



Project: Post Humanism

Organisers: V-Art Gallery Moscow, Nasui Private Collection&Gallery Bucharest Artists: Francisc Chiuariu, Ana Maria Micu, Catalin Petrisor, Bogdan Rata

Curator: Cosmin Nasui

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Location: V-Art Gallery, Moscow
Address: Moscow, Dmitrovsky lane., 7

In recent times more and more people become interested in contemporary art of Eastern Europe. And it is quite understandable. Not so long ago there were lots of important things that changed political regime in these countries, which gave to their artists breath of fresh air: they are open to all new and not afraid to experiment, not hanging on dogmas. The exhibition "Post Humanism" held by V-Art Gallery Moscow in partnership with Nasui Private Collection&Gallery represents three Romanian artists: Catalin Petrisor, Bogdan Rata, Ana Maria Micu and Francisc Chiuariu, who represent a nontrivial view of contemporary art.

The ultra-fast technological leaps lead to events almost impossible to imagine for the *homo sapiens* species. The development of the mass-access technologies eliminating aging and extensively growing the intellectual, physical and psychological human capacities are now possible and desirable.

The artificial intelligence is capable of auto-improvement and surpasses the capacity of human brain. The exponential rhythm of growth of the computing speed generated by this type of intelligence changes the structure of the Universe, a universe until now registering only a linear singular evolution.

This exponential evolution leads to almost immortal human beings and to high levels of super intelligence rapidly spreading through the entire Universe. The fusion between biological and non-biological intelligences, soft technology and social media, accelerates the transformations of human species and thus the unpredicted changes of humanity values of and human condition.

In contemporary art, the transition from post industrial to informational era is approached unexpectedly by four Romanian artists, Francisc Chiuariu, Catalin Petrisor, Bogdan Rata, Ana Maria Micu. The subject of this general human transition is familiar to the East European space because it starts from the experience of recent histories. Their art works present different aspects of different realities of a post political, post genetic, post nuclear, post crisis, post oil world, a world which has crossed these stages heading to miraculous virtual realities. The exhibitional project "Post Humanism" presents a humanity now becoming aware of the new possibilities of its nature, while artificial intelligence becomes aware of itself.

The artists Francisc Chiuariu, Ana Maria Micu, Catalin Petrisor, Bogdan Rata have participated in the 4th Moscow Biennale, Special Projects section, within the Romanian project "Colouring the Grey. Second wave of Romanian contemporary emerging artists".

V-Art Gallery from Moscow, Russian Federation offers a full range of services to those who love and collect contemporary art, by helping to the creation of personal collections, including selection, consulting, and logistics. The Gallery propagates and distributes high-quality art and make it accessible.

Nasui Private Collection&Gallery from Bucharest, Romania is an exhibit private space showcasting the finest premium works of Romanian contemporary artists. Portfolio of artists includes Radu Belcin, Dragos Burlacu, Francisc Chiuariu, Maxim Dumitras, Ana Maria Micu, Catalin Petrisor, Flavia Pitis, Bogdan Rata, Aurel Tar. The techniques include painting, sculpture, installation, and object. Soon, photography and video sections.

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