

CHRISTINE PARK GALLERY

VANGELIS PLIARIDES

Born in 1964 in Thessaloniki, Greece, he graduated from the Aristotle University, School of Fine Arts in Thessaloniki in 1989. He finished his studies in London at the Royal College of Art by obtaining a Post Experience Diploma (PED) in Painting (1992) and a Master of Fine Arts in Painting (1994). Received awards and fellowships from the British Council, the Fulbright Foundation and the RTZ plc, his artworks are included in various public collections such as Astra Zeneca (Sweden), Alfa Laval (Sweden), Scania (Sweden) Södertälje Konsthall (Sweden), Union of Swedish Artists (Sweden), Royal College of Art (UK), British Council (UK), Fulbright Foundation in Greece, Frissiras Museum (Greece), Foundation Sana-Huja (Spain), and Musée d'art moderne et contemporain (MAMCO) (Switzerland). In 2003 he became Associate Professor at the Aristotle University, School of Fine Arts in Thessaloniki. He lives and works in Thessaloniki and London.

SOLO EXHIBITIONS & ART FAIRS

- 2014 Vangelis Pliarides, Christine Park Gallery, London, UK
Recent Paintings, Thanassis Frissiras Gallery, Athens, Greece
- 2012 Café Bar: The last days of your life, Donopoulos Fine Arts, Thessaloniki, Greece
- 2009 Thanassis Frissiras Gallery, Athens, Greece
- 2007 Sani Festival, Tsatsis Projects- Artforum, Chalkidiki, Greece
- 2006 Same same but different, Thanassis Frissiras Gallery, Athens, Greece
- 2005 Tsatsis Projects, Thessaloniki, Greece
Love Dreams, MCO Arte Contemporanea, Porto, Portugal
- 2004 ARCO (Tsatsis Projects), Madrid, Spain
Art Athina (Tsatsis Projects), Athens, Greece
Andre Zarre Gallery, New York, USA
Artforum Berlin (Tsatsis Projects), Berlin, Germany
Diaspro Art Center, Nicosia, Cyprus
- 2002 Galerie Pohlhammer, Steyr, Austria
Rocket Shop, Berlin, Germany
Statement Gallery, Athens, Greece
- 2001 Artforum, Thessaloniki, Greece
- 2000 Galerie Pohlhammer, Steyr, Austria
- 1999 Gallery Foka, Thessaloniki, Greece
- 1998 Artforum, Thessaloniki, Greece
- 1996 Strand Galeri, Södertälje, Sweden
- 1989 Strand Galeri, Södertälje, Sweden

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2014 *Art Project 35×35*, Copelouzos Family Art Museum, Athens, Greece
Painting III, Fryssiras Museum, Athens, Greece
- 2012 *Art-Athina*, Donopoulos International Fine Arts, Athens, Greece
- 2011 *Art-Athina*, Donopoulos International Fine Arts, Athens, Greece
Works on Paper, Donopoulos International Fine Arts, Thessaloniki, Greece
Art Supports Education, Fulbright Foundation Alumni, Benaki Museum, Athens, Greece
Summer Show, Thanassis Frissiras Gallery, Athens, Greece
Alumni of Aristotle School of Fine Arts- Archive, Collection of G. Melikis, Imathia, Greece
Art Supports Education, Fulbright Foundation Alumni, Hotel Excelsior, Thessaloniki, Greece
Espacio Atlantico, MCO Contemporanea, Vigo, Spain
- 2010 G. Kittis Collection, Vafopoulou Cultural Centre, Thessaloniki, Greece
G. Kittis Collection, Teloglion Foundation of Art, Thessaloniki, Greece
Naked Truth, Frissiras Museum, Athens, Greece
Artists of the Gallery, Thanassis Frissiras Gallery, Athens, Greece
Art-Athina (Tsatsis Projects) Athens, Greece
- 2009 *Red or white. The Olymbios Collection*, Macedonian Museum of Contemporary Art, Thessaloniki, Greece
Domesticos e Selvagens, MCO Arte Contemporanea, Porto, Portugal
- 2008 *Uma Viagem Um destino*, MCO Arte Contemporanea, Porto, Portugal
Nothing of North Unknown (Curated by Laura Schleussner), Galerie Alexandra Saheb, Berlin, Germany
Paper Works, Tsatsis Projects, Thessaloniki, Greece
Art-Athina (Thanassis Frissiras Gallery), Athens, Greece
Summer exhibition, Donopoulos Fine Arts, Thessaloniki, Greece
Works on Paper, Donopoulos Fine Arts, Thessaloniki, Greece
Aquarella, MCO Arte Contemporanea, Porto, Portugal
- 2007 *Between earth and sky*, Tsatsis Projects-Artforum, Thessaloniki, Greece
Eclectic affinities between European artists, Frissiras Museum, Athens, Greece
Art-Athina (Tsatsis Projects), Athens, Greece
Docks Art Fair, (MCO Arte Contemporanea), Lyon, France
Art Lisbon, (MCO Arte Contemporanea), Lisbon, Portugal
Crossing the borders, State Museum of Contemporary Art, Thessaloniki, Greece
- 2006 *Reon Idor*, Teloglion Foundation of Art, Thessaloniki, Greece
Art Lisbon, (MCO Arte Contemporanea), Lisbon, Portugal
Art Shanghai, (Tsatsis Projects), Shanghai, China
Art Salamanca, (MCO Arte Contemporanea), Salamanca, Spain
Art-Athina (Tsatsis Projects), Athens, Greece
- 2005 *Fresh Ground*, Thanassis Frissiras Gallery, Athens, Greece
Pintado De Fresco, MCO Arte Contemporanea, Porto, Portugal
The Estranged Human Figure: Collection, Frissiras Museum, Frissia Museum, Spanbroek, the Netherlands

- 2004 *In our image, after our likeness*, Frissiras Museum, Athens, Greece
Group Show, Tsatsis Projects, Thessaloniki, Greece
- 2003 *Northwest Passages*, Trikala, Greece
Art-Athina (Artforum Gallery), Athens, Greece
Open-End Berlin, Tsatsis Projects, Thessaloniki, Greece
Anthropogeography, Frissiras Museum, Athens, Greece
Open Studios, State Museum of Contemporary Art, Thessaloniki, Greece
European Painting Award, Frissiras Museum, Athens, Greece
- 2002 *Review-Preview*, Statement Gallery, Epidauros, Greece
Diamantides Collection, Municipal Gallery, Thessaloniki, Greece
New Acquisitions, Frissiras Museum, Athens, Greece
- 2001 *Arte-Fiera*, Galerie Pohlhammer, Bologna, Italy
- 2000 *Blue Chips*, Gallery Foka, Thessaloniki, Greece
Art-Athina (Gallery Foka), Athens, Greece
- 1999 *Art-Athina* (Gallery Foka), Athens, Greece
- 1998 *There is something odd about painting*, Galerie Christine König & Franziska Lettner, Vienna, Austria
- 1996 *Sani Festival*, Sani, Chalkidiki, Greece
Just Painting, Artforum Gallery, Thessaloniki, Greece
- 1995 Aberystwyth Arts Centre, Aberystwyth, UK
 Cartwright Hall, Bradford, UK
I 9 John Moores Liverpool Exhibition, Walker Art Gallery, Liverpool, UK
- 1994 *A Question of Drawing*, Atlantis Gallery, London, UK
BT New Contemporaries, London, UK
 Camden Art Center, London, UK
 Cornerhouse, Manchester, UK
 Arnolfini Gallery, Bristol, UK
 Fruitmarket Gallery, Edinburgh, UK
- 1993 *A New Generation of Painters*, Henry Moore Gallery RCA, London, UK
 The Greek Pavilion at the BMC, Cultural Center of Athens, Athens, Greece
- 1990 *Biennale of Young Artists of Mediterranean Countries*, Marseille, France

AWARDS

- 2003 Painting Award Commendation, Frissiras Museum, Athens, Greece
- 2000-2001 Fulbright Grant (New York residency)
- 1993 RTZ plc Bursary
- 1991 British Council Fellowship and Award
- 1988 K. Velides Award