

Zuzana Pustaiová *1990

curriculum vitae



BASIC INFORMATION:

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EDUCATION:

- since 2018 Academy of Fine Arts and Design, Bratislava, SK
Studio Photography- Reality- Construct led by Jana Hojstričová
doctoral degree
- 2011 - 2017 Academy of Fine Arts and Design, Bratislava, SK
Studio about photography led by Silvia Saparová
bachelor degree / master degree
- 2016 Bielefeld University of Applied Sciences, Bielefeld, DE
Led by Prof. Katharina Bosse / Prof. Axel Grünwald
master degree
- 2007 - 2011 High Art School of Ladislav Bielik, Levice, SK
Photography design led by Gabriel Kosmály
- 2006 - 2007 Gymnasium of Andrej Vrábel, Levice, SK
- 1998 – 2011 Primary school of Art, Levice, SK
Led by Alena Cibulková

AWARDS:

- 2019 **Student personality of academic year 2018/2019**, Bratislava, SK
category: Culture and Art
- 2019 **Honorable mention**, Latitude Life APS, Italy / New York
- 2018 **Photographer of the Year 2018**, Bratislava, SK
- 2018 **2nd prize**, Different Worlds, Photon Gallery, Ljubljana, SI
- 2018 **1st prize**, Rovinj Photodays, Rovinj, Croatia
- 2017 **nomination**, PhotogrVphy Magazine Grant, online platform
- 2017 **finalist**, Lucie Foundation Scholarship, Los Angeles, USA
- 2015 **finalist**, FOTO ROKA 2015, Bratislava, SK
- 2014 **3rd prize**, Politics, photography and present, Bratislava, SK
- 2014 **1st prize**, Portfolio review, Month of Photography, Bratislava, SK
- 2014 **3rd prize**, Just For Laughs 2014 International Visual Arts Competition Montreal, Canada

2013 **1st prize**, FOTO ROKA 2013, Bratislava, SK

2012 **3rd prize**, FRAME O12, Praha, CZ

SOLO EXHIBITIONS:

2020 *Med is not Funny*, A7 Rooms Gallery, Banská Bystrica, SK /upcoming/

2020 *Flashback*, Galerie Nahoře, České Budejovice, CZ /upcoming/

2019 *Family Album*, Photo Gallery, Vienna, AT

2019 *Family Album*, STP Galerie, Greifswald, Germany

2019 *Holiday 2.0*, Days of Photography in Levice, SK

2018 *Each Country - Its Customs*, Verzasca Foto Festival, Switzerland

2017 *Each Country - Its Customs*, Fiducia Gallery, Ostrava, CZ

2016 *My Grand Gradfather Was Famous Tailor in Pest*, OFF Festival, Bratislava, SK

2015 *Each Country - Its Customs*, Gallery F7, Month of Photography in Bratislava, SK

2015 *Zuzana Pustaiová: From Family Album...*, Nitra Gallery, Nitra, SK

2013 *Mysterious Landscape*, Bunka, Nitra, SK

2013 *Trivial Stories – Trip to mountains*, Yellov Submarine Gallery, Znojmo, CZ

2013 *Trivial Stories*, Kredance, České Budějovice, CZ

2011 *My Animals*, Café on Korzo, Levice, SK

GROUP EXHIBITIONS:

2020 *Frankfurt - Prague - Bratislava*, Frankfurt am Main (DE), Prague (CZ), Bratislava (SK) /upcoming/

2020 *Das Leben ist schön*, Noe-art, AT /upcoming/

2019 *Different Worlds*, Graz, AT

2019 *A New Vision of Debris*, Photon Gallery, Ljubljana, SI

2019 *Latitude Life APS*, NYFA of New York, USA

2018 *Different Worlds*, Photon Gallery, Ljubljana, SI

2018 *Bodyfiction*, Month of Photography, Bratislava, SK

2018 *Rovinj Photodays*, Museum of Arts & Crafts, Zagreb, HR

2018 *Art Photo / Art Market Budapest*, Budapest, HU

2018 *Art Dialog - Meziprostory*, Galerie Klatovy / Klenová, Janovice nad Úhlavou, CZ

2018 *Portrait of Slovak Europe*, Synthesis Gallery, Sofia, Bulgaria

2018 *The Inner Forest*, Verzasca Foto Festival, Switzerland

2018 *The Family of No Man*, Arles Cosmos, Arles, France

2018 *Entrée*, Bratislava (SK), Budapešť (HU), Ljubljana (SI), Waršava (PL), Plzeň (CZ)

2018 *New Chic*, Riga Photomonth, Riga, Latvia (Screening)

2018 *Rovinj Photodays*, Rovinj, Croatia

2017 *The Little Match Girl*, Hans & Fritz Contemporary, Barcelona, Spain

2017 *Bialystok Interphoto*, Forum fotografii i multimiedow, Bialystok, Poland

2017 *Gažová, Huba, Oraveciová, Pustaiová, Šelesták*, Diploma works of Department of Photography and New Media in Bratislava, Central European House of Photography, Bratislava, SK

2017 *Old-New*, City Gallery Rimavska Sobota, SK

2016 *Not In Your Mirror*, FOVEMBER, Košice, SK

- 2016 *Josefov 01, Bastion IV, Josefov, CZ*
- 2016 *Department of Photography and New Media AFAD in Bratislava 2011 – 2016, G4 Gallery, Cheb, CZ*
- 2016 **F!Festival, Brno, CZ**
- 2015 *Photo of the Year, Hviezdoslav's square, Bratislava, SK*
- 2015 *Silvia Saparová and Students, Synagogh of Levice, Day of Photography, Levice, SK*
- 2015 *Romantism now, Gallery of city Bratislava, Bratislava, SK*
- 2015 *Renesaince of Photography of 19th Century, Ľudovít Fulla Gallery, Liptovský Mikuláš, SK*
- 2014 *Renesaince of Photography of 19th Century, Central European House of Photography, Bratislava, Sk*
- 2014 *Politics, Photography and Present, Stará tržnica, Bratislava, SK*
- 2014 *SK – AT, Dunaj Gallery, Bratislava, SK*
- 2014 *SK-AT, Galerie mo.ë contemporary, Vienna, Austria*
- 2014 **Biennale of Theather Photography, Hall of the Ministry of Culture, Bratislava, SK**
- 2014 *Inner Words, House of Photography, Liptovský Mikuláš, SK*
- 2014 *Just for Laughs International Visual Arts Contest, Place des Arts, Montreal, Kanada*
- 2014 *Village HYBE, Hybe, Hybe, SK*
- 2014 *We, You, They or Genesis of The One School, Synagog, Levice, SK*
- 2013 *Inner worlds, Gallery of Ľudovít Hlaváč, Trnava, SK*
- 2013 *Zuzana Pustaiová a Michaela Čejková, FRAME 012, Artotéka Gallery, Bratislava, SK*
- 2013 *Remember Alena Cibulková, Jozef Nécsey Gallery, Levice, SK*
- 2013 *The Story in A Picture, FOTO ROKA 2013, Hviezdoslav square, Bratislava, SK*
- 2013 *We, You, They or Genesis of The One School, Synagog, Levice, SK*
- 2013 *FRAME 012, Moravian gallery, Brno, CZ*
- 2013 *Imprints of Gisi Fleischmann, Piszatory palace, Bratislava, SK*
- 2013 *FRAME 012, Leica Gallery Prague, Praha, CZ*
- 2012 *Three Workshops, The exhibition pavilion SNM, Podhradie, Bratislava, SK*
- 2012 *The Freshmans in the Hall, Gallery on the Hall, AFAD, Bratislava, SK*
- 2012 *Renesaince of Historical Photographic Techniques of the 19th Century, Gallery of Spish Artist, Spišská Nová Ves, SK*
- 2011 *Variety of students, Tekov Museum, Levice, SK*
- 2011 **Colective exhibition, Days of the Photography, Levice, SK**
- 2010 **AMFO 2010, Banská Bystrica, SK**
- 2010 **AMFO 2010, Tekovské múzeum, Levice, SK**
- 2010 **Colective Exhibition of Students of Photography, Nové Zámky, SK**
- 2010 **Colective Exhibition, Days of the Photography, Levice, SK**
- 2009 *Why I like to Stay in the World, Bratislava castle, Bratislava, SK*
- 2009 *Europe in the School, IUVENTA, Bratislava, SK*
- 2009 **AMFO, Nitra, SK**
- 2009 **AMFO, Levice, SK**
- 2009 **Colective Exhibition, Days of the Photography, Levice, SK**
- 2008 **Colective Exhibition, Days of the Photography, Levice, SK**

CURATORIAL ACTIVITIES:

- 2019 *Six Stories from History of Photography (part Body) Central European House of Photography, Bratislava, SK*

COLLECTIONS

Privat Collection, Bratislava, SK
PPF Art, Prague, Czech Republic
VÚB Foundation, Bratislava, Slovakia

WORKSHOPS, SYMPOSIUMS, RESIDENCIES

- 2019 *Residency (residency)*
STP Galerie
Greifswald, Germany
- 2019 *Yellow Submarine (workshop)*
Lector: Marc Thebault (FR)
Academy of Fine Arts and Design in Bratislava, SK
- 2018 *Art Dialog - Meziprostory (symposium)*
AVU, FAVU, Akadémia Umenia BB, VŠVU
Galerie Klatovy / Klenová, Janovice nad Úhlavou, CZ
- 2016 *Josefov 01 (workshop)*
FMK UTB Zlín, AFAD Bratislava, ASP Katowice, FH Dortmund, ALUO, SI
Josefov, CZ
- 2014 *SK-AT (workshop)*
AFAD Bratislava, Academy of Fine Arts, Vienna,
Bad Deutsch Altenburg, Austria
- 2013 – 2014 *Village Hybe (workshop)*
AFAD Bratislava, Atelier of communication in photography medium UCM, Trnava
Hybe, SK
- 2013 *Theater photography (workshop)*
AFAD Bratislava
Studio tanca Theater, Banská Bystrica, SK
- 2012 *Mysterious Landscape (workshop)*
AFAD Bratislava, AU Banská Bystrica, TU Art faculty, Košice, University of Arizona,
USA, Saimaa University of Applied Sciences, Imatra, Fínsko, Secondary art school
of Ladislav Bielik, Levice
Banská štiavnica, SK

PUBLICATION ACTIVITIES

Books:

2020 *Faces of Family*, publishing by Kehrer Verlag, Heilderberg, Germany
www.kehrerverlag.com

Catalogues:

A NEW VISION OF DEBRIS, Photon Gallery, Ljubljana, SI. 2019
DAYS OF PHOTOGRAPHY, Levice. SK. 2019
LATITUDE LIFE APS, Pravisdomini, Italy. 2019
DIFFERENT WORLDS, Photon Gallery, Ljubljana. SI. 2018
BODYFICTION. European Month of Photography. 2018
ART DIALOG 2018 - MEZIPROSTORY, Galerie Klatovy / Klenová. CZ. 2018
MONTH OF PHOTOGRAPHY IN BRATISLAVA. Bratislava: FOTOFO/SEDF. 2018
PORTRAIT OF SLOVAK EUROPE, Synthesis Gallery, Sofia, Bulgaria. 2018
ROVINJ PHOTODAYS 2018. Zagreb. 2018. ISBN 978-953-55330-2-3
DIPLOM 2017. Bratislava: VŠVU, 2017. 83 s. ISBN 978-80-8189-011-6
Tomorrow's Archive. Bratislava: Off Festival, 2016.
Mesiac fotografie v Bratislave. Bratislava: FOTOFO/SEDF. 2015. 102 s. ISBN 978-80-85739-67-1
Renesancie fotografie 19.storočia. Jana Hojstričová (ed.), Bratislava: VŠVU, 2014. 287 s. ISBN 978-80-89259-84-7
SK / AT. Bratislava: VŠVU, 2014. ISBN 978-80-89259-81-6
Politika, fotografia a každodennosť. Bratislava. 2014
Vnútorne svety – obrazová správa o živote a ľuďoch v obci Hybe. Trnava: UCM. 2014. 157 s. ISBN 978-80-8105-603-1
Remember Alena Cibulková, exhibition catalogue, 2013
Album Gisi Fleischmann, exhibition catalogue 2013
FRAME 012, exhibition catalogue, 2013
Mladé médium II. Bratislava: VŠVU, 2012. 175 s. ISBN 978-80-89259-63-2

Magazines & Newspapers:

Eastern European Photography, EEP vol.1. Berlin, Germany. 2019
FOTONOVINY č. 44/2018. 10-14 s. ISSN 1337-6454
FOTOGRAF MAGAZINE #31 *Body*. ISSN 1213-9602
FOTONOVINY č. 40/2017. 20 s. ISSN 1337-6454
FOTO. Praha: 2016. roč.5, č. 26. 110 s. ISSN1805-3335
FOTONOVINY č. 34 / 2016. 19 s. ISSN 1337-6454
SLOVENKA č. 47 / 2015. Bratislava. 98 s. ISSN 0231-6676
UJ SZÓ 7.júl 2015. č. 164, roč. 68. 20 s.
FOTONOVINY č. 32 / 2015. 19 s. ISSN 1337-6454
FOTONOVINY č. 27 / 2014. 19 s. ISSN 1337-6454

SME. 6.septembra 2013. č. 207, roč. 21

PRAVDA. 28.marca 2013. Bratislava. 48 s. ISSN 1335-4050

FOTONOVINY č. 25 / 2013. 19 s. ISSN 1337-6454

FOTO č. 10 / 2013. Praha. 98 s. ISSN 1805-3335

FOTO č. 8 / 2013. Praha. 98 s. ISSN 1805-3335

Časopis Tvor 05.2013. Bratislava: VŠVU. 67 s.

Časopis Tvor 04.2013. Bratislava: VŠVU. 74 s.

Online (selected):

1.3.2018

"It's really an art form to be a dealer. It's a calling rather than a job"

Interview: Marc Tremsig, Founder and Director of Hans & Fritz Contemporary : **Photographs**

<https://artlandapp.com/really-art-form-dealer-calling-rather-job/>

20.12.2017

DER GREIF: Guest-Room: Selection by Charlotte Cotton: **Photographs**

<https://dergreif-online.de/guest-room/exhibits/cotton-lilian-marie-mayer-nicholas-hubicki-zuzana-pustaiova/>

2.8.2017

PHOSMAG: **Portfolio**

<http://www.phosmag.com/zuzana-pustaiova/>

3.3.2017

ČT 24: Jiný kraj, jiný mrav. Na fotkách Zuzany Pustaiové selky cvičí jógu: **Interview**

<http://www.ceskatelevize.cz/ct24/kultura/2048174-jiny-kraj-jiny-mrav-na-fotkach-zuzany-pustaiove-selky-cvici-jogu>

23.7.2015

GUP MAGAZINE: Picture or it didn't happen: **Article**

<http://www.gupmagazine.com/articles/picture-or-it-didnt-happen>

21.1.2013

Kam směřuje česká fotka? Nejlepší práce studentů sázejí na experimenty i humor: **Article**

[http://m.ihned.cz/?article\[gallery\]\[detail_id\]=3070220&article\[gallery\]\[from\]=&article\[gallery\]\[id\]=2180680&article\[id\]=59161360&p=700000_d](http://m.ihned.cz/?article[gallery][detail_id]=3070220&article[gallery][from]=&article[gallery][id]=2180680&article[id]=59161360&p=700000_d)