









# **BUSINESS** FINLAND

















Business Finland on Suomen johtava kansainvälinen talousjulkaisu, joka on ehtinyt 20 vuoden ikään. Matkan varrella sen sivuilla on nähty niin suomalainen businesseliitti kuin Suomen tasavallankin edustajat.

uomalainen osaaminen on tänä päivänä maailmanluokkaa hyvin monella toimialalla. Business Finland pyrkii tuomaan esille suomalaisen elinkeinoelämän dynaamisuutta - teemoja rakennetaan rohkeasti ja tilaa annetaan uusille, kuumille toimialoille ja teknologioille.

Business Finlandin sisällössä painottuvat huipputason haastattelut: kun põydän ääreen saadaan toimitusjohtaja tai päättäjä itse, artikkeleiden intensiteetti ja näkemys nousevat aivan toiselle tasolle. Business Finland on asiantunteva. englanninkielinen lehti maamme talouselämän ilmiöistä.

## Näkyvyyttä yrityksen omilla ehdoilla

Business Finlandin perimmäinen tarkoitus on edistää suomalaisen teollisuuden vientiä. Valtaosa lehden artikkeleista on maksullisia advertoriaaleja. Termi advertoriaali tulee englanninkielisistä sanoista advertisement (mainos, ilmoitus) ja editorial (pääkirjoitus).

Yrityksille tarjotaan näin väylää esitellä tuotteitaan ja palveluitaan tehokkaasti ja monipuolisesti. Valikoitujen yritysten kanssa yhteistyössä tehdyissä advertoriaaleissa halutaan antaa lukijalle tietoa yrityksestä ja sen tuotteista. Advertoriaali toteutetaan asiakkaan ehdoilla alusta lop-

Business Finlandin sisältö on toisin sanoen räätälöityä, ja soveltuu tilanteeseen, jossa yrityksessä tehdään muutoksia tai vaikkapa lanseerataan uusi tuote. Viestintä lehdessä takaa näkyvyyden valikoiduilla kansainvälisillä messuil-









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 Yrityksellä on lisäksi mahdollisuus saada lehtiä omaan jakeluun. Lehti on lukijalle maksuton.

## Osaavan toimittajakunnan käsissä

20-vuotias Business Finland on perinteikäs lehti, joka ehti ilmestyä 16 kertaa yearbook-formaatissa. Vuodesta 2006 lehteä on

julkaistu vähintään kaksi kertaa vuodessa; kahdesti vuodessa ilmestyvään lehteen saadaan mukaan enemmän ajankohtaisuutta ja tuoreita näkökulmia. Tänään

Katja Kangasniemi

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Business Finland syntoimittajakunnan käsissä. Toimittajista Katja Kangasniemi (KTM/ FM) yhdistää työssään liiketoiminnan ymmärtämystä ja kielellistä osaamista. Hänellä on lisäksi omakohtaista kansainvälistä työkokemusta suuren suomalaisyrityksen palveluksesta Milanosta. Lehteen kirjoittaa myös

Sini Pennanen

toimittaja ja käsikirjoittaja Inderjit Kaur Khalsa, hänkin kansainvälisen taustan omaava. Valokuvaaja Sini Pennanen on taitava ja

pidetty helsinkiläisvalakuvaaja. Hänen erikoisalaansa ovat juuri lehtija mainoskuvat. Lehden taitosta vastaa pääosin Aivo Blum (TaM) on monipuolinen virolaissyntyinen taiteilija, joka päätyi pian omalla urallaan tuottamaan erilaisia graafisia palveluita yrityksille.



Aivo Blum







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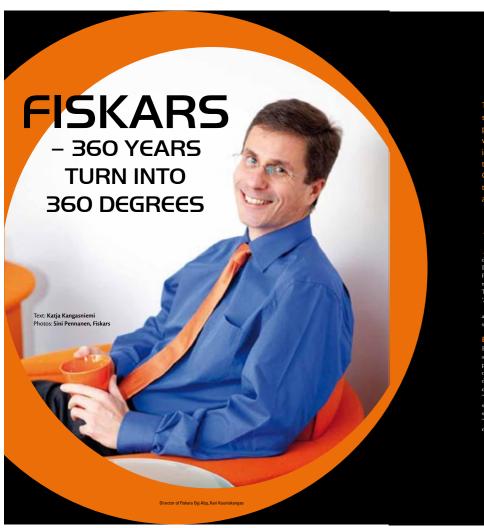
Business Finlandin kohderyhmiä ovat mm. keskuskauppakamari, elinkeinoelämän järjestöt, suurlähetystöt, liikemiehet ja ulkomaan lehdistö - kaikki Suomen talouselämästä kiinnostuneet tahot.

## Sisalto

Business Finland on kattava englanninkielinen tietopaketti Suomesta ja maamme talouselämästä. Business Finland on jokaisen Suomen talouselämästä kiinnostuneen keskeinen tietolähde.

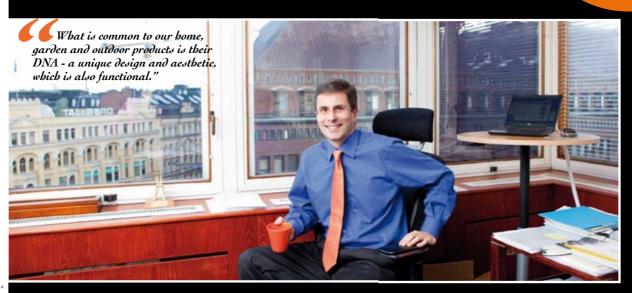
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The iconic pair of orange-handled sci sors is still Fiskars most well-known product 360 years after the company







## LUMENE

- BRINGING ARCTIC **BEAUTY TO THE WORLD** 

Text: Katja Kangasniemi Photos: Sini Pennanen/ Lur

Ever since it was founded in 1948, Lumene has been working to promote customer beauty and wellbeing by combining innovative product development, high technology and unique arctic natural ingredients. Business Finland met Tapio Pajuharju who became Lumene's president and CEO in 2007 when we first told the story of this globally ambitious company.



apio Pajuharju says that al-though Finland is still the most important market for Lumene, which was named after a Finnish lake, internationalisation will be one of the internationalisation will be one of the key elements of the company's growth strategy in the future. The company has defined Russia, the US, Scandina-via and the Ballic countries as its main international markets. In 2008, a total of 51 percent of the company's turn-over came from outside Finland (Rusover came from outside rimand (Kussia 22 percent, other Nordic countries 12 percent, US 7 percent, others 10 percent). The last time we met, the company representatives had also expressed interest in markets in the Far East.

East.

"Our clean nature and values resonate well with Japanese and Korean tourists visiting Finland and the tax-free shelves are often left empty," says Pajuharju. "We will nevertheless take one step at a time, concentrating on the key markets. In China we are present in around 100 points of sale. If we decide to enter the Japanese market, the clarity of the skin is key, together with natural ingredients that the Japanese themselves have long excelled in."

## Skincare as a spearhead

The US is Lumene's second most important market after Finland. Today, the US represents 12 percent of sales of Lumene products and 7 percent of the whole company sales.

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"During the first quarter of 2008 we nevertheless carried out a massive strategic change, leaving only the skincare products on the market. The reasoning behind this was that we realised that managing the display of over 200 make-up products was challenging. When we have our own personnel constantly filling in the shelves it works out. If not, after a couple of days it looks bad for the products that sall the most." sell the most."

Today, the company markets 36 sk-Today, the company markets 36 sk-incare products in the US. It is among the top six brands and its main com-petitors are Olay, Johnson & John-son, Neutrogena, L'Oréal and Nivea, all of which are the same as in all the European markets, with the exception

## MetroAuto's Trend Towards Low Emission Cars

ast year was an interesting time for the car industry. Although there was a serious crisis, it was also a catalyst for many manufacturers to come up with new solutions to the problems facing them. People to the problems facing them. People are now more aware of environmental changes than ever before and companies are listening to their customers. Stu Wrede is managing director This has resulted in almost every large manufacturer making more environmentally-friendly vehicles. One of the first was Toyota which launched its hybrid car, the Prius, in the mid-90s. MetroAuto is one of the oldest car dealerships in Finland. It is still a family-owned business and will celebrate its 85th birthday in 2010 but today MetroAuto Group consists of a group





"In our service outlets environmental programs are certified and followed, which emphasize the importance of minimising, sorting and recycling waste, decreasing energy and water consumption and the proper handling of hazardous waste." Wrede explains. MetroAuto companies have explains. MetroAuto companies have 28 attributes to handle waste.

The best feeling for a car owner is the knowledge that if anything happens after they buy a new vehicle they will have access to a proper service. Is will have access to a proper service. It was a will have access to a proper service. It was a will have access to a proper service. It was a will have access to a proper service. It was a will have access to a proper service. It was a will have access to a proper service. It was a will have access to a proper service. It was a will have access to a proper service. It was a will have access to a proper service. It was a will have access to a p

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Safety first

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old, used vehicle but in fact it is young
drivers, who have little driving experienc, who would benefit most from a
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ing to Wrede, customers are now looking for smaller cars than they were five
years ago and manufacturers are aiming to produce cars that produce van
lower emissions than they do now.
Wrede believes the trend towards
cleaner-fuelde cars such as hybrid,
ethanol, electric or hydrogen cars, is a
positive one.

But for this new trend to succeed
it is important that governments support cleaner vehicles; choosing a low
emission car in Sweden, for example,
benefits the driver as well as the environment because they are entitled to
free tolls and free parking in the city of
Stockholm. In Finland, car taxation is
based on CO, emissions and the tax is
lower for low emission cars.

"The cleanest car in MetroAuto
Group's car selection is the Toyota
Privus Hybrid which has the lowest
emissions," says Wrede. "We also have
other models available with very low
emissions, for example the Skoda Cotravia Greenline and Opel Astra Ecoflex. The electric cars are also developing fast, but; will will take some timeextending and saff-such and saft as their emissions are the horst for the environment
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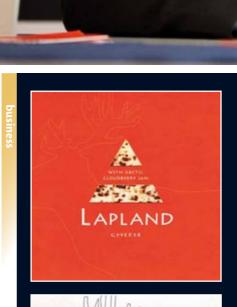
Each sale was a special occasion, because cars were in their first generation. My late busband's grandfather used to keep books of each customer they had.

Fazer, Paulig, and Hartwall. These were all owners of Finnish companies and their names are now known in techniques as well as with less expensive models. But the trend is absolute marks. Today, MetroAuto sells fourteen different makes of car.

Safety first provides services for their customers as well and as such the companies are Safety first

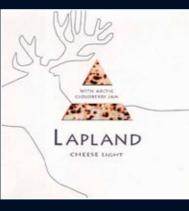




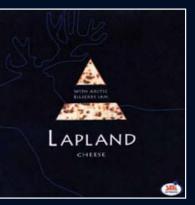


We organized a competition on bow to

eat the cheese here in Finland, and we got 300-400 recipes.



We have conducted marketing tests in altogether 12 countries, and although in 2007 when we opened our Riga factory, I thought they will never buy it, it has been a success."



FINNISH SQUEAKY

CHEESE:

The Next Big Thing?







The best speed to produce power is the same that wind turbines are using. Our spiral-formed turbine has the same speed as wind turbines have. The cost of one windmill is

actually the same as cost of a spiral turbine, but the spiral turbine is more productive than a windmill."





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This year the company has launched a selection of new slogans: 'One chair is enough', 'Timeless content inside', and Buy now, keep forever'.



## Atelier Torbjörn TILLANDER:

Next Stop Bond Street, London?

Text: Katja Kangasniemi Photos: Sini Pennanen / Tillander

We step into an old perfumery which has been transformed into a jewellery shop with ancient hardwood shelves. On the shelves there are minuscule chairs with pieces of unique jewellery on them. Upstairs, Tina Tillander has five goldsmiths working for her. The jeweller maintains a personal connection to her employees, which she believes helps achieve the best results when designing unique jewellery.





## TAILORING FOR FINNISH MEN

Turo Tailor is one of the most widely known clothing brands in Finland and regularly dresses the country's key public figures. The company, which was established in Kuopio in 1938, is the biggest manufacturer of men's suits in the Nordic region. Business Finland met its managing





lander says the family heritage is very important and it would be great if her daughters continued the business. She adds that the girls could bring in new ideas, with their imagination being the only limit when making unique jewellery.

When designing jewellery Tillander comes up with ideas that she then develops with her ex-tremely talented goldsmiths. Rauno Tynkkynen, awarded goldsmith of the year in 2009, is one of

awarded goldsmith of the year in 2009, is one of her employees. They are trained and then, un-like serial production work, they develop their skills little by little. There is a certain amount of pressure in the job and it calls for a certain sort of character. With the possible exception of Russia, the in-ternational jewellery business is heavily indus-trialised; 95 percent of products are machine-made using casting models to produce series of 1,000 to 5,000. "It is not like that at Tillander, where the key words are tradition, handicraft, quality and uniqueness — the feeling.

nothing to fear - rather they have



illander's great-great-grandfather founded an atelier in the 1860s in St Petersburg, where there was a concentration of craft professionals. After the Russian revolution many returned to Finland, bringing with them all their accumulations and the limit of the state ed knowledge and skills. During the 1940s, Tillander's father be-

came an apprentice to her grandfather and he then became a goldsmith himself. He even-tually founded his own atelier, working on commission for companies such as Kalevala

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At her father's request, Tillander in turn ventured to Germany when she was 16 years old. She studied to become a gemmologist and continued to Japan to explore the world of pearls and the industry as a whole. After that it was to you be to be father's owner. that it was her turn to be her father's appren-tice. Tina says that in 1985 her father founded a pearl shop for her and her sister. The business grew and they employed more gold-smiths.

According to Tillander, a family business is

a resource composed of different generations. She herself has two teenage daughters. Til-



Inspiring unique jewellery
Tillander is passionate about jewellery and her
work as a jeweller. Along with another passion
of hers – horses – jewellery is a big part of her
life. She says she will continue in her profession as long as she can and when we visit the atelier, we see Tina's mother who is still around doing

lery and a combination of the old and the new. She describes a 1970s bracelet found in the com-

She describes a 19/08 bracelet found in the com-pany storage space that was stripped down and brought back to life as something new. "I love the combination of fine and 'krouvi' - crude - the opposites. I make jewellery that I like myself. Then again, I will sell jewellery that

like myself. I hen again, I will sell jeweilery that I am wearing, if customers are fond of it.

"I go for colours – this season grey and brown.
I am also inspired by materials. Every stone is unique. In addition I am an apt follower of fash-ion; you have to keep abreast of the trends." She attends the international fairs once or twice a commercial side, it will take away the cre You have to dare, to evoke sensations," s



Contact with customers is important and Til-lander has regulars that come back time and time again. There is a man who has shopped at the atelier for 10 years, telling staff every time that his wife is always happy. There are time that his wife is always happy. There are customers from the US, UK and Germany, to name just a few. Some already know Ate-lier Torbjörn Tillander and others discover it when visiting, saving: "Oh, this is the shop where they make fantastic jewellery!"

best in Finland in 2008. It has a generati theme, with images progressively depicting a child, a young girl and an old couple. The latest company ad, from the same agency,

latest company ad, from the same agency shows a girl in a glamorous wintery setting. Tillander says there is also a Finnair air hostess who wears the company's jewellery on every flight and people often approach her and ask where she bought it.



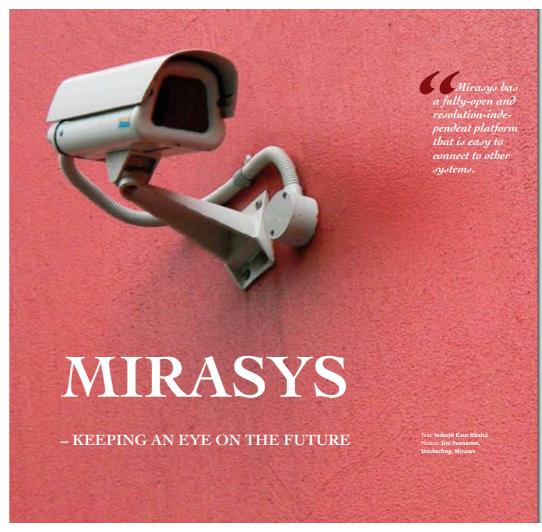


The company's recent advertising cam-paign by Finnish agency Perfect White beat 30,000 other adverts to be awarded the

Calcus' head office is situated in Helsinki's central Punavuori district, where a strong team of professionals produce high quality and cost-efficient corporate branding publications.

ilding employer brands and developing corporate ages. Its clients include most of the Talouselämä







Finland-based Mirasys develops and supplies software to help organizations manage information captured by high-resolution digital video and CCTV cameras. Camera surveillance is often perceived to guard luxury items in high class department stores, but lukka Riivari, CEO of Mirasvs, savs its systems can be found almost everywhere - in schools, factories, gas stations and grocery stores as well as embassies and government buildings.

irasys was founded in 1997 and is privately owned. Its annual revenue is EUR 7 million and its soft-ware controls over 300,000 video surveillance cameras across the world. It has offices in Finland, Germany, Spain and the UK as well as a network of sales partners across the rest of Europe, North America and Asia. The video surveillance industry is expanding rapidly due to rising security needs





combined with an increase in technological innovations includ-ing the migration to digital, fully networked systems.

With the dawn of multiple megapixel cameras, new H.264 encoding and the introduction of more intelligent management software, digital technology will transform video surveillance in the coming years. H.264 encoding can reduce the size of digital video files more efficiently without compromising image quality. This combination decreases the demand on network bandwidths while still providing according image quality. while still providing excellent image quality.

Serious security
Mirasys NVR Enterprise software has been designed for customers with demanding needs. It offers a comprehensive security platform with automated processes, tools for pro-active fraud and loss detection, and post-active investigation. "Camera can prevent criminal activity just by being visible. But where actual evidence is needed our system can easily find small details from the masses of material recorded," says Rivari.

Mirasys NVR Enterprise is flexible and scalable network video management that supports up to 5000 IP and nanlogue cameras, which can be managed as a single system independent of a location. Unlike much other network software, Mirasys has a fully-open and resolution-independent platform that is easy to

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Mirasys' roots are in research conducted by VTT in Finland.

"After the research was done there was no other direction but to start marketing the invention. In 1997, there were several companies in this field around the world. We ended up being one of

panies in this held around the world. We ended up being one of the four largest ones in Europe."

Riivari says the company's products are even used in power plants in Iraq. In such an isolated area it is easy to see when someone is approaching the plant from a distance and unexpect-ed visitors can be stopped before they enter the critical area.

## Professional surveillance

Mirays has designed software for retail and small businesses that provides an easy-to-use video surveillance system for an area or building. The system can cover between four and 32 cameras, and the software runs on a standard Windows system. Although it is a small system it contains all the functionality of any professional network video recording solution, such as realany processorian recording and video playback, intelligent mo-tion detection and powerful search tools. It is entry-level soft-ware that will protect staff and assests, it is control-center ready and can be easily upgraded to other software for more demand-

When it comes to security, the cultural differences between When it comes to security, the cultural differences between countries are vast. "In Finland we do not have such a long history of guarding as, for example, in England, where someone is always watching the monitors. This is because the threat of terrorism is more real in countries such as England," says Riivari.

He believes Mirasys solutions are not only suitable for guard-

ing purposes but can be used in training as well. "Football teams can benefit from our system by recording the game from many

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angles and then watching it for learning purposes. Our systems are also used in restaurants and have solved several fight situa-

## Securing Bangkok

In September 2009, Mirasys was selected as the surveillance software for the city of Bangkok. The company was chosen due to its seamless integration capabilities, reliability and long-term adaptability. Mirasys software will initially support up to 20,000 adaptability. Mirasys software will initially support up to 20,000 cameras in the city allowing digital images to be recorded as well as monitored both locally and centrally. The city's existing analogue cameras will be seamlessly integrated with Mirasys's products to allow for very high-resolution cameras in the future. There will be cameras on each road crossing. With our intelligent system it is possible to find small details in the recordings. gen system is possible to mind ann tenans in the recordings. For instance, if there is a suspicious red car driving in several areas in the city, the car can be easily found from each camera that captured the car. This way the exact route for the subject can be proved," says Riivari.

## **Developing new solutions**

In May 2009, Mirasys announced that it was joining forces with Pivot3, a global leader in high definition storage, to bring the benefits of their combined open platform video solutions to the European market. This union will demonstrate how large-scale surveillance systems could become simpler in terms of configurations. ration and integration.

Mirasys continues to expand partnerships that enable users to store and retrieve the large amounts of data produced from

high-resolution cameras.

Camera survillance has grown within the few last years.

One reason for this is that after 2006 the expense of having a system dropped to a level where it became affordable for many businesses. Now there is an ongoing transition from analogue to digital systems. Mirasys is in a good position in these developing markets. Riivari say the company is constantly developing new solutions using ever-evolving camera techniques.

















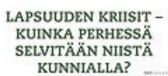












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