

OVERVIEW 2012-2026

44 EXHIBITIONS

- 2013 Martin Kippenberger - A CRY FOR FREEDOM
Remap
Heart of Darkness
- 2014 A THOUSAND DOORS
City Project - Aemilia Papaphilippou
Tino Sehgal - This Variation | This Progress
- 2015 Flying Over the Abyss - Rethymnon
Flying Over the Abyss - Thessaloniki
TERRAPOLIS
Renaissance Stories
City Project - Maria Loizidou
Mario Merz | Numbers are Prehistoric
- 201 AS ONE
Flying Over the Abyss - Athens
City Project - Zafos Xagoraris
- 2017 BREAKING NEWS-ATHENS
Adrián Villar Rojas - The Theater of Disappearance
City Project - Kostis Velonis
Mike Kelley | Fortress of Solitude
En Lefko Film Festival
- 2018 Constellations in the Dirt
Paul Chan | Odysseus and the Bathers
City Project - Andreas Lolis
- 2019 The Artist on the Composer | Nikos Navridis
Antony Gormley | SIGHT
The Palace at 4 a.m.
City Project - Panos Kokkinias
Lynda Benglis: In the Realm of the Senses
- 2020 City Project - Dionisis Kavallieratos
Richard Long | Athens Slate Line
- 2021 Portals | Πύλη
- 2022 Louise Bourgeois | Maman
The Artist on the Composer | Yorgos Lanthimos – BLEAT
Dream On
112, Climate Tone | World Weather Network
Doomed Companions Unsubstantial Shades
- 2023 The Artist on the Composer | Ioanna Pantazopoulou
- 2024 City Project - Iris Touliatou
Phyllida Barlow | RIG: untitled; blocks, space of togetherness
- 2025 Allspice | Michael Rakowitz & Ancient Cultures Part 1
Lamassu of Nineveh | Michael Rakowitz & Ancient Cultures Part 2
City Project 2025 | Alexandros Tzannis | Athens Dies In Dreams
At Sunrise
- 2026 Michael Rakowitz & Ancient Cultures Part 3

584.690 people have visited all NEON exhibitions from 2013 through 2025.

34 DIFFERENT LOCATIONS

Museum of Cycladic Art, Kerameikos Neighborhood, Pireos 260, Gennadius Library, Ancient Agora, Roman Agora, French School at Athens, Museum of Contemporary Art of Crete, Kerameikos archaeological space & Museum, Contemporary Art Centre of Thessaloniki, Benaki Museum, Athens Conservatory, Parking space | Ipirou & Tritis Septemvriou St., Diplarios School, National Observatory of Athens Hill of Nymphs, BIOS, 11 Kaplanon St., Kouphonisi Archaeological Collection, British School at Athens, Greek National Opera, Archaeological Site & Museum of Delos, Archaeological Museum of Mykonos, 4 Sofokleous Str., Odeon of Herodes Atticus, Shrine of Dionysos Elefthereus at the South Slope of the Acropolis, former Public Tobacco Factory, Stavros Niarchos Foundation Cultural Centre, Hellenic Residence, National Hellenic Research Foundation, EMST, Drama School of the Greek National Theatre – School of Athens | Irene Papas, Acropolis Museum, Philopappos Hill, old museum on Acropolis Hill.

- **28 public & private cultural locations**
- **9 successful applications to the Central Archaeological Council (KAS)** for Ancient Agora of Athens, Roman Agora, Kerameikos Museum & Archaeological space, National Observatory of Athens, Archaeological Site & Museum of Delos, Archaeological Museum of Mykonos, Odeon of Herodes Atticus, Shrine of Dionysos Elefthereus at the South Slope of the Acropolis, Philopappos Hill and the old museum on Acropolis Hill & **2 to the Central Council for Modern Monuments (KSNM)** both in 2017 for the National Observatory of Athens.
- **1 International Online Project:** *112, Climate Tone* Commissioned by NEON for the World Weather Network
- **1 International residency programme:** *IdeasCity Athens*

CONTEMPORARY HERITAGE | Permanent Public Installations of Contemporary Art in Archaeological Sites, donated by NEON:

- *RULE II* (2019): Donation of a work by British artist Antony Gormley on the island of Delos in 2025. This is the first contemporary artwork to be permanently installed in an archaeological site in Greece.
- *Prologue 1 & Prologue 2* (2015): Donation of works by Cypriot artist Maria Loizidou to the Kerameikos Archaeological Museum.

25 CURATORS | 17 Greek and 8 from abroad

David Anfam	Polyna Kosmadaki	Dimitris Paleocrassas
Iwona Blazwick	Giorgos Koumentakis	Tina Pandi
Paolo Colombo	Elina Kountouri	Prof. Nikolaos Chr. Stampolidis
Douglas Fogle	Michael Landy	Andrew Spyrou
Katerina Gregos	Maria Marangou	Sam Thorne
Madeleine Grynsztejn	Shoair Mavlian	Syrago Tsiara
Fanis Kafantaris	Ioanna Mimi	Nayia Yiakoumaki
Irene Kalligas	Galini Noti	
Akis Kokkinos	Vassilis Oikonomopoulos	

274 ARTISTS IN SOLO AND GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 103 Greeks and 171 from abroad
- 128 Female, 141 Male, 3 non-binary and 2 collectives

73 NEW COMMISSIONED WORKS TO 56 GREEK ARTISTS

Yannis Adoniou	Athanasios Argianas	Anastasia Douka
Thanassis Akokkalidis	Yota Argyropoulou	Stavros Gasparatos
Elena Antoniou	Spyros Charalampopoulos	Serafita Grigoriadou
Ellie Antoniou	Dimitris Chimonas	Kostas Ioannidis
Stavros Apostolatos	Thomas Diafas	Eleni Kamma

Valentina Karga	Katerina Oikonomou	Stefania Strouza
Giannis Karounis	Aliki Palaska	Iris Touliatou
Dionisis Kavallieratos	Malvina Panagiotidi	Thodoris Trampas
Marianna Kavallieratos	Ioanna Pantazopoulou	Evgenia Tsanana
Panos Kokkinias	Aemilia Papaphilippou	Natalia Tsoukala
Giorgos Koumendakis	Anastasia Papatheodorou	Alexandros Tzannis
Chrysanthi Koumianaki	Yiannis Pappas	Antrea Tzourovits
Yorgos Lanthimos	PASHIAS	Dimitra Vamiali
Andreas Lolis	Yorgos Petrou	Christina Vasileiou
Virginia Mastrogiannaki	Lambros Pigounis	Kostis Velonis
Alexandros Michail	Alexandros Psychoulis	Paky Vlassopoulou
Maro Michalakakos	Kostas Roussakis	Zafos Xagoraris
Nikos Navridis	Kostas Sahpazis	Despina Zacharopoulou
Nikolaos	Nancy Stamatopoulou	

32 NEW COMMISSIONED WORKS TO 19 INTERNATIONAL ARTISTS

Rafael Abdala	Elif Kamisi	Gala Porras-Kim
Igshaan Adams	Michael Landy	Michael Rakowitz
Savvas Christodoulides	Glenn Ligon	Tino Sehgal
Marianna Christofides	Maria Loizidou	Adrián Villar Rojas
Brendan Fernandes	Teresa Margolles	Danh Võ
Jessica Goes	Ad Minoliti	
Antony Gormley	Duro Olowu	

CONFERENCES | NEON has organized 3 conferences:

- 19.02.2014 | Open discussion on Public Life, Public Space, Public Art, co-organised with the Athens School of Fine Arts
- 24.06.2014 | Open discussion on Public Life, Public Space, Public Art, organised as part of the Athens & Epidaurus Festival 2014
- 24.09.2016 | Public Conference: IdeasCity Athens 2016, organized in collaboration with New Museum following an international week-long residency program.

NEON PUBLICATIONS

NEON has produced 28 publications documenting a 14-year span of temporary contemporary art exhibitions across Greece.

NEON GRANTS & SCHOLARSHIPS

Educational programmes and initiatives supporting emerging artists, as well as the strengthening of partner institutions, have been central to NEON's activity. Through grants, scholarships, renovation works, infrastructure, and equipment, NEON has contributed a total of €6 million.

NEON Grants Scheme: NEON has sponsored 259 projects (approx. 2.500 artists via these projects)

- 155 took place in Athens and many toured internationally.
- 81 took place in the periphery of Greece.
- 23 took place abroad.

NEON Annual Scholarships Scheme: 75 young art practitioners and students were offered 91 scholarships to complete their master's and/or PHD studies.

Outset.Greece: From 2013 to 2020 NEON was the sole patron of Outset.Greece.. During that time Outset.Greece supported 69 projects.

- € 486.971 given in 7 years.
- 891 artists supported.
- 51 took place in Athens.
- 10 took place in the periphery and 2 toured internationally.
- 8 took place abroad.
- Outset.Greece supported 8 young artists to advance their studies.

NEON Fund for EMST: From 2013 to 2017 a yearly donation of €50.000 enables EMST to buy artworks from international art fairs to enrich their national collection. Since 2013 NEON has donated €250.000 and EMST has acquired 25 new works.

NEON Direct Giving: 12 Greek institutions: Gennadius Library, French School at Athens, Benaki Museum, Athens Conservatory, National Observatory of Athens, Circle of Friends of Acropolis, British School at Athens. Archaeological Museum of Mykonos, Delos Archaeological Site & Museum, former Public Tobacco Factory, Drama School of the Greek National Theatre – School of Athens | Irene Papas, Ministry of Culture for the old Acropolis Museum on Acropolis Hill.

Cultural Centres: NEON has fully renovated **2 venues and donated 2 cultural centres** to the public; the Athens Conservatory (€180.000 refurbishment | 1,800m²) and the former Public Tobacco Factory (€1.4m refurbishment | 6,500m²). NEON also funded and completed **refurbishing works** at the Drama School of the Greek National Theatre – School of Athens | Irene Papas (€180.000 refurbishment) as a donation to the school.

6 NEON Community Projects at 3 Athenian neighborhoods; Peristeri, Kypseli and Aigaleo.

NEON LEARNING

Educational Program "Is this Art?" | Developed in collaboration with the Hellenic Children's Museum.

- School Program in numbers: Since 2013 until the end of the academic year 2021-2022 the program has reached 18.846 students and 902 teachers in 161 schools and implemented 994 programs in Attika Euboea, and online to schools in Athens, Piraeus, East Attika, Drama, Lemnos and even Brussels.
- "Is This Art?" Educational Program as part of NEON Exhibitions | 1.265 children, teachers and parents have visited 6 NEON exhibitions to participate in custom educational programs.

Guided Tours and Educational Programs in exhibitions | 21.196 pupils, teachers, parents, students, professional groups and individuals have participated in more than 1000 guided tours and educational programs in all NEON exhibitions.

NEON Curatorial Exchange | 210 young curators have participated in the exchange in collaboration with the Whitechapel Gallery over the years 2012-2020.

Educate the Educator | 1.000 participants in 4 cities: Athens, Thessaloniki, Patra, Volos.