

“No exit”

In my paintings reflect things that excite me and from which I can not escape. Sooner or later this itching arrives, unconsciously emerges in some form of image.

My latest paintings consists of two layers who cover each other. In one of the layers I placed the man. Other layer includes surrounding space around the man. In these paintings am working with the interaction of these two layers.

Painting “No exit” takes part from this series. This painting speaks about our mind' s space, that could be a wider, but just contrary it narrows. There are too much obstacle to change it, mainly our prejudices which keep us shackled. We are continuing to move in this limited space rather than make it wider.

Creative biography

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Born in Limbazi, Latvia,

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Education

2009-2011 Latvian Academy of Art, Faculty of Visual Arts, Department of painting; MA

2006-2007 Erasmus studies at Art academy of Lecce (Accademia di belle arti di Lecce)

2005-2009 Latvian Academy of Art, Faculty of Visual Arts, Department of painting; BA

2004- 2005 Riga Technical university, Faculty of architecture, Riga, Latvia

1996-2004 Janis Rozentals Secondary Art School, Riga, Latvia

Solo exhibitions

2012 Solo exhibition "L' altro lato" (Another side), Palazzo Collucia, Specchia (LE), Italy;

2011. Solo exhibition „Cits skatījums”(Another point of view), Gallery FLAT, Riga, Latvia;

2009. Solo exhibition „Il mio turno”(My turn), Gallery Enoteca Altotasso, Bologne, Italy;

Group exhibitions

2012 Painting exhibition in "Ville in festa", Santa Maria Leuca, Italy;

2011. „Art hunting”, exhibition / sale, Kalnciema kvartals, Riga, Latvia;
2010. „Nakts Pilseta”(City in the night) with K. Kvitka, D. Gaile, A. Vilkelmane, S. Muižniece, Gallery Carousell, Riga, Latvia;
2010. „Ainava”(Landscape), Gallery L, Riga, Latvia;
2010. Final exhibition in Martelive 2010, Roma, Italy;
2010. Participation in Festival delle arti (Art festival), in Bologne, Italy;
2010. “Pavasara Raibumi”, Galleria “Laipa”, Valmiera, Latvia;
2009. Exhibition with Christian Ghissellini, in Galleriy Agenzia Generale dell'Istituto INA Assitalia, Bologna, Italy;
2010. „Autumn”, Gallery „Pinakoteka”, Riga, Latvia;
2009. Painting exhibition “Acqua allu puzzu”, in Tricase (LE), Italy;
2009. “Artemare 2009”, Lido Nettuno in Metaponto (MT), Italy;
2009. “Forma, Krasa, Linija” (Form, Color, Line), Gallery “Riga Art Space”, Riga;
2009. Drawing exhibition “Draw dancing, dance drawing”, Art academy of Latvia, Riga;
2008. Painting exhibition “Galū Gala” (with Sanda Skujina) in Museo di Borgo Cardigliano, Specchia (LE), Italy;
2007. “Una Terra Due Mari” painting exhibition with Kristine Kvitka, in Biblioteca Comunale, a Tricase (LE), Italy;
2007. “Visioni del Salento” painting exhibition with Kristine Kvitka, in Accademia delle Belle Arti di Lecce, Italy;
2004. “Klusa daba” (Still life), Gallery “Art Garden”, Riga, Latvia;
2004. final exhibition of competition of coin design, The Nacional Bank of Latvia;

