

Ö K T E M A Y K U T

CV

Murat Yıldız Istanbul (1984, Turkey)

Education

2019 MA in Fine Art, St. Joost Master Institute of Visual Cultures, 's-Hertogenbosch / Netherlands

2012 BFA in Combined Art, Yıldız Technical University Faculty of Art and Design, Istanbul / Turkey

Artist Residencies

2023 /Upcoming/ Platform Living Room Artist Residency, Rotterdam-Netherlands (March-1 week residency)

2019 Lähde!, Artist in Community program, KulttuuriKauppila, Ii-Finland (October / November)

2019 Het Vijfde Seizoen, Den Dolder-Netherlands (January / March)

2016 KulttuuriKauppila, Ii-Finland (October / December)

Artist Collective and Collaborations

2019 Dream News (in collaboration with Defne Tesal)

2017 HAH Kolektif (Ahu Akgün, Gizem Karakaş, Ayça Telgeren, Defne Tesal and Murat Yıldız)

2018-19 Admit One (Alireza Abbasy, Elena Chemerska, Annemée Dik, Raffaella Huizinga, Donglai Meng, Simon Oosterhuis, Defne Tesal, Angela Vidić and Murat Yıldız)

Awards, Grants, Scholarships

2019 Jump, Talent development project, supported by Province North Brabant / Netherlands

2017 Holland Scholarship for Master's in fine arts education, Dutch Ministry of Education, Culture and Science, Netherlands

2012 Ifsak Short Film Festival, Best Animation Award for Traiter Wolf short film, Istanbul / Turkey

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Exhibitions

2022 Art Weeks Akaretler, group exhibition, Oktem Aykut, Istanbul/Turkey (November) 2022 Art Weeks Akaretler, group exhibition participating as Dream News at Vision Art Platform, Istanbul/Turkey (November)

2022 17th. Contemporary İstanbul, Oktem Aykut, Group Exhibition (17-22 September) 2022 'Water is a sandpaper, You are my eye' *Solo* Exhibition, at Oktem Aykut Istanbul/Turkey (28 May x 2July)

2022 Contemporary İstanbul Bloom, Oktem Aykut, Group Exhibition

2021 'Ambiguous' in Vision Art Platform, Group exhibition curated by Derya Yücel, Istanbul / Turkey (4 Nov x 24 Dec 2021)

2021 'From Seeing to Acting' Group exhibition curated by Dutch Art Collective Radical Reversibility in Looiersgracht 60, Amsterdam / Netherlands (15 Sep x 3 Oct 21)

2021 Kunstrai Amsterdam, Galerie Mieke Van Schaijk-Jump, Amsterdam / Netherlands

2020 Jump, Group Exhibition, Museum Jan Cunen, Oss / Netherlands

2020 HAHreading- random reading performance at Radio Modyan with Ayşe İdil, Istanbul-Turkey, participated as HAH Kolektif

2019 16th Istanbul Biennial: The Seventh Continent - 'Digestion Programme / Processor', as HAH Kolektif

2019 Werkwarenhuis, Group Exhibition, APPÈL Galleries, 's-Hertogenbosch / Netherlands

2019 Jump, Group Exhibition Kunstpodium T, Tilburg / Netherlands

2018 'What Do We Dance For?' Group Exhibition Gallery Nectar, Tbilisi / Georgia 2018 'Transition', Group Exhibition at Eye Research Lab, Eye Museum, Amsterdam / Netherlands

2018 'There is another possibility: Open space and artist collectives' exhibition at Kasa Gallery, Istanbul-Turkey, participated as HAH Kolektif

2017 'Maybe, we will benefit from our neighbour's good fortune exhibition' curated by Işıl Eğrikavuk at Halka Art Project, Group Exhibition, Istanbul / Turkey, participated as HAH Kolektif

2017 'Vesile' (Occasion) Group Exhibition by HAH Kolektif members together with guest artists Etem Sahin, Selim Birsnel and Lara Ogel at HAHmekan, Istanbul / Turkey 2017 5th. The Rijswijk Textile Biennial, Group Exhibition, Museum Rijswijk, Den Haag/Netherlands

2016 'Keeping the Trace', KulttuuriKauppila, Duo Exhibition with Defne Tesal, li / Finland

2016 'Are we happy?' Group Exhibition, Galeri 5, Istanbul / Turkey

2015 'Teneffus', Group Exhibition, Galeri 5, Istanbul / Turkey

2010 'Ambiguous Situations', Group Exhibition, Yüksel Sabancı Art Center, Istanbul / Turkey

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Performances

2021 Non-eye centric drawing performance as a part of 'From Seeing to Acting' group exhibition curated by Radical Reversibility in Looiersgracht 60 (performing everyday from 12pm till 6pm between 15 Sep-24 Sep) Amsterdam / Netherlands.

Publications

2022 Dream News / بدايات جديدة - Yeni Başlangıçlar - New Beginings in collaboration with Kamer Foundation, issue 5 (16 pages A3 collaborative newspaper, 1000 copy) Mardin / Turkey

2021 Dream News / Ambiguous, issue 4, (12 pages A3 collaborative newspaper, 250 copy) Vision Art Platform, Istanbul / Turkey

2021 Dream News / Chains, issue 3, (28 pages A3 collaborative newspaper, 300 copy), Istanbul / Turkey

2020 Dream News / Hayal Gazetesi, issue 2, (12 pages A3 collaborative newspaper, 500 copy), Çanakkale - Turkey

2019 Dream News / Unelma Uutiset, Issue 1, (24 pages A3 collaborative newspaper, 1000 copy), li / Finland

2018 HAHcalendar, calendar publication of HAH collective, Art Unlimited publication 2014 Amaçsız Çocuk (Aimless Boy), 180 pages, semi-autobiographical fiction, self-publication

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Workshops

2019 1h 34' 07'' workshop to Akv St. Joost Bachelors Fine Art, 's-Hertogenbosch / Netherlands (in collaboration with Ying Liu, Defne Tesal)

2019 Making Traces and Spaces, St. Joost Master Institute of Visual Cultures, 's-Hertogenbosch / Netherlands (in collaboration with Eric Patel)

2018 Decentralization as a Form of Resistance, Studium Generale, St. Joost MIVC, Breda / Netherlands (in collaboration with Eric Patel)

2018 Individuals in Collective Practices, St. Joost Bachelors Fine Art, 's-Hertogenbosch / Netherlands (in collaboration with Ektor Ntourakos)

2016 Random Creation Project, Iin Lukio, Ii / Finland (in collaboration with Defne Tesal)

Artist Talks-Presentations

2019 Research Presentation, V2_, Lab for the Unstable Media, Rotterdam / Netherlands

2017 Being part of a Collective, As part of "Kuşla Göz Arasında" exhibition, Depo, Istanbul / Türkiye

2014 Artist Talk, Text Analysis, Yeditepe University, Istanbul / Turkey

Short films

2011 Hain Kurt (Traitor Wolf), Stop Motion Animation (in collaboration with Defne Tesal)

Screenings for Hain Kurt

2012 Ifsak 32. Film Festival, National Short Film and Documentary Competition, Experimental Category, Finalist

2012 Akbank 8. Short Film Festival, Short Animation Category

2011 Malatya 2. International Film Festival, National Short Film Competition, Finalist

2011 International 48. Antalya Golden Orange Film Festival, Special Screening Istanbul 7. Animation Festival, Short Film Competition, Finalist