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## profile

Roman Sokolov born in Leningrad (St.Petersburg), USSR in 1989 and began his studies in visual arts at 13. Later, In his first year in the Faculty of Photojournalism, he became a photographer for TimeOut Petersburg magazine and got surrounded by the city's cultural life.

For a long time, Roman considered personal photography as an unconscious way to express his feelings and emotions. His work with diverse artists influenced and changed the understanding of art and photography. The connection of a man with environment became the main theme of his works.

From 2020 to 2022 Roman worked on the photo project dedicated to the astronomical observatory. For some months he lived in the observatory itself. Being guided by astronomers, Roman learned the basics of philosophy and started wide ecological research.

After the War in Ukraine started, Roman flew out to Istanbul, where made work for Liberation and Arte. In September 2022 he moved to Denmark, being invited by Danish School of Media and Journalism.

## languages

English, Russian

## education

2022	DMJX (Danish School of Media and Journalism) workshop supported by Nordic Journalist Centre and Nordic Council of Ministers, Istanbul, Turkey
2019	ISSP/International Summer School of Photography, Latvia
2018–2017	Stanley Green, Yuriy Kozyrev, Kazuma Obara, Vlad Sohin, Elena Anosova, Yana Romanova, Oksana Yushko and Artur Bondar workshops, St-Petersburg
2018–2017	Academy of Documentary Photography and Photojournalism "Fotografika", St-Petersburg
2012–2010	Faculty of photojournalism, Saint-Petersburg

## residencies

2023	Skaftfell Art Center, Iceland
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## publications

2022	"Istanbul, hub pour les Russes en exil" – Liberation
2021	"Astronomical capital of the world" – Takie Dela magazine
2020	"Escape" – Republic
	"Soul Survivors" – Republic
2019	"Protest" - Republic
	"Escape" – Dodho, Bird In Flight magazine
	"Soul Survivors" – Takie Dela magazine
2018	"At Night" issue F-STOP Magazine – online group exhibition
2017	"Protest", Snob Magazine

## exhibitions

2019	"Escape." – Orangery of the Tauride Garden, St-Petersburg
	"Dream city" – Museum of Freud's dreams, St-Petersburg
2017	"Garage" – PrintCafe, St-Petersburg
	"Smells - the invisible beauty of Petersburg" joint exhibition with Alexei Tsarev and perfumer Laimė Kiskūnė – Inside gallery, St-Petersburg

## contests

2019	International photography grant NOMINEE: "Soul Survivors"
2018	Photo featured in the "New Visions" – "Cortona On The Move 2018" Competition Gallery