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Dimitris Mytas

Photography exhibition “MAUVE”

8th October – 5th November 2022

Ikastikos Kiklos DL Gallery, in cooperation with **Nina Kassianou**, presents on **Saturday 8th October** the personal exhibition **“MAUVE”** of **Dimitris Mytas**.

***MAUVE** does not constitute any random tone of the colour palette. It represents a modern color, the first synthetic dye in history. Furthermore, psychology science labels it as “mysterious”: the lighter edges of its spectrum exude power, superiority and lavishness while its darker hues reflect introversion, thoughtfulness and self-criticism. Those dark romantic qualities identified with my emotional state of the past years, when MAUVE photographs actually have been created. The whole project is divided in five consecutive subjects, attributed as the “Elegies of the dark shades of MAUVE”.*

Dimitris Mytas

Exhibition Openings: Saturday 8th October 2022, 18:00-22:30

Duration of exhibition: 8th October till 5th November 2022

Operating Hours: Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 11:00 - 20:00
Wednesday, Saturday 11:00 - 16:00

Sundays and Mondays closed

*Gallery is programmed to be closed from 28th to 30th of October

Entry to the exhibition is free for the public.

Dimitris Mytas is a photographer based in Athens (b. Kapareli Argolis/Greece, 1970)

He was introduced in the world of photography in the early 90's. Since then, he insists on developing his creative relationship with the photographic medium on a daily basis. In fact, he continues to believe that "aesthetics is the ethics of the future".

He has presented his work in six solo exhibitions in Athens Greece: "Untitled"/Diavasi/1998, "Faces"/Photohoros/1999, "Insight"/Epi Kolono Theater/2003, "Zero Ten"/M55 Projects/2011, "Hospital"/Ikastikos Kiklos/2016, "Dreamtigers"/Ikastikos Kiklos DL/2019.

He has taken part in numerous group exhibitions, in Greece and abroad.

Last years' main presentations: "Mauve"/Anatomy of Political Melancholy/Schwarz Foundation/Athens Conservatory/2019, "Mauve"/Athens Photo Festival 2019/Benaki Museum/Athens/Greece, "Urban Tomography"/The Historical Archives of the Piraeus Bank Group Cultural Foundation/Athens/Greece/2019, "Hospital"/Photometria Festival 2020/Ioannina/Greece, "Alice in the Cities"/Trieste Photo Days 2021/Trieste/Italy, "Mauve" book/Photobook boom/Photobiennale 2021/Thessaloniki/Greece, "Mauve"/Photobook exhibition/Athens Photo Festival 2022/Benaki Museum/Athens, "Mauve"/Head On Photo Festival 2022/Sydney/Australia.

He has published five photobooks: "Faces"/1998, "Insight"/2003, "Zero Ten"/2011, "Hospital"/2016, "Dreamtigers"/2019.

* In a parallel universe, he studied Medical Science in Athens Medical School and practices Medicine as a Cardiologist of a Public Hospital.