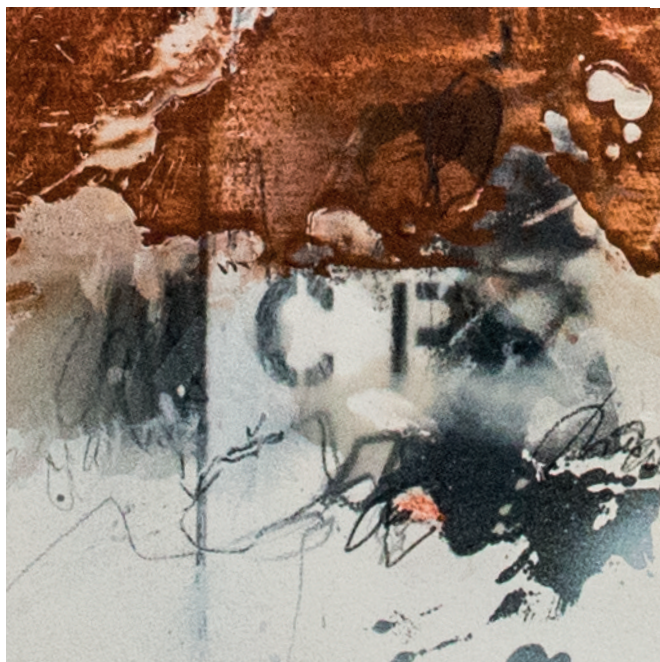


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Artworks on paper



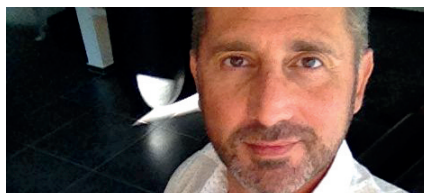
The fascinating world of painting

My passion for art emerged early on. Painting has been a part of my life since I was a little child; paper and colours were my preferred toys. My fascination with painting continued throughout the years. I first taught myself figurative art techniques, depicting spaces and dimensions I'd observed intensively. I learned about the significance that light and dark contrast have, how to identify the proportion and how to place them in their proper relationship. Soon I realized that I wanted to go beyond realistic representations; I needed to express myself by letting my feelings take shape with my personal abstract forms and lines. My transition from figurative to abstract painting opened the door to my inner imagery. Intrigued by the works of Hans Falk and Sam Francis I continued my exploration developing my abilities during art lessons led by a great mentor, the artist Ruedi Sieber. Nowadays my abstract works are entirely done in acrylic mixed media and my art plays a major part in my life. In 2005 I was admitted into the Artist Association Zurich.

My paintings are mirrors of my soul, the visual expression of my experiences and emotions, adding nuance to my everyday life. I want to convey a feeling of joy and gift viewers when they indulge in my paintings. Every time a work captures the heart of someone, it moves me deeply seeing the personal process of the viewer's experience; how this person is responding to my painting, associating personal emotions and creating its own world.







Exhibitions

- 2016 ART Innsbruck 2016 – Austria
- 2015 Studio Dati – Pfäffikon, Switzerland
- 2014 Annual exhibition Artist Association Zürich, Switzerland
in Kunstraum Bellerive – Zürich
Art Poster Gallery – Zürich
VorsichtKUNST – Open Studio Bülach
- 2013 Exhibition at Café Klaus – Bülach, Switzerland
- 2012 ArtExpo Arezzo – Italy
Art Innsbruck 2012 – Austria
Participation in the art project «kunstPROJEKT12» –
Bülach, Switzerland
- 2011 Group exhibition, Artina – Zug, Switzerland
Group exhibition, ARTseefeld – Zürich, Switzerland
Group exhibition, Studio Dati – Pfäffikon ZH, Switzerland
- 2010 Solo exhibition, «riverside» – Glattfelden, Switzerland
Annual exhibition Artist Association Zürich, Kunstdach –
Uster, Switzerland
- 2009 «Art Mile», Christmas market Bülach, Switzerland
Solo exhibition, Bosshard Weine – Bülach
- 2008 «Art Mile», Christmas market Bülach, Switzerland
- 2007 Solo exhibition, A1 M.O.V.E – Zürich, Switzerland
Display window Artist Association Zürich, Switzerland
- 2006 Art Gallery am Bogen – Bremgarten, Switzerland
Contemporary Art Fair «Art International» Zürich
- 2005 Wiler Rahmen Gallery – Wil SG, Switzerland
- 2004 Art Gallery Willen – Luzern, Switzerland
Art Gallery Artina – Zug, Switzerland
Group exhibition «SINNE», cultural event –
(Schmelzhalle) Niederglatt, Switzerland
- 2003 Gottfried Keller Zentrum – Glattfelden, Switzerland
MasterArt – JONA, Switzerland
Art Gallery am Bogen – Bremgarten, Switzerland
Art Gallery Schönenberger – Zürich, Switzerland
- 2002 Wiler Rahmen Gallery – Wil SG, Switzerland
- 2001 Art Gallery Artina – Zug, Switzerland
- 2000 Art Galery Artina – Zug, Switzerland
Art Galery Rathausplatz – Lachen, Switzerland
Steeg – Dielsdorf, Switzerland
- 1999 Hotel «Zum Goldenen Kopf» – Bülach, Switzerland
AMAG – Bülach, Switzerland
- 1978 First exhibition, Italian cultural & community centre –
Dielsdorf, Switzerland

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