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<b>EDUCATION</b>	2015 – 16	<b>MLitt Fine Art practice - Sculpture</b> , Glasgow School of Art, Glasgow, UK	
	2004 – 09	<b>BA Department of Visual Arts - Painting</b> , Athens School of Fine Arts, Athens, GR	
<b>RESIDENCIES</b>	2023	<b>Interdisciplinary Residency</b> , Hospitalfield, Arbroath, UK	
	2021	<b>Artist Residency</b> , Thinker Maker Space, CYENS, Nicosia, CY <b>Artist in Residence</b> , MGA Makerspace, Cyprus University of Technology, Limassol, CY	
	2019	<b>Micro Residency</b> , Edinburgh Sculpture Workshop, Edinburgh, UK	
	2017	<b>Phytorio Residency Programme</b> , Visual artists and art theorists association - phytorio, Nicosia, CY <b>Artist in Residence</b> , The Telfer Gallery, Glasgow, UK	
	2016	<b>Graduate Residency</b> , Hospitalfield, Arbroath, UK <b>At the fruit stand</b> , cur. Viviana Checchia, European Mediterranean Art Association, Nicosia, CY	
	2015	<b>GSA MLitt Sculpture</b> , Art Park Glasgow, House for an Art Lover, Glasgow, UK	
	2013	<b>Atelier Rondo</b> , Graz, AT	
	2012	<b>Demo #4</b> , Dynamo project space, Thessaloniki, GR	
	<b>GRANTS, AWARDS</b>	2023	<b>Transit Grant</b> , Cultural Services - Cyprus Ministry of Education, Culture, Sport and Youth, Nicosia, CY
		2022	<b>Visual Arts Grant</b> , Cultural Services - Cyprus Ministry of Education, Culture, Sport and Youth, Nicosia, CY
2020		<b>Resilience Grant</b> , Glasgow Connected Arts Network, Glasgow, UK <b>Open Project Fund</b> , Creative Scotland, Glasgow, UK <b>Arts Grant</b> , Cultural Section - Cyprus High Commission in the UK	
2019		<b>Visual Arts Grant</b> , Cultural Services - Cyprus Ministry of Education, Culture, Sport and Youth, Nicosia, CY <b>Artist's Grant</b> , Eaton Fund, Fleet, UK	
2017		<b>Arts Grant</b> , Cultural Section - Cyprus High Commission in the UK <b>Visual Arts Grant</b> , The Hope Scott Trust, Edinburgh, UK <b>Transit Grant</b> , Cultural Services - Cyprus Ministry of Education, Culture, Sport and Youth, Nicosia, CY	
2015		<b>Study Grant</b> , A.G. Leventis Foundation, Nicosia, CY	
2013		<b>Atelier Rondo Stipend</b> , Kultur Service Gesellschaft des Landes Steiermark, Graz, AT	
<b>SOLO EXHIBITIONS</b>		2023	<b>With mountains, and stars, and particles</b> , eins gallery, Limassol, CY
		2022	<b>Briefly eternal</b> , Art-o-rama, Marseille, FR <b>Reconfiguring motions</b> , Korai, Nicosia, CY
		2021	<b>Palimpsest of voices</b> , with Oakgrove Primary School, Glasgow International, UK
	2020	<b>SOM</b> , eins gallery, Limassol, CY	
	2019	<b>Relations reversed</b> , Thkio Ppalies, Nicosia, CY <b>Of particular images</b> , Intermedia gallery, CCA: Centre for Contemporary Arts, Glasgow, UK	
	2018	<b>Phyle</b> , cur. Eoin Dara, Custom Lane, Edinburgh, UK <b>Suggestions and Encounters: Physical or Otherwise</b> , cur. Seán Elder, The Telfer Gallery, Glasgow, UK	
	2017	<b>The Troubadours of Desire</b> , with Floricienta Iuvenalis, 3 Manis str, Nicosia, CY <b>Negotiating Synthesis</b> , Visual artists and art theorists association - phytorio, Nicosia, CY	
	2015	<b>We are becoming the thing on which we are working</b> , Space, Nicosia, CY	

**SELECTED  
GROUP  
EXHIBITIONS**

- 2023 **No Self Control**, cur. Dinos Chatzirafailidis, Space52, Athens, GR  
**Seeing Through Melancholia: Transcultural Melancholias / Hüzün in the Eastern Mediterranean**, cur. Alev Adil and Gabriel Koureas, House Of Hadjigeorgakis Kornesios, Nicosia, CY  
**Pop Up (marks) of common**, Limassol Municipal Arts Center- Apothikes Papadaki, Limassol, CY
- 2022 **Under|mining**, cur. Gabriel Koureas, Herman Bashiron Mendolicchio and George Lazoglou, various locations in Kalavassos, Larnaca, CY  
**Urban reflections**, cur. Anbau architects, Municipal Workers' Housing, Limassol, CY  
**Craftland**, cur. Christos Kyriakides, Anassa Hotel, Paphos, CY
- 2019 **It moves and it shouts**, cur. Panos Giannikopoulos, Haus N, Athens, GR  
**Hypersurfacing**, cur. Marina Christodoulidou, Nicosia Municipal Arts Centre, CY
- 2018 **Phase 2**, Drive Drive, Nicosia, CY  
**Home Of Multiple Occupancy**, Transmission gallery, Glasgow, UK  
**Impulses of inalienability**, eins gallery, Limassol, CY
- 2017 **Communicating Vessels**, cur. Julia Geerlings, Thkio Ppalies, Nicosia, CY  
**Field of Wheat**, Transmission gallery, Glasgow, UK  
**On Residual Agencies**, screening, Edinburgh Art Festival, Morningside United Church, Edinburgh, UK  
**NSK State Pavilion**, 57th Venice Biennale, Palazzo Ca' Tron, IUAV University, Venice, IT
- 2016 **A So Disastrous Pathos**, St Mary's Cathedral, Glasgow, UK  
**Going Public**, Tontine, Glasgow, UK  
**Oscillate me widely**, The Whisky Bond, Glasgow, UK  
**Where the sky and the earth touch (partial view)**, cur. Viviana Checchia, European Mediterranean Art Association, Nicosia, CY
- 2015 **GSA MLitt Sculpture**, Art Park Glasgow, House for an Art Lover, Glasgow, UK  
**The Pig Rock Bothy Project**, Scottish National Gallery of Modern Art, Edinburgh, UK  
**A Natural Oasis**, cur. Alessandro Castiglioni and Simone Frangi, Mediterranea 17 Young Artists Biennale, Viafarini, Fabbrica del Vapore, Milano, IT  
**The Voices of the Sirens**, cur. Alessandro Castiglioni, Rita Canarezza and Pier Paolo Coro, Gustavo Bacarissas gallery, Gibraltar, UK  
**Notifications**, cur. Christos Kyriakides, Space, Nicosia, CY  
**Exercises in Orientation**, Peltz gallery, Birkbeck's School of Arts, London, UK
- 2014 **A Natural Oasis/Ephemeral works**, Piazzetta Alceste Ferri, Montegiardino, SM  
**Aegeanale 2014**, Kivotos Art Projects, cur. Sozita Goudouna, Mykonos, GR  
**Skouze3 booth**, cur. Eva Marathaki, Art Athina, Athens, GR  
**Rooms 2014**, cur. Charis Kanellopoulou, St. George Lycabettus hotel, Kappatos gallery, Athens, GR  
**Mediterranea 16**, CAMP, Athens, GR
- 2013 **/ti'tano/**, cur. Alessandro Castiglioni, Titano Theatre, SM  
**Other indications**, *Transcapes / The Halted Traveller*, cur. Maria Loizidou, Elena Parpa, NiMAC, Nicosia, CY  
**Thrills and Chills**, CAN gallery, Athens, GR  
**Summer Confluence**, G69 gallery, Graz, AT  
**Aegeanale 2013**, Kivotos Art Projects, cur. Sozita Goudouna, Mykonos, GR  
**Errors Allowed**, Mediterranea 16 Young Artists Biennale, Ancona, IT  
**Out of The Box Intermedia booth**, cur. Sozita Goudouna, Art Athina, Athens, GR

**PARTICIPATIONS**

- 2021 **CCFT – nomadic on-line dialogue 2 – new fluid territories**, Buffer Fringe, Nicosia, CY
- 2020 **Yours faithfully, A Collective Library project by phytorio**, Visual artists and art theorists association - phytorio, Nicosia, CY
- 2019 **Athens Art Book Fair**, Athens, GR  
**Radiophrenia 2019**, FM art radio station broadcasting in Glasgow, UK  
**Open studio**, Edinburgh Sculpture Workshop, Edinburgh, UK

- 2015 **Performing History**, workshop, cur. Alessandro Castiglioni, Rita Canarezza and Pier Paolo Coro, Gustavo Bacarisas gallery, Gibraltar, UK
- 2014 **Katalogos, workshop**, cur. Alessandro Castiglioni, Simone Frangi, Viafarini, Fabbrica del Vapore, Milano, IT
- A natural Oasis | Provoc'arte 1991 | Proposals for an archive**, workshop, cur. Alessandro Castiglioni, Simone Frangi, Montegiardino, SM
- 2013 **IntuNition**, workshop with Lia Haraki and Evi Haraki Mahera, University of Nicosia, Nicosia, CY
- Day of Open Studios**, Atelier Rondo, Graz, AT
- Cyprus International Performance Art Festival**, screening within the framework of the festival, European University, Nicosia, CY
- Loop festival**, screening within the framework of the festival, Melina Merkouri Hall, Nicosia, CY

#### PUBLICATIONS

- 2022 **Under|mining**, exhibition catalogue, Kalavassos, Larnaca, CY
- 2020 **Hypersurfacing**, exhibition catalogue, Nicosia Municipal Arts Centre, CY
- 2018 **Physical or Otherwise: Suggestions and Encounters**, published on the occasion of solo show titled *Suggestions and Encounters: Physical or Otherwise*, texts by Lampros Alexopoulos, Maria Anastassiou, Seán Elder, James Elkins, Allyson Keehan, Leontios Toumpouris, Glasgow, UK
- 2017 **Phytorio Residency Programme 2016-17**, Visual artists and art theorists association - phytorio, Nicosia, CY
- MO.17: Young Artists from Cyprus 1**, pre-exhibitions catalogue, Visual artists and art theorists association - phytorio, Nicosia, CY
- MO.17: Young Artists from Cyprus 2**, exhibitions catalogue, Visual artists and art theorists association - phytorio, Nicosia, CY
- 2015 **We are becoming the thing on which we are working – the conversations**, texts by Lito Kattou, Elena Parpa, Leontios Toumpouris, Nicosia, CY
- The Voices of the Sirens**, exhibition catalogue, mousse publishing, Little Constellation, Milano, IT
- No Food's Land**, Mediterranea 17 Young Artists Biennale, exhibition catalogue, Milano, IT
- Dialogos Issue 3**, Lito Kattou & Leontios Toumpouris, cur. Elena Poughia, Athens, GR
- 2014 **Rooms 2014**, exhibition catalogue, text by Charis Kanellou, Athens, GR
- 2013 **/ti'tano/**, exhibition catalogue, mousse publishing, Little Constellation, Milano, IT
- Kunstprieis des Landes Steiermark 2013**, Graz, AT
- Errors Allowed, Mediterranea 16 Young Artists Biennale**, exhibition catalogue, Bjcem, Ancona, IT
- Errors Allowed, Mediterranea 16 Young Artists Biennale**, exhibition flyer, text by Pavlos Parakevas, Director of the Cultural Services - Cyprus Ministry of Education, Culture, Sport and Youth, Nicosia, CY
- Interartive, Issue #55: Art and Mobility**, text by Lito Kattou & Leontios Toumpouris, interartive.org
- Collabo-nation**, Cyprus Dossier, Issue 5, text by Lito Kattou & Leontios Toumpouris, Nicosia, CY

#### PRESS

- 2022 Ένα κυριακάτικο πρωινό στην Καλαβασό, article by Anna Maragkou, [Phileleftheros](#)
- Under/mining: Μια διεθνής έκθεση για τον αντίκτυπο της μετάλλευσης στην Καλαβασό της Κύπρου**, article by George Mitropoulos, [Euronews](#)
- Μια διαλεκτική σχέση ύλης και τοπίου**, interview with Louiza Loui, [Kathimerini](#)
- Salons, un trio gagnant marseillais, Le quotidien de l'arte**, article by Armelle Malvoisin, [Fraeme](#)
- Ripartono le fiere d'arte. Il reportage da Art-o-rama a Marsiglia**, article by Lucia Longhi, [Artribune](#)
- Kunstmesse Art-O-Rama in Marseille - Kleine Schätze am Meer**, article by Alia Lübben, [Monopol](#)
- Foire d'art contemporain : Art-o-rama prend une nouvelle dimension en 2022**, article by Dominique Villanueva, [Gomet](#)
- Art-o-rama: 10 Emerging artists to discover**, article by [The Steidz](#)
- Όταν το παραδοσιακό χειροτέχνημα γίνεται σύγχρονο έργο τέχνης**, article by Apostolos Kouroupakis, [Kathimerini](#)
- 2021 **Palimpsest of voices, an online project by Leontios Toumpouris**, review by Andrés Valtierra, [Daily Lazy](#)
- Glasgow International: a-n members in view**, article by Jack Hutchinson, [a-n](#)
- Η Κύπρος και τα σπίτια της Τέχνης**, article by Savvas Christodoulides, [Χάρτης](#)
- 2020 **Οι τέχνες θα ανθίσουν και θα φέρουν κι άλλο**, article by Apostolos Kouroupakis, [Kathimerini](#)
- 2019 **Of Particular images**, review by Tommaso Ranfagni, [a-n](#)

**CURATING,  
PROGRAMMING**

- 2023 **We tell stories**, artist talk for children developed and led by Leontios Toumpouris, State gallery - Majestic, Nicosia, CY  
**A meeting of worlds**, series of workshops led by Denise Araouzou, Xarkis Festival, Kornos, CY
- 2022 **Practices of engagement**, talk within the framework of *Activating the public space* symposium, Visual artists and art theorists association - phytorio, Nicosia, CY  
**Transitions**, artist talk, Thinker Maker Space, CYENS, Nicosia, CY
- 2021 **Κυπριακά Σπίρτα Αφροδίτης**, event curated by CEL (Christos Kyriakides, Elena Parpa, Leontios Toumpouris) and Gabriel Koureas, Cyprus University of Technology, Limassol, CY  
**Κυπριακά Σπίρτα Αφροδίτης (ΚΣΑ)**, publication on the occasion of the event *Κυπριακά Σπίρτα Αφροδίτης*, edited by Christos Kyriakides, Elena Parpa, Leontios Toumpouris, Gabriel Koureas, Limassol, CY  
**Mediations**, workshop developed and led by Leontios Toumpouris, MGA Makerspace, Department of Multimedia and Graphic Arts, Cyprus University of Technology, Limassol, CY
- 2020 **And oh those eyes that were data-saturated (D-S)**, online project by Leontios Toumpouris and the Cultural Section - Cyprus High Commission in the UK
- 2019 **Acts of recognition**, screening, cur. Leontios Toumpouris, Thkio Ppalies, Nicosia, CY  
**Relations**, live sound performance by DJ and sound designer Alex Tomb, cur. Leontios Toumpouris, Thkio Ppalies, Nicosia, CY  
**Of sharing**, a three-day workshop for children developed and led by Leontios Toumpouris, Glasgow University Library, CCA: Centre for Contemporary Arts, Glasgow Sculpture Studios, Glasgow, UK  
**Of speculative indications**, curation of public display accompanied by an artist talk, Special Collections, Univeristy of Glasgow Library, Glasgow, UK  
**Of emblems**, talk by Professor Laurence Grove and Dr Luis Gomes, cur. Leontios Toumpouris, CCA: Centre for Contemporary Arts, Glasgow, UK
- 2018 **The Occult Turn**, symposium, cur. Izabella Scott, Leontios Toumpouris, Alessia Zinnari, Senate Room, University of Glasgow, UK, [theoccultturn.wordpress.com](http://theoccultturn.wordpress.com)  
**Reflections on writing**, publication launch and discussion, cur. Leontios Toumpouris, CCA: Centre for Contemporary Arts, Glasgow, UK
- 2017 **Beyond Event Horizon**, workshop developed and led by Emily Gray and Leontios Toumpouris for *MO.17: Young Artists from Cyprus*, Visual artists and art theorists association - phytorio, Nicosia, CY  
**On Residual Agencies**, screening, cur. Leontios Toumpouris and Maria Anastassiou, Edinburgh Art Festival, Morningside United Church, Edinburgh, UK / Supernormal Festival, Oxfordshire, UK
- 2015 **Mind the Gap #1**, artist talk, cur. Myrto Aristidou, Marina Christodoulidou, Visual artists and art theorists association - phytorio, Nicosia, CY
- 2014 **Embody your Remembrance**, workshop by Lito Kattou & Leontios Toumpouris in collaboration with cognitive psychologist and yoga instructor Alexia Galati within the framework of the project *Transcapes / The Halted Traveller*, Nicosia Municipal Arts Centre, CY
- 2013 - 2015  
**Ground artist-run space**, Co-founder and Director, Nicosia, CY, [groundartistrunspace.tumblr.com](http://groundartistrunspace.tumblr.com)

**RELEVANT WORK  
EXPERIENCE**

- 2022 - 2023  
**Faculty Member**, Department of Fine Arts, University of Nicosia, CY
- 2019 - 2020  
**Youth and Community worker**, Queens Cross Housing Association, Glasgow, UK  
**Guest Lecturer**, MLitt Curatorial Practice, School Of Culture & Creative Arts, University of Glasgow, UK
- 2012 - 2015  
**Painting tutor**, Foundation level, Thalia Pontiki School of Art and Creativity, Nicosia, CY