

MURAT OKTAY DANIS

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Education

1988 Hacettepe University, Ankara, Engineering Faculty, chemical engineer

Solo exhibitions, Turkey

2009 - 2010 Presidential Symphony Orchestra House, Ankara, foyer
2000 Presidential Symphony Orchestra House, Ankara, lobby
1996 Galeri Baraz, Istanbul, residency artist
1994 Presidential Symphony Orchestra House, Ankara, lobby
for pianist Fazil Say`s concert by Vakıf Bank
1986 Hacettepe University, Ankara, Medical Faculty, lobby
1984 State Fine Art Gallery, Ankara, curated and opening speech by Mehmet Özel,
Head of Fine Art Department of the Ministry of Culture

DANİS & HOLLI Art Projects –exhibitions, international

2016 Seitsemien Nature Centre, Natural Heritage Services, Finland (July 2016)
invited, curator Sanna-Mari Kunttu
2016 Salonki – Salo Artists' Association Annual Exhibition, Teijon Masuuni, Finland (June 2016)
jury Eero Markuksela
2015 'SNAP TO GRID', Los Angeles Center for Digital Art, USA (December 2015)

Group exhibitions, Turkey

1997 The Contemporary Dynamics in Turkish Paintings - Çağdaş Türk Resminde
Estetik Dinamikler (Galeri Baraz), Koc Üniversitesi, Istanbul

Other exhibitions, international

2016 Artist of the Week 4-2016, Art Professionals Worldwide, invited, curator Mark Kulaga, M. Ed.

Art prizes

1975 Hacettepe University 10th Anniversary Illustration Competition, 3rd Prize

Projects solo

4 Doings	Writing	1966 ->	
	Multi-sports	1969 - 1973	PTT-club, basketball player
		1980 - 2010	basketball coach and playmaker
		1996 - 2009	table tennis, Presidential Symphony Orchestra Team
		2010 - 2014	playing basketball solo as a dance meditation

Piano 1966 ->
Painting 1968 ->

Other mediums 1991 -> video art
 1992 -> sound art
 2000 -> digital art picturing
 2006 -> photographic art

Projects with a working team, international

2014 -> with visual artist, curator **Tiina Hölli**, Finland,
 experimental improvisations, Painting; Conceptual Art Theory
 2006 with violinist **Sercan Daniş**, Australia,
 video works at Sydney Conservatory Concert Hall :
 improvisations in abstract experimental sessions, Piano

Projects with a working team, Turkey

2005 with violinist **Hüseyin Ulutaş** (Presidential Symphony Orchestra, soloist), Turkey,
 video works at Presidential Symphony Orchestra House, Ankara :
 improvisations in abstract experimental sessions, Piano
 1996 - with violinist **Hüseyin Ulutaş** (Presidential Symphony Orchestra, soloist), Turkey,
 experimental improvisations, Piano; Conceptual Theory of Art

Artist residencies

2015 **Ankara - Istanbul** at own studio working as a residency host, 1.5 months,
 with invited visual artist Tiina Hölli, Finland working on project Danis & Holli
 2014 **Ankara - Antalya**, at own studio working as a residency host, 3 months, introduction of
 own art methods and Conceptual Theory of Art to invited visual artist Tiina Hölli, Finland
 2009 **New York and New Jersey**, USA, 2 months, at Aygul Caner Atelier,
 invited by jewelry designer Aygul Caner, painting and video art
 2006 **Sydney**, Australia, 3 months, experimental artist's web page designing
 and video works at Sydney Conservatory Concert Hall :
 improvisations in abstract experimental sessions, working with violinist Sercan Daniş
 1996 **Istanbul**, Turkey, 4 months at Galeri Baraz residency,
 invited by art dealer Yahşi Baraz, painting

Articles and publications

2016 **Interview : Murat Oktay Daniş**, Creativeroom4talk Magazine March issue
 2015 - **" O ' N E -BOOK " / // PAiNTiNG**, blog, onebookpainting.blogspot.com.tr
 2015 - **Theory in Practice**, Danis & Holli blog in danisholli.weebly.com
 2015 - **" m u r a t & T A R U ' M AcCOMPANY "**, Danis & Holli's blog in LinkedIn Pulse
 2010 - 2013 **Theory of Art**, blog in ARTslanT Worldwide, artslant.com
 2008 - **"o ´ NE " BOOK**, blog -diary, muratdanis.blogspot.com
 2006 - **Murat Danis YouTube Channel**, video works and conceptual writings
 2006 - 2009 experimental website **muratdanis.com**
 2003 David Novak: DPNImages Artist's Projects :
Murat Oktay Danis: Abstract Paintings, Drawings and Digital Images
 1985 Morköpük - Sanat Felesefe (Purple Foam - Art and Philosophy Magazine),
 Special Edition for the Game Theory in Philosophy
Murat Oktay Danis : TABANI EMI, one page story in the form of a game

Travels to Art Museums

2010 across Europe : Greece, Italy, Austria, France (Louvre), Belgium, Holland,
Germany, Czech Republic, Slovenia, Croatia, Serbia, Macedonia
2009 New York, USA (MoMa)
2006 Sydney, Australia
1977 across Europe : West-Germany, Holland, Great Britain

Other artistic performances

1966 - 1974 Ankara Radio Chorus, professional
1966 - 1974 State Opera and Ballet, professional child roles in 14 operas