

Daria Izworska (she/her)

I am a visual artist and researcher based between Bristol and Kraków, working on the intersection of art and psychology. I explore themes centred around the mechanisms of psychological control, disability and relationality using the means of mixed visual media and embodied practices. Drawing from personal history, I address radical religious experiences and reimagine narratives of female mental illness. Member of Rust, contemporary photography and publishing collective.

Education

2021-2022	MSc Experimental Psychology, University of Bristol, Bristol, UK
2019-2020	Photography Mentorship Program, Sputnik Photos, Warsaw, PL
2018-2023	BA Film, Television and Photographic Art and New Media, ITF Opava, CZ
2014-2017	BA Journalism and Social Communication, Jagiellonian University, Kraków, PL

Social Engagement

2025	Image narration workshops co-facilitator, Fort Institute of Photography, Warsaw, PL
2024	Theatre of the Oppressed workshops co-facilitator, Bristol, UK
2024	Supporting children with disabilities in preparing the play Macbeth, Willow Park Primary, Bristol, UK

Selected experience

2025	Photobook Editor, Rust Publishing, Krakow, PL
2025	Art Council England Project Assistant, Out There Arts, Great Yarmouth, UK
2023-2024	Special Educational Needs and Disabilities Assistant, Team Educate, Bristol, UK
2023	Guest lecturer, Academy of Photography, Krakow, PL

Exhibitions

2025	Paper Photo Award Photobook Exhibition, Galeria Miasta Ogrodów, Katowice, PL
2025	Online exhibition, God's Children, Der Greif, Guest Room: Sarker Protick & Donald
2025	Weber 35 years of ITF Opava, Dům umění, st. Václav Church in Opava, CZ
2025	We don't need other worlds, Krakow Art Week KRAKERS, PL
2025	We don't need other worlds, Festival Grajdół, Muszyna, PL
2023	God's Children, Der Greif, Guest Room: Marina Paulenka
2022	The Best Possible, Lokstallen, Rødberg, Norway
2021	30 Years of Opava, Opole Month of Photography, Galeria Sztuki Współczesnej, PL
2021	Opava school of photography, Galeria Sztuki Współczesnej BWA, Katowice, PL
2021	Opava Girls / Opava Women, 31st Annual Month of Photography in Bratislava, SK
2021	30 years of ITF Opava, Dům umění, st. Václav Church and KUPE in Opava, CZ
2020	Sputnik Photos, Społeczne Centrum Fotografii, Warszawa, PL

Publications

(in publication)	No Foreign Language Effect on Risk Preferences, Journal of Economic Psychology
2024	The impossibility of being, How do you remember anything? Kiezschatze, Berlin, DE
2023	The Images of Mental Illness in Contemporary Photography, Silesian University in Opava, CZ
2021	30 Years of the Institute of Creative Photography, Silesian University in Opava, CZ
2020	NO.9 Sputnik Photos Mentoring Program photobook, Warsaw, PL

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