

ROSENBAUM

contemporary

JURAJ KOLLÁR

“First of all, what I see is the empty canvas. I surrender myself to it. My sensual perception is assigned to making me perceive the miracle that is to happen. And if there’s some pressure in the canvas, I try to feel my way into it and afterwards to observe, when it comes to life before me. I will not master it, but I must capture it, subdue it. My ‘I’ naturally pervades this picture and I am a part of it. It does not resist me, and gradually the corporality of the painterly resources on the screen grows, ‘til it encloses itself in an organism which I would injure by further intervention. It becomes my competitor. It’s a structure that lives by and of itself, and just as I enter into it, the viewer can do the same.”

~Juraj Kollár

Biographical Information

1981 Born, Slovakia

Education

2003–2005 Academy of Fine Arts; Prague, Czech Republic

1999–2003 Academy of Fine Arts and Design; Bratislava, Slovakia

Selected Solo Exhibitions

- 2020 *Juraj Kollár*, Považska Gallery of Arts; Žilina, Slovakia
Felt, stars, light green twine, maybe blue, silver screws, wire copper tubes...; Stará čistírna odpadních vod v Bubenči; Prague, Czech Republic
Buoy; Zahorian & Van Espen; Bratislava, Slovakia
- 2019 *Time spent*; Galeria 19; Bratislava, Slovakia
- 2018 *Gradual Perception*; Hot Dock Project Space; Bratislava, Slovakia
0105; Zahorian & Van Espen; Prague, Czech Republic
- 2017 *Out-of-Lines*; Zahorian & Van Espen; Bratislava, Slovakia
- 2016 *Living Area*, Stredoslovenská galleria v Banskej Bystrici, Slovakia
Intermittent Signal; Kubik Gallery; Porto, Portugal
- 2015 *Reported Painting*; Ernest Zmetak Art Gallery; Nove Zamky, Slovakia
Lasting Objectivity of Dailiness; Slovak Institute; Rome, Italy

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Selected Solo Exhibitions (continued)

- 2014 *Luxurious Desert under the Sky of Paris*; Zahorian & Van Espen;
Bratislava, Slovakia
Thoughtful; Victoria's Gallery; Paris, France
- 2013 *La presence est le soufflé qui touché la grille*; Victoria's Gallery;
Paris, France
- 2012 *October 30–December 1*; Zahorian & Van Espen; Bratislava,
Slovakia
Bratislava–Paris–Bratislava; French Institut; Bratislava, Slovakia
- 2009 *Infusion*; Slovak Union of Visual Arts; Bratislava, Slovakia
Fundamental Perception; Michal Gallery; Prague, Czech Republic
- 2008 *Ontological Argument*; Třafačka; Prague, Czech Republic
Juraj Kollár; Kressling Gallery; Bratislava, Slovakia
- 2006 *Malerei Juraj Kollár*; Kunstraum B; Kiel, Germany

Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2020 viennacontemporary; represented by Zahorian & Van Espen;
Vienna, Austria
Nultá Generace; Jihlava, Czech Republic
- 2019 viennacontemporary; represented by Zahorian & Van Espen;
Vienna, Austria
Art Cologne; represented by Zahorian & Van Espen; Cologne,
Germany
- 2018 viennacontemporary; represented by Zahorian & Van Espen;
Vienna, Austria
SP-ARTE; represented by Kubik Gallery; São Paulo, Brazil
- 2017 Untitled Art Fair; represented by Kubik Gallery; Miami Beach,
Florida
viennacontemporary; represented by Kubik Gallery; Vienna,
Austria
SCOPE; represented by Zahorian & Van Espen; Basel, Switzerland
SCOPE New York, represented by Zahorian & Van Espen, New York
SP-ARTE; represented by Kubik Gallery; São Paulo, Brazil
- 2016 YIA–Young International Artists #7; represented by Zahorian & Van
Espen; Paris, France
viennacontemporary; represented by Kubik Gallery; Vienna,
Austria

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Selected Group Exhibitions (continued)

- 2016 SCOPE Basel; represented by Zahorian & Van Espen; Basel, Switzerland
YIA–Young International Artists #6; represented by Zahorian & Van Espen; Brussels, Belgium
ARTEFIERA; represented by Zahorian & Van Espen; Bologna, Italy
- 2015 YIA–Young International Artists #5; represented by Zahorian & Van Espen; Paris, France
Reconstructions; Slovak National Gallery; Bratislava, Slovakia
ROMA VERSO EXPO Artisticamente...; Palazzo Vittoriano; Rome, Italy
La Confidentielle du YIA #2; represented by Zahorian & Van Espen; Paris, France
ARTEFIERA; represented by Zahorian & Van Espen; Bologna, Italy
- 2014 7th New Zlín Salon 2014, Regional Gallery of Fine Arts; Zlín, Czech Republic
- 2013 *La Belle Peinture II, Pekná mal'ba II*; Piszatory Palace; Bratislava, Slovakia
J'étais à la maison et j'attendais que la pluie vienne; French Institute; Bratislava, Slovakia
ARTEFIERA; represented by Zahorian & Van Espen; Bologna, Italy
- 2012 *Juraj Kollár–Pavla Sceranková*; House of Arts; Zlín, Czech Republic
- 2011 *Disarming*; Cyprian Majernik Gallery; Bratislava, Czech Republic
Painting after Painting; Slovak National Gallery; Bratislava, Czech Republic
- 2010 *Obrazy a plastiky–Juraj Kollár, Zdeňek Chmelař*; Gallery Lapidarium; Prague, Czech Republic
Collection MB 1930–2010; Cyprian Majernik Gallery; Bratislava, Slovakia
Kollar–Krivosikova–Lacko–Podoba; Kubik Gallery; Porto, Portugal
Young Painting–Collection of Municipal Gallery; Palffy Palace; Bratislava, Slovakia
Malba a její přesahy; Adria Palace; Prague, Czech Republic
- 2009 *Celeste Prize*; Alte AEG Fabrik; Berlin, Germany
Salon of Young Artists; House of Arts; Zlín, Czech Republic

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Awards

- 2010 VUB Painting, first prize; Bratislava, Slovakia
Nomination, Prize of the Critics, Palace Adria; Prague, Czech Republic
- 2009 Celeste Prize, third prize; Berlin, Germany
Igor Kalný Award, Salon of Young Artists; Zlín, Czech Republic
- 2007 Prize of the Critics, first prize; Bratislava, Slovakia

Collections

Slovak National Gallery; Bratislava, Slovakia
National Gallery; Prague, Czech Republic
Bratislava City Gallery; Bratislava, Slovakia
Kysucká galleria v Čadci; Čadca, Slovakia
Krajská galerie výtvarného umění ve Zlíně, Czech Republic
Nitrianska galleria; Nitra, Slovakia
Galéria umenia Ernesta Zmetáka v Nových Zámkoch, Slovakia