KSENIA KAZINTSEVA

FINE ARTIST &
RESEARCHER/
CULTURAL
PROJECT MANAGER

FINE ARTIST & RESEARCHER EXHIBITIONS

Crypt Gallery – Fragmented, 2022 (residency in progress)

Saatchi Gallery in collaboration with Shtager Gallery – *Fragmented*, 2021 (as part of StartArt Fair)

Avionics – Essential Aspects, 2020 (solo show)

Stanley Picker Gallery – *Bookish*, 2019 (group show)
Saatchi Gallery – *Education*, 2019 (group show)
Platform Gallery – 71 Days, 2019 (group show)
RHACC – *Nostalgia and Beyond*, 2018 (group show)
Bargehouse OXO Tower – *The Festival*, 2017 (group show)

PUBLICATIONS

Under submission to forthcoming edited volume: *Cracks in the Canon: Modernism and Censorship in Eastern Europe*, Dennis Ioffe and Kamila Kocialkowska (eds). (Expected publication date: 2023, Éditions de l'Université de Bruxelles)

Series of exhibition reviews, articles, interviews and podcasts for Russian Art & Culture, founder of Russian Art Week London. russianartandculture.com/authors/ksenia-kazintseva/ (as well as on behalf of the organisation itself).

Folklore as Essence: the continued impact of tradition on contemporary Russian art practice, Kingston University with support from the Stanley Picker research grant fund.

CONFERENCES

BASEES Conference University of Glasgow, 2023

Cracks in the Canon: Modernism and Censorship in Eastern Europe l'Université de Bruxelles, 2022

AAH Conference Loughborough University, 2017

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Project management / Curation Teaching / Fundraising Audience engagement / Design Database & media management Art handling & installation

MA Arts & Cultural Management KING'S COLLEGE LONDON

BA(Hons) Fine Art KINGSTON UNIVERSITY

MS Office / CRM / Adobe Suite / Eventbrite / WordPress / HTML

English / Russian / Spanish / German / Italian

Katherine Hill Programme & Partnerships Manager for Schools and Young People Wandsworth Arts Service 7 months working together

Natasha Butterwick Director Russian Art & Culture 2.5 years working together

CULTURAL PROJECT MANAGER

Start to finish cultural project management. Inspiring community groups, recruiting and training high-performing teams. Boosting engagement and exceeding targets with proven experience of doubling audiences and fostering local partnerships in record time. Increasing budget efficiency through adaptable strategy in line with policy goals. Stress-proof leader with outstanding communication and negotiation skills.

EXPERIENCE

Nov 2021 – present Arts Officer/ Expert in Residence RICHMOND AND WANDSWORTH COUNCILS / ORLEANS HOUSE **GALLERY**

- Implementing the boroughs' schools and young people programme to encourage partnership working between 51 state and independent schools with over 2,000 students
- Forging partnerships and developing new research projects centred in folklore and reforesting with local organisations
- Overseeing the maintenance of a local museum collection with 10,000 items; steering its adherence to best practice in preserving, handling, and loaning items; managing budgets
- Championing equality and diversity

optimising existing budgets

- Curating and managing exhibitions, designing project collateral including work with the RCA and Orleans House
- Coordinating the FRAMED programme to display 32 local artists' work in the public realm, working to budget

Designing digital learning programmes and residencies

Conceptualising and delivering social media strategy for increased brand awareness, engagement and growth

Building long standing partnerships with galleries, auction

Fundraising (securing advertorial and donation income),

Mar 2020 - March 2022

Media Manager & Learning Curator JAMES BUTTERWICK GALLERY / **RUSSIAN ART & CULTURE**

Mar 2019 - Nov 2021 Artist Educator CYGNETS SCHOOL OF

ART

Designing and actualising highly attended learning programme to complement curriculum

houses, schools and charities; managing interns

Safeguarding, ensuring to diversity and inclusion (pastoral care for SEN and BAME students)

Leading portfolio scholarship and grant applications which attendees were successful in receiving

Jul 2020 - Jul 2021 Operations Supervisor

CASS ART

Introducing and running highly regarded local volunteer programme and exhibitions (Bargehouse OXO Tower)

Managing the team, training staff, boosting morale through alignment with company ethos, building local partnerships with schools, artists and businesses

- Visual merchandising, managing stock, streamlining interdepartmental communication; promoted after just three
- Documenting and evaluating educational programmes with adherence to GDPR; financial reporting

Mar 2019 – Dec 2020 Curator / Events Manager MIL (TROUBADOUR LONDON)

Designing events and collateral (print & digital) alongside targeting strategy

Hiring and training high performing teams and artists, staffing and managing events to budget; doubled attendance

Curating networking panels and exhibitions

Mar 2019 - Sep 2019 Engagement Lead

TATE EXCHANGE

Oct 2018 - Oct 2019 Education & FOH

Coordinator SAATCHI GALLERY/ BEYOND PROJECTS

- Delivering the public engagement programme, attended by record breaking number of first-time attendees
- Developing and successfully converting attendance leads, moderating inclusion panel
- Managing scheduling, communications and database maintenance, training interns, building partnerships
- Conceptualising and actualising popular adaptable exhibition and curriculum-relevant creative programmes for
- Curating and installing exhibitions, handling artwork
- Collecting and collating feedback to improve exhibition strategies and experience, evaluating programmes

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Sep 2018 – June 2020

Academic Mentor & Senior Curriculum Representative KINGSTON UNIVERSITY

Dec 2017 – Sep 2018 Exhibition Support AUTOITALIA

May 2016 – Oct 2016 Front of House LPQ / GOAT CHELSEA

Nov 2015 – Dec 2018 Educator TUTORHUNT/ TUTORFAIR

- Designing additional programmes that ensure excellence during transition into Higher Education, pastoral care
- Streamlining public event and programme delivery by adhering to guidelines, working to budget, scheduling, arranging venue hire, conducting evaluation and liaising with senior board members
- Boosting interdepartmental communications
- Transforming the gallery space in accordance with artist specifications, administratively supporting the gallery
- Providing technical and installation expertise, ensuring seamless exhibition experience for audiences
- Optimising the use of budget
- Providing outstanding customer service
- Maximising sales
- Co-managing a team of 10 to ensure KPIs are reached
- Designing tailored learning programmes for Art, Music, Economics, Russian and English language students
- Supporting SEN students in acquiring tools to use for learning in the long-term and increasing academic achievement
- Working with adult language learners and building education plans in line with their goals and interests, as well as strategies to fit these around their work