

VICTORIA ZIDARU

b. 1956, Liteni, Suceva, Romania

Studies

1978 - 1983 BA "Nicolae Grigorescu" Fine Arts Institute, under the mentorship of Paul Vasilescu

Awards and Scholarship

2011 Residency (2 months, January-March), Düsseldorf, Germany

1984 Creative Scholarship, Romanian Fine Artists' Union

Selected Solo Exhibitions

2024 LINGUA IGNOTA, Istituto della Pietà, Venice, Italy
THE FIRST DAY, National Museum of Contemporary Art/MNAC, Bucharest, Romania

2017 HORTUS DELICARUM, Five Plus Gallery, Vienna, Austria

2016 FLORILEGIU, Tipografia Gallery, Bucharest, Romania

SAID AND SEWING, curated by Alexandru Davidian, H'art/Appendix Gallery, Bucharest, Romania

2014 ANGELS, THRONES, LORDS, curated by Erwin Kessler, "The Brancovan Palaces"
Cultural Center, Mogosoia, Romania

2005 CO5OD, Caminul Artei Gallery, Bucharest, Romania

- 2004** ANO-TIMPURILE, curated by Diana Dochia, Anaid Gallery, Bucharest, Romania
- 2000** RESTORING ROMANIAN INTERIORS, Orizont Gallery, Bucharest, Romania
ANGELS' LADDER, Romanian Cultural Institute, New York, USA
- 1999** REBIRTH, curated by Magda Cârneai, "Dimitrie Gusti" National Village Museum, Bucharest, Romania
FIRE, curated by Ruxandra Balaci, National Museum of Art of Romania, Contemporary Art Room, Bucharest, Romania
- 1998** SIGN, Parliament Palace Art Gallery, Constantin Brancusi Hall, Bucharest, Romania
- 1991 - 1992** THE BODY - TEMPLE OF THE HOLY GHOST, Caminul Artei Gallery, Bucharest, Romania

Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2016** BEYOND THE LINES, with Ben Greber, Codruța Cernea, Ion Bârlădeanu, Hubert Hasler, Franziska Jyrch, Kristin Wenzel, Gili Mocanu, Tanja Kodlin, Peter Hoiß (curated by Kristin Wenzel and Dan Popescu), Municipal Cultural Center of Bucharest, ARCUB, Bucharest, Romania
- 2012** HORIZON - TRANSPLANT - LAND-ART INSTALLATION, with Marian Zidaru, Senta Connert, Ulrike Kessler, Julia van Koolwijk, "The Brancovan Palaces" Cultural Center, Mogosoia, Romania
- 2011** GLORY, Ateneo Veneto di Scienze, Lettere ed Arti, Venice, Italy
BUKAREST-DÜSSELDORF, Gerhart-Hauptmann-Haus, Deutsch-Osteuropäisches Forum, Düsseldorf, Germany
BEKANNTHEIT FLUGOBJEKTE, Meinersen, Germany
STUDIOAUSSTELLUNG, Franz-Jurgens Str 12, Haus 3, Düsseldorf, Germany
MARIAN ZIDARU & GUESTS: GUCKEN WIR MAL / TRANS PLANT, curated by Oliver Gather, Atelier am Eck, Düsseldorf, Germany
- 2010** L'ÉCHALIER – PÎRLEAZU', curated by Catalin Guguianu, Paris, France
LET'S TAKE A LOOK - GUCKEN WIR MAL (TEXTILE CONVERSATION), Marian Zidaru, Senta Connert, Ulrike Kessler, and Julia van Koolwijk, National Museum of the Romanian Peasant, Bucharest, Romania
GUCKEN WIR MAL, with Senta Connert, "The Brancovan Palaces" Cultural Center, Mogosoia, Romania

- 2009** TERRA D'INCONTRI - MITOLOGIE SOGGETTIVE, with Mircea Roman, Sorin Ilfoveanu, Marian Zidaru, Gheorghe I. Anghel, Adrian Ilfoveanu, Ioan Iacob, curated by Doina Mândru, Rocca Paolina, Perugia, Italy
ROMANIAN CONTEMPORARY ARTISTS, curated by Gavril Tarmure, 2R Art Gallery, London, United Kingdom
WORKER, Stramtez-Partner/Art, with Marian Zidaru and Anca Mureșan, curated by Erwin Kessler, Bucharest, Romania
- 2007** ANGELS' SEASONS, Gallery HO, Seoul, South Korea
ETNO ART, Romanian Cultural Institute/ICR Gallery, Paris, France
- 1998** OBJECT-SUBJECT, special guests: Ion Bițan, Ion Nicodim, Doru Covrig, Romanian Literature Museum, Bucharest, Romania
- 1997** BUCHAREST NACH '89, curated by Wolfgang Becker, Ruxandra Balaci, Anette Tagle, Ludwig Forum, Germany
- 1996** EXPERIMENT IN ROMANIAN ART POST-1960, curated by Alexandra Titu, Artexpo, ¾ floor, Soros Contemporary Art Center, Bucharest, Romania