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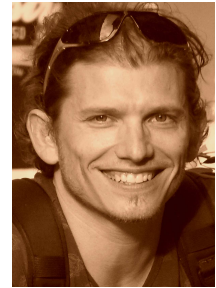
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David Vonarx was born in Alsace, France in 1973. Music , photography and finally painting are part of his artistic development .

Painter by vocation, self-taught, in 2010, after having worked as a post graduated engineer for about 14 years, he decided that is life should take a new way, and he resigned in order to dedicate his full time to Art.

In his painting he introduces his way of thinking and his personal understanding of life .

He is convinced that the world must be more humane and that each of us without exception has to participate in the change.

His decision to give up a job which gave him respectability and economic security is proof of its investment. From the beginning of his adventure as a painter, it was clear to him that he would not follow another time an academic education, aware of the strength he will gain thanks to his personal technical experiments, through his existential questions , his doubts , and the difficulty of being little known .

DV : "... My painting is visceral , it comes out of my soul because my personal life and my life as a painter form a unit . I'm looking inside myself. Since I gave my first brush strokes I'm heading deep inside me ... It's about being better as a person, to be appreciated because of the respect that we give to others in this world ... Painting is a way to give back to the world what my eyes and mind have filtered. It is through painting I 'm getting free , it is through the physical and mental investment it requires that I approach gradually the essential. The painting reveals me to myself and allows me to be closer to my truth ... I think the artist is a hypersensitive , a kind of priest , an intermediary between man and the sensible world , a Revealer ... ".

Exhibitions

Personal Exhibitions:

2012 Gallery of the Cultural Center of the city of "Cernay" / Main theme: Portrait /Workshop: "Paint a portrait with liberty and spontaneity"

Collective Exhibitions (selection):

2015 April 2015: Regio Art Lörrach, D

Febr. 2015: Art Innsbruck, A

2014 8-9 Nov. 2014 : **Second prize in the oil painting category** / Artfare Illfurth, France

Nov. 2014: "Salon des 40", in Saint-Louis, France as a guest.

20-28 Sept.: **First Prize of the Artfare** at the International Contemporary Art Exhibition in "Libramont", Belgium

3-4 Aug.: International Art Exhibition in "Endingen", Germany

March, june and september: « Art in the Square » in Strasbourg,France

17-18 et 24-25 Mai: Open Studio/Organisation : « Accélérateurs de particules » Strasbourg,France

2013 11-17 Dec.: « **Salon des indépendants** », « **Art en Capital** », in Paris, France

15-17 Nov.: "Salon des 40", in Saint-Louis, France: **First Prize in the painting category**

5-11 Nov.: "**Les Hivernales**" in East-Paris, Montreuil, France

5-28 Oct.: "**Salon d'Automne**", International Art Exhibition in Luneville, France

20-29 Sept.: International Contemporary Art Exhibition in "Libramont", Belgium

3-4 August: International Art Exhibition in "Endingen", Germany.

2012 9-11 Nov.: "Salon des 40": Art Exhibition in "Saint Louis"

9-11 Nov.: Art Exhibition of "Illfurth" **First Prize** in the acrylic painting category

12-14 Oct.: International Art Exhibition in "Zillisheim" / **Special distinction of the Jury**

2009-11 About 15 local Art Exhibitions.