comedy, produced by YLE, the leading Finnish broadcasting company, directed by Neil Hardwick, 2001
- Secondary lead actor in 'Houdinin Pojat' (The Sons of Houdini), TV series, magic and drama, produced by MTV, directed by Taavi Vartia, 1997
- Television performance in "Le Plus Grand Cabaret du Monde" for TV5 (France) in 2005
- Television programs in conjunction with the FISM World Magic Conventions in 2003 and 2006
- Various other performances, talk shows and television interviews

## **AWARDS AND NOMINATIONS**

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- Doctor's Degree of Magic 2010, Fechter's Finger Flicking Frolic
- The Entertainer of the Year 2005, awarded by The Finnish Artist Association
- Magician of the Year 2003, awarded by The Finnish Magic Circle
- Various other national awards and nominations

## **GRANTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS**

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- Arts Council of Finland
- The Swedish Cultural Foundation in Finland
- The Association Konstsamfundet
- Stina Krook Foundation

## **LANGUAGE SKILLS**

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- Swedish - Mother tongue
- Finnish - Native written and spoken
- English - Excellent written and spoken
- French - Fluent written and spoken
- German - Fluent written and spoken

## **CHARITY WORK AND CONSULTANCY**

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Robert Jägerhorn has taken great pleasure in performing for charity purposes, including events arranged by Unicef, children's hospitals, veterans of war, schools and various other charitable organisations.

He is also a sought-after consultant who has worked with leading theatres in Finland. Robert Jägerhorn has delivered private lessons and lectures to other professional magicians.

## **ACTING CAREER**

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While being a full-time professional magician, Robert Jägerhorn also holds a Master's degree in Theatre and Drama. He has made guest appearances in many Finnish theatres in the period of 1991-1997. Some of these productions have also included performances and tours abroad.

Robert Jägerhorn has appeared in many films, including male lead roles, and performed in popular television shows and in plays and documentaries on the radio.