

# 空白空间 WHITE SPACE

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1985 Born 1985 in Tbilisi, Georgia  
2003-2004 Studied mathematics and informatics at Technical University, Tbilisi, Georgia  
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## **Solo Exhibitions**

2022

The New Year, Pori Art Museum, Pori, Finland  
Finger, Fist, and Thumb Sucking, WHITE SPACE, Beijing, China  
Lower than the Sky, Kunstmuseum Brandts, Odense, Denmark  
SCAI PIRAMIDE SCREENING PROJECT vol.1, Tokyo, Japan

2020

Death Chase, Daniel Marzona, Berlin, Germany

2019

Winter which was not there, Crawford Art Gallery, Ireland  
Glass Muscle, Kunstverein Dresden, Dresden, Germany  
Flies bite, it's going to rain, Art Basel Unlimited, Basel, Switzerland  
Vajiko Chachkhiani - Films, Berlinische Galerie, Berlin, Germany  
Glass Ghost, Galleria de' Foscherari, Bologna, Italy

2018

Glass Jaw, Scrap Metal Gallery, Toronto, Ontario, Canada  
Flies Bite, It's Going To Rain, YARAT Contemporary Art Centre, Baku, Azerbaijan  
They Kept Shadows Quiet, Scrap Metal Gallery, Toronto, Ontario, Canada  
Under The Midday Sun, site-specific installation, Rinascente di Milano Piazza Duomo, Milan, Italy  
Cotton Candy, film screening, The Space Cinema Odeon, Milan, Italy  
Moment in and out of time, SCAI The Bathhouse, Tokyo, Japan  
Many lives pass by while imitating death, Filser, Mainburg, Germany  
Heavy Metal Honey, Bundeskunsthalle, Bonn, Germany  
Winter Which Was Not There, Turku Art Museum, Turku, Finland  
Life Track, Art Night London, London, UK

2017

Living Dog Among Dead Lions, Georgian Pavilion at the 57th Venice Biennale, Italy  
Endless Ends, Galerija Vartai, Vilnius, Lithuania  
Summer which was not there, Daniel Marzona, Berlin, Germany

2016

The Last Thing I Can Hold on to are Your Kind Words, Artim Project Space: YARAT Residents Group Exhibition, Baku, Azerbaijan

2015

Many Lives Pass Through While Imitating Death, outdoor installation, collaboration of Neue Berliner Räume, Kunsthaus Dahlem and Freie Universität, Berlin, Germany  
It Neither Begins Nor Ends Anywhere, Daniel Marzona, Berlin, Germany

2014

Both, Museum für Gegenwartskunst, Siegen, Germany

2013

Public Principle, State Museum of Literature, Tbilisi, Georgia  
The Gift, Diploma Show, Universität der Künste, Berlin, Germany

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2012

4392 Hours - Temporal Proliferation of Definitive Reasons, BINZ39, Zurich, Switzerland

2011

To Cut Through, Gallery Gala, Tbilisi, Georgia

2009

Trap, GRA Glass Pavilion, Amsterdam, The Netherlands

## Group Exhibitions

2024

FIRE UP, Part Group, Shanghai, China

2023

Yours Truly, Museum Morsbroich, Leverkusen, Germany

Looking for a New Foundation, Galerie für Zeitgenössische Kunst, Leipzig, Germany

All silence is a hidden place, the cloister project by Macalline Art Center, Shanghai, China

Nián Nián: The Power and Agency of Animal Forms, Deji Art Museum, Nanjing, China

2022

EVROVIZION.CROSSING STORIES AND SPACES, Museum of Contemporary Art of Vojvodina, Novi Sad, Serbia

2021

All the lonely people, silent green, Berlin, Germany

A Higher Calling, White Space, Beijing, China

The Rearview Landscape, or a Trip of Ownership, UCCA Dune, Beidaihe, Hebei, China

Notes for Tomorrow, travelling exhibition at various locations

2020

Étude, Aranya Art Center, Qinhuangdao, China

Unsere Gegenwart, Museum für Gegenwartskunst Siegen, Germany

SCAI 30th Anniversary Exhibition, Komagome SOKO, Tokyo, Japan

Vajiko Chachkhiani & Reijiro Wada: A Silent Conversation, Daniel Marzona at Rolando Anselmi, Berlin, Germany

NIRIN - The 22nd Biennale of Sydney, various venues, Sydney, Australia

Kino der Kunst, various venues, Munich, Germany

2019

Lichte Momente, Kunsthalle Osnabrück, Germany

Winter which was not there, Studiengalerie 1.357, Frankfurt am Main, Germany

Protocinema Summer Screening Tour 2019, various venues

Down To A Sunless Sea, Arondit offspace, Paris, France

Hotel Europa: Their Past, Your Present, Our Future, various venues, Tbilisi, Georgia

Journey of Thousand Miles, CAC, Centro de Arte Contemporáneo de Quito, Ecuador

Racing The Galaxy, Palace of Peace and Reconciliation & Palace of Independence, Astana (Nur-Sultan), Kazakhstan

We drive far, you in front, Arondit offspace, Paris, France

2018

Paris Independent Film Festival, Katara Cinema at Le Royal Monceau Raffles, Paris, France

The Axial Line, PS120, Berlin, Germany

Four rooms with a view, Galerija Vartai, Vilnius, Lithuania

Kunstpries der Böttcherstraße, Kunsthalle Bremen, Bremen, Germany

Crumbling down, up and up we climb, YARAT Contemporary Art Centre, Baku, Azerbaijan

A good neighbour, Pinakothek der Moderne, Munich, Germany, in cooperation with Istanbul Biennale

Germany Is Not An Island - Contemporary Art Collection of the Federal Republic of Germany, Acquisitions 2012-2016,

Bundeskunsthalle, Bonn, Germany

wieder und wider, Kunsthalle Hamburg, Hamburg, Germany

Watou Kunstenfestival 2018, Watou, Belgium

The Short Film Festival Switzerland, Winterthur, Switzerland

Der Balkon, Kunsthhaus Zofingen, Switzerland

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2017

Winter which was not there (film screening), Tel Aviv Museum of Art, Tel Aviv, Israel  
Crumbling down, up and up we climb, YARAT Contemporary Art Centre, Baku, Azerbaijan  
Haunted House, Ekaterina Foundation, Moscow, Russia  
15th Istanbul Biennial, Istanbul, Turkey  
Steirischer Herbst, Festival of New Arts, Graz, Austria  
Mit den Händen zu greifen und doch nicht zu fassen, Kunsthalle Mainz, Germany  
Parlament der Pflanzen, daadgalerie, Berlin, Germany  
The Future Generation Art Prize, Exhibition of the Shortlisted Artists at the 57th Venice Biennale, Venice, Italy  
Profanation: Ghenos, Eros, Thanatos, group show at Galleria de'Foscherari, Bologna, Italy  
WAITING. Between Power and Possibility, Hamburger Kunsthalle, Hamburg, Germany  
Du Verbe à la Communication, Carré d'Art-Musée d'art contemporain, Nîmes, France  
The Future Generation Art Prize, Exhibition of the Shortlisted Artists at the PinchukArtCentre, Kiev, Ukraine

2016

Artist Films at Kino International during Berlin Art Week, Berlin, Germany  
Farewell to an Idea, Plattenpalast, Berlin, Germany

2015

Stranger Than Paradise, Sies + Höke Galerie, Düsseldorf, Germany  
Vom Großen und Ganzen, Sammlung Haus N, Neumünster, Germany  
Where the Place Begins / Five, Stone is Laid on Stone, Neue Berliner Räume at Kunsthaus Dahlem, Berlin, Germany  
Material, Galerie Johann Koenig, Berlin, Germany  
Birds, Plants and a Chair, Galerie Kadel Willborn, Düsseldorf, Germany  
Trouble in Paradise, Bundeskunsthalle, Bonn, Germany

2014

Mean What You See, Daniel Marzona, Berlin, Germany  
Castle Ghost, Museum of Contemporary Art, Wolfsburg, Germany  
Basic Form, Composing Rooms, Berlin, Germany  
(Ver) Handlungsräume, Haus am Lützowplatz, Berlin, Germany

2013

Errors Allowed, Mediterranea, 16 Young Artists Biennial, Ancona, Italy

2012

Doublings, Kunsthalle am Hamburger Platz, Berlin, Germany  
A Sophisticated Guidebook Through A False Territory, Meet Factory, Prague, Czech Republic  
Neue Klasse, Wiensowski & Harbord, Berlin, Germany  
Open Studios of Resident Artists, BINZ39, Zurich, Switzerland

2011

Bosch Young Talent Show, Stedelijk Museum, s-Hertogenbosch, The Netherlands  
Leo Baeck Salon N9 (The Fine Art Issue), Tolmein, Berlin, Germany  
Image, Museum of Contemporary Art, Leipzig, Germany  
Violentine's Day, Geneva, Switzerland  
Minimal Maximal, Al-Riwaq Art Space, Manama, Bahrain

2009

XYZ Privacy, Gerrit Rietveld Academie, Amsterdam, The Netherlands  
Born in Georgia, Cobra Museum, Amstelveen, The Netherlands  
Evil in the Church, Oude Kerk, Amsterdam, The Netherlands  
Black & White, New Nacht Gallery, Sugar Factory, Amsterdam, The Netherlands

2007

Tbilisi 4. Every Day is Saturday, Tbilisi, Georgia

## Awards and Grants

2019

Fellowship Villa Aurora, Los Angeles, USA

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2017

Future Generation Art Prize 2017 by PinchukArtCentre, Kiev, Ukraine

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ISCP Residency Program, New York, USA

YARAT Contemporary Art Centre, Residency Program, Baku, Azerbaijan

2015

Arbeitsstipendium / work scholarship, Stiftung Kunstfonds, Bonn, Germany

2014

7th Rubens Promotional Award, Museum für Gegenwartskunst, Siegen, Germany

2013

DAAD Scholarship

2012

BINZ39 Artist Residency, Zurich, Switzerland

## Public Collections

Hamburger Kunsthalle, Hamburg

Museum für Gegenwartskunst, Siegen, Germany

Sammlung zeitgenössischer Kunst der Bundesrepublik Deutschland (The Federal Collection of Contemporary Art), Bonn, Germany

Museum of Contemporary Art Jerusalem, Israel

Kiasma – Museum of Contemporary Art, Helsinki, Finland

IFA Collection, Berlin, Germany

FRAC AUVERGNE, Museum of Contemporary Art Clermont-Ferrand, France

Long Museum, Shanghai, China

He Art Museum, Guangdong, China