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## **Grants and Scholarships:**

2023 /	- Bildende Kunst – Recherchestipendium - Berlin Senate Department for Culture and Europe   DE
2023 /	<ul> <li>Twisted Lullabies – traveling research residency   RS / RO / MD</li> <li>Co-funded by EUNIC/Goethe Institut and AFCN, powered by MATCA Artspace</li> </ul>
2022 /	- Sounds Like a Book - residency in the village of Şona   Braşov, RO
2022 /	- NEUSTART KULTUR - Grant for freelance visual artists from Stiftung Kunstfonds   DE
2022 /	- Scholarship for Cultural Exchange Berlin Global - Berlin Senate Department for Culture and Europe   DE
2022 /	- Cultural exchange stipend @ depo/Anadolu Kültür   Istanbul, TR Offered by Berlin Senate Department for Culture and Europe
2021 /	- Studio grant through the Program of BBK Berlin   DE
2020 /	- Kulturprojekte Berlin stipend   DE
2019 /	- Residency at Cité Internationale des Arts   Paris, FR Residency offered by Cité Internationale des Arts
2019 /	- Constantin Brâncuși Scholarship offered - Romanian Cultural Institute Residency at Cité Internationale des Arts   Paris, FR
2017 /	- Galeria Plan B   Berlin, DE Internship through <i>Erasmus</i> + <i>Student Mobility of Placement</i> program

#### **Education:**

2015 / 2016 - Hochschule der Bildenden Künste Saar, Saarbrücken, Germany

Fine Arts Studies

Erasmus + Student Mobility for Studies under Prof. Georg Winter [Anarchistic Art Activities]

2014 / 2016 - National University of Arts Bucharest, Romania

Faculty of Fine Arts

Profile of master studies: Visual Arts

Specialty: Creative Techniques and Strategies in Sculpture

Master's degree under Conf. univ. dr. Aurel Vlad

2011 / 2014 - National University of Arts Bucharest, Romania

Faculty of History and Theory of Art

Bachelor's degree under Prof. univ. dr. Adrian Guța

#### Solo / Duo exhibitions:

June 2024: Upcoming ...

Exhibition @ Goethe-Institut | Sofia, BG

May 2024: Upcoming ...

Exhibition @ Galeria Posibilă | Bucharest, RO

February 2024: Zece de Spade (Ten of Spades)

Exhibition @ Atelier35 | Bucharest, RO

November 2023: 30 de ani de Optimism (Project in cooperation with Lisa Marie Schmitt)

Exhibition @ ROAM projects | Berlin, DE

June 2022: 30 de ani de Optimism (Project in cooperation with Lisa Marie Schmitt)

Month-long online screening & interview @ KIOSK | Ghent, BE

January 2022: Eidos or when idea takes form

Solo exhibition @ HangarF Gallery | Alba Iulia, RO

December 2021: 30 de ani de optimism (Project in cooperation with Lisa Marie Schmitt)

Exhibition @ MATCA Art Space | Cluj-Napoca, RO

September 2019: Pluie (Rain)

Solo show @ Institut Culturel Roumain | Paris, FR

May 2019: <u>Searches</u>

Open studio @ Cité Internationale des Arts | Paris, FR

### Selected group exhibitions & projects:

Nov. 2023: Twisted Lullabies (2<sup>nd</sup> edition)

Exhibition @ MATKA in Action / Malmaison | Cluj-Napoca, RO

Oct. 2023: Twisted Lullabies (1st edition)

Exhibition @ MATKA in Action / Malmaison | Bucharest, RO

Dec. 2022: Nostalgic Throwbacks

Double Exhibition @ MATCA artspace & Cazul101 | Cluj Napoca & Bucharest, RO

Nov. 2022: Sounds Like a Book: Threads

Exhibition @ Galeria Posibilă | Bucharest, RO

Artists play with time. Windows of future memories Exhibition @ Diptych Art Space | Bucharest, RO

June 2022: Gimnastică în Productie [Gymnastics in Production]

Exhibition @ Curtea Artspace | Bucharest, RO

April 2022: Zeitraum für Zweifel

Exhibition @ Top e.V. | Berlin, DE

March 2022: Spekulative Nomaden @ Weltkulturerbe Völklinger Hütte | Völklingen, DE

February 2022: <u>Leaving the Nest</u>

Exhibition @ The Cosmic House Gallery | Cluj-Napoca, RO

December 2021: verGEBENS

Exhibition @ Xpon-art Gallery | Hamburg, DE

Oct. 21 / Mar. 22: Young Artist Connections 21

Exhibition @ The National Museum of Contemporary Art | Bucharest, RO

July 2021: Show off 4

Exhibition @ MATCA Art Space | Cluj-Napoca, RO

June 2021: Raus.Project Vol.10 - Liebe Arbeit Kino

Raus.Project @ Kino Krokodil | Berlin, DE

September 2020: Show off 3 @ Cecălaca

Exhibition organized by MATCA Art Space | Cultural Center, Cecălaca, RO

September 2019: A coin I found

Group open studio @ Cité Internationale des Arts | Paris, FR

Salon des Refusés

Group open studio @ Cité Internationale des Arts | Paris, FR

Festival Les Traversées du Marais

August 2019: Show off 2

Exhibition @ MATCA Art Space | Cluj-Napoca, RO

May / June 2018: Viewmasters - Landscapes: Dolers

Landscape art intervention project (residency & exhibition) @ Stedelijke Musea | Dendermonde, BE

October 2017: You can only be free

Exhibition @ Brass'Art Digitaal Café, Reports from badlands project | Brussels, BE

September 2017: Shared Sight International Short Film Festival: 1st edition

Video art & short film festival @ Cluj-Napoca, RO

June / July 2017: Le seuil

Exhibition @ CEAAC | Strasbourg, FR

March 2017: Carpathian Downhill

Exhibition @ Galerie der HBK Saar | Saarbrücken, DE

December 2016: Taming the Fox

Exhibition @ MATCA Art Space | Cluj-Napoca, RO

December 2016: Carpathian Downhill - How to make a cave nowadays

Exhibition @ Museum of Art Cluj / Galeria Şoimii Patriei | Cluj-Napoca, RO

January 2016: HdK

Exhibition @ Hellwighaus der Künste | Saarbrücken, DE