

## Dmitriy Lukanin

Dmitry Lukanin was born in Moscow in 1967 in the family of the painter Nikolai Aleksandrovich Lukanin. Has attended several art schools and studios of Fine Arts in childhood. In 1985 he entered the «Moscow Art School in memory of 1905», but was drafted into the army in the same year. Thereby he graduated from the Art School only in 1991. In 1997 he graduated from the Department of Monumental Painting at the V. Surikov Moscow State Academy. Same year he joined the Russian Union of Artists and became a member of the Moscow Union of Artists.

Currently Dmitry Lukanin lives and works in Moscow as the main artist-decorator in the art bureau «Palmette» which was founded by him in 2005 and is specialized in interior decoration. Member of the art-group "Russia" since its inception.

### About the group "Russia":

*"The reference to the old masters is not the goal of the artists of the «Russia» group. It is important for them to keep the entire history of the development of art in their minds, rather than be on the ecstatic edge of the vector of this development" - S. Anufriev*

The group "Russia" consists of the Blok-Dmitriev family (Ivan Dmitriev, Lyudmila Blok, Egor Dmitriev) and their close friend, Dmitriy Lukanin. The canvases of the group represent the junction of realism and classicism or, as described by Elena Selina, made «between schematism and hyperrealism». The group carried out several art projects and held a number of exhibitions in collaboration with various artists. It worked with the group «Medical Hermeneutics», as well as separately with Pavel Pepperstein, Sergey Anufriev and several representatives of Neo-Academism.



## Exhibitions

- 2017 — «Cosmos», Come-In Cultural Club, Moscow, Russia
- 2016 — «Evolution», Darwin Museum, Moscow, Russia
- 2015 — «Anniversary of the Moscow Union of Artists», Central House of Artists, Moscow, Russia
- 2015 — «Moscow Saturnalia», MOSHAOS, Moscow, Russia
- 2014 — «Moscow Saturnalia», MOSHAOS, Moscow, Russia
- 2013 — «Troshev and His Disciples», Moscow School of Music, Moscow, Russia
- 2004 — «Russian Fine Art», Opera Gallery, New York, USA
- 2001 — «New Serious», Rotunda Gallery, Moscow, Russia
- 1999 — International Young Art Sutbis Artsline, Chicago / Tel Aviv, USA / Israel
- 1998 — «250 thousand miles», Yakut Gallery, Moscow, Russia
- 1998 — «Maximov and his Workshop», Academy of Arts, Moscow, Russia
- 1997 — «Our Heritage», Radisson Slavyanskaya, Moscow, Russia
- 1997 — «Mostra Di Pittori Russi Tradizione e Modernita», San Benedetto, Italy
- 1996 — «Exhibition of Artists of Orthodox Countries», Festival in Thessaloniki, Greece
- 1996 — «Pow-Wow with Lenin», Theater of Revolution Exhibit, Philadelphia, USA
- 1995 — «Russian Realism» (Exhibition MOSH), Central Exhibition Hall «Kuznetsky Most», Moscow, Russia
- 1992 — «Young Russia» (Youth), Central House of Artists, Moscow, Russia
- 1991 — «Exhibition of the Association of Artists of Moscow», Hall of the Association of Artists Moscow, Moscow, Russia

### Trade fairs:

- 2006 — «Lubeynikov and his students», in the framework of «Art-Moscow», Central House of Artists, Moscow
- 2002 — «Art-Moscow», Central House of Artists, Moscow
- 2000 — «Art Manege», Central Exhibition Hall «Big Manege», Moscow
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