# NATALYA RADUENZ

# **METAMODERNISM ARTIST**



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#### BIO

Natalya Radünz (b. 1980, Ukraine) is a metamodern artist and iconographer based in Germany. Active since 2012, she studied Contemporary Art at the Sotheby's Institute of Art in London and holds degrees in engineering, an MBA, and a Harvard certification in strategy. Her practice merges traditional and modern techniques, exploring themes of transformation, spirituality, and cultural transition.

Influenced by Orthodox symbolism and philosophical concepts, Radünz works in oil, tempera, and mixed media. Her current series, Before the First Light and The Echoes of Infinity, investigate resonance as a space of truth beyond opposites.

Her works have been shown internationally — including museums and galleries in Italy, France, Germany, Greece, Serbia, Russia, USA — and are held in private collections across Europe. She has received over a dozen awards in painting and iconography.

## **EDUCATION**

2025 - Sotheby's Institute of Art, London, UK - Art Now - Contemporary Art since 1990

2024 - Harvard Business School, Boston, USA - Strategy Execution

2020-2022 – **Niederrhein University of Applied Sciences, Moenchengladbach, Germany** - Master of Business Administration (MBA) in General Management

2009 – **Rheinische Fachhochschule Köln (RFH),** Cologne, Germany - **Scholarship holder** in Laser Technology

2000-2005 - Kharkiv National University of Radio Electronics, NURE, Kharkiv, Ukraine - (B.Eng)

## **ADDITIONAL EDUCATION**

2025-2026 – Private study in academic drawing and painting under Dasha Belokrylova, principal instructor at the **Florence Academy of Art, Florence, Italy** 

2024-2026 – Benedictine Abbey Niederaltaich, Germany - Icon painting course

2025 - Gerleve Abbey, Billerbeck, Germany - Icon painting course

2024 - Icon Museum & EIKON e.V., Recklinghausen, Germany - Icon painting course

2024 - Studio Icona, Munich, Germany - Intensive Icon Painting course

2024-2025 - KUNSTTANKER Atelierhaus, Leipzig, Germany - Icon painting course

2024 – Art Communication School by Julia Sysalova at the Institute of Mediterranean Culture, Athens, Greece

#### **EXHIBITIONS**

#### SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2025 – "Art meets Antique" by Detlev Kuemmel, Luedenscheid, Germany

2025 - ARTe Art Fair, Dortmund, Germany

2024 - ART4NATURE Atelier-Galerie, Bad Tölz, Germany

#### SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2025 – IKV International Artists' Association e.V., Königswinter, Germany

2025 - Venanzo Crocetti Museum, Curator: Monica Ferrarini, Rome, Italy

2025 - Mons. Sante Montanaro Foundation, Casamassima, Italy

2025 - Artio Gallery, New York, USA

2025 - Museum Palazzo Venezia, Naples, Italy

2024 - Museum of Srem, Sremska Mitrovica, Republic of Serbia

2019 - The Moscow Academic Lyceum of Fine Arts at the Russian Academy of Arts (MAHL RAKH),

Moscow, Russia

2019 - MYRÒ Antiques Hous, Thessaloniki, Greece

2019 - Carrousel du Louvre Art Shopping Expo, Paris, France

2018 - The Max Ernst Museum Brühl des LVR, Bruehl, Germany

#### **COLLECTIONS**

2024 - Apparition at St. Barbara, Easter 2024, Russian Orthodox Church of St Barbara, Krefeld, Germany

2024 - St Natalia (icon), Russian Orthodox Church of St Barbara, Krefeld, Germany

2024 - Brooklyn & Dell, private collection Irina Dell, Engelskirchen, Germany

2018 – Mail-Art series, **GEDOK Kunstforum Hamburg**, Hamburg, Germany

## **PUBLICATIONS**

#### **CATALOGUE**

2025 – "ANNIVERSARY OF HOPE: ART AS A PATH TO REBIRTH", curated by Monica Ferrarini and Alice Di Piero Gangemi International, Rome, Italy

2025 – 30th Anniversary Gallery Böhner 1995–2025, Mannheim, Germany

2025 – 25th ANNIVERSARY EDITION, ITALY ARTISTIC AGENDA for Collector's, Rome, Italy

2023 - "SHOUTS OF ART" by the KUVIK Gallery, Dortmund, Germany

2020 - RUSSIAN ART PRIZES 2019, Moscow, Russia, 162 c., vol. 1, p. 54

2019 - RUSSIAN ART WEEK, Moscow, Russia, 166 p., vol. 1, p. 2

2019 - VISIONARY ART JOURNEY, Moscow, Russia, 302 p., vol. 1, p. 18

# INTERVIEW

2025 – ENCYCLOPEDIA OF CONTEMPORARY ART: Who's Who in the Russian Art Market since 2018, supplement edition "Dialogues on Art", Moscow, Russia

2025 – VISUAL ART JOURNAL, Issue #22, Amsterdam, Netherlands, 118 pages, pp. 94–97

2025 – CONTEMPORARY ICONOGRAPHERS ABOUT IMAGE MAKING AND ICONOGRAPHY, Russian Icon Collection New York, USA

#### OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- 2025 ART MARKET OBSERVER, art criticism by Heinz Playner, Vienna, Austria, 64 p., p. 40-41
- 2025 Issue #40 SPOTLIGHT CONTEMPORARY ART MAGAZINE, Lyon, France, 110 p., p. 79
- 2025 #26 ARTISTCLOSEUP CONTEMPORARY ART MAGAZINE, Amsterdam, Netherlands, 108 p., p.58
- 2025 ART AND FAITH: NATALYA RADUENZ AMONG THE WINNERS OF GOD'S ART, article in ArtSreda by Julia Sysalova
- 2024 BEYOND ART: THE BANKSY PHENOMENON, article in ArtSreda by Julia Sysalova
- 2024 AN INSTRUMENT IN THE HANDS OF GOD. NOTES OF A NOVICE ICONIC PAINTER, article in
- ArtSreda by Julia Sysalova

#### **AWARDS**

#### 1st PLACE

- 2024 Centre of Contemporary Art GOD'S ART AWARD, icon painting, Moscow, Russia
- 2019 XXVI RUSSIAN WEEK OF ART, The Moscow Academic Lyceum of Fine Arts at the Russian
- Academy of Arts (MAHL RAKH), traditional painting, Moscow, Russia

#### 2<sup>nd</sup> PLACE

- 2025 RUSSIAN ART AWARD, painting: religious art, Moscow, Russia
- 2024 Centre of Contemporary Art GOD'S ART AWARD, icon painting, Moscow, Russia
- 2022 EURASIAN ART UNION, traditional painting, Moscow, Russia

## 3rd PLACE

- 2025 MUSEUM PALAZZO VENEZIA Creative Artists Award, Naples, Italy
- 2025 VII INTERNATIONAL CONCEPTUAL ART AWORD, video art and animation, Moscow, Russia
- 2024 Centre of Contemporary Art GOD'S ART AWARD, icon painting, Moscow, Russia
- 2024 MUSEUM OF SREM, painting: Industrial landscape, Sremska Mitrovica, Republic of Serbia
- 2024 MUSEUM OF SREM, painting: Architecture and Man, Sremska Mitrovica, Republic of Serbia
- 2024 MUSEUM OF SREM, painting: Futuristic architecture, Sremska Mitrovica, Republic of Serbia
- 2022 EURASIAN ART UNION, graphic, Moscow, Russia
- 2019 NEXT ART WEEK IN GREECE, MYRÒ Gallery, traditional painting, Thessaloniki, Greece
- 2025 NOMINEE OF ANDREI RUBLEV MEDAL, the Russian Academy of Arts for 2024, "Spiritual Renewal

of Society and Outstanding Achievements in Fine Arts", Moscow, Russia

- 2024 CFA Artist of the Year: Masterful Minds Award, Lyon, France
- 2019 CFA Artist of the Year: Honourable Mention, Lyon, France

# **MEMBERSHIPS**

IKV International Artists' Association e.V., joined 2025 Visual Arts Scotland (VAS), joined 2025 Eurasian Art Union, joined 2018

# **CURRENT REPRESENTATION**

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