

Andrei Ciubotaru

Born on the 16<sup>th</sup> of January 1977, in Bucharest

**Educational background:**

Since 2005	Ph.D. candidate at the National University of Arts Bucharest, Prof. coord. Mihai Mănescu
2002-2003	Postgraduate Studies at the National University of Arts Bucharest, class of Prof. Marin Gherasim
1998-2002	The National University of Arts Bucharest, Faculty of Fine Arts, Painting Department, class of Prof. Florin Mitroi
1995-1997	College of Arts and Sciences, University of Alaska - Anchorage
1994-1995	<i>Steller</i> Secondary School, Anchorage, Alaska
1990-1994	<i>Hermann Oberth</i> German High School, Bucharest

**Professional experience:**

Since 2004	Teaching Assistant at the MA Department, National University of Arts Bucharest
Since 2003	Member of the Visual Artists Union of Romania

**Curatorial work:**

Since 2006	Founding member of <i>Nit</i> (curatorial group within the Visual Artists Union of Romania) Board member of Nit Gallery, Bucharest
Since 2003	Founding member of <i>Hibrid</i> group of artists, together with Bogdan Pelmuș, Theo Pelmuș and Ștefan Tiron
Since 1995	Founding member of <i>Pâlnia</i> group of artists, together with Vlad Basarab, Jean Eugen, Adrian Ilfoveanu, Nicu Ilfoveanu and Viorel Grigore

**Scholarships:**

2006	Mojacar, Spain (Valparaiso Foundation)
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**Symposia:**

2005	<i>Trialog-Land-Art</i> Symposium, Hundisburg, Germany
2004	Cernavodă (sculpture)
2002	<i>Carsium</i> , Hârșova (sculpture) Slănic Moldavia Symposium
2000	Brebu Symposium <i>2000 de ani de Creștinism</i> [2000 Years of Christianity], Constanța

**Other activities:**

1997	Restauration of the National Bank of Romania (mural painting)
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**Solo exhibitions:**

- 2006 *Contemporanul meu* [My Contemporary], Apollo Gallery, Bucharest  
2005 *Forme* [Forms], Apollo Gallery, Bucharest  
2004 Prometheus Club, Bucharest  
2003 Visual Artists Union Gallery, Bistrița  
2002 Frezia Gallery, Dej (drawing, painting)  
2001 Galla Gallery, Bucharest

**Collective exhibitions:**

- 2003 Visual Artists Union Gallery, Târgu Mureș  
2002 Căminul Artei Gallery, Bucharest  
*Prediploma*, Students Exhibition, Faculty of Fine Arts, National University of Arts, UNA Gallery, Bucharest  
2002, 1999 *Accente și Amprente* [Accents & Imprints], Apollo Gallery, Bucharest  
2001 The Romanian Literature Museum, Bucharest (drawing)  
2000 *Șapte cavaleri ai imaginarului* [Seven Knights of the Imaginary], Visual Artists Union Gallery, Târgu Jiu; Visual Artists Union Gallery, Turnu Severin  
*Ziua Europei* [Europe's Day], Museum of Art Collections, Bucharest  
*Autoportret* [Self-Portrait], Romanian Literature Museum, Bucharest (installation)  
1999 *Ciubuc*, Atelier 35 (Eforie) Gallery, Bucharest (installation)  
1998 Atelier 35 (Eforie) Gallery, Bucharest (drawing)

**International exhibitions:**

- 2005 *Trialog-Land-Art*, Hundisburg, Germany  
2002 *Autoportrete* [Self-Portraits], Belgrad, Yugoslavia  
1997 University of Alaska - Anchorage Gallery (engraving)  
1996, 1995 Annual Exhibition of Students, Campus Center Gallery, University of Alaska - Anchorage

**Performance:**

- 2003 *Carantina Urbană* [Urban Quarantine], in *Performing Places* Festival, British Council, Bucharest  
2001 *Balansoar* [Swing], Toaca Contemporary Art Studio, Bucharest  
1999 *Omagiu Van Gogh* [Homage to Van Gogh], National University of Arts Bucharest  
*Aniversare Pablo Picasso* [Pablo Picasso Anniversary], National University of Arts Bucharest

**Private collections:**

Private collection of Queen Margaret of Denmark

**Awards:**

- 2006 Excellency Prize for Young Talents, offered by the National Union of Romanian Patronage
- 2003 The Ministry of Culture and Cults Prize for the project *Carantina Urbană* [Urban Quarantine], presented in *Performing Places* festival, organized by the British Council, Bucharest
- 1995 2nd Prize, Annual Exhibition of Students, Campus Center Gallery, University of Alaska - Anchorage

**Bibliography:****Publications:**

- Iolanda Malamen, Andrei Ciubotaru și Contemporanul său [Andrei Ciubotaru and His Contemporary], *Ziua*, 2.12.2006
- Alexandru Mircea, Reportaj de pe frontul estetic [Report from the Aesthetic Battlefield] , *Dilema Veche*, 15.04.2005
- Oana Bărbulescu, Hibrizi în citadin [Hybrids in Urban Landscape], *Observator Cultural*, nr. 263, 7.04.2005
- Horia Popp în dialog cu Andrei Ciubotaru, Forme și fond [Horia Popp in Dialog with Andrei Ciubotaru, Forms and Background], *Ziua*, 17.03.2005
- Viorica Buică, Omul țintă-ținta omului [The Man Target-the Target of Man], *Ziarul Financiar (Ziarul de duminică)*, 11.06.2004

**Weblinks:**

<http://www.roconsulboston.com/Pages/InfoPages/Pers/Ciubotaru.html>