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EDUCATION

2017 - 2024 Art and Time / Photography, Academy of Fine Arts Vienna, Austria, Diploma with honors
2016 Summer Academy, Class of Anna Jermolaewa and Olga Chernysheva, Salzburg, Austria
2009 - 2011 fotoK, Vienna, Austria, Diploma with honors
2003 - 2009 Architecture, TU Vienna, Austria, Diploma with honors

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2024 waldein (into the forest), ada, Vienna, Austria
Knowing where you're going can be confusing, Kunstraum Seestadt, Vienna, Austria
Kühler wird die Sonne im Dunst des Nebels (The sun becomes cooler in the haze of the fog),
Turmgalerie Vilshofen, Germany

2022 people cannot see well in fog, das T/abor, Vienna, Austria
Steppe. Fragment., Red Carpet Show Room Karlsplatz, Vienna, Austria

2021 Auf dem Rücken fliegen (flying on the back), Red Carpet Showroom Altes Landgut, Vienna, Austria
Es ist schon vorgekommen, dass Flugzeuge auf dem Rücken flogen, als sie wieder aus den Wolken hervorkamen
(It has happened that planes flew on their backs when emerging from the clouds), Sehsaal, Vienna, Austria
Der Wald und das Steppenkind (the forest and the child of steppe),
Red Carpet Show Room Volkstheater, Vienna, Austria
Der Wald und das Steppenkind (the forest and the child of steppe), Rotlicht Festival, Vienna, Austria

2019 Phantom. Ein Ergebnis der Apokalypse (phantom. a result of the apocalypse),
Foto Wien, Sternstudio, Vienna, Austria
Auf der Suche nach dem Aussen (in search of the outside), Public Domain, Vienna, Austria

2017 Parallel Vienna 2017, Vienna, Austria
Anomalie im Raum (anomaly in space), Lokal 1, Vienna, Austria
Take Festival, Alte Post, Vienna, Austria
projektive Räume (projective spaces), Art Gallery, Vienna, Austria

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2025 Touch Nature, Lentos, Linz, Austria

2024 Nomad Spirit, Deren Soum, Mongolia
Take two, one to send and one for you, Stadtgalerie – raumimpuls, Waidhofen/Ybbs, Austria
Parcours. Diploma works 2024, Atelierhaus, Academy of Fine Arts Vienna, Austria
Wilderness Alliances, Motherboard Artspace, Klima Biennial, Vienna, Austria

2023 Kardinal König Award, Exhibition and award ceremony, St. Virgil, Salzburg, Austria
Parallel Vienna, Kahan Art Space, Otto Wagner Areal, Vienna, Austria
in den Blick nehmen (take a look), Schlossgalerie Schärding, Schärding, Austria
gmunden.photo, Stadtgarten Gmunden, Gmunden, Austria
Honoring the Future, InterCulture, Guangzhou, China

2022	In Translation — The Contexts of Nature, Sea World Culture & Arts Center (SWCAC), Shenzhen, China Wienwoche, agri_culture, Vienna, Austria Body & Nature, Galerie Rudolf Leeb, Vienna, Austria Hier kommt Kunst, drum 5162, Obertrum am See, Austria Reaktion und Aktion, Lowland, Stuttgart, Germany Reflections on Caliban and the Witch, Foto Wien, Semperdepot, Vienna, Austria Naturell, Foto Wien, Dessous, Vienna, Austria
2021	40 Jahre Fotogalerie Wien, Fotogalerie Wien, Vienna, Austria nebelweit, masc foundation, Rotlicht Festival, Vienna, Austria Imago Lisboa, Lisbon, Portugal The End is The Beginning, Parallel Vienna 2021, Vienna, Austria EcoFlirt, smolka contemporary, Vienna, Austria The Use of Landscape, Galeria Posibila, Bucharest, Romania 2007, Semperdepot, Vienna, Austria The Use of Landscape, xhibit - Exhibitions space of the Academy of Fine Arts Vienna, Austria
2020	Parallel Vienna 2020, Vienna, Austria
2019	Poison Ivy, Franz Josepfs Kai 3, Vienna, Austria Self-reflection on the process of art production, Foto Wien, Vienna, Austria Modemomente. Fotograflnnen im Fokus, Landesgalerie Linz, Linz, Austria With view to the sea, Museum of Western and Oriental Art, Odesa, Ukraine Parallel Vienna 2019, Vienna, Austria
2018	delirious islands, öffentlicher Raum, Belgrad, Serbia Weiß enthält alle Farben, Photon Gallery, Vienna, Austria The Censored Exhibition, Photo City, Kopenhagen, Denmark
2017	Only Human, Austrian Cultural Forum London, London, UK Strudelobjekte, New Jörg, Vienna, Austria Alienation, Zigutamve Studio, Vienna, Austria

COLLECTIONS

City of Vienna, Austria

various private collections