



ADA YU

Ada Yu is an artist from Kazakhstan who lives and works in Paris.

EXHIBITIONS:

- 2018 'Metamorphosys' Astana Art Show, TSE Gallery, Astana, Kazakhstan
'Red Pill', CI Laboratoria, Kyrgyz National Museum of Fine Arts, Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan
'Psycheologies' Hotel Particulier 33 rue d'Artois, Paris, France
- 2017 Universal EXPO, National Pavilion of Kazakhstan, Central work: Delirium installation
'Subtle Forms', Iconoclastes Gallery, Paris, France
'52 Days Later' Astana Contemporary Art Center, Astana, Kazakhstan
- 2016 'Dis / possessed' Manifesta 11, Zurich, Switzerland
'Resistance & Persistence' Art in Motion, Sanayeh Garden, Beirut, Lebanon
'Les eux grand ouverts', Outcasts Incorporated Gallery, Paris, France
'Emotions Photographiques', In Gallery) (Between, Paris, France
'Art Technology Movement - MAT # 1' Auction, White-Mantles Auction, Paris, France
'Caravan' International Contemporary Art Festival, David National Gallery Kakabadze, Kutaisi, Georgia
'Did you know Kazakhstan?', Wild Project Gallery, Luxembourg, Luxembourg
- 2015 Artistic Residence, Galerie RX, Paris, France
'Protagonists', Venice Biennial of Contemporary Art, Invisible Pavilion of Kazakhstan



- 2014 Contemporary Art Festival 'Arbat Fest' exhibition 'On Love and Other Teachers' Almaty, Kazakhstan
'Contemporary Art from Istanbul to Kabul', private sale, Sotheby's, London, UK
- 2013 'Viennafair', International Fair of Contemporary Art, Vienna, Austria
'Pentacast', collective photographic exhibition, Lazer Quest Gallery, Paris, France
'ArbatFest' Festival of Contemporary Art, Almaty, Kazakhstan
2011 'Poisk', exhibition of young artists at the initiative of the Goethe Institute, Central Exhibition Hall, Kazakhstan.
Exhibition on photography and eroticism, Center-Asian Center for Art Contemporary, Almaty, Kazakhstan
'The Night of Contemporary Photography', a fair dedicated to contemporary photographers, Paris, France
Personal exhibition 'Lovers' at the Zebra Gallery, Paris, France
- 2010 'Presentation of works by two artists' Galerie Emilie Banwarth, Paris, France
'Futurproof', collective exhibition, Marseille Project Gallery, Marseille, France
- 2009 'Nostalgia', group show, The Bear Gallery, London, UK
'Condensation', group show, The Bodhi Gallery, London, UK
'Stills', exhibition on Central Asian photography, Tengri Umai Gallery, Almaty, Kazakhstan
- 2008 'Pusto', solo exhibition, Tengri Umai Gallery, Almaty, Kazakhstan
Kasteev Museum, collective exhibition of young artists, Almaty, Kazakhstan
'Condensation', collective exhibition, Decima gallery, London, UK



- '10', collective exhibition including the work of art students from the Community Independent States, organized by the Kazakhe Society of London with the support of the Embassy of Kazakhstan and Deloitte Group, Westbourne Studios, London
- 2007 The Others gallery, collective exhibition including the work of young artists, London, UK
- 2006 'All Together', group show, London, UK
- 2005 'Anti-professional', solo exhibition, Almaty city Central Park, Almaty, Kazakhstan
- 'Discover Creativity Inside Yourself', group exhibition, Central Exhibition Hall of KIMEP University, Almaty, Kazakhstan

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2018 Director 'Vertiges' music clip of Natalia Moscow
- 2016 Director 'Guardia de la Noche' music video by Yann Destal
- 2015 Director 'Aligned (s)' short film
Screenwriter for reality show, TV oak '7'
- 2014 Director 'Perepischik' short film
- 2013 Photography Director / Cinematographer / Lighting Engineer / Production Designer / Work with actors:
- 'Love despite everything' short film, by Annabelle Mus, lighting and work with the cast
- 'Shadows', short film, by Sasha Shegay, Production Designer
- Three promotional videos for L'Occitan group, with the Rush & Cut agency, Camera Operator
- 2012 'Surprise Party' advertisement for KIA Motors, Director of Photography, Chief lighting
- 2010-2011 Short film director 'Anna 2' directed by Aliya Grange



- 2009 Logistics, media organization, exhibition 'Kazakh Gold Treasures', driving by the Ministry of Culture of Kazakhstan, London.
- 2008 Co-director of Why Arts, a company bringing together a contemporary art gallery, a photo studio and organizing workshops on photography, London

EDUCATION

- 2008-2009 Master of Fine Arts, Chelsea College of Art and Design, University of the Arts, London
Sotheby's Institute diploma, auction, London
- 2007-2008 ABC Diploma in Photography, London College of Communication, University of Arts, London
Graduate in lithography at London College of Communication, University of Arts, London
- 2006-2007 Bachelor of Photography, London College of Communication, University of the Arts, London
- 2005-2006 Preparatory Media Studies, London College of Communication, University of the Arts, London

PUBLICATIONS

- 2018 Astana Times, Harper's Bazaar, Esquire
- 2017 Harper's Bazar
- 2016 Monographic book 'Ada Yu', author Francisca Miranda Arenas, Editions Théodora
'Brief encounter - lasting symptoms', book photographs, text by Ada Yu and Francisca Miranda Arenas, OneStarPress editions, Paris, France
Le Figaro, Buro 24/7, Look.tm, Luxrmburger Wort, Art Radar
- 2015 Artpress, Aluan, look.tm, Buro 24/7



- 2014 Sotheby's catalog, Official Art, Harper's Bazaar, Buro 24/7, Tengri News, Kapital KZ
- 2013 Buro 24/7, society.at, Kapital KZ
- 2011 Gaze, POSI + TIVE magazine
- 2008 Magazines: Harper's Bazaar, WestEast Magazine, Esquire Magazine, BoBo's, Time Out, Afisha, Soblazni, Za Delo!
Newspapers: Vremya, Biznes I Vlast, Ekspert Kazakhstana, Express K, Liter, AiF, Karavan, NP, Za Delo!
- 2007 BoBo's Magazine

TV APPEARANCES

- 2015 Khabar
- 2014 MIR, "NTK" National Channel
- 2013 Khabar
- 2008 "NTK", Kazakhstan 1, Almaty, Khabar, KTK