

Ana Bilankov is visual artist, born in Zagreb, since 2000 lives and works in Berlin. Her conceptual and contextual practice in the media photography, video/experimental film, installation and text examines themes of poetics / politics of dislocation, migration, nomadism, individual and collective memory and construction of identity within „in-between-ness“.

She studied Art History and German Language and Literature at the Universities of Zagreb and Mainz; Art Photography at Wiesbaden School of Fine Arts and postgraduate studies program “Fine Art in Context “at the University of the Arts Berlin (M.A.) and the University of the West of England, Bristol, UK.

She won several grants from Berlin Senate for Culture and Europe and was many times an artist in residence in different European cities and in the USA, e.g. Residency Unlimited and Pioneer Works, New York, Wexner Center for the Arts, Columbus, Ohio, USA; Moscow House of Photography; Q21_MuseumsQuartier, Vienna. 2022 she got project fellowship from Stiftung Kunstfond Bonn / Neustart Kultur.

Bilankov's works have been shown internationally in art venues like Gallery New York Media Center and projection on Manhattan Bridge, New York / Sinema Transtopia in Haus der Statistik, Berlin / Museum of Contemporary Art, Zagreb / Institut for Contemporary Art, Zagreb / Galerie Loris, Berlin / National Museum Gdansk, Poland / Photon Gallery, Ljubljana / Dazibao Centre de Photographies Actuelles, Montreal / Kino Arsenal, Berlin / Collegium Hungaricum, Berlin / Collegio Armeno, Venice / Museum of Modern and Contemporary Art, Rijeka / 1st Moscow Biennale, Museum of Modern Art, Moscow / Gallery Nova_WHW, Zagreb.

She participated in international film & video festivals like 69. International Short Film Festival Oberhausen / 29th International Short Film Week Regensburg / 29. Kassel Documentary Film and Video Festival / South East European Film Festival #2, Berlin / 25. Days of Croatian Film, Zagreb / Video in Progress 5, Ljubljana / 25 FPS – International Experimental Film and Video Festival, Zagreb.

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