



Łukasz Jastrubczak did his MA on Academy of Fine Arts in Katowice in 2009. With his conceptual approach he uses mainly sculpture, photography and video. He plays on synthesizer in *Boring Drug* band. Since 2012 he has been coordinating *Times New Arial Museum*. With Sebastian Cichocki he is working on a book *Mirage* that will be published on the end of 2012. Both with Krzysztof Kaczmarek he has established a group *KrzysztofJastrubczakŁukaszKaczmarek*. He lives in Krakow.

<http://lukaszjastrubczak.com>

solo exhibitions

2012

Still Life (both with Krzysztof Kaczmarek), CCA Ujazdowski Castle, Warsaw

Mirage, Bunkier Sztuki, Kraków

Lucciola, Galeria Pies, Poznań

2011

Mirage, Galeria Sabot, Cluj-Napoca, Romania

2010

Every piece with a circle, Galeria ZPAF i Ska, Kraków

Tropiki, Galeria Pies, Poznań

NTSC, BWA Zielona Góra

Distant Drum, Art in General, New York, USA

2009

2013, CCA Kronika, Bytom

White Video, ŻAK|BRANICKA, Berlin, Germany

2008

Film Noir, CCA Kronika, Bytom

2007

01, CCA Kronika, Bytom

selected group exhibitions

2012

Rękawiczki Jeffa Koons'a, CCA Kronika, Bytom

Es ist Zeit für Turnschuhe!, Kuenstlerhaus, Dortmund, Germany

2011

Tarnów. 1000 years of modernity, Galeria Miejska in Tarnow

Nie Na Miejscu, CCA Ujazdowski Castle, Warsaw

Polish Contemporary Art from the National Museum in Krakow Collection, Ministry of Culture, Warsaw (with Krzysztof Kaczmarek)

2010

Body in the Library, BWA Design, Wrocław (with Krzysztof Kaczmarek)

UM Festival, Uckermarck, Germany

No sleep!, BWA Zielona Góra

The Dump - Recykling of Thoughts, CCA Łaźnia, Gdańsk

2009

Section of Contemporary Art - Polish Alphabet, BWA Tarnów

Sport dla niewysportowanych, ZPAF i Ska, Kraków

Under the Bridge, CCA Łaźnia, Liverpool, UK

Disappearing at the Wisła river, Fundacja Bęc Zmiana, Warsaw

Hell of Things, CCA Kronika, Bytom

2008

Ain't No Sorry, Museum of Modern Art, Warsaw

Marian Szpakowski - kontynuacja, Muzeum Ziemi Lubuskiej, Zielona Góra

Something Must Break, OFF Festiwal, Mysłowice

Establishment (and its discontents), CCA Ujazdowski Castle, Warsaw

We Go Far Beyond, Galeria Starter, Poznań

Helsinki by Night, Taik Gallery, Berlin

Manual CC, CCA Ujazdowski Castle, Warsaw, Uqbar, Berlin, Germany

2007

Lighthouse Ankara, main railway station, Ankara, Turkey

Manual CC, CCA Kronika, Bytom

Umpolen, Museums Quartier, Vienna, Austria

performance

2012

New Performance Festival, Turku, Finland

Fifth Song About Triangles, Galeria Pies, Poznań Gallery Weekend

2011

Third Song About Triangles, performance (with Marcin Zarzeka), Ve.Sch, Vienna, Austria

other

2011

What's the Difference Between Pawel and Wawel, touring film screenings of polish movies from 60's in Iceland (with Krzysztof Kaczmarek)

Sound workshops, Zachęta National Gallery, Warsaw

2010

Secret of a Statue, film screening + installation (with Krzysztof Kaczmarek), Goldex Poldex, Kraków

prize

2011

Headlands Centre for the Arts in San Francisco, residency program

Młoda Polska, Ministry of Culture stipend

2009

Art in General in New York, residency program

ID
sculpture
concrete
90 x 40 x 30 cm
2012



Form of a sculpture is based on a prop from 1957 SF movie *Forbidden Planet*. It depicts a foot of a monster from ID. It was left in the forest, on the northern part of Poland in the area of Elbląg.

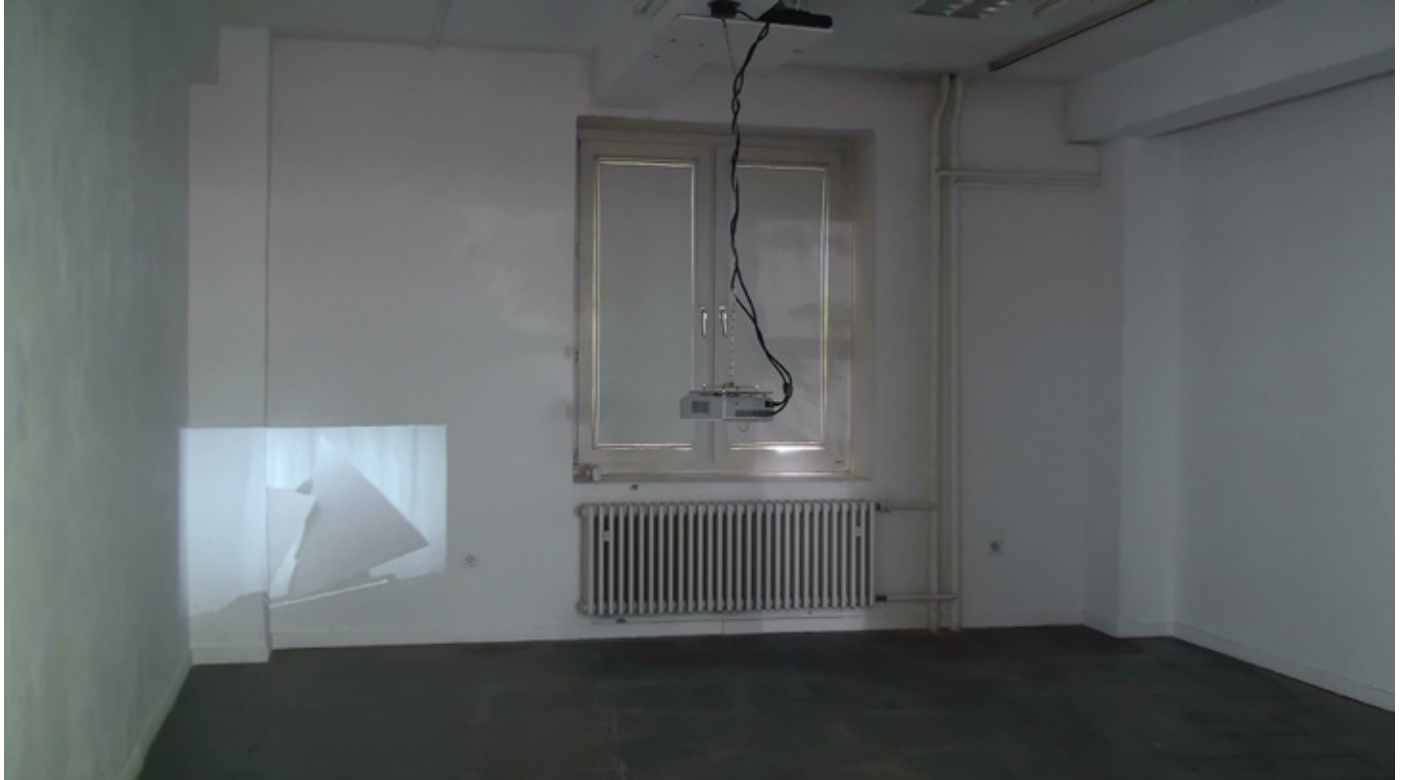
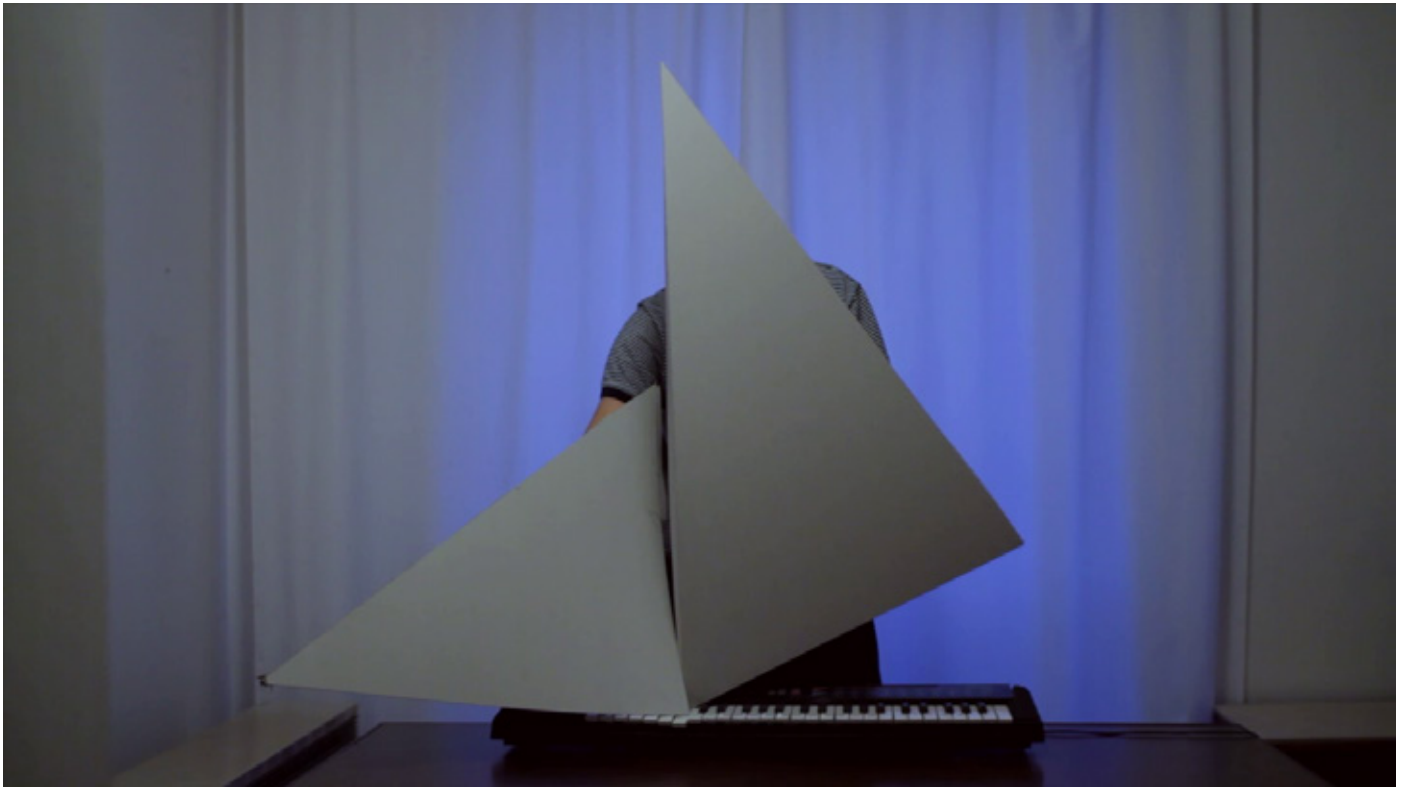
Third Song About Triangles

installation

DVD, speakers, projector, chain, motor device

duration 4'33'', loop

2011



Dressed in a triangular shaped costume made with cardboard, Łukasz performs an atonal composition with a recorder and synthesizer. In the installation a projector, which projects a video, is attached to a motor device that rotates it 360 degrees. An image from *Third Song About Triangles* wanders around the room.

Songs About Triangles

installation

DVD, Tv sets in various dimensions

2'56"

3'21"

4'33"

4'58"

5'36"

2012 - ?



All *Songs About Triangles*, made by Łukasz, are presented as a video installation. The sound of each composition overlaps. Each new song is longer than the previous one, so all compositions, when looped, never repeat the same configuration of sounds.

Eclipse

photo documentation of an action

c-print

120 x 100 cm

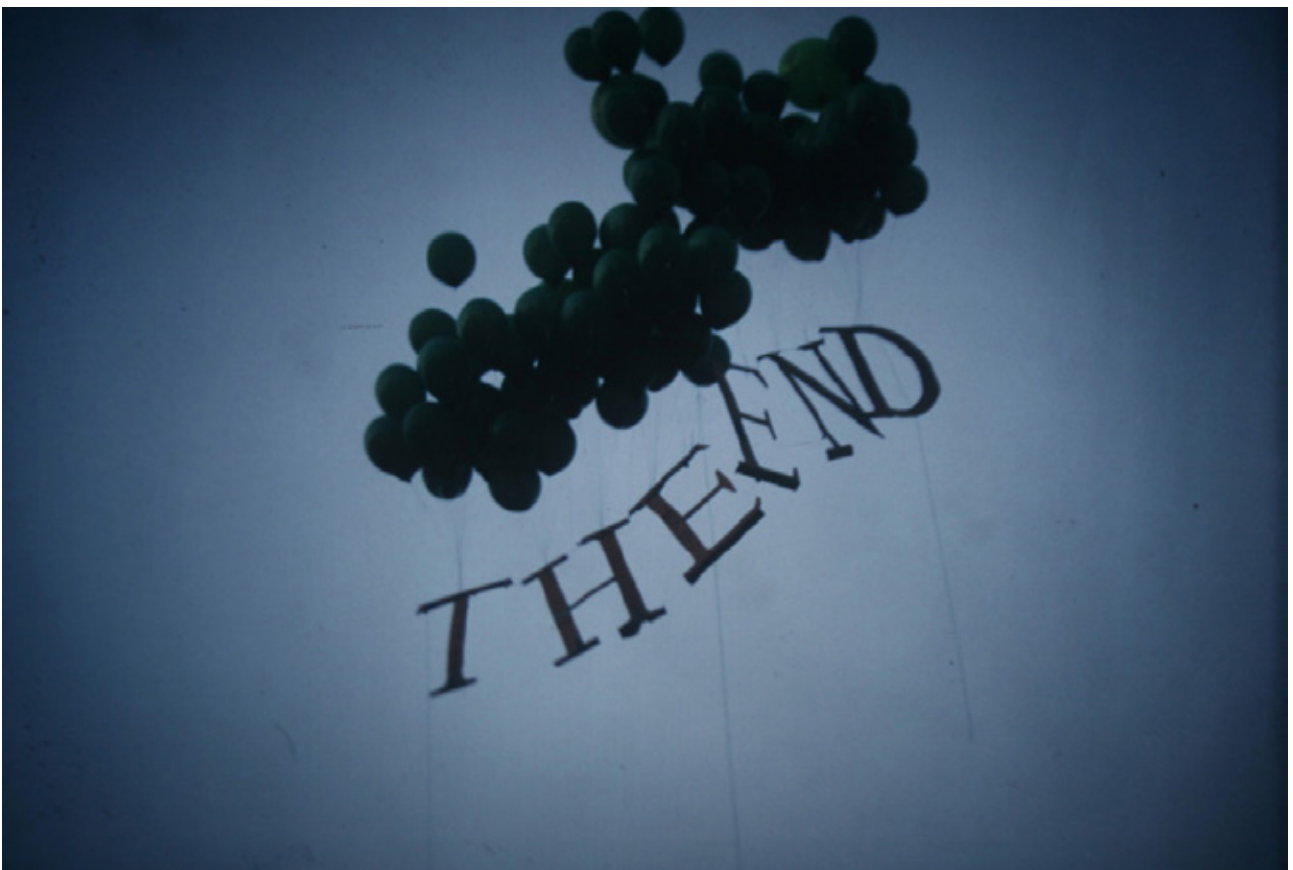
2009



Łukasz made this work during his stay in Liverpool. Using a two-metre wide circle (made with fabric and plastic tube) attached to a few balloons, he generated “artificial sun eclipses”.

The End

photo documentation of an action
c-print
60 x 40 cm
2008



During one of his actions in Mysłowice, imitating film credits and their movement, Łukasz released into the air a caption "The End." Made from cardboard and attached to helium filled balloons, it lifted high into the sky and eventually disappeared.

Soundtrack

video
DVD
8'34''
2009



While Łukasz's girlfriend Gosia is asleep, Łukasz imitates the sound of the wind, human steps and rain drops. Those sounds penetrate her subconscious.

Animation

installation

black trampoline, 9 photographs (various size), glue tape

2010



The *Animation* piece consists of a trampoline and a set of photographs attached to a wall, depicting a figure in motion, broken down to single frames. Photo frames are printed in all available formats in the Photolab (A3, A4, 10 x 13, ID format, passport format, etc.).

By jumping on the trampoline, the viewer activates the animation and observes a running and zooming out figure on the wall.

Loop

photo documentation of a performance
two photographs and description
2x (30 x 40,3 cm)
2010



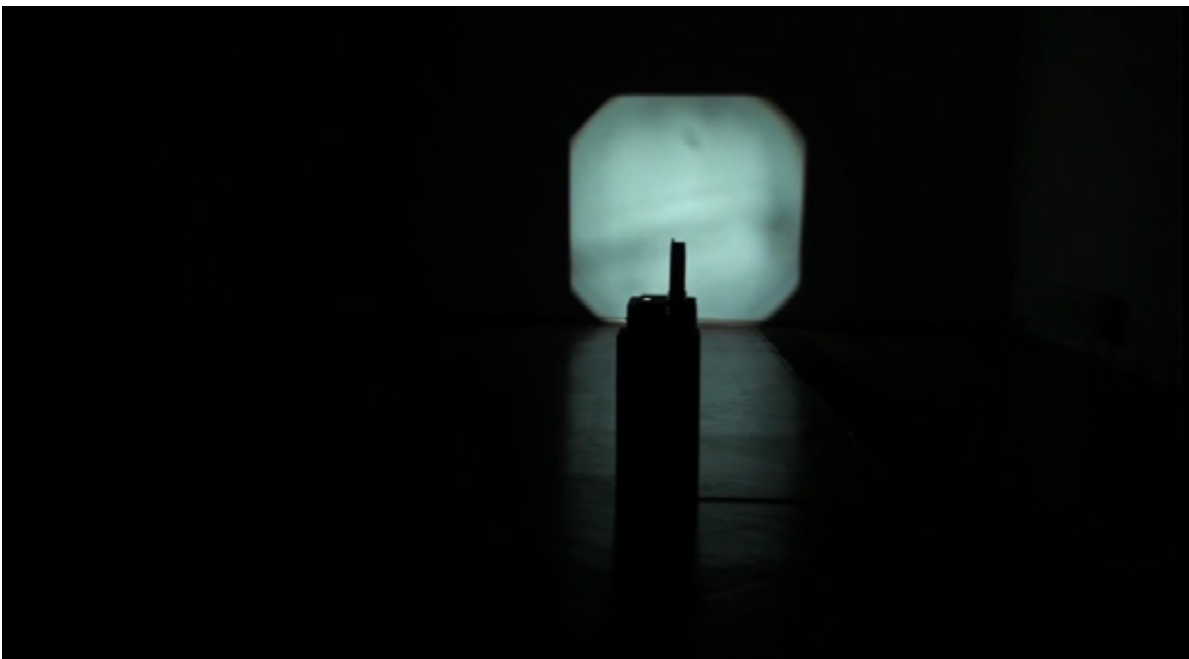
The *Loop* action took place in New York in 2010. It consisted of a person, dressed in black, together with a black 1966 car, familiar from American movies. Within the continuum of everyday life and the natural, physical motion of people and cars, the two performative elements (the person and the car) were unnaturally looped, meeting each other in the centre of the composition every three minutes. Tracing the form of a square, following the path of the streets, the black car repeatedly drove around the block to the left, whilst the person repeatedly walked around the block to the left. Rythmical repeatedness in time was opposed to the fluxed instabillity. A feeling of déjà vu was created for the unconcious participant, as the repeated motion took place around fifteen times.

Sleepwalk

installation

slaid projector (carousell), 72 slaid, 72 blank slaid

2008



I walked through a park in complete darkness. I couldn't see anything in the dark. I was holding a photo camera which guided me through the darkness whenever the flash went off. When I no longer knew which way to go, I became scared and would push the trigger.

The seventy two transparencies created in the process make up the series "Sleepwalk", which is then presented as an installation. The slides are projected with an empty, blank frame in between each one of them. They are projected at a high speed, which makes individual shots almost unrecognizable, while the alternate bursts of light create an unsettling mood. The rhythmic sound of the slides changing inside the projector is reminiscent of a thriller movie soundtrack.

Rapid Vienna vs. Rapid Vienna

video

DVD

6'19"

2008



Łukasz shot a video of a soccer game where the players from the *Rapid Vienna* team compete against themselves. The computer controls all of the action. In the three different versions of the video, the team won against itself twice with a score of 1:0, the third was a tie, and there was an instance where the computer turned the camera to the goalkeeper and kept it still for a while with him standing alone, waiting for an attack.