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Formation

1990-1994 - Cluj - Napoca Academy of Visual Arts *Ioan Andreescu (Romania)*, Department of Sculpture, University Degree, Nicolae Otto Kruch's class;

1985-1990 - Chisinau University *Ion Creanga (Moldova)*, Department of Painting and Drawing;

1982-1985 -The Fine Arts School, town of Rascani (*Moldova*).

Acknowledged

2003 Profile Master, The Fine Arts Republican College *Alexandru Plamadeala*;

2003-2006 Sculpture Department President, UAP RM;

1997-1999 Ministry of Culture, Division of Cultural Heritage and Plastic Arts, Coordinating expert;

1997-2007 Member of Council for Appreciation the Artistic Works of Sculptural- Monumental and Monumental- Decorative creations, Ministry of Culture;

1997 Moldova U.A.P., Titular;

1995 UNESCO, A.I.A.P., Member;

1994 Moldova U.A.P. (Chisinau), Member- probationer;

1994-1998 Chisinau University *Ion Creanga (Moldova)*, Faculty of Painting and Graphic Arts, Lecturer;

1991 To make one's debut with sculpture *Dansul înălțării. 27 martie 1918*,
Student exhibition at Casa Matei, Cluj-Napoca, Romania

Awards

2003 Youth Award, UAP RM.

One man shows

2008 - Sculpture, *Una cosa Mentale*, Exhibition Center *Constantin Brancusi*, Chisinau (*Moldova*);

2004 - Sculpture, *Spirit states*, UNHCR head-office, Chisinau (*Moldova*);

2003 - Sculpture, *Attitudes*, Picture gallery of municipality of Balti (*Moldova*);

1997 - Sculpture and Drawings, *Whimsicality*, National Historic Museum (*Moldova*);

1995 - Sculpture and Graphics, *Mihai Eminescu* Museum, Iasi (*Romania*);

1993 - Sculpture, B.C.U. Gallery, Cluj-Napoca (*Romania*).

Symposiums

2006 - The sculpture camping in metall, *Metalmaksla Berkenele 2009*, Berkenele, (Latvia);

2006 - The IV-th edition, the sculpture camping, Ungheni (*Moldova*);

2006 - Pleinair 2006, National Historic Museum of Moldova, Chisinau (*Moldova*);

2005 - Sculpture Camp, Village Hrusova, Criuleni (*Moldova*);

2005 - Sculpture Camp, *Stone Singers*, Criuleni, (*Moldova*);

2004 - International Sculpture Camp *Stone Soul*, Soroca (*Moldova*);

2004 - International Festival of snow sculpture, Novosibirsc (*Russia*);

2003 - Pleinair 2003, National Historic Museum of Moldova, Chisinau (*Moldova*);

2002 - The II-nd edition, the sculpture camping, Ungheni (*Moldova*);

1997 - International Symposium of Mini Sculpture. Bronze, Chisinau (*Moldova*);
1997 - International Symposium of Sculpture, International Culture and Arts Center *George Apostu*, Bacau (*Romania*).

International exhibitions

2007-XVII-th Exhibition **Saloanele Moldovei**, Exhibition-competition of Contemporary Art, Chisinau -Bacau, *Romania*;
2006 **Moldova Contemporary Art**, Council of Europe, Bruxelles, Belgium
2006 *Eastern Neighbour*, The Netherlands, Cultural Center Babel, Utrecht, Holland
2005-XV-th Exhibition **Saloanele Moldovei**, Exhibition-competition of Contemporary Art, Chisinau -Bacau, *Romania*;
2004-XIV Exhibition **Saloanele Moldovei**, Exhibition-competition of Contemporary Art, Chisinau -Bacau, *Romania*;
2003-XIII-th Exhibition **Saloanele Moldovei**, Exhibition-competition of Contemporary Art, Chisinau -Bacau, *Romania*;
2003 - *International Exhibition of Plastic Arts 2003*, Central Gallery of Plastic Arts, Moscow (Russian Federation);
1999-IX-th Exhibition **Saloanele Moldovei**, Exhibition-competition of Contemporary Art, Chisinau -Bacau, *Romania*;
1998 - *International Exhibition of Plastic Arts'98*, Central Gallery of Plastic Arts, Moscow (Russian Federation);
1998 VIII-th Exhibition **Saloanele Moldovei**, Exhibition-competition of Contemporary Art, Chisinau -Bacau, *Romania*;
1998 - National Biennial Exhibition of Mini Sculpture **Arad' 98**, National Gallery *Delta*, Arad (*Romania*);
1997 - Joint Exhibition, Romanian Culture Foundation, Bucuresti (*Romania*);
1996-VI-th Exhibition **Saloanele Moldovei**, Exhibition-competition of Contemporary Art, Chisinau -Bacau, *Romania*;
1996, XII-th International Biennial Exhibitions of Bronze Sculpture, Ravenna (*Italy*);
1996 - Joint Exhibition at *Mihai Eminescu* Museum, Iasi (*Romania*);
1995 V-th Exhibition **Saloanele Moldovei**, Exhibition-competition of Contemporary Art, Chisinau -Bacau, *Romania*;
1995 - Exhibition **Objective Object**, Caminul Artei Gallery, Bucuresti (*Romania*);
1994 - Exhibition of Sculpture, Museum of Collections, Cluj-Napoca (*Romania*);
1994 - XI-th International Biennial Exhibitions of Bronze Sculpture, Ravenna (*Italy*);
1993 - Exhibition of Graphics, Painting and Sculpture, Wiesbaden (*Germany*);
1991 - Student's Exhibition at *Casa Matei*, Cluj-Napoca (*Romania*).

Representative exhibitions

2009 **A Night of Art**, C.I.E. Moldexpo, Chisinau
2008 **1 December – the National Day of Romania**, Exhibition Center *Constantin Brancusi*, Chisinau
2008 **Joint Exhibition**, Exhibition Center *Constantin Brancusi*, Chisinau
2008 **Piety**, Jubilee Exhibition, Exhibition Center *Constantin Brancusi*, Chisinau
2008 **Art Expo, The art – the expression of human creativity**, C.I.E. Moldexpo, Chisinau
2008 **Contemporary Sculpture 2008**, Exhibition Center *Constantin Brancusi*, Chisinau
2008 **A Night of Art**, C.I.E. Moldexpo, Chisinau
2008 **Non-figurative in fine creation**, Exhibition Center *Constantin Brancusi*, Chisinau
2007 **Ax Art**, C.I.E. Moldexpo, Chisinau
2007 **A Night of Art**, C.I.E. Moldexpo, Chisinau
2007 *Spring Exhibition*, Exhibition Center *Constantin Brancusi*, Chisinau (*Moldova*);
2006 **A Night of Art**, C.I.E. Moldexpo, Chisinau
2005 **Autumn Salon**, *Național Competition of Contemporary Art*, Exhibition Center *Constantin Brancusi*, Chisinau
2005 **the Eminesciense Horizons**, Exhibition Center *Constantin Brancusi*, Chisinau
2004 **1 December – the National Day of Romania**, Exhibition Center *Constantin Brancusi*, Chisinau
2004 **Us: the creative young**, Exhibition Center *Constantin Brancusi*, Chisinau
2004 **500 years- Stefan cel Mare si Sfint**, Gallery *Aurel David*, Chișinău
2003- **A century for creation**, Exhibition Center *Constantin Brancusi*, Chisinau;
2002 - **The sculpture joining of the mileniums**, Exhibition Center *Constantin Brancusi*, Chisinau (*Moldova*);
2001- *Autumn Exhibition*, Exhibition Center *Constantin Brancusi*, Chisinau (*Moldova*);
2000- *Autumn Exhibition*, Exhibition Center *Constantin Brancusi*, Chisinau (*Moldova*);
1997- *Spring Exhibition*, Exhibition Center *Constantin Brancusi*, Chisinau (*Moldova*);
1997 - *Exhibition of Claimants*, Exhibition Center *Constantin Brancusi*, Chisinau (*Moldova*);
1996 - *Spring Exhibition*, Exhibition Center *Constantin Brancusi*, Chisinau (*Moldova*);
1995 - *Autumn Exhibition*, Exhibition Center *Constantin Brancusi*, Chisinau (*Moldova*);
1995 - *Spring Exhibition*, Exhibition Center *Constantin Brancusi*, Chisinau (*Moldova*);

1994- *Autumn Exhibition*, Exhibition Center **Constantin Brancusi**, Chisinau (Moldova);

PUBLIC FORUM

Bacau, Romania. Ungheni, Chisinau, Soroca, Criuleni, Hrusova (Criuleni), Anenii-Noi, Rep. Moldova. Novosibirsk, Russian Federation. Plevna, Bulgaria.

PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

National Art Museum of Moldova, Romanian Culture Foundation collection, (București), *Centro Dantesco* Foundation collection (Ravenna),

PRIVATE COLLECTIONS

Romania, Germany, Rep. Moldova, Sweden, U.S.A., Canada, France, Spain, Belgium and Australia.

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BULAT, Vladimir, *Ioan Greco*, Posterul expoziției personale la Muzeul Literaturii Romane *Mihai Eminescu*, Iasi, 1995, iunie

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Ioan Greco. Capricii, sculptura si desen. Pliant, Chisinau, 1997

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Roata Destinului, *Ioan Greco*. Pliant, Chisinau, 2005

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Saloanele Moldovei. Expozitie-concurs de arta contemporana: Editia VI. Catalog. Bacau, 1996

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Saloanele Moldovei. Expozitie-concurs de arta contemporana: Editia XVI. Catalog. Bacau, 2006

Saloanele Moldovei. Expozitie-concurs de arta contemporana: Editia XVII. Catalog. Chisinau, 2007

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1978-1998, Universitatea Pedagogică de Stat *Ion Creanga*. Facultatea Arte Plastice. Catalog. Chisinau, Editura *Cartier*, 1997

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MIRCIOIU, Crisan, *Tineri plasticieni din Basarabia*, in *Tribuna, Saptamanal de cultura*, Cluj-Napoca, 1993, Martie 31

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