

SCHWARZ CONTEMPORARY

MINDAUGAS NAVAKAS

1952	born in Kaunas, Lithuania
1969-1971	Kaunas Polytechnic Institute, Architecture
1971-1977	Vilnius Academy of Art (former Lithuanian State Institute of Art), Sculpture & Architecture

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Einzelausstellungen / Solo Exhibitions

2026

China, SCHWARZ CONTEMPORARY, Berlin #
On Green, (AV17) Gallery, Vilnius, Lithuania

2024

The Carp and the Dragon , (AV17) Gallery, Vilnius, Lithuania
5 Objects(2) , Bernardinai garden, Vilnius, Lithuania
Porcelain for the Palace , Sapieha Palace, Vilnius, Lithuania

2022

More Chinaware , (AV17) Gallery, Vilnius, Lithuania
5 Objects , Bernardinai garden, Vilnius, Lietuva

2021

Inside and Outdoors, Radvila Palace, Vilnius, Lithuania

2020

China , (AV17) Gallery, Vilnius, Lithuania

2019

Objectivities , Contemporary Art Centre, Vilnius, Lithuania

2016

Above , Akademija Gallery, Vilnius, Lithuania

2015

Glory Was at the Fingertips , National Gallery of Art, Vilnius, Lithuania

2014

The Coat 3 , Art in General Gallery, New York, US

2013

Three Things , Malonioji 6 Gallery, Vilnius, Lithuania

2011

Two Vases , Gallery of the Costume Design Department at Vilnius Academy of Vilnius, Lithuania

2010

Small Pieces of Paper and Lids , Gallery of the Costume Design Department at Vilnius Arts, Vilnius, Lithuania

2009

Smash the Windows, Snatch the Crystals! , Frieze Art Fair, London, England

2008

It's Getting Harder , Art Museum of Estonia (KUMU), Tallinn, Estonia
Five Large Sculpture at Savi č i ū nai , Art in Unusual Spaces Vilnius – European Capital of Culture 2009, Vilnius, Lithuania

2007

Decorare , installation on the Geležinio Vilko Bridge, Art in Unusual Spaces Vilnius – European Capital of Culture, Vilnius, Lithuania

2006

/R -O/ Works , Museum of Contemporary Sculpture, Oronsk, Poland
/R/ Works , Latvia National Museum, Riga, Latvia

2005

Garland , Intro gallery, Vilnius, Lithuania

2004

Flags on the Nemune , Merkinė, Lithuania
Petasites and More , Antanas Mončys Museum, Palanga, Lithuania
Arctium , Nemo Gallery, Eckernförde, Germany

2003

Rustling , O 11 Gallery, Vilnius, Lithuania

2002

Cats , O 11 Gallery, Vilnius, Lithuania

On the Walls , O 11 Gallery, Vilnius, Lithuania

2000

The Swan , Noass Gallery, Riga, Latvia

1999

150W , Art League, Vilnius, Lithuania

The Hare and the Fox , Akademija Gallery, Vilnius, Lithuania

The Lithuanian National Pavilion at the 48th Venice Biennale (with Egle Rakauskaite), Venice, Italy

1996

Various , Jutempus Gallery, Vilnius, Lithuania; Contemporary Art Centre, CAC, Vilnius, Lithuania

Waltzing Matilda , Gallery 6, Riga, Latvia

1994

Good Steel , Šiaurės Atėnai Gallery, Vilnius, Lithuania

1993

Evolvent : Monotypes, Drawings , Akademija Gallery, Vilnius, Lithuania

Mindaugas Navakas at the Contemporary Art Centre , Contemporary Art Centre, Vilnius, Lithuania

Matinée Litauen , Rittergut park, Birkhof, Germany

1992

Sculpture , Bokštas Gallery, Vilnius, Lithuania

1991

Sculpture, Drawings, Screen Prints , AEH, Klaipėda, Lithuania

1988

Drawings , VU Grafikos kabinetas, Vilnius, Lithuania

1987

Sculpture, Zincography , House of Architects, Kaunas, Lithuania

Sculpture, Drawings , The Art Worker's palace, (now the Lithuanian President's Office), Vilnius, Lithuania

Gruppenausstellungen / Group Exhibitions

2025

Iron Vilnius , Museum of Applied Arts and Design, Vilnius, Lithuania

2023

The City Passes Through Time: Mindaugas Navakas and Ar ū nas Gudaitis , Martynas Mažvydas National Library of Lithuania, Vilnius, Lithuania

2015

Sculpture by The Sea , Aarhus, Denmark

2013

Part of a Larger Whole , Lithuanian Contemporary Art, Contemporary Art Centre, Vilnius, Lithuania

2012

Lithuanian Art, 2012: 18 Exhibitions, Contemporary Art Centre, Vilnius, Lithuania

2011

Monuments that Are Not , National Gallery of Art, Vilnius, Lithuania

2010

Ten Years of Lithuanian Art 2000-2010:, Contemporary Art Centre, Vilnius, Lithuania
Contemporary Art from Lithuania , European Central Bank, Frankfurt, Germany

2008

Foyer: Language and Space on the Border , Contemporary Art Centre, Vilnius, Lithuania; Palais du Tau, Reims, France
Experiment. XX -XXI a. Century Lithuanian Art , Radvila Palace Museum, Vilnius, Lithuania

2007

Still Here: Humor in Performance Video from Post -Communist Europe , Artspace Gallery, Sydney, Australia

2006

Several Sculptures in Kair è nai Park , Vilnius University Botanic Garden, Kairėnai, Vilnius, Lithuania

2005

On Travelling , Antanas Mončys Museum, Palanga, Lithuania

2004

European Space , International Sculpture Quadrennial, Riga, Latvia

2003

Sculptures in the River Neris , Vilnius, Lithuania

2002

On Production , M. K. Čiurlionis National Museum of Art, M. Žilinskas Art Gallery, Kaunas, Lithuania

Choice: Lithuanian History, Culture and Art , European Council Taryba, Strasbourg, France

2001

Four Decades in the Garden , Vilnius Jeruzalė Sculpture Garden Gallery, Vilnius, Lithuania

Landmarks. Mindaugas Navakas, Pal Svensson , Breanas Kulthurgus, Breanas, Sweden

Self -Esteem. Lithuanian Art 01 , Contemporary Art Centre, Vilnius, Lithuania

2000

Baltic Security , Arlanda Airport, Stockholm

You Can Come Later , Gallery of Stuttgart Art Academy, Stuttgart, Germany

Walls of NATO , Contemporary Art Centre, Vilnius, Lithuania

1999

Ten Years of Lithuanian Art: 1989-1999 , Contemporary Art Centre, Vilnius, Lithuania

1998

Twilight , Contemporary Art Centre, Vilnius, Lithuania

It Takes Ten Minutes to be on Time , Akademija Gallery, Vilnius, Lithuania

Give Your Hand for Tibet's Freedom , Lietuvos Aidas Gallery, Vilnius, Lithuania

1997

The Great Dusseldorf Art Exhibition , Kunstpalast, Dusseldorf, Germany

Quiet Modernisms in Lithuania: 1962-1982 , Contemporary Art Centre, Vilnius, Lithuania

1996

Personal Time. Estonian, Latvian and Lithuanian art 1945-1995 , The Zachęta Gallery of Contemporary Art, Warsaw , Poland; Manezh Exhibition Hall, St. Petersburg, Russia

Change of the Rules , Tools, Sodertalje, Sweden

1995

Beyond the Borders, Gwangju Biennale'95, Gwangju, South Korea

Recent Documents. New Tendencies in Lithuanian Art , Balzekas Museum of Lithuanian Culture, Chicago, JAV

Creations. Art in the Church Environment , Skaraborg, Flamslatt, Sweden

Outdoor Sculpture Exhibition, Prospects, Stockholm, Sweden

Port of Art , International Art Exhibition in the Town of Kotka, Kotka, Finland

Europe: Creation-Recreation , Palace of Art (Mücsarnok), Budapest, Hungary

1994

Bread and Salt. Second Exhibition of the SCCA Lithuania , Contemporary Art Centre, Vilnius, Lithuania

Rauma Biennale Balticum 94 , Rauma, Finland

1993

Between Sculpture and Object In Lithuania. First Exhibition of the SCCA Lithuania, Contemporary Art Centre, Vilnius, Lithuania

Equilibrium. Baltic-Nordic contemporary Art Exhibition , Riga, Latvia

1992

Sculpture. Gediminas Akstinas, Algis Lankelis, Mindaugas Navakas, Art ū ras Raila , The park of the Artist's Palace (now President's Office), Vilnius, Lithuania

1990

Art Exhibition in the City of Kotka , RADAR, Kotka, Finland

Concrete Sculpture: Algis Lankelis, Mindaugas Navakas, Art ū ras Raila , The park of the Artist's Palace (now President's Office), Vilnius, Lithuania

1989

Small -Scale Sculpture from Lithuania , Salzburg City Gallery, Salzburg, Austria
Exhibition of Lithuanian sculpture The Image: from Figure to Skin , Pirita Flower Pavillion, Tallinn, Estonia

Exhibition of Original Author-Produced Bronze Casts , Arka Gallery, Vilnius, Lithuania

1988

Exhibition of proposals Submitted to the Competition for the Monument Of the Founding of Vilnius , SAM, AEH, Vilnius, Lithuania

Human Signs: Sculpture, Drawing, Photography , AEH, Klaipėda, Lithuania

The Folk Art Tradition in Modern Lithuanian Art in the 20th Century , SAM, AEH, Vilnius, Lithuania
Baltic Countries' Sculpture Quadrennial , Sculptors' House, Riga, Latvia

1985

Third Baltic Young Artists' Exhibition of Visual Art Youth'85 , SAM, AEH, Vilnius, Lithuania

1984

Jaro š evait è , Kuzma, Maz ū ras, Navakas, Urbanavi č ius, Vild ž i ū nas. Small -Scale Sculptures and Drawings , Vytautas Kasiulis Art Museum, Vilnius, Lithuania; AEH, Šiauliai, Lithuania; Sculptors' House, Riga, Latvia

1980

Baltic Countries' Sculpture Quadrennial , St. Peter's Cathedral, Riga, Latvia

1979

Vilnius University in Lithuanian Art 1579 – 1979 , SAM, AEH, Vilnius, Lithuania
The First Exhibition Of Lithuanian Medals and Small -Scale Sculptures , SAM, AEH, Vilnius, Lithuania
The First Baltic Young Artists' Visual Art exhibition Youth'79 , SAM, AEH, Vilnius, Lithuania

1978

Republican Exhibition of Young Artists , VLKJS 60th Anniversary, ČAM, AEH, Kaunas, Lithuania

1977

Young Artists' Exhibition, Naujoji Vilnia House of Culture , Vilnius, Lithuania