

Maria Drăghici

Born on the 23rd of March 1978, in Râmnicu-Vâlcea

Educational background:

- 2003-2005 MA in Visual Arts, National University of Arts Bucharest, Faculty of Fine Arts
1999-2003 The National University of Arts Bucharest, Faculty of Fine Arts, Painting Department
1993-1997 *Alexandru Lahovari* College, Math-Physics Department, English Intensive, Râmnicu-Vâlcea
1985-1993 The Music School, Piano Department, Râmnicu-Vâlcea

Solo exhibitions:

- 2006 *Browser 1/ One Minute*, Hag Studio, Bucharest
2005 *Master/Kamera red*, Posibilă Gallery, Bucharest
Hope&Nostalgia, Sex Trade Gallery, Bucharest
2003 *BioGrafii*, Galeria Gallery, Bucharest
1999 *Monade*, Visual Artists Union Gallery, Râmnicu-Vâlcea

Collective exhibitions:

- 2006 *Thank you for your flexibility*, Cyberhate event, Preoteasa Students' Centre, Bucharest
Atelier Mapping areas Rahova-Uranus, coordinated by the General Public Agency London and the British Council, Bucharest
de/re/construcții, Nouă Gallery, Bucharest
Rahova-Nonstop-spectacol in 25 de ore [Rahova-non-stop show in 25 hours], Rahova, Bucharest
Win Back Your Identity, Rahova-Uranus, Bucharest
Browser 1, in the project Art Mix - interactive presentation, contemporary art archive, University Square, Bucharest
XXX Cartoons, Desantes Theater, Bucharest
New Drama Fest, Moscow, Russia
New Plays from Europe 2006, Theater Biennale des Staatstheaters, Wiesbaden, Germany
Spazi Aperti, Offset 2006+, Rome, Italy
Critique of Pure Image Between Fake & Quotation, Les Complices, Zürich, Switzerland
2005 *Terrorism*, Foarte Mic Theater, Bucharest
Theater and multimedia workshop, National University of Drama and Film *Ion Luca Caragiale*, Bucharest
Collage Bucharest. Postmodernism and the Paris of the East Workshop, National University of Arts and *Ion Mincu* University of Architecture and Urbanism, Bucharest
Dramacum Workshop, Bistrița
Offset 1, National Museum of Contemporary Art, Bucharest

- Fanzine Black&White*, National Center of Dance, Bucharest
Critique of Pure Image Between Fake & Quotation, Plovdiv, Bulgaria
Spazi Aperti, Accademia di Romania, Rome, Italy
- 2004 *Cinemaibit* Student Film Festival, Bucharest
mady-baby.edu, Foarte Mic Theater, Bucharest
Fanzine Future, Nouă Gallery, Bucharest
Fanzine Cheap, Web Club, Bucharest
Fanzine Chemistry, Nouă Gallery, Bucharest
Portofolio Rewiews III, Nouă Gallery, Bucharest
- 2003 *Docu-Fiction*, Ion Mincu University of Architecture and Urbanism, Bucharest
After Image, video/dia & sound project, UNA Gallery, Bucharest
Captare, Control, Simbioză [Collection, Control, Symbiosis], Galeria Gallery, Bucharest
Portofolios, Romanian Cultural Institute, Athens, Greece
- 2002 *Carrozza da Letto*, Galeria Gallery, Bucharest
- 2001 *Limit Signal*, Galeria Gallery, Bucharest
- 1999 *Portrait/Self-Portrait*, Galla Gallery, Bucharest

Video-works:

- 2006 *Thank You for Your Flexibility*, single channel video, 9'06'', CyberHate, Bucharest
Harta Sensibilă / Rahova-Uranus, 3-channel video, VA URMA Park Rahova, Nouă Gallery, Bucharest
Rahova Nonstop, single-channel video, 60', Nouă Gallery, Bucharest
Browser 1, single-channel video, 40', HAG Gallery, Bucharest
Training for trainers, single-channel video, 33', La Guardia New York, Spazi Aperti, Rome, Italy
XXX Cartoons, 2-channel video, 60', Desant Theater, Bucharest
- 2005 *Terrorism*, multi (12)-monitor installation, 1h, 40 min., Foarte Mic Theater, Bucharest
- 2004 *madybaby.edu*, single-channel video, 20', Foarte Mic Theater, Bucharest
- 2003 *in*, single-channel video, 3', UNA Gallery, Bucharest

Awards:

- 2006 Henkel Prize for Photography, Nouă Gallery, Bucharest
- 2004 1st Prize, *Cinemaibit* Student Film Festival, Bucharest

Bibliography:

Publications:

Dan Popescu, *Browser 1*, sulfurosul Tara și din nou țeapa [Browser 1, Sulfur-like Tara and the Spike Again], *B-24-FUN*, 20-26.01.2006

Marius Ștefănescu, Sistemul românesc de promovare și oamenii din afara lui [The Romanian System of Promotion and the People Outside of It], *Cotidianul*, 21.11.2003

Oana Tănase, Signal, *Observator Cultural*, nr. 95-96, 18-31.12.2001

Weblinks:

<http://www.posibila.ro/index.php?ce=artisti&id=78&art=rep>

<http://offset.underconstruct.com/2005/>