PORTFOLIO

NADEZHDA PAVLOVA

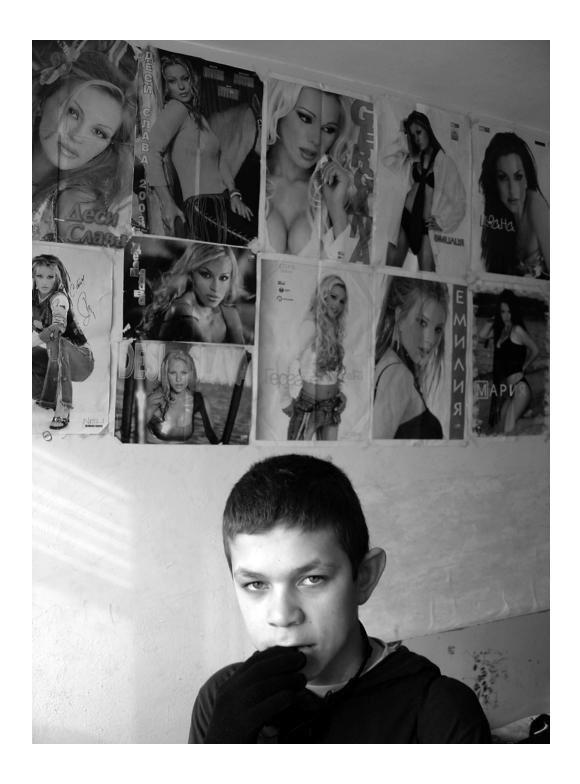
A HOME FOR ME

Awarded portfolio in 23th photo competition "Giovanni Crespi" Legnano, Italy, March 2004 Solo exhibition - International Photographic Meetings Plovdiv Bulgaria'2009

Images were taken in orphanage "Pencho Rachev Slaveykov" Sofia City as a part of charity campaign for reconstruction of the main building.

There was sign above the doors: "WE CAN DO IT ALL TOGETHER"



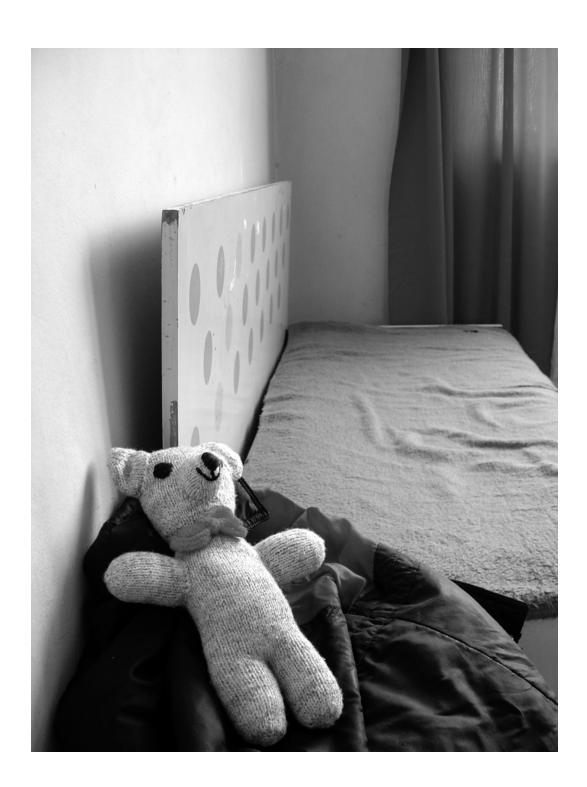














I believe and I live...

Photoacademy - Bulgaria- 2004 - Silver medal

Photo competition"Three pictures story" - 2005 Seret, France

Photoassociation of Serbia - 2007- Golden medal







PANEL WC

30 photographs of apartments offered for sale

PHODAR Biennial - 2005



"Nadezhda" residential complex - Sofia bl.509 fl.3 ap.51



"Nadezhda" residential complex - Sofia bl.454 fl.1 ap.3



"Nadezhda" residential complex - Sofia bl.510 fl.3 ap.5

PORTION OF CHINESE

SOLO EXHIBITION

"DAUHAUS" - Sofia- 2006

Lozenetz - 2007

Dimitrovgrad - 2007

Kazanlak - 2008













































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Dimitrovgrad - 2007





Kazanlak- 2008



WITH LOVE TO THE WOOD

Photo essay about Hristo Yotov - poet and artist













RAISING AN ANGEL

Golden medal - Reportage section- Photo Academy - 2007

First award- "Canon - Picture of the Year" - Photo essay - 2008

Solo exhibition "Arosita Gallery" -Month of Photography- Sofia - 2011































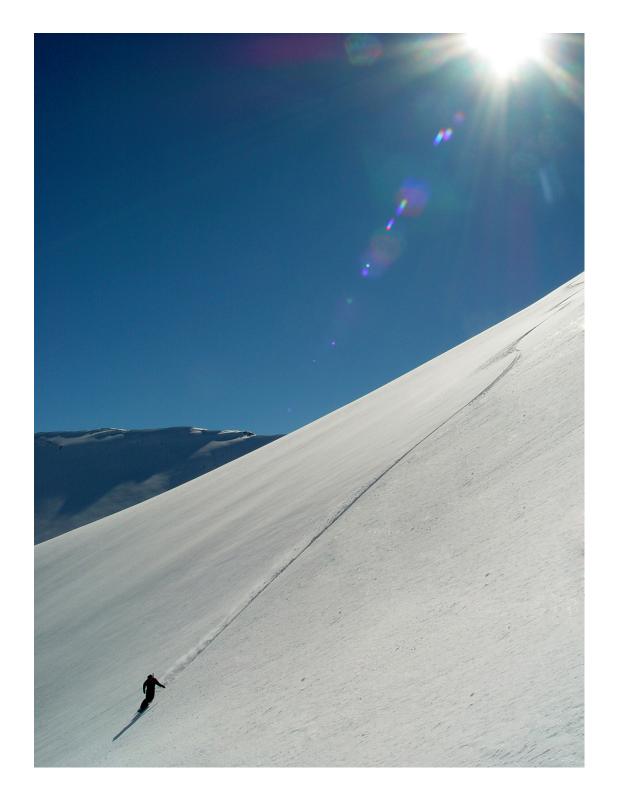






DAWNHILL

Third award International Olympic Committee Lausanne - 2007



AN ESCAPE TO ELFIKA

Solo Exhibition

Art Center "Altera" - Sofia 2009

"Kerengo" Gallery
National Theater for Dance Art
2010

"An Escape to Elfica" is my first project in which I endeavored to experiment taking self-portraits amid landscapes of places I love. I was inspired by people's longings to go mentally back to their memories of places and times where and when they did feel happy nourishing desires to set out on imaginary voyages to all these places. I employed slow exposure in order to achieve out-of-focus contours set against a brilliantly captured nature. My aim was to offer viewers the chance to identify themselves with the human presence on the image and to experience their own moments of freedom. With low horizons and landscape's structure depicted in details, I sought the sense of nature's magnificence and the transient human presence in it.



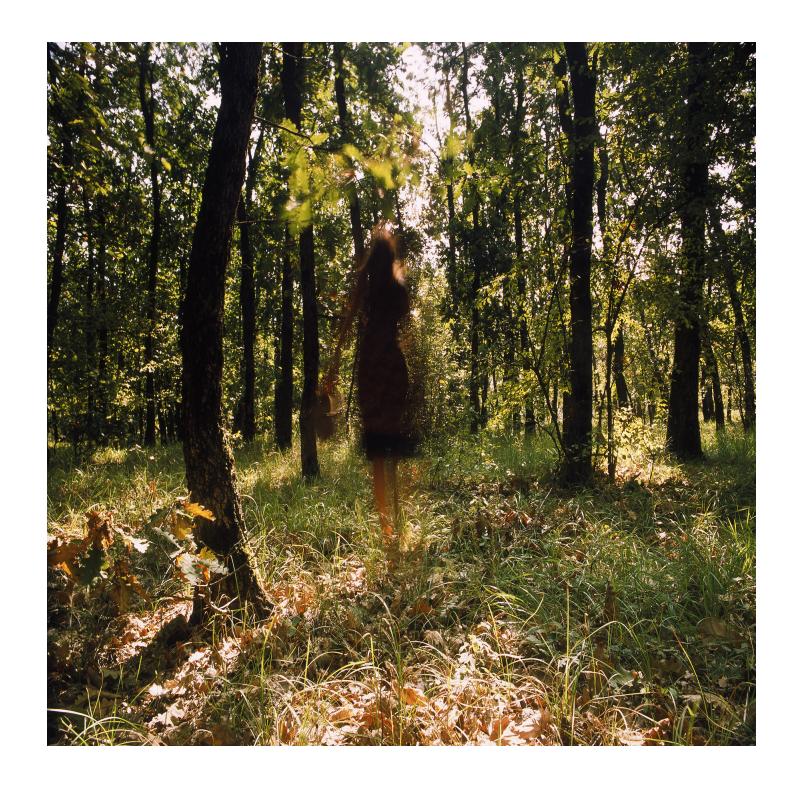






























TRAIN VACATION

Bronze medal - Photo Academy - 2010

Traveling to the childhood...











PORTALS

Group Exhibition
Red House - Center for Culture and Debate
Sofia - 2011

Solo Exhibitions

International Photographic Meetings Plovdiv - 2012

Expo Bath Sofia Month of Photography - 2013





Lost Pleiad Portals Series - 2013

Pigment print, ThreeBond, wooden frame Size 120 x 80 cm, Edition of 6 + 2APs





Girl with a Pearl Earring Portals Series - 2013

Pigment print, ThreeBond, wooden frame Size 120 x 80 cm, Edition of 6 + 2APs





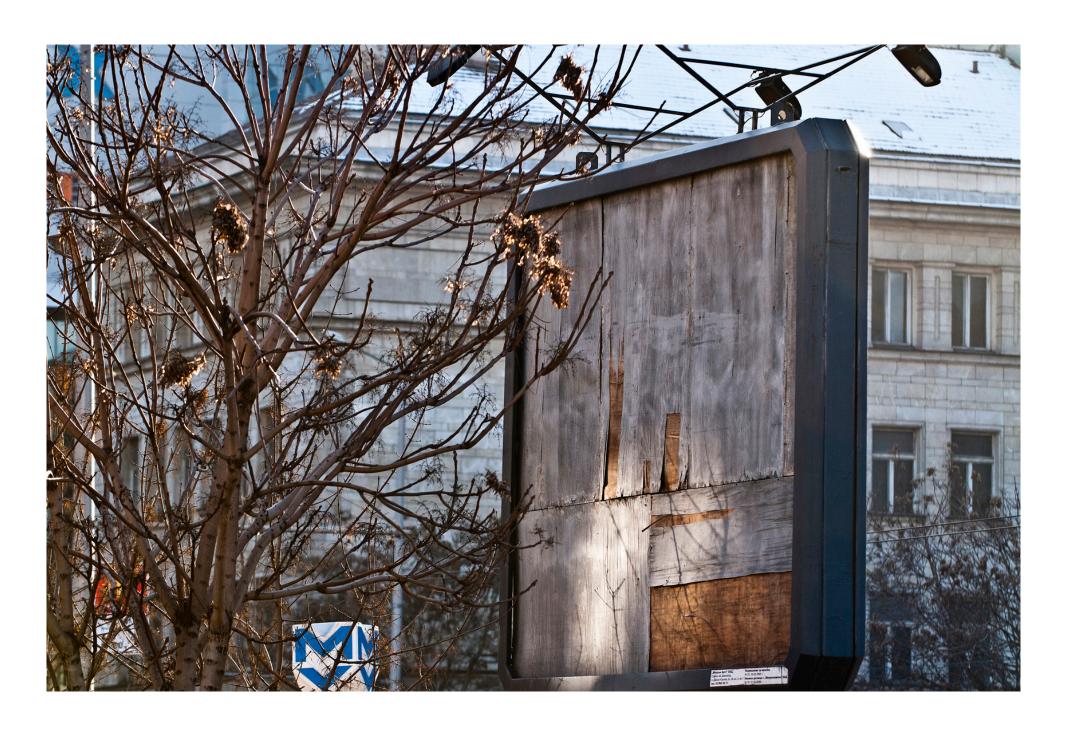
The Rokeby Venus Portals Series - 2012

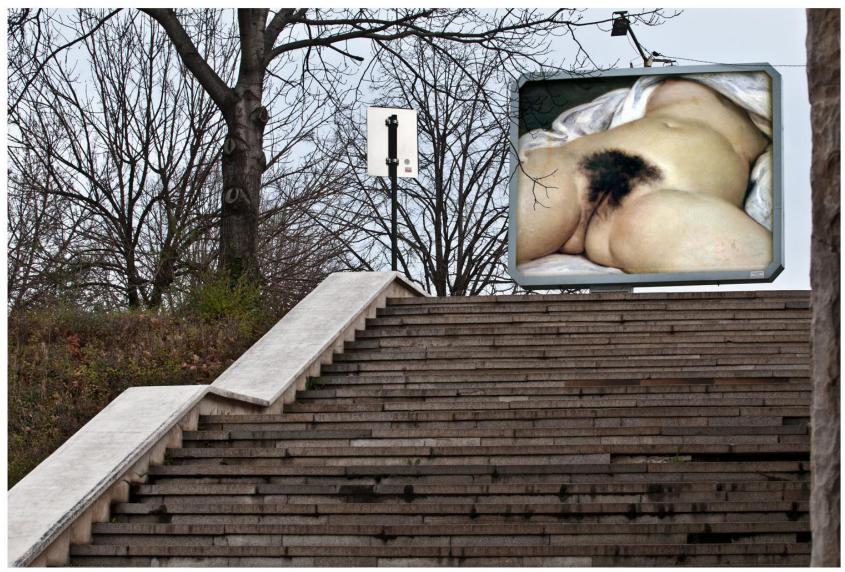
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The Last Supper Portals Series - 2012

Pigment print, ThreeBond, wooden frame Size 120 x 80 cm, Edition of 6 + 2APs





The Origin of the World Portals Series - 2012

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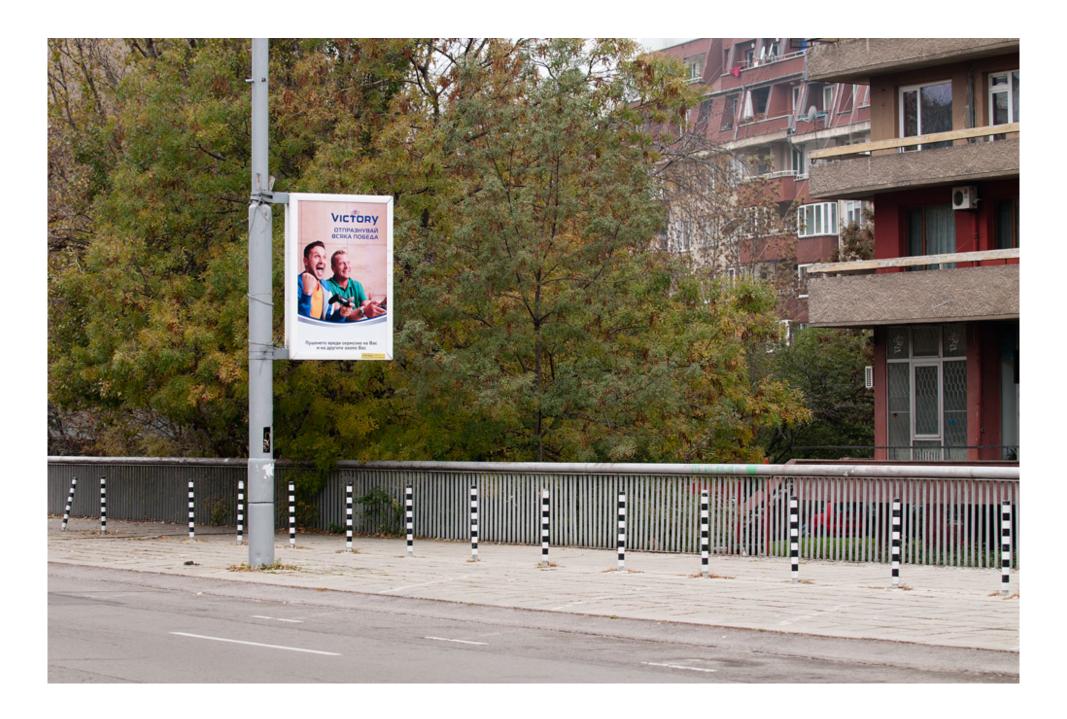


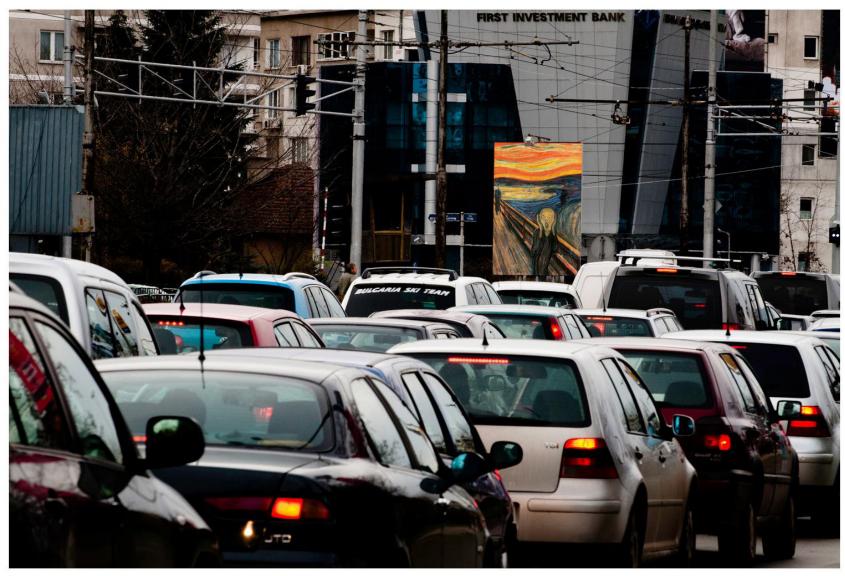


Lady Godiva Portals Series - 2012

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The Scream Portals Series - 2012

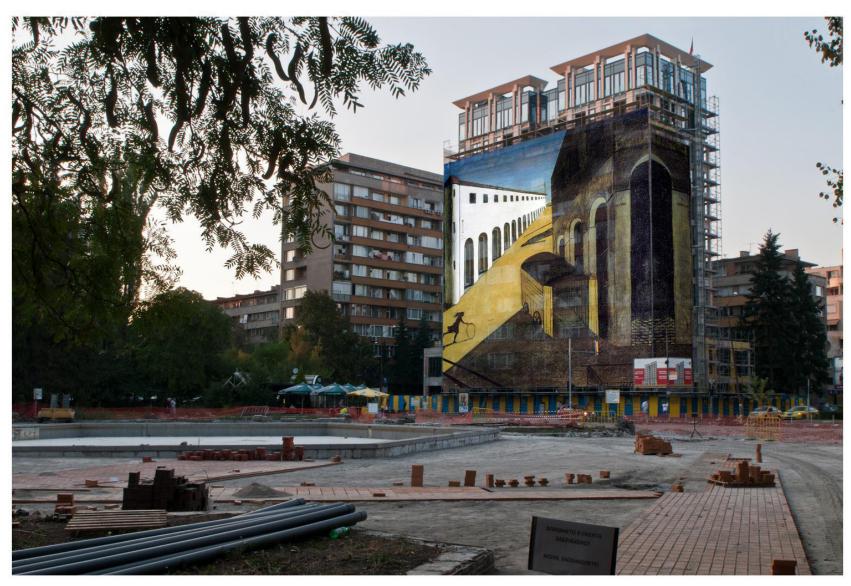
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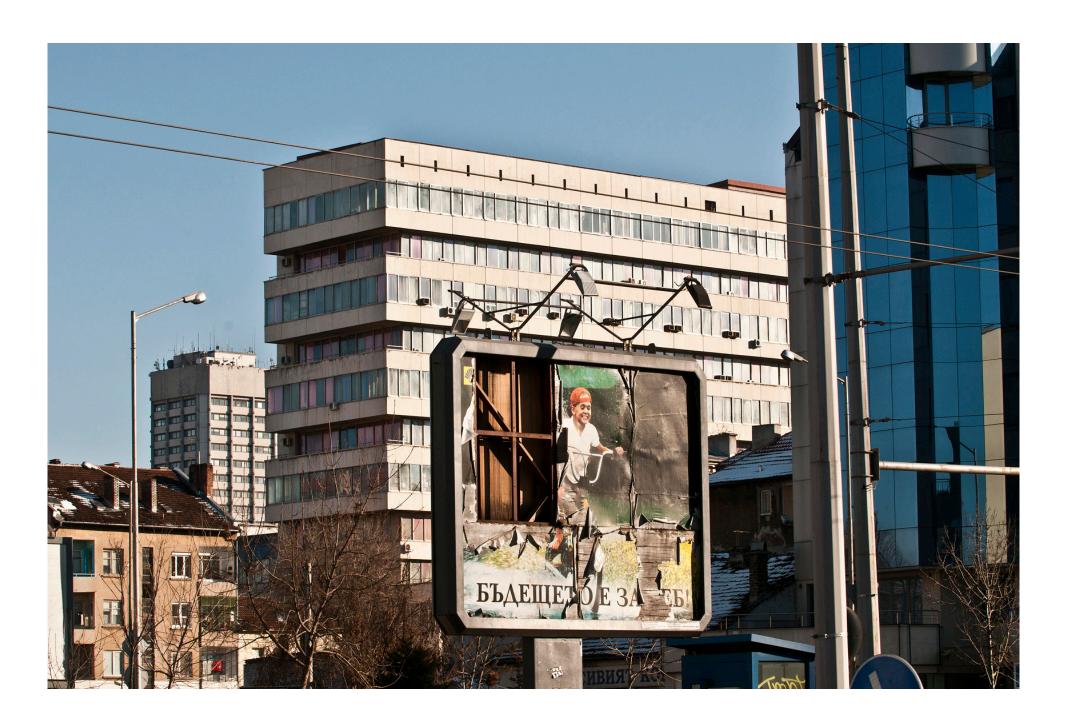
Creation of Adam Portals Series - 2012

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Mystery and Melancholy of a Street Portals Series - 2012

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Barge Haulers on the Volga Portals Series - 2012

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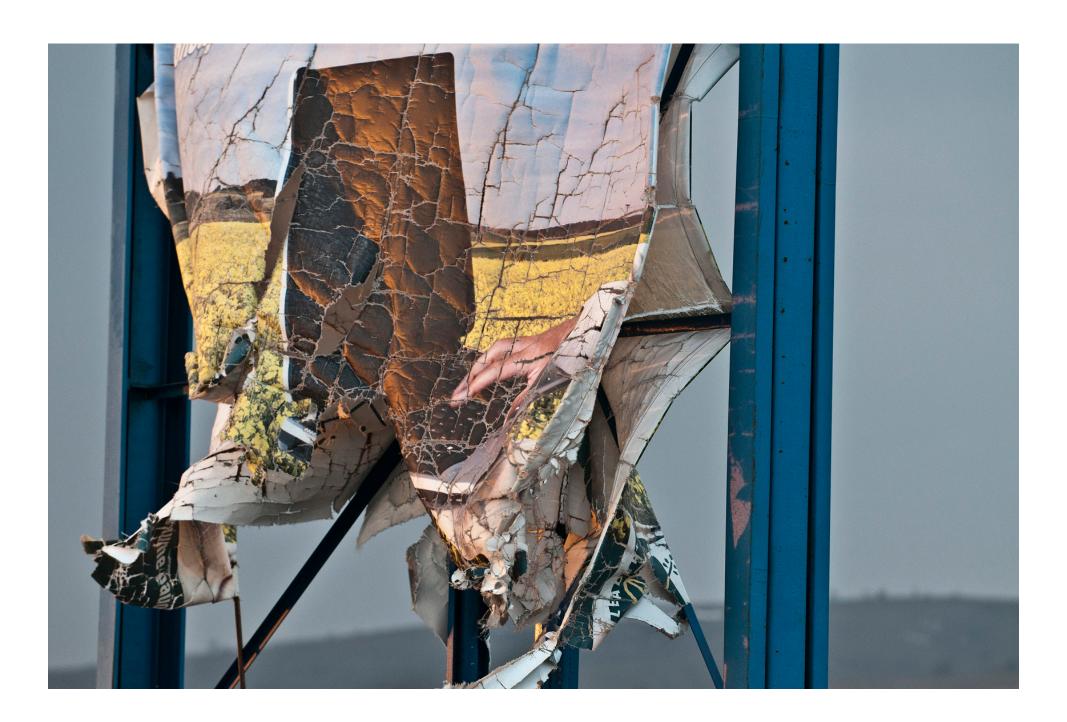






Birth of Venus Portals Series - 2012

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PORTALS By Nadezhda Pavlova

The Portals series views the billboard as a screen onto which human longings, whether natural or suggested, it is a metamorphosis into a break, an opening, a portal into other times and values. Never failing to lose the empathic connection with it, it suits its symbolic nature, which is affirmed not by the photographic authenticity, but by the subject's ability to produce meanings which give rise to other images. Manipulation of the image is allowed in this field of conditionality so that instead of advertising messages, images from figural painting are digitally integrated within the billboard's frames. The shoots offer the viewer the "what if..." hypothesis, an opportunity to shift the focus and the direction of the suggestion, and to place an emphasis on the inner and natural pursuit of the viewer. This experiment invites the viewer to look with a critical look, imagination, and irony all at the same time, all of which he is capable of with regards to himself and the surrounding environment. The aim of this experiment is to keep a game of dualities going on, dualities of the good and the evil, the imaginary and the real, the outright anecdote and the poetic understatement, the randomly achieved and the well-considered links between separate details. Each photography from the series and all of them together are portals which invite the viewer to pass through on his own and discover at the other end the image of his dearest desire which has been left intact by the triviality of everyday life and freed from the anxiety of the pointlessly consumed existence.



SELFIEka

Curatorial project with selfs and selfies

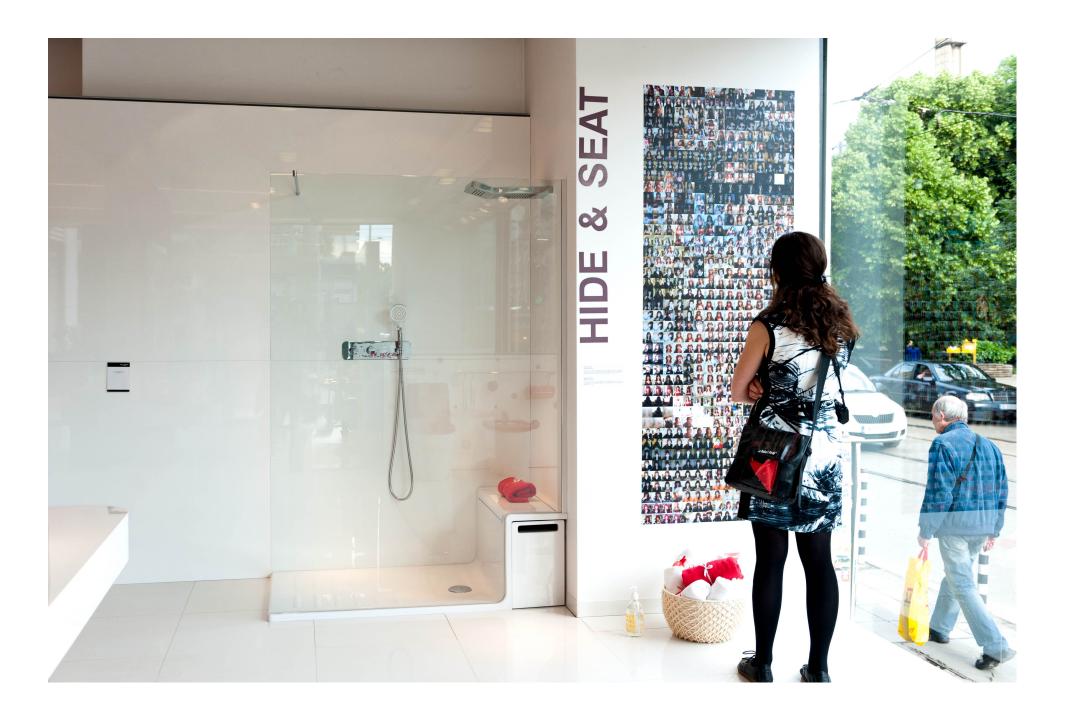
Expo Bath Sofia 2014

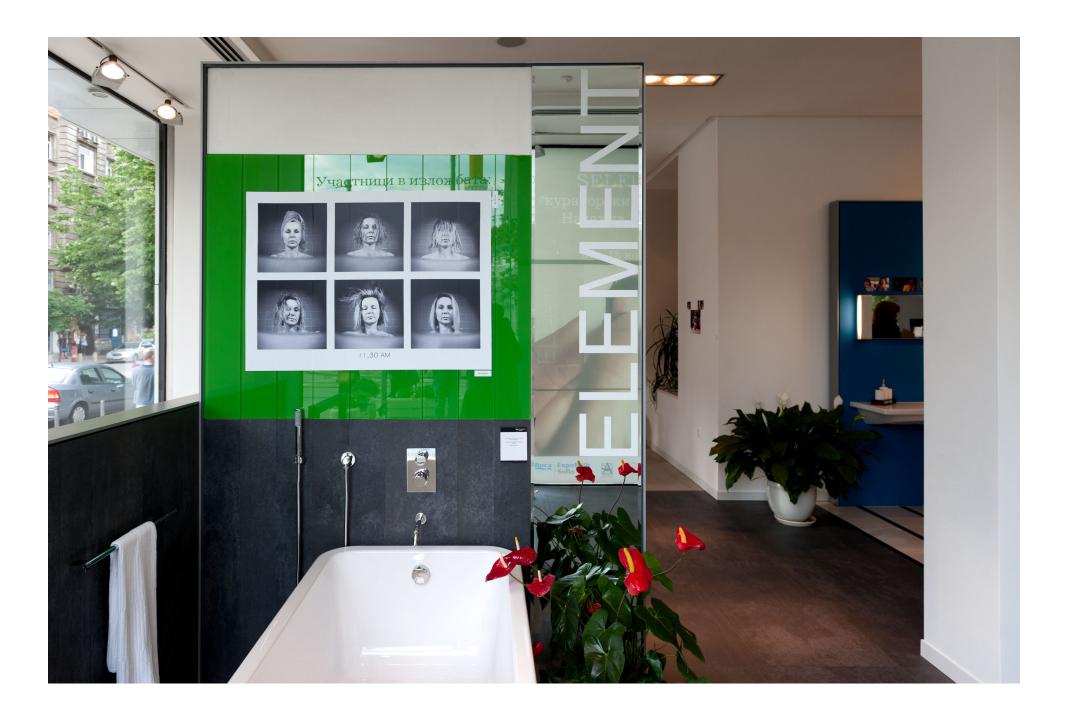


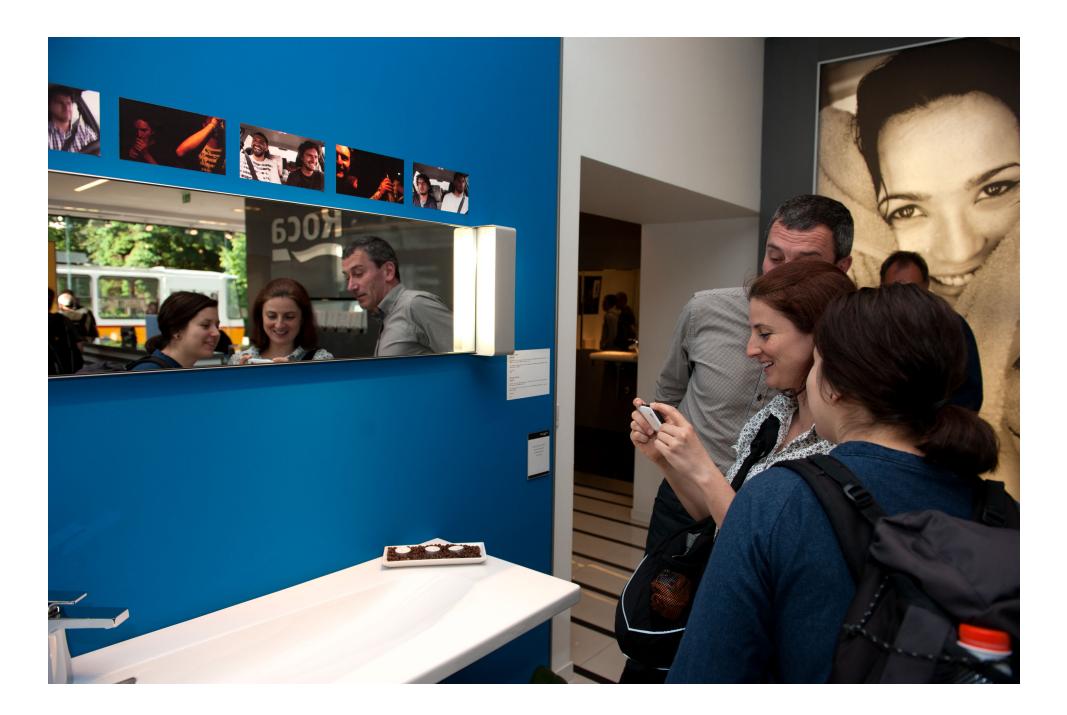


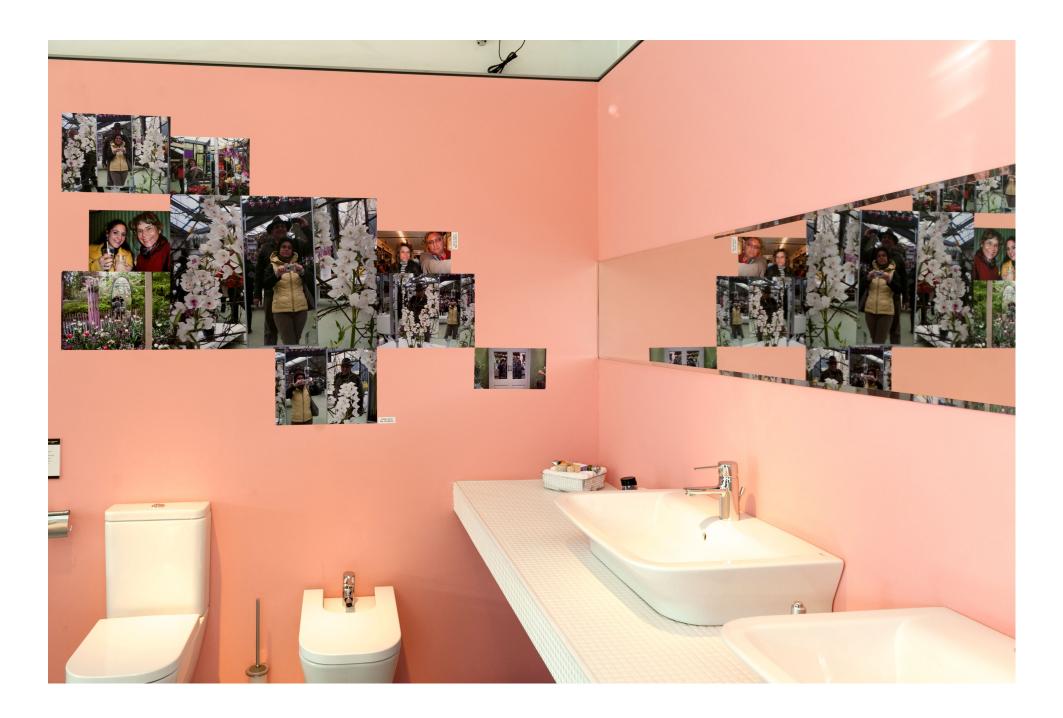


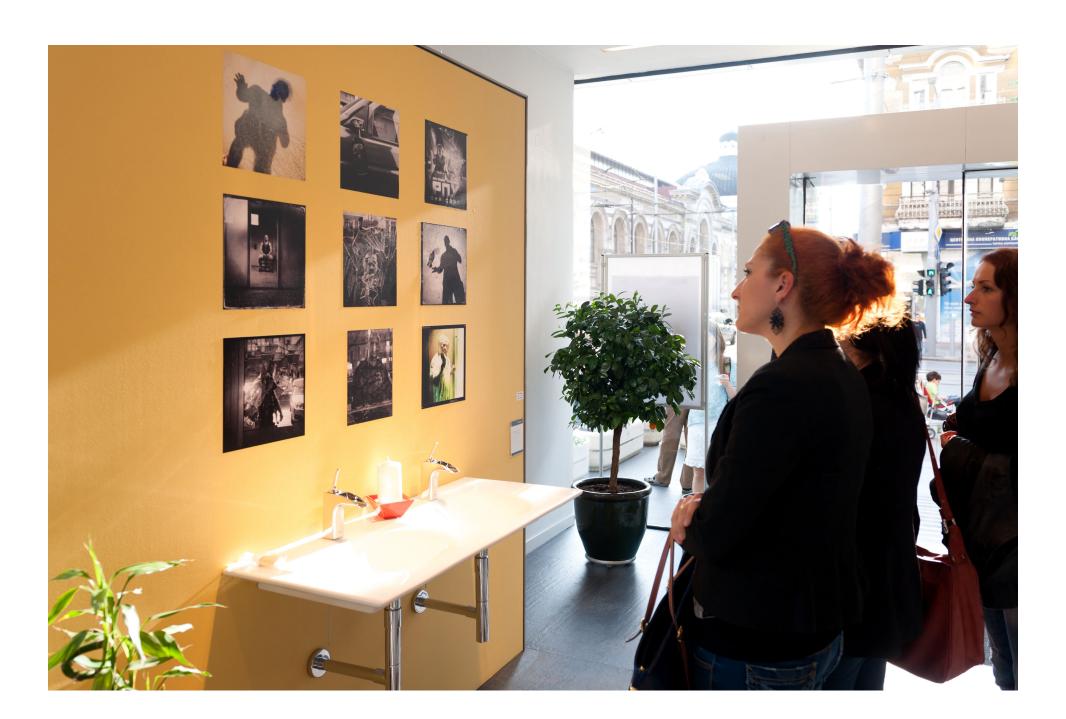




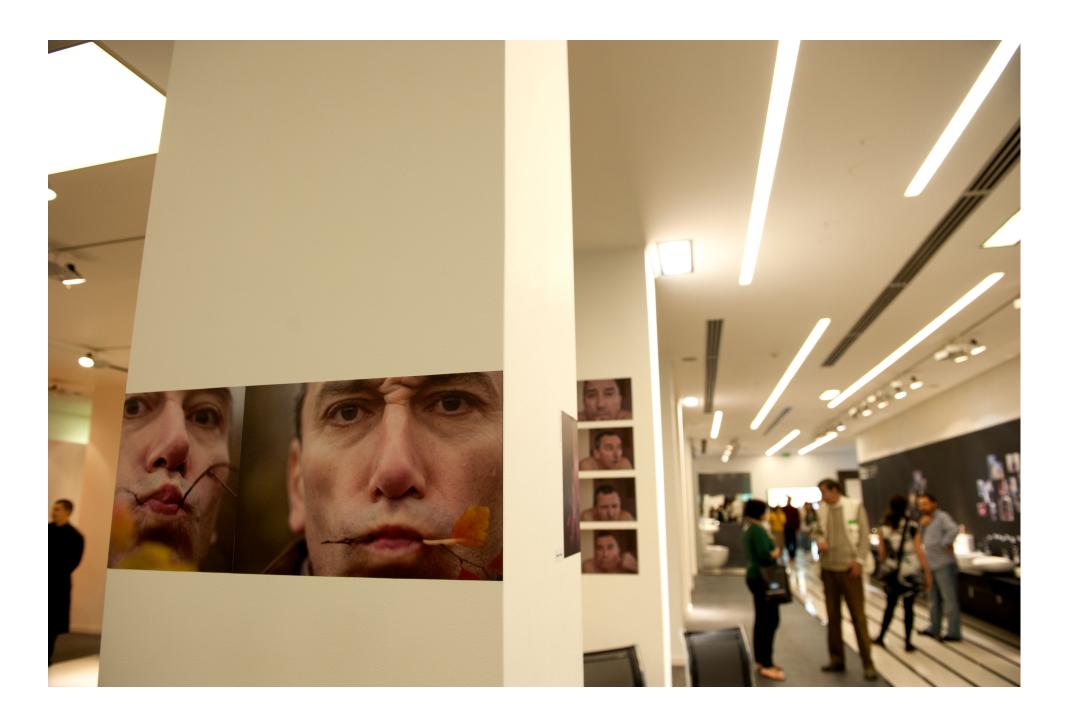






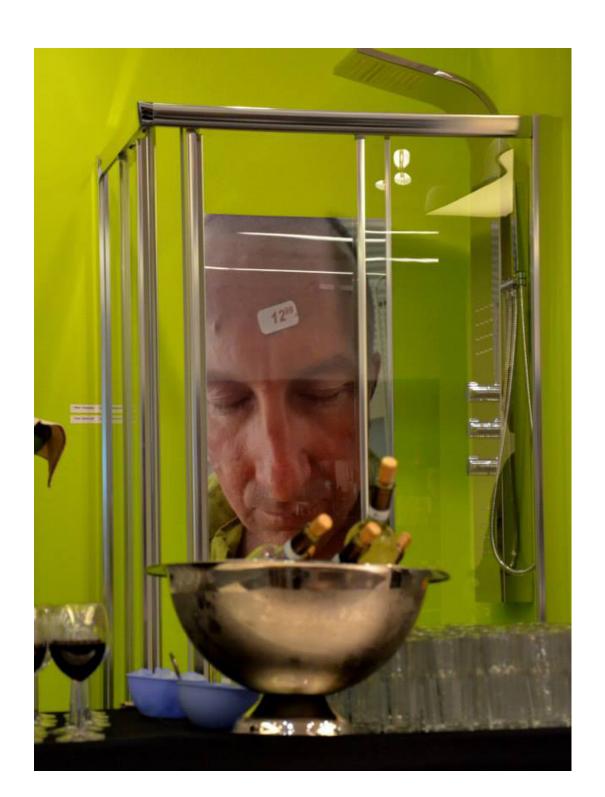














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