

Nikolay Koshelev

Born 1987 in Moscow. Having studied the monumental arts at the Moscow Academy, which included rigorous training in Russian and Italian techniques of fresco, mosaic and large-scale sculpture, history lies at the foundation of Koshelev's practice. These traditional foundations, however, converge with Nikolay's later MFA training at the New York Academy of Art and erstwhile life as graffiti artist on the streets of Moscow, creating a singular approach to world-building within a contemporary lens. Solo exhibitions include The State Tretyakov Gallery, Moscow; Bahnhof Gallery, New York, NY (online); Lazy Mike Gallery, New York; and Triumph Gallery, Moscow, Russia. Koshelev's work has been featured in group exhibitions including Marie Von Papen Gallery, London; Lazy Mike Gallery, Moscow; New York Academy of Art, New York; and Bleecker Street Arts Club, New York.

Education

2014

MFA, New York Academy of Art

2010

MA, The School of Monumental Decorative Painting Moscow
Stroganov State Academy

2004

Moscow Academic Art Lyceum at Surikov Art Academy, specialization
painting

Solo exhibitions

2021

The Moon Pool. Archive, The State Tretyakov Gallery, Moscow,
Russia

2021

Artefacts, Bahnhof Gallery, New York, NY (online)

2019

Project 9, Aeste Cambi, Milan, Italy

2017

Cleaning, Lazy Mike Gallery, New York, NY

2015

26, Triumph Gallery, Moscow, Russia

Group Exhibitions, Auctions and Art Fairs

2019

New Now, Phillips Auction House, London, UK
Vladivostok Book , ДИНАМИКА ENTERPRISE, Moscow, Russia
S1, Art Residency, Beirut, Lebanon

2018

Windsor Park Hall, Marie Von Papen Gallery, London, UK
Vladivostok, ДИНАМИКА ENTERPRISE, Moscow, Russia
Off White, Charity Auction in Benefit of Cosmospow Foundation for
Contemporary Art, Phillips Auction House, Moscow, Russia
Open House, Leo Kuelbs Collection, Brooklyn, NY
New Now, Phillips Auction House, New York, NY
Art Los Angeles Contemporary 2019, The Barker Hangar, Santa
Monica CA

2017

Cosmospow Art Fair, Lazy Mike Gallery, Moscow, Russia
Eis am Stiel, Marie von Papen Gallery, Berlin, Germany
Pop-up, Marie von Papen Gallery, Copenhagen, Denmark

2016

Der gestiefelte Kater, Marie von Papen, Brooklyn, New York

2015

Deck the Walls, New York Academy of Art, New York, NY
Take Home A Nude, Sotheby's, New York, NY

2014

Deck the Walls, New York Academy of Art, New York, NY
The Fabergé Big Egg Hunt Sotheby's, New York
Tribeca Ball, New York Academy
of Art, New York, NY
MFA Thesis Exhibition (Master Fellowship Award), New York
Academy of Art,
New York, NY

2013

The Franklin Project, Bleecker Street Arts Club, New York, NY