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MICHAL KUCHARSKI

Artist Statement

Michał Kucharski (born in 1997 in Krakow, Poland) is a visual artist based in Den Haag, Netherlands, working primarily with videography and photography. With his work, he explores human relations and social behaviors, in a staged and directed context. Working with people is an essential part of this process, where he questions the established boundaries in daily life. His projects often involve actors but also people met in public spaces. By creating narratives and scenarios, he achieves an intimate exploration of emotions, beliefs, and norms. His installations typically result in multi-channel audiovisual works that create immersive environments, hinting at darkness and challenging notions of reality and fiction.

WEBSITES

michal-kucharski.com

SOCIAL MEDIA

[instagram.com/michal_kucharski /](https://www.instagram.com/michal_kucharski/)

EDUCATION

- 2021 - BA Photography Den Haag, Koninklijke
- 2024 Academie van Beeldende Kunsten diploma
- 2017 - Photography Krakow School of Art and
- 2019 Fashion Design diploma

EXHIBITIONS

- 2025 The New Current De Kaai Rotterdam, Netherlands The New Current presents young, recently graduated artists from all over the Netherlands to a wide ranging public during the Rotterdam Art Week. Through this exhibition, TNC aims to improve the visibility and position of upcoming artists. Room is given to experimentation, large installations, new techniques and forms of presentation such as audiovisual art and crossovers. Focussing on video art, installations and performances, The New Current translates complex works of art into a unique experience. Everything is carefully coordinated – from the works to the atmosphere and

PROJECTS

- 2024 They Appeared in The Blue Midnight Netherlands vimeo.com/999089523 Cinema single screen adaptation of "They Appeared in The Blue Midnight. Duration: 10 minutes 55 seconds. Format: 1.85:1 Resolution: 2K
- 2024 They Appeared in The Blue Midnight The Hague, Netherlands michal-kucharski.com/they-appeared-in-the-blue-midnight 3 Channel Video Work, Full HD each, duration 11'48" Romanticized violence and fading ideals have shaped an old industrial neighborhood in southern Poland. Kucharski returns to the place where he grew up, reflecting on a youth he observed from the sidelines rather than fully

	<p>the catering. The performance programme contributes to an enhanced experience, allowing for a cross-pollination between different artistic disciplines, while reaching new audiences. To increase the impact of participation, there is a development program prior to the event which supports artists in the transition from the academy to the professional field. The development program extends beyond the participating exhibitors and is openly accessible for interested artists and makers.</p> <p>www.thenewcurrent.org Group</p>		<p>experienced. Through staged scenes and conversations with locals, he creates an idealized portrait of boyhood in his old neighborhood.</p>
		2023	Under Construction Krakow, Poland 2 Channel Video Work, Full HD each, duration 5'51"
		2023	I didn't look down too often Netherlands Audio-visual installation, projection on transparent fabric and wall
		2022	Feel like home Netherlands Photography project staged by strangers.
2025	<p>un/polish/ed Post-Office Amsterdam, Netherlands</p> <p>Group</p>		
2024	<p>Best of Graduates 2024 Galerie Ron Mandos Amsterdam, Netherlands</p> <p>Galerie Ron Mandos proudly presents the annual Best of Graduates exhibition, a celebration of emerging artistic talent from art academies across the Netherlands. This exhibition provides a vital platform for recently graduated artists, introducing them to galleries, collectors, and curators. Each year, the Galerie Ron Mandos team, alongside Best of Graduates curator Radek Vana, visits graduate shows across the country to identify standout artists. ronmandos.nl/exhibition/best-of-graduates-2024/</p> <p>Group</p>		
2024	<p>Graduation Show 2024 Royal Academy of Art The Hague , Netherlands</p> <p>graduation.kabk.nl/2024/michal-kucharski</p> <p>Group</p>		
2023	<p>Student Exhibition Noorderlicht Festival Groningen , Netherlands</p> <p>Group</p>		
2023	<p>As Above, So Below The Grey Space in the Middle The Hague, Netherlands</p> <p>Group</p>		
2021	<p>Makable Reality Noorderlicht Festival Groningen, Netherlands</p> <p>Group</p>		

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| 2020 | About Future Millepiani Rome, Italy
Group |
| 2019 | What time is the Future? New Era Art
Krakow, Poland
Solo |

INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGES/RESIDENCIES

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| 2024 | BRUTUS Rotterdam Rotterdam,
Netherlands Artist in residence 2024-
2025 brutus.nl/en/brutus+lab/ |
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COMMISSIONS

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| 2024 | Weisse Leinwand Almere, Netherlands
Director of Photography, Short Dance Film
Urlike Quad Company, Center Stage
Robotics finished |
| 2023 | Watchers Netherlands Commissioned
fashion video, Full HD, duration 1'55"
vimeo.com/825650798 finished |

SALES/WORKS IN COLLECTIONS

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| 2019 | What Time is the Future? New Era Art
Krakow, Polen 100 x 70 cm
photography print on Ilford Galerie
Paper |
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PUBLICATIONS

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| 2024 | Graduation Catalogue Catalog the fool
collective The Hague, Netherlands |
| 2023 | Trickle Catalog the fool collective The
Hague, Netherlands |

REVIEWS

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| 2024 | Brutus Lab Interview Blog/Vlog
BRUTUS Rotterdam, Netherlands
brutuslab.blogspot.com/2024/11/brutus-lab-interview-micha-kucharski.html |
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AWARDS AND GRANTS

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| 2024 | RM Youngblood Foundation Residency
Award RM Youngblood Foundation
Amsterdam, Netherlands |
| 2024 | Nomination - Lakeside Collection Award
Lakeside Collection Amsterdam,
Netherlands |
| 2021 | 3rd Place Fine Art Photography ND Awards |



Faded Sight, 2025
Archival print on Hahnemuhle Photo Rag Satin 310g,
3mm Dibond, Walnut Frame, Art Glass, 54x37cm



Faded Sight #4, 2025
Archival print on Hahnemuhle FineArt Baryta Satin 300g,
white passe-partout, dark brown wooden frame, Art
Glass, 22x30cm



Faded Sight #1, 2025
Digital Photography print, 54 x 37 cm



Untitled, 2025
Digital Photography print, 54 x 37 cm



They Appeared in the Blue Midnight - Trailer, 2024
44"



They Appeared in the Blue Midnight, 2024
3 Channel Video Work with sound, Full HD each, duration
11'45"



They Appeared in the Blue Midnight, 2024
3 Channel Video Work, Full HD each, duration 11'45"



They Appeared in the Blue Midnight, 2024
3 Channel Video Work, Full HD each, duration 11'45"



The Head or Tail, 2023
Digital Photography



Under construction, 2023
2 channel video, Full HD each