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FACULTY

LANFRANCO ACETI, PhD in Film, Fine Art and New Media, Central Saint Martins College of Art and Design, 2005.
New Media; Digital Culture; Virtual Reality Environments; Contemporary History Art and Curatorial Studies

ERDAĞ AKSEL, DA in Painting, Dokuz Eylül University, 1985.
Visual Arts; Painting; Sculpture; Photography Installations; Visual Literacy

SELÇUK ARTUT, MA in Sonic Arts, Middlesex University, London 2005.
Sound Design; Digital Art; Multimedia; Interactive Design; Physical Computing

ELİF AYİTER, PhD, The Planetary Colloquium, CAIA, University of Plymouth, 2012.
Computer Science / Art and Design; Hybrids; Three Dimensional; Online Virtual Worlds; Data Visualization

Drawing; Painting; Sculpture; Installation; Photography; Video; Music; Exhibiting

MURAT GERMEN, MA in Architecture, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 1992.
Photography; Art; Interface Design; Architecture; Creativity & Concept Generation

ONUR YAZICI, MFA in Visual Communication Design, Purdue University, 2009.
Book and Poster Design; Information Design; Type Design and History; Calligraphy and Lettering

WIESLAW ZAREMBA, PhD in Painting, Gdańsk State Academy of Fine Arts, 1989.
Drawing; Painting; Reproduction Photography

3D Animation; Multimedia Design; Motion Graphics and Arts; Digital Video; Photography

Visiting/Part-time Faculty
Can Altay
Ahu Antmen
Michael Bishop
Lynn Cowell
Ekmel Ertan
Selçuk Gönşik
Banu Karaca
Stephanie Painé
Maryse Posenker
Asuman Suner Zontul

Visiting Artists and Designers
Nigel Helyer - Fall 2013
İhsan Demir - Spring 2013
Pınar Yolaçan - Spring 2012
Michael Bishop - Fall 2010
Zachary Coffin - Summer 2010
Murat Morova - Spring 2010
Yusuf Akdeniz Graf - Fall 2009
Can Altay - Spring 2009
Serkan Özkaş - Fall 2008
Ahmet Elhan - Spring 2008
Leyla Gölz - Fall 2007
Nazlı Topçuğlu - Spring 2007
İnci Eviner - Fall 2006
Suzanne Kanatz - Spring 2006
Paul McMillen - Spring 2005
Hale Tenger - Spring 2004
The MA program in Visual Arts and Visual Communication Design offers the opportunity to study a range of disciplines within an interdisciplinary community. From fine arts to digital media, from new media theories to interaction design, together with curatorial studies, photography, sound, video, animation and new media arts, the program enables students to engage with the practices of visual arts and design in the context of contemporary and traditional media. Theory and practice are linked together in a challenging series of courses that will provide the students with the necessary understanding and experience to succeed in the international world of contemporary arts and design.

APPLICATION

Applications for graduate programs are evaluated by the respective admission jury in line with the specific requirements of the program. Admission is finalized by the recommendation of the jury and announced to the applicants.

MA VACD applicants are required to submit a portfolio of their previous works and also they are called for written exams and interviews. All written exams and interviews are held in English.

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INTERNATIONAL LINKS

Partner Institutions
- Aalto University School of Art and Design (Finland), Academy of Fine Arts in Gdansk (Poland), Academy of Fine Arts in Kraków (Poland), Academy of Fine Arts Vienna (Austria), Academy of Fine Arts Rome (Italy), College of Fine Arts, Saarbrücken (Germany), Dan Laforge Institute of Art, Design and Technology (Ireland), L’École Supérieure d’Art de Grenoble (France), National Film School Lodz (Poland), NHL University (The Netherlands), Polytechnic University of Valencia (Spain), Sheffield Hallam University (UK), The New Academy of Fine Arts of Milan - NABA (Italy), Universidad Católica Portuguesa (Portugal), University of Art and Design Helsinki (Finland), University of Porto (Portugal), University of Bremen (Germany)

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS AND GALLERIES

Journal Publications
- Lecture Notes in Computer Science, Anadolu Sanat, Journal on Systemics, Cybernetics and Informatics, artciencia.com, Stowarszzenie Kulturoznav-Edycje

Faculty Exhibitions / Displays
- Deniz Palas IKSV, Istanbul; Academini Schloss Solitude, Stuttgart; Operation Room, Istanbul; Biennale 2007, Istanbul; File Festival, San Paolo; Slaughte Foundation Gallery, Philadelphia; Deutsches Architektur-museum, Frankfurt; Museum of Modern Art, Mexico City; Fotografie Forum Frankfurt; BFA, India; Pinacoteca Nazionale, Bologna; File 2008- Electronic Language Festival, Sao Paolo; Konstfack University, Stockholm; BM Suma, Istanbul; Ram Art, Rotterdam; Triennale Bosna, Milan; Palais Porcia, Vienna; TÖYAP Istanbul Art Fair, Istanbul; National Centre of Contemporary Art, Moscow; Ekatburg Museum of Fine Arts, Ekatburg; Amber08, Istanbul; Rinascimento Virtuale: Art & Architecture in Second Life, Florence Anthropological Museum, Italy; Malaysia National Art Gallery; Nikiin Ginz Gallery, Tokyo; Anexe Gallery, Kuala Lumpur; Wei Ling Gallery, Kuala Lumpur; Espace Dupon Gallery, Paris; Museum of Higas Kawa, Hokkaido; Gdansk Cultural Centre, Poland; Farmani Gallery, New York; Istanbul Modern Photography Gallery, Istanbul; C.A.M. Gallery, Istanbul; Galiel Apel, Auditorium Bracciano & Change+Partner Habitat Concept Contemporary Art, Italy; ICA London: Art Hong Kong: Art London

GALLERIES

FASS Art Gallery situated on campus; foss.sabanciuniv.edu/fossartgallery

Kasa Gallery situated in Sabancı University Karaköy Minerva Han, is one of the important contemporary art galleries of Istanbul. Kasa Gallery is a member of BICEM (Biennial of Young Artists from Europe and the Mediterranean; www.bcem.com). kossogol@sabanciuniv.edu

Selected Exhibitions at Kasa Gallery

- Mark Ameika, Paul Catenese, Jane Prophet, Charles Cusiro, Hermann Nitsch, Roman Quilka, Yuri Odo, Iban Komani, Alex Eubizyuta Siesye, 10 years at Kasa

Sabancı University VACD Program represents Turkey at BICEM since 1999.

AREAS OF STUDY


ALUMNI PLACEMENT INSTITUTION LIST

MagClick Digital Solutions, Istanbul Modern Art Museum, C.A.M. Gallery, Damla Media Production, Filka Design, University of Southern California- MFA in Animation & Digital Arts, Cornell University-PhD in Theatre Arts, Mana Digital, Media Lab-Helsinki, Galerie Ev, Kofiji, CPM Istanbul, Lancaster University-PhD in Innovation for Digital Economy, University of Glasgow-MFA in Fine Arts, Central European University-MA in Sociology and Social Anthropology, Goldsmiths College, University of London-MFA in Art Practice, Central European University-MA in Gender Studies, Digital Wonders, Istanbul Foundation for Culture and Arts, Sanofi Aventis, Finansbank, Emirgan Export, DDB and CO, Autodesk, British Council, University of Applied Arts, Vienna-PhD in Cultural and Intellectual History, University of California, San Diego-PhD in Critical Studies & Experimental Practices, Contemporary Istanbul

SELECTED WORKSHOPS

- Dan Graham, Corey McCorkle, Jon Ashmann, Thomas Milo, Stefano Cardini, Felix Hardwood Beck, Alex Moh, Jamie Allen, Dennis Kranich, Christoph Lischka, Todd Igoe, Paolo Laudisa, Paolo; Stefano Cardini, Jamie Allen, Alex Moh, Thomas Milo, Jon Ashmann, Corey McCorkle, Peter Greenaway, Abby Robinson

- University of Bremen (Germany), Universidade Catolica Portuguesa (Spain), L’École Supérieure d’Arts de Grenoble (France), National Film School Lodz (Poland), NHL University (The Netherlands), Polytechnic University of Valencia (Spain), Sheffield Hallam University (UK), The New Academy of Fine Arts of Milan - NABA (Italy), Universidad Católica Portuguesa (Portugal), University of Art and Design Helsinki (Finland), University of Porto (Portugal), University of Bremen (Germany)

- Peter Greenaway, Paul Brown, Sue Gollifer, Anthony Moore, Siegfried Zielinski, Ian J. Zhang, Alex Seago, Heitor Alvelos, Peter Mackey, Yavor Shit, Jim Morrison, John Zimmerman, Red Burns, Mario Rizi, Andray Badnarek, Dan Boyarski, Safi Jari, Bettina Henkel, Milenko Prvacki, Abby Robinson

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