

ROMAN KISSIOV (Bulgaria)

(Bulgaria).

Background

Born in the town of Kazanlak (Bulgaria).

Finished study at the Secondary School of Fine Arts in Kazanlak.
Graduated in Painting from Prof. Svetlin Roussev's class in the
National Academy of Fine Arts in Sofia.

Joint Exhibitions:

Kazanlak (Bulgaria).

Rousse (Bulgaria).

Samokov (Bulgaria);

New York and Washington, D.C. (USA) – A representative
exhibition of the National Academy of Fine Arts, Sofia.

Sofia (Bulgaria), Gallery of the Bulgarian Artists' Union Shipka 6
– Exhibition by the graduates from the National Academy
of Fine Arts, Sofia.

Rousse (Bulgaria), City Art Gallery – “Autumn Expositi-
on `91”.

Sofia (Bulgaria), Gallery of the Bulgarian Artists' Union Shipka 6
– Exhibition by Roussev;

Rousse (Bulgaria), City Art Gallery – “Spring Expositi-
on `92” and “Autumn Exposition `92”.

Italy (Camerino, Macerata, and Rippe San Ginesia);

Rousse (Bulgaria), City Art Gallery – “Autumn Expositi-
on `93”.

Rousse (Bulgaria), Gallery of the Artists' Association;

City Art Gallery – “Autumn Exposition `94”.

Sofia (Bulgaria), The Princess Hotel – “Churches and Monaster-
ies” topical exposition.

1999 Troyan (Bulgaria), City Art Gallery.

2000 Sofia (Bulgaria), National Palace of Culture – Autumn Ex-
position.

2002 Rousse (Bulgaria), City Art Gallery – “EcoArt 3”

2005 Plovdiv (Bulgaria), TrakArt Gallery.

2007 Sofia (Bulgaria), Imon Gallery;

Plovdiv (Bulgaria), TrakArt Gallery.

Strumica (Macedonia), City Art Gallery

Skopje (Macedonia), National Art Gallery

2008 Skopje (Macedonia), National Art Gallery

2010 Plovdiv (Bulgaria), TrakArt Gallery.

2011 Kumanovo (Macedonia), City Art Gallery

Rousse (Bulgaria), Friends Gallery

2012 Plovdiv (Bulgaria), TrakArt Gallery.

One-Man Shows:

1980 Kazanlak (Bulgaria), Secondary School of Fine Arts.

1995 Sofia (Bulgaria), Seasons Gallery.

1999 Vienna (Austria), Wittgenstein Palace.

2012 Berlin (Germany), Bulgarian Cultural Institute.

Awards:

1995 Sexaginta Prista Award for the Culture and Arts, Rousse

Participation in International Art Colonies:

2007 “St. Achilles” International Fine Arts Colony – Little
Prespa, Greece

International Fine Arts Colony of Strumica, Macedonia

2008 International Fine Arts Colony of Galichnik and Ohrid,
Macedonia

2010 International Fine Arts Colony of Pelince-Kumanovo,
Macedonia

Collections:

The National Gallery of Fine Arts in Sofia; Sredetz Palace of
Culture in Sofia; The City Art Gallery in Rousse; Wittgenstein
Palace – Vienna, as well as private collections in Bulgaria, Italy,
France, Germany, Latvia, Romania, Greece, Serbia, Macedonia,
the USA, India, and Benin (Africa).

Besides in painting, Roman Kissiov works in the sphere of the
illustration, book art and graphic design. He is author of the de-
sign and illustrations of tens of books, mainly poetry books by
world renowned poets.

Roman Kissiov himself is a poet as well, and the author of 5 po-
etry books in Bulgaria, and poetry books in Croatia and Mace-
donia. Some of his poems have been translated into 15 languages
around the world.

The artist lives and works in Sofia.

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