DOUBLE Q GALLERY

Monika ŽÁKOVÁ

b. 1987 in Prague, Czech Republic Lives and works in Prague, Czech Republic

EDUCATION

2006 – 2012 Academy of Fine Arts, Prague, Czech Republic (class of Jiří Sopko and Igor Korpaczewski)

2011 Internship at Ralf Kerbach's studio, Dresden, Germany

2009 Academy of Fine Arts, Prague, Czech Republic (studio of guest professor Jan Merta)

SOLO AND TWO PERSON EXHIBITIONS

2023

More Light, Alšova Jihočeská Galerie, South Bohemia, Czech Republic (curated by Jan Kudrna)

2022

Soft Logic, Dole Gallery, Ostrava, Czech Republic Euphonia (with Jana Babincová), Gallery AMB, Hradec Králové, Czech Republic

2021

Tactile Mind, Bold Gallery, Prague, Czech Republic (curated by Adam Hnojil) *Eloquent Silence*, Jiří Jílek Gallery, Šumperk, Czech Republic

2020

Echoes of Fragility, Galerie Roudnice, Ústí nad Labem, Czech Republic

2019

New Gravity II, Pragovka, Prague, Czech Republic

2018

Kubin-Zakova-Coubine, Pro Arte Gallery, Prague, Czech Republic New Gravity, Industra Art, Brno, Czech Republic Reappearance, Gallery Vyšehrad, Prague, Czech Republic (curated by Petr Vaňous) Appearance, Drdova Gallery, Prague, Czech Republic

2017

Shadow Games (with Antony Burnham), 17/18 Gallery, Ottawa, Canada

2016

Indian Space, Berlínskej Model, Prague, Czech Republic White, Grey, White, NoD Gallery, Prague, Czech Republic Renew the 60's, Mimochodem Gallery, Prague, Czech Republic

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2015 Double Solution, Drdova Gallery, Prague, Czech Republic

2014

Pastel, Scissors, Paper, Cabinet Gallery, Brno, Czech Republic Proto (with Pavel Tichon), Studio Prototyp, Prague, Czech Republic

2013 Blurred Emptiness, Půda Gallery, Jihlava, Czech Republic Sensitive Eyes, Art Gallery, Brno, Czech Republic Bland Paper, House of Art, Opava, Czech Republic

2012 Monochromatika, Jelení Gallery, Prague, Czech Republic

2011 Strings on Your Fingers (with Vladimir Houdek), 35m² Gallery, Prague, Czech Republic

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2023

Symbiosis 2.0, Hong Kong Arts Centre, Hong Kong (curated by Richard Bakeš) *CON-STRUCTURE*, NOOKART Studio, Prague, Czech Republic

2022

Rhythm, Galerie U Bílého jednorožce, Plzeň, Czech Republic (curated by Jiří Machalický) Soft, Hidden, Exposed, Double Q Gallery, Hong Kong Artefin Fund Collection Exhibition, Bechyně Castle, South Bohemia, Czech Republic

2021

II. The Meek One, Karlin Studios, Prague, Czech Republic

2020

Salon Tchécoslovaque: Contemporary Czech and Slovak Painting, Gallery NTK, Prague, Czech Republic (curated by Milan Mikuláštík)

2019

New Gravity II, Pragovka Gallery, Prague, Czech Republic (curated by Tereza Jindrová)

2018

Kubin-Žáková-Coubine, Galerie Pro Arte, Prague, Czech Republic

2017

I'm Not My Target Audience (From the Stefan Heinemann Collection), Kunsthaus Dresden, Dresden, Germany *Ripple Effect*, FUTURA Centre for Contemporary Art, Prague, Czech Republic (curated by Karina Kottová and Fatoş Üstek)

2016 Independent Research of Subjectivity, Municipal Buildings, Prague, Czech Republic (curated by Pavlína Morganová) Neighbourhood Boogie – Woogie, Žižkov, Prague, Czech Republic

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2015

EXAKTA, NoD Gallery, Prague, Czech Republic (curated by Jiří Machalický) GEO EGO, Gallery NTK, Prague, Czech Republic (curated by Milan Mikuláštík)

2014

7th Critics Award for Young Painters, Gallery of Art Critics, Adria Palace, Prague, Czech Republic Metaplay Prague – Tokyo, Toki Art Space, Tokyo, Japan Positionen, Galerie Next, Dresden, Germany Cologne Paper Art, Cologne, Germany

2013 *Malířské léto*, Nika Gallery, Prague, Czech Republic *Flächenspannung*, Next Gallery, Dresden, Germany

2012

6th Zlin Youth Salon, Zlin House of Arts and Zlin Chateau, Zlin, Czech Republic AVU Diploma Show, Czech National Gallery, Trade Fair Palace, Prague, Czech Republic

SELECTED PRESS

2022

5 Contemporary Czech Female Artists Who Are Worth Your Attention, WHAT Magazine, June 2022 AS IS | Monika Žáková, ARV, March 2022

2021

Exhibition of the Week, Respect, December 2021 Monika Žáková Exhibits Minimalist Abstractions, Art Revue, December 2021 Monika Zakova, Telegraph, September 2022 Living art. How to start investing and which young artists deserve your attention?, ProcNe, March 2021

2018 *Critics' Picks: Prague*, Blok Magazine, February 2018

COLLECTIONS

Artefin Investment Fund, Czech Republic Heinemann Collection, Dresden, Germany Kunsthalle Praha, Prague, Czech Republic Pekelne Sane Art Collection, Czech Republic Pro Arte investment fund, Czech Republic Pudil Family Foundation, Czech Republic Robert Runtak Collection, Czech Republic