CURRICULUM VITAE Constantinos Papamichalopoulos

Born (1975) in Athens.

He studied in the Athens School of Fine Arts from 1993 to 2003 under Professor Rena Papaspirou.

He has also studied printmaking under Professor Michalis Arfaras in the A.S.F.A. from 2004 to 2011.

In 1998 he has been awarded the Yiannis & Zoe Spyropoulos Foundation second prize award. He has also been awarded the Hellenic State Scholarships Foundation's two-year grant in printmaking at the Athens School of Fine Arts. He is a contributing illustrator to "Babel" magazine as well as to the periodical publications "9" and "Bibliothiki" of the newspaper "Eleftherotipia". Since 2007 he is employed as an illustrator in the newspaper "To Vima" as well as in the monthly Athens Review of Books.

In 2000 "Futura" publications published his graphic novel entitled "O Giaponas" ("the Japanese") and in 2009 "Enati Diastasi" publications printed the sequel "O Giaponas – Deuteronomion".

He works as an illustrator in the "VIMA" newspaper and the Athens Review of Books.

His works are in the collections of the Benaki Museum, the Spyropoulos Museum, the Liakounakos Collection, the Felios Collection, the Hadjioannou collection, the Frissiras Museum for Contemporary European Painting, the Kouvoutsakis Institute as well as in various other private and public collections in Greece and abroad.

COMMISSIONS

2004 Commissioned by the Benaki Museum for a portrait of the benefactor Andonis Benakis.

PUBLICATIONS

- 2009 "The Japanese Deuteronomion" Ninth Dimension Publications
- 2004 "Skies"-Futura Publications
- 2003 "An Army of One"-Scripta Publications
- 2002 "Antennae"-Futura Publications
- 2000 "The Jap"-Futura Publications

PRIZES

1998 Yiannis & Zoe Spyropoulos Foundation Award (second prize)

GRANTS

2004-2006 Scholarship for printmaking (Hellenic Scholarships Foundation) 2006-2008 Scholarship for visual arts (Propondis Foundation)

SOLO EXHIBITIONS (selection)

- 2008 Gallery "24" Athens
- 2003 "An Army of One" (curator: Lina Tsikouta)-Gallery "24" Athens
- 2002 "Antennae" Gallery "24" Athens
- 2001 Babel Gallery Athens
- 2000 Gallery "24" Athens

GROUP EXHIBITIONS (selection)

- 2010 "Battlefield" taf (The Art Foundation), Athens
- 2009 "It happened in Athens" Cultural Centre of the Municipality of Athens Poulopoulos'building (curator: Iris Kritikou)
- 2009 "6 x Printmaking"- Kaplanon 5 Gallery
- 2007 "Birthplace" Benaki Museum (curator: Iris Kritikou)
- 2006 "Homage to G. Viziinos" Gallery "24" / "Vivliothiki" magazine of the newspaper "Eleftherotipia" Athens
- 2005 Gallery "24"-Athens
- 2005 Belgrade Comics Festival-Yugoslavia
- 2004 Benaki Museum (curator: Thanassis Moutsopoulos)-Athens
- 2004 Lola Nikolaou Gallery- Thessaloniki
- 2004 Aegina Folk Museum (curator: Iris Kritikou) Aegina
- 2004 Emmanuel Roidis Gallery "24" (curator: Michel Fais)- Athens
- 2004 Everyday Hellas Whitebox Gallery, New York (curator:Heather Kouris) U.S.A.
- 2003 Coup de Coeur-Athens Art Gallery (curator: Evgenia Alexaki)-Athens
- 2002 All Fashioned-State Museum of Contemporary Art- Thessaloniki
- 2002 All Fashioned-Larissa Contemporary Art Center, (curator: Nikos Xydakis) -Larissa
- 2002 Anthropogeografia-Rethymnon Contemporary Art Center, (curator: Maria Maragou) Crete
- 2002 7th International Comics Festival of "Babel" (Alsos Stratou) Athens
- 2001 Livre d'Artistes text and objects (Gallery "7") Athens
- 2001 Art Athina Athens
- 2001 6th International Comics Festival of "Babel" (Athens Technopolis Gazi)
- 2001 Astrolavos Dexameni Gallery Athens
- 2000 Gallery "24" Athens
- 2000 5th International Comics Festival of "Babel" (Athens Technopolis Gazi)
- 2000 1st Triennial of Greek engraving (Pierides Gallery Glyfada) Athens
- 2000 Artists of the Spyropoulos Museum, "Hellenic Cosmos" Cultural Center (curator: Olga Daniilopoulou) Athens

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