

Vladimir Chernyshev

Heavy Water

31.10.2024 - 16.11.2024

The first solo exhibition of Vladimir Chernyshev in London will open on October 31. New works by the artist from Nizhny Novgorod will be showcased at **No. 9 Cork Street**.

The exhibition "Heavy Water" delves into Vladimir Chernyshev's varied methodologies, showcasing the documentation of land art projects, monumental mural drawings that will cease to exist after the display period, newly created objects, and paper works. The artist emphasises themes of decay and transformation, reflecting on the act of creation itself—a vital aspect of earlier art epochs where time plays a significant role.

Vladimir Chernyshev (born 1992) operates at the intersection of land art, graphics, objects, and complex installations. His artistic practice is deeply intertwined with the captivating landscapes of Nizhny Novgorod, known for its enchanting rivers, distinctive wooden architecture, and dynamic street art scene. This remote region, far from the constraints of Moscow, allows Chernyshev's work to evoke an ancient, ambivalent world, rich in obscurity.

His projects explore the contrast between the intrinsic world and the human (and non-human) experience, employing a mix of studio practice, land art, and installations. Chernyshev's choice of materials—wood, tar, soot, wax, and rosin—often highlights the tragedy of their subtle erasure, inviting viewers to contemplate the cycles of creation and dissolution. The artist's work resonates with the enduring themes of existence, encapsulating the tension between permanence and impermanence.

The exhibition will open on October 31 at 18:00 at No. 9 Cork Street and will run until November 16.

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Vladimir Chernyshev. The Rooted Rainbow, 2024

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Vladimir Chernyshev. CV

Nominations

2023 "Piranesi LAB special grant"
2021 Kandinsky Prize finalist in the "Young artist. Project of the year" nomination
2021 Long list nomination "Young artist. Project of the year" at Kandinsky Prize
2021 Long list, Moscow Art Prize
2020 Winner CCA Qatar, Digital dreams
2017-2018 Winner of Garage Museum of Contemporary Art grant program in support of emerging Russian artists
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2017 Long list nomination "Young artist. Project of the year" at Kandinsky Prize
2015 Long list nomination "Young artist. Project of the year" at Kandinsky Prize
2014 Short list nomination "Art in public space" at Sergey Kuryokhin Contemporary Art Award

Personal exhibitions

2024 Coordinate system, Lime gallery, Moscow
2024 The flame devours my every step, Kunstverein, Dresden
2023 Red River, Tikhaya studio, Nizhny Novrod
2022 Last But One Man On Earth, Vadim Sidur Museum, Moscow
2021 In the landscape's shadow, Artwin Gallery, Moscow
2019 Tar and gnomes, Futuro gallery, Nizhny Novgorod
2015 Tabula, Artwin Gallery, Moscow

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Selected collective exhibitions

2024 Random draw, KGallery, Saint Petersburg
2024 5x5, Daipyat gallery, Voronezh
2024 Realization. An exhibition about change and transformation, Pushkin's cabinet, Tomsk
2023– 24 A chronicle of burgeoning activity, Triumph Gallery, Moscow, CCA Smena, Kazan, Urban cultural center, Perm
2023 Shadows. Glare. Light., A—Gallery, Moscow
2023 Noodom, Moscow
2022 Thinking Landscape, Museum of Moscow, Moscow
2022 Apoc. End of the world every day, Triumph Gallery, Moscow
2022 Point 55.754630, 37.638530, Ground Solyanka Gallery, Moscow
2021 Named Vazari. Gothic, NCCA Arsenal, Nizhny Novgorod
2021 Unnamed, NCCA Arsenal, Nizhny Novgorod
2021 Andrey Grositsky. Objectivity, MMOMA, Moscow
2020 Nemoskva is just around the corner, CEH Manezh, St. Petersburg
2019 Nemoskva, International Traveling Symposium, Russia
2017 Coordinate system, CLB, Berlin
2017 Living alive exhibition, NCCA, Moscow
2017 Fresh layer, NCCA Arsenal, Nizhny Novgorod; PERMM, Perm
2015 High Hopes Museum, NCCA Arsenal, Nizhny Novgorod
2014 Biennale of Street Art "Artmossfera", Art play, Moscow
2014 IV Moscow International Biennale for Young Art, Museum of Moscow
2014 Optimistic Studies, 10th European Biennial of Contemporary Art Manifesta, St. Petersburg

Selected special projects

2024 Capsule kimono collection with LIME
2023 Diaghilev Festival, Perm
2023 Mixed Media exhibition, TSEH space, Nizhny Novgorod
2022 Cosmospow Art Fair
2020 Cosmospow Art Fair
2020 100 ways to live a minute, The Pushkin State Museum of Fine Arts
2018— present days, Suburban practises
2013— 2018 Derelict village, Russia
2016 Arctic Art Forum, Arkhangelsk
2015 New city: Ancient festival, Nizhny Novgorod
2013 Black Circle IV, street art festival, Sheshory, Ukraine
2013 The story of the Fisherman, Big Animation Festival, Russia
2011 Three Days, documentary video project, Nizhny Novgorod