

Ömer Tevfik Erten a.k.a ÖTE
Born in 1990, Mardin
Lives and works in Istanbul.

Solo Exhibitions

*trans*house*, Karşı Sanat Çalışmaları, İstanbul, 2014
Burçak, Galata Photography House, İstanbul, 2017

Group Exhibitions

*trans*house*, Mamut Art Project, Istanbul, 2015
Mekan Atölye II, Cer Modern Arts Center, Ankara, 2015
Nerdeen Nereye, Istanbul Pride Week Art Exhibition, Istanbul, 2015
House My Dreams or Shepherd, Studio X Istanbul, Istanbul, 2016
Artist's Utopia, 27th International Artist / TUYAP Art Fair, Istanbul, 2017
Selected Photobooks, 3. Istanbul Photobook Festival, 2017
Aspects of Balkan Photography, Art Thessaloniki International Contemporary Art Fair, Greece, 2018
Salon w./ Proud & Pride, [mecra] salon, Istanbul, 2019
Lost on the Highway, Soho House, Istanbul, 2019
Safer Place, Transition International Queer & Minorities Film Festival, Vienna, Austria, 2021
Aesthetics of Struggle, Akbank Sanat, Istanbul, 2021

Publications

Photo Notes: Gezi Resistance, Galata Photography House, 2014
Memory Book, Galata Photography House, 2017
*Guest*House Photobook*, Self Publish, 2019
shelTer (album cover), Müstesna Records, 2019
Latif Photobook, Self Publish, 2020
Freak Out As Long As I m Living, Faz Collective & FAİL Books, 2021

Films

Unnamed, Fictional, 02:29', 2013 (Director, Writer)
*Guest*house*, Documentary, 10', 2019 (Director, Photographer)

Selected Screenings

*Guest*house*, 9. Pembe Hayat Queerfest, Queer Shorts Section from Turkey, 2020
*Guest*house*, 4th LGBTI+ Youth Festival, Queer Shorts from Turkey, 2020
*Guest*house*, 10. Pembe Hayat Queerfest, Queer Shorts Section from Turkey, 2021
*Guest*house*, 32. Munich Turkish Film Days, Queer Panorama Section, 2021

Lectures/Master Classes/Workshops

Contemporary Photography Class, Guest Artist, Koç University, 2016
Contemporary Photography Class, Guest Artist, Mimarsinan Fine Art University, 2016
Trans Identity, Portfolio Show, Istanbul Photography Gallery , 2017
Exhibiting Photography with Natasha Christia, Workshop, Noks Art Space, 2017
Dummy Book Workshop with Kazuma Obara, FUAM, İstanbul, 2017
I Have a Project, Portfolio Show, FujiFilm, İstanbul, 2019

Aesthetics of Struggle, Speaker, Anbank Sanat, 2021

Grants/Prizes

Trans X Turkey, *Unnamed*, Short Film Grand Prize, Istanbul, 2013

FUAM Photobook Award, Short List Prize, 2017

1st Equal Access to Human Rights Campaign Short Film Competition, Finalist, 2019

Nederland Consulate-General Istanbul, Production Grant, 2019

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Prince Claus Fund, Amsterdam, Production Grant, 2021

Relevant Experiences

Curator, Photography Exhibition "1+1: Strong Together", Boysan's House, 2019

Creative Director, Latif Art Project, 2020-ongoing

Co-Curator, Through The Window Project- an online project gathering Turkish and Dutch queer artists, 2020-ongoing

Education

Galata Photography House, Workshops, 2011-2017