

Ilya Kreydun

Biography

Born in the city of Saint Petersburg 08.12.1992, he has been painting since the age of 12.

2010 - graduated from the State Academic Artistic Lyceum of Ioganson, Russia.

2017 - graduated with honors from the St. Petersburg's State Academic Institute of Painting, Sculpture and Architecture of Ilya Repin, faculty of Monumental Painting. He studied in the studio of monumental painting under the direction of A. Mylnikov (now under the direction of professor A. Bystrov).

Artwork

Many works are owned by the art fund of St. Petersburg's State Academic Institute of Ilya Repin and by the fund of the State Academic Artistic Lyceum of Ioganson. Also works are held in private collections in USA, China, Egypt, Israel, Greece, Germany, Finland, Spain, Peru, Russia, Ukraine, Kazakhstan.

Ilya's art is pervaded by the sense of a game characteristic of the postmodernism era. He clothes the unconscious sense of the idea into a certain image, a form that goes beyond the framework of classical art. The image emerges from the two-dimensional space of the canvas entering discourse with the viewer, involving the latter it in the process of creating an ideological interpretation of the work. The author gives him the opportunity to choose the ways of reading the semantic codes laid down in the picture, changing the role in this game, from the recipient of art, to the creator of his own world, even within the framework of one work.

"For me, the main point in art is to involve the viewer in my game, and not just to reflect into self-knowledge. In my artworks I play with the viewer "hide and seek", for me there is nothing more important than the interactive participation of the viewer in the "pre-creation" of the visible image. This helps me to develop a system of coordinates and associations, which are a multi-faceted key to understanding the deep meaning of my works. In the artwork one wants to be the discoverer, stepping on the white snow."

Awards:

- From 2007 to 2010 winner for the best sketch, State Academic Artistic Lyceum of Ioganson, Russia.
- 2008 - Winner of the third prize, XII International Painting Competition of Ilya Repin, Russia.
- 2008 - Winner of the international youth competition "Constellation of Talents", Russia.
- 2009 - Winner (second prize) of the 5th regional open competition of youth creativity of St. Petersburg and Leningrad region "Russia is My Home, My Life."
- 2010 - Awarded the medal by the Russian Academy of Arts "For academic success".

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Calm, 2017
Size: 70x50 cm
Medium: Oil on canvas



Penelope, 2013
Size: 32x47 cm
Medium: Tempera,
coal on woodboard



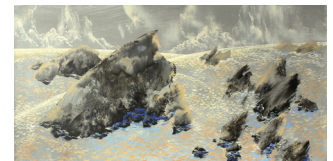
Coast, 2014
Size: 59x80 cm
Medium: Oil on canvas



The Doom of Pompeii, 2014
Size: 92x100 cm
Medium: Oil on canvas



Migration, 2017
Size: 55x110 cm
Medium: Oil on canvas



Shining, 2015
Size: 50x100 cm
Medium: Oil on canvas



Cliff, 2017
Size: 40x34 cm
Medium: Tempera,
acrylic on cardboard



Waves, 2016
Size: 50x45 cm
Medium: Oil on canvas



Concealment, 2017
Size: 33x38 cm
Medium: Tempera, pastel,
collage on cardboard

- 2010 - Awarded with the scholarship of the General Director of the St. Petersburg artistic paints plant "Nevskaya Palitra".
- 2012 - Winner in the nomination "Public Recognition" in the VII contest of students and postgraduates "March winners 1812-2012" awarded by Igor Minakov.
- 2014 - Winner (first prize) in the contest of Academic drawing "A Portrait" for best picture in the first contest of drawing "Academy of Arts. Practicum".
- 2015 - Winner of the best academic drawing. Awarded the medal of the Russian Academy of Arts.
- 2016 - Winner of all-Russian contest "Star of Luck" 10th and 11th season, where it was awarded participation in the prize exhibition in the State Russian Museum.

Group exhibitions:

- 2011 - Exhibition "First Impression" summer work of students of the first course of the Institute of Painting, Sculpture and Architecture of Ilya Repin.
- 2011 - Art festival "Peter. Smelt. Always.", Erarta Museum of Contemporary Art, St. Petersburg.
- 2012 - Exhibition "Such a Mayakovsky" in the space MOD, Saint Petersburg.
- 2013 - Exhibition "World Biennale", St. Petersburg.
- 2014 - Exhibition of painting and graphics at "Kazan 6", Saint – Petersburg.
- 2014 - Exhibition of the academic year of plein air painting at the Titian's hall of the Museum of the Russian Academy of Arts, St. Petersburg.
- In 2014 - 2015 participated in exhibitions of academic drawing and painting in China.
- 2015 - Exhibition "Faces Of Victory", Art Muse, St. Petersburg.
- 2016 - Exhibition and master - class "Image and Imagination".
- 2016 - Chengdu, China.
- 2016 - Exhibition "1935 Mei Langfang Arts Exhibition" in Beijing, China.
- 2017 - Exhibition "Youth of Petersburg" and "Victory" in the Union of Artists of St. Petersburg.
- 2017 - Exhibition "New Faces" in the gallery of the Art League. St. Petersburg.
- 2017 - Exhibition "Go Beyond, Preserving Traditions", Art Muse.

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