

# Ekaterina Tomilovskaya

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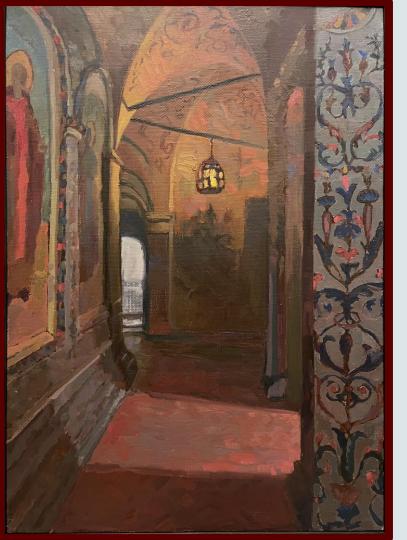


# FEEL THE COLORS OF LIFE!

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#### About my Art

Plein-air VPortrait Nature-morte



### **In the Darkness** the Light Shines

#### **Exhibition:**

05 July 2022 – 05 September 2022 "Moscow Uzorochye" devoted to the 460-years of St. Basilic Cathedral

#### Venue:

Historical Museum, Red Square,1

The painting was exposed during the exhibition at the State Historical Museum in Moscow devoted to 460 years of St. Basil's Cathedral. My painting "In the Darkness, the Light Shines" was one of 42 selected from 1,000 pieces of art.



#### 460-years of St. Basilic Cathedral "In the Darkness the Light Shines"



I participated in the art festival in February 2021. The temperature inside of St. Basilic Cathedral was almost the same as outside, around -15C°, that was challenging for etudes.

#### 460-years of St. Basilic Cathedral "In the Darkness the Light Shines"



Vernissage

### "In the Darkness the Light Shines"

In 2023 exhibition with Moscow Artists Union «Moscow – the Source of Inspiration»



400 painting received, 120 were chosen, but not all finally exhibited

### **Examples of Exhibitions**

- 2023 "Exhibition dedicated to Moscow city day", Moscow Artists Union
- 2023 "Etudes", Russian Artists Union
- 2023 "Exhibition-Competition named after the artist Viktor Popkov. VGIK (All-Russian State University of Cinematography named after S. A. Gerasimov). International Arts Fund
- 2023 "The Capitals of the World", International Arts Fund. The Central House of Cinema, Diplomatic Academy.
- 2023 "Moscow-St. Petersburg", International Arts Fund
- 2023 "Autumn Vernissage", International Arts Fund
- 2022 "Moscow Uzorochye" devoted to the 460-years of St. Basilic Cathedral, Historical Museum, Red Square, 1
- 2020 "The Journey of Flowers", Kuvshin studio. A project during COVID-19 lockdown.
- 2020 "Notwithstanding", Kuvshin studio. A project during COVID-19 lockdown.
- <sup>2</sup> 2020 "Self-portrait", Kuvshin studio. A project during COVID-19 lockdown.
- 2019 "X-Mas holidays", Kuvshin studio
- 2019 Club-gallery "Krylatskiy ornament".
- 2019 Gallery N-Prospect, Castello di Boca Montenegro



#### **Diplomas & proofs examples**



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### **Memberships**



#### **International Federation of Artists**

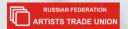
#### Since 1917, more than 15000 members





#### Since 1992, about 600 members





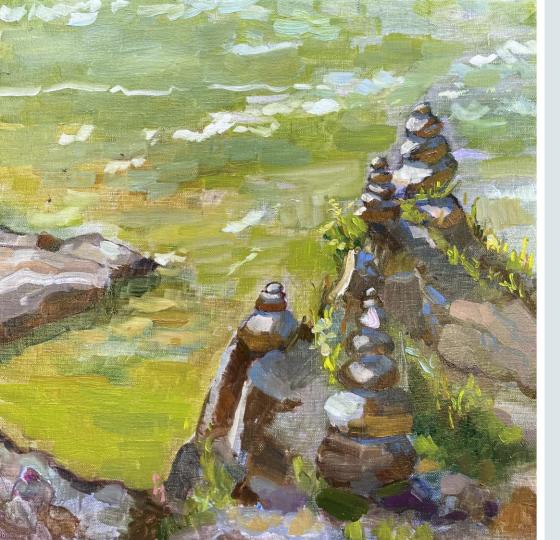
#### Artists Trade Union Since 1999, Russia & 34 foreign countries



## **PLEIN-AIR**



ALTAY

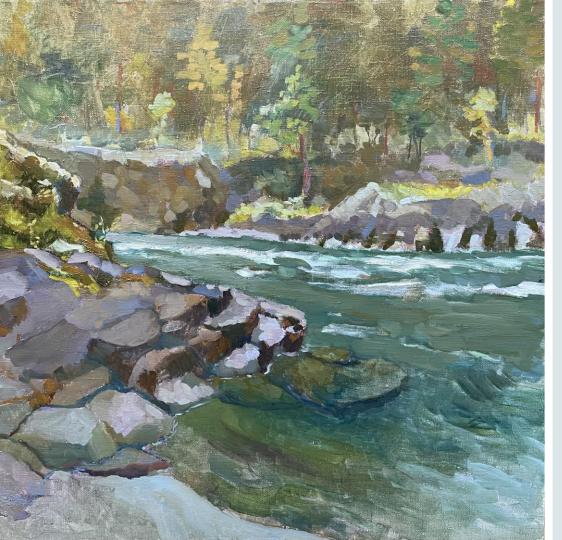


#### Make a Wish

40x40cm, Oil on canvas, 2023



It is not known where the tradition of putting pebbles in a pyramid came from. There are so many of them in Altai that they have already become a characteristic feature of the landscape. And shouldn't I say about the color palette of water in mountain rivers ranges from emerald to bright light green.

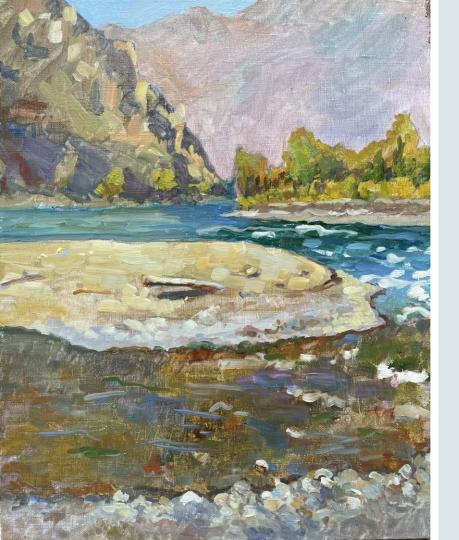


#### The crystal waters of Katun' rivers

50x50cm, Oil on canvas, 2023



Its well-known that one might endlessly look at three things: fire, water and how other people work. I suggest you look at the water and besides, I worked on it.

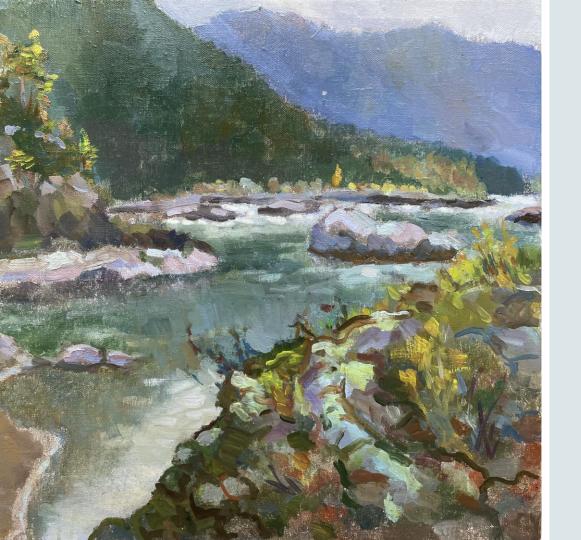


# When two rivers meet each other

50x40cm, Oil on canvas, 2023



This is the place where two rivers merge into each other. One river is not so strong, but clean and transparent, at the bottom you can see every pebble of a different shade. And the second river is a seething emerald stream that destroys everything in its path. Hundreds of clear mountain streams together turn into this power.

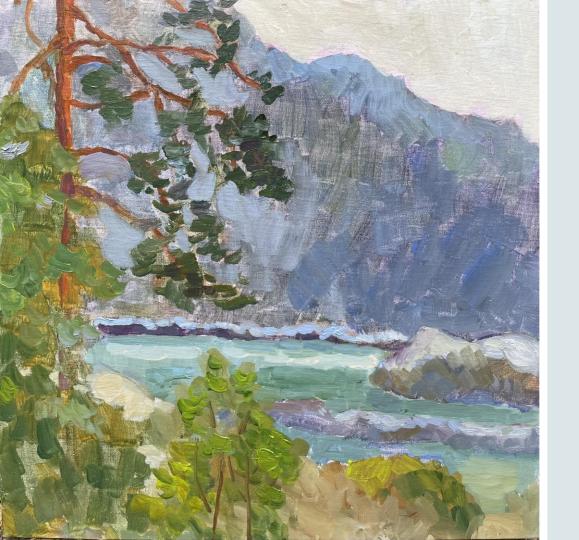


#### **I Follow Rivers**

40x40cm, Oil on canvas, 2023



Altai met with severe weather at the end of September. It rained for two days and there was a piercing wind. But even in such weather, nature delighted me with stunning colors.

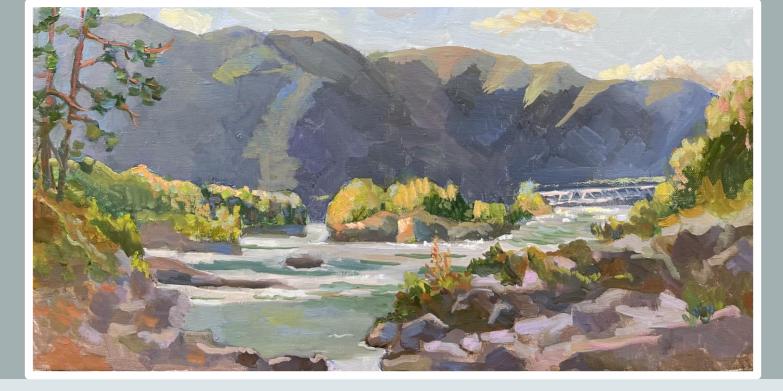


### **Rainy day in Altay**

40x40cm, Oil on canvas/panel, 2023



It was the first evening plein air and I had only one hour to work. The sun sets early in the mountains, and it immediately becomes dark.



#### Last ray in the mountains

60x30cm, Oil on canvas, 2023

In Altai, you want to capture every corner and everything together at once. In the evening everything changes every ten minutes, it was the last ray of the setting sun.

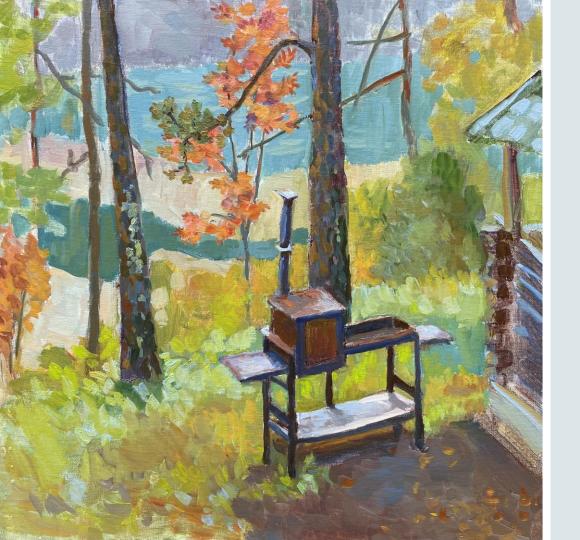


#### Against the odds

30x60cm, Oil on canvas, 2023



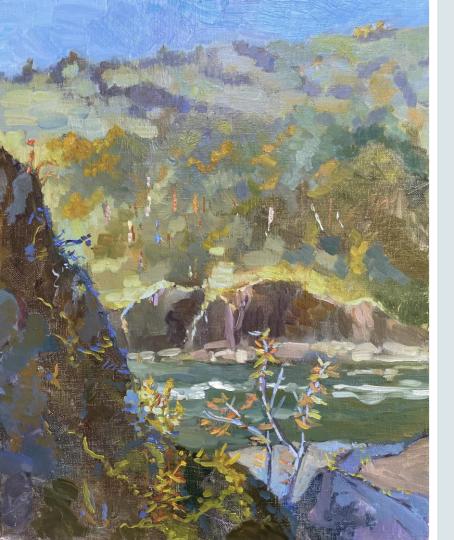
So are people. A hero appears on whom the edge of the earth rests...



# In anticipation 40x40cm, Oil on canvas/panel, 2023



What could be better than to have a barbecue with a view of such fabulous nature as in the Altai Mountains.



#### **Greens of Altai**

50x40cm, Oil on canvas, 2023



Altai is full of colors in autumn. Pine and birch trees are all painted in their own shade of green, yellow, red. Altai is also famous for its herbs.





#### Rowan

40x40cm, Oil on canvas, 2023 Exhibition: 2023 International Arts Fund



Kolomna amazed me with its luxurious rowan trees.



### Granovitaya Bashnya

50x40cm, Oil on canvas, 2023 Exhibition: 2023 International Arts Fund



The majestic wall of the Kolomna Kremlin against the background of the evening sky.

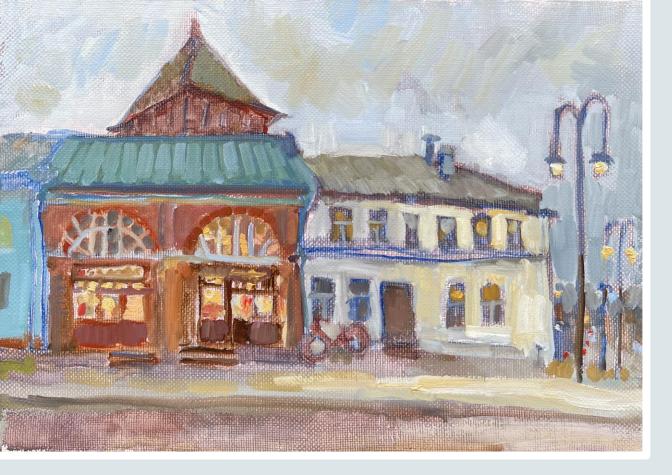


#### Autumn in Kolomna

40x40cm, Oil on canvas, 2023 Exhibition: 2023 International Arts Fund



The wonderful ancient city of the Golden Ring - Kolomna. One of the bell towers against a background of rowan trees.



In the old center of Kolomna there are many shops where you can buy souvenirs.

#### Shops in the Old City

50x35cm, Oil on canvas, 2023



It was an evening plein-air. To finish such work at the end you need to switch on the light.

# PLEIN-AIR SAINT-PETERSBURG 2023

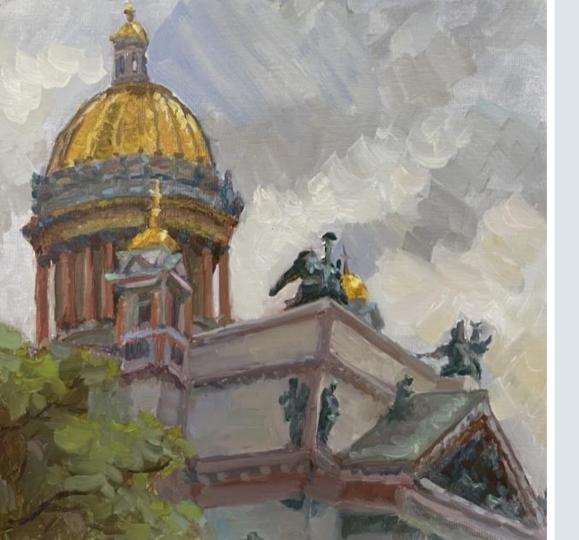


#### English Embankment

40x40cm, Oil on canvas/board

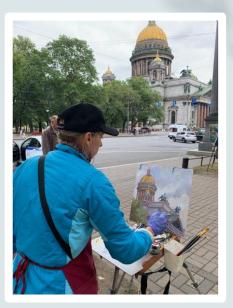


There is a quay on Neva river with a title English Embankment. It is named after the former British Embassy and the English church that was located nearby. Now there are still ships moored and a nice view to the Neva cargo port.



#### St. Isaac's Cathedral

40x40cm, Oil on canvas/board Exhibition: 2023 International Arts Fund



Here comes the St. Isaac's Cathedral, one of the most famous sightseeing of Saint Petersburg.



#### **Laces of St. Petersburg**

50x40cm, Oil on canvas/board Exhibition: 2023 International Arts Fund





St. Petersburg is also known for its unique wrought iron fences. They looks like the laces of the city. The view is from the Summer Garden to Fontanka river and the street behind.

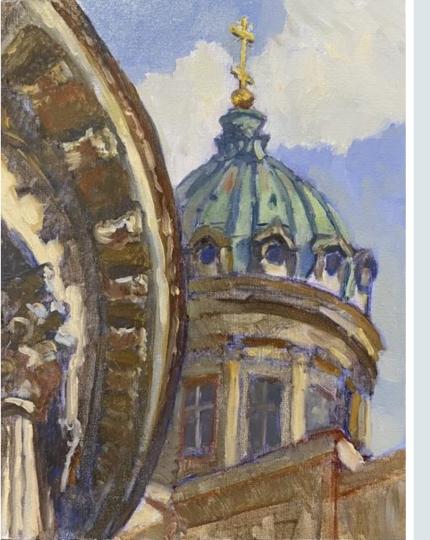


### Windows of St. Petersburg

40x40cm, Oil on canvas/board



This is a special and recognizable architecture of St. Petersburg.

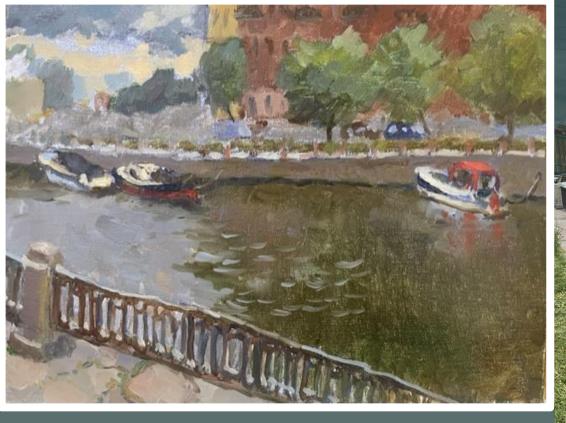


#### **Under the Blue Skies**

0x30cm, Oil on canvas/board



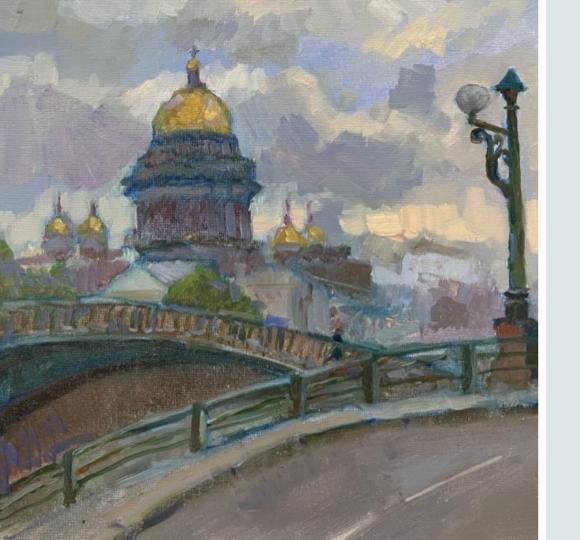
Unusual point of view on Kazan Cathedral, one of the most famous sightseeing of Saint-Petersburg.



These motor-boats were parked on the channel of Griboyedov. Saint Petersburg is a nice place to take a trip by the motorboat. Some people has their own boats there.

#### The boats on the channel of Griboyedov

30x40cm, Oil on canvas/board



#### Unsteady skies of St. Petersburg

40x40cm, Oil on canvas/board



The location is near the Potseluev Bridge with a beautiful view to the St. Isaac's Cathedral. The plein-air was in the evening, so the skies were highlighted by the sunset.

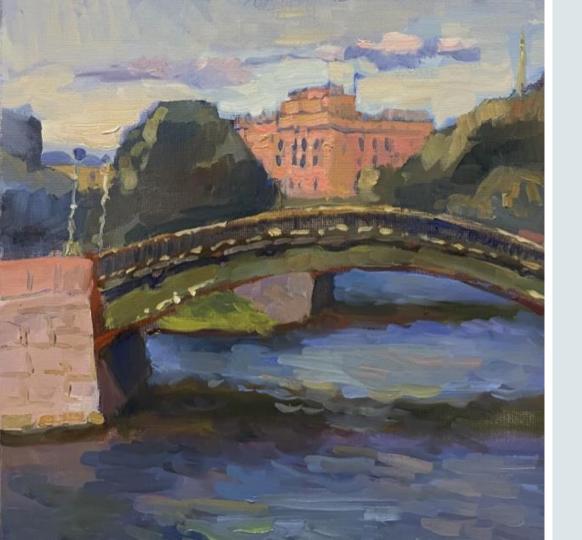


#### Semimostye

40x40cm, Oil on canvas/board

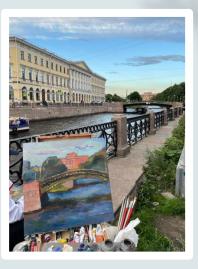


Semimost'ye place in St. Petersburg. You can count seven bridges and make a wish.



#### Pink and Blue Evening Light

40x40cm, Oil on canvas/board



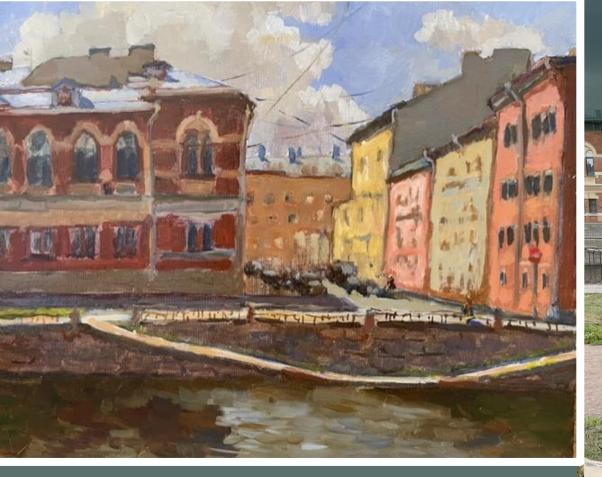
Late evening plein-air near the Church of the Savior on Blood. There is Three-Arched Bridge and the view facing the Mikhailovsky Palace.

### **Pink and Blue Evening Light**

Process



The difficulty of the evening plein-air is that everything is changing fast. You must catch the condition as soon as possible.



The view from the channel of Griboyedov. It is very recognizable architecture of St. Petersburg.

#### The Sun in St. Petersburg

40x50cm, Oil on canvas/board

## **MORE ABOUT THE PROCESS**



St. Petersburg is beautiful location for plein-air. The weather can be in issue, but we were lucky, we had not so much rain.





## **Calm Lake in Hanoi**

40x40cm, Oil on canvas, 2023

Exhibition: 2023 International Arts Fund. The Capitals of the World



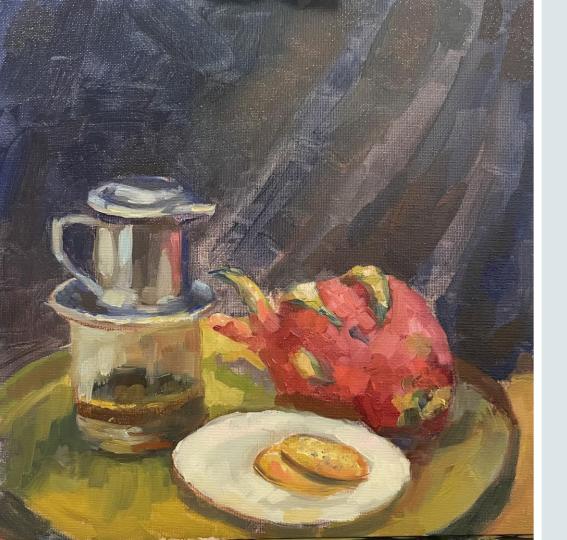
It is very difficult to find a quiet place in Hanoi. However, I managed to find a beautiful pond with nice mansions around it. Colorful and picturesque, chaotic but still special architecture of Vietnam old cities always inspired me.

## **Calm Lake in Hanoi**

Process



#### The weather in Hanoi is good for plein-air in December and January.



## Vietnamese coffee

40x40cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2023



I created this nature-morte in Hanoi, Vietnam. There is a phin filter with Vietnamese coffee. It is common to drink it with condensed milk. Vietnamese phin is a coffee brewing tool most common and popular in Vietnam.



# Pineapple with chilli peppers

40x30cm, Oil on canvas, 2023



Only in Vietnam I have tasted such small and sweet pineapples. They eat the fruit with salt, pepper, and lime.



# A Doll. Vietnamese lady

30x20cm, Soft Pastel, paper, 2023 Hanoi, Vietnam



This doll I bought on the X-Mas market. The small lady is in the ethnic minority costume of Red Dao woman. The Red Dao headdress is particularly striking, with a triangular red turban.



## **Pineapple** and Mango

20x30cm, Soft Pastel, paper, 2023 Hanoi, Vietnam

Classical still life with fruits. My favorite Vietnamese pineapple and mango.



#### **Carnation flowers**

30x20cm, Soft Pastel, paper, 2023 Hanoi, Vietnam

Carnation flowers are quite popular in Vietnam. A little nature-morte with a few of them.



#### **Fishes**

20x20cm, Soft Pastel, paper, 2018 Hoi An, Vietnam



The fishes I drew during my second visit to Vietnam in 2018 where I came back with soft pastel. These fishes are from Vietnamese market in Hoi An, one of my favorite location in Vietnam. I liked Vietnam for its fusion with French culture, especially in food like coffee, cakes,

baguettes etc.

## **More Vietnam**

2023

2018



I came back to Vietnam with soft pastel because Vietnam also inspired me for its mixture with French and European culture like Hoi An, where Portuguese were based as well.

## Belgium 2019



It was my last vacation trip before COVID-19 lock down



## **Chicken coops for the tourists**

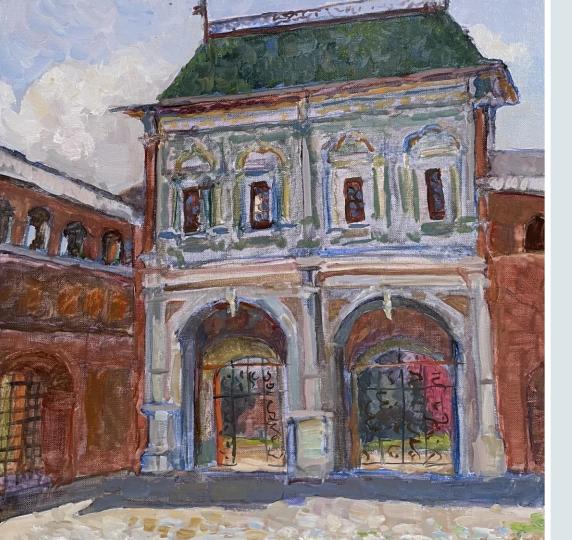
20x20cm, Soft Pastel, paper, 2020 Altay, Russia



It is a plein-air drawing which I made sitting in the bank of the mountain river Chemal during my journey in Altay. "Chicken coops" for the tourists is a funny local name of the small wooden grid cabin in the forest built specially for the tourist.

# RLEIN-AIR, MOSCOW

Different years



## Teremok in Krutitsy

50x50cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2023 Exhibition: 2023 International Arts Fund



Plein-air painting in the Krutitsy Patriarchal Compound. Artists are excited of this venue for the variety of subjects and stunning architecture. I was especially delighted that all the restoration works on the Krutitsy Teremok have been finished.

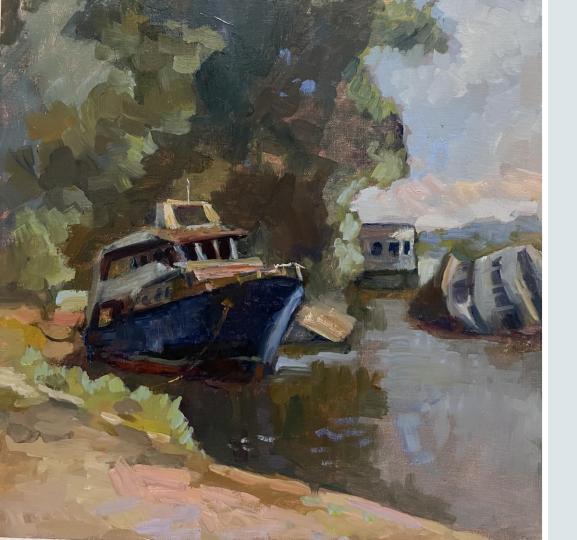


# **Novodevichiy convent**

50x35cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2023 Exhibition: 2023 International Arts Fund



Novodevichy Monastery from the side of the pond is a very quiet and picturesque place. A dove flew and sit on my painting to evaluate my work.



#### Old Ships 40x40cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2023

Exhibition: 2023 Union of Russian Artist "Etudes"



There is a place near Kolomenskoe park where old ships are moored at their last berth. There is even sunken ship visible on the painting.



#### Neskuchny Garden

40x40cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2023 Exhibition: 2023 Union of Russian Artist "Etudes"



Neskuchny Garden is located in the center of Moscow. You can see here the view to the Rotonda in honor of 800-years of Moscow.

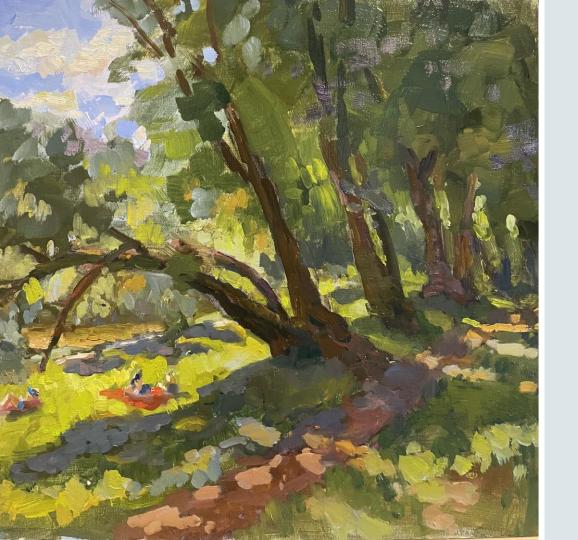


#### Flowers of Kuskovo

40x40cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2023

My first plein-air in 2023 after come back from Vietnam.

In Kuskovo park where the noble family of the Sheremetevs were living the administration of the park cares about the flowers in front of the major palace.



## Hot day in Izmaylovo park

40x40cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2022 Exhibition: 2023 Union of Russian Artist "Etudes"



People are relaxing near the rive in Izmaylovo park during a hot summer day.



## **Fisherman**

40x40cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2022

Exhibition: 2023 Union of Russian Artist "Etudes"



One of my favorite plein-air painting, which I created near Novospassky Monastery. A real fisherman was sitting on the bank. And I was trying to imagine how it feels to look deep into the waters like he did. For me it looked more as a fisherman was sitting on the edge of the skies absorbed with his own universe.



## The Sun in Kuskovo

40x40cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2022



Kuskovo park in the summer sunny day.



#### **Spring** 30x30cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2022



This is the view from my country house. We have this little well near the bushes of jasmine.



## Behind the Meadows

40x40cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2021 Exhibition: 2023 Union of Russian Artist "Etudes"



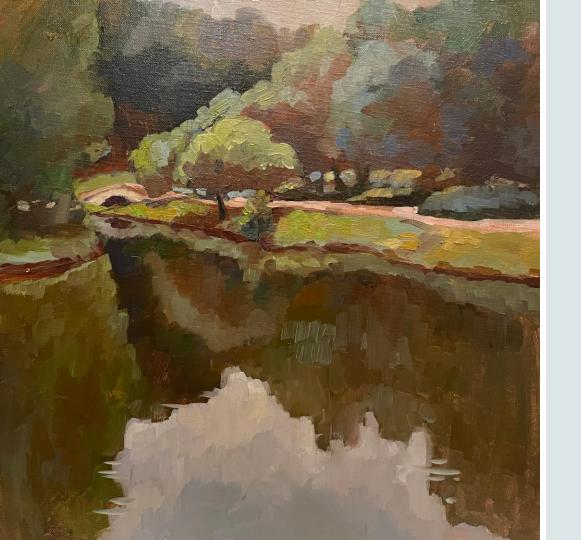
Plein-air painting which I created near Novospassky Monastery, the view from the park nearby. Recognizable landscape of Russia.



#### Church of the Intercession of the Virgin in Izmailovo

50x40cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2021

Plein-air painting. The beautiful piece of architecture.



## Hot day in Tsaritsyno park

40x40cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2021



Tsaritsyno park in one of the hot days. The colors of the painting mean to transfer this impression.



## **Golden Glow**

30x24cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2021

Golden Glow flowers are typical for Russian countryside.



## **Rainy day**

40x40cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2020



A bridge with reflection in the water of the channel in Kuskovo park at the golden fall time.



## Holland Mansion

50x40cm, Oil on canvas/board 2020



Well known Holland mansion in Kuskovo park.

This small palace is especially picturesque at autumn time.



#### Spring will Win 50x40cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2020

Exhibition: 2020 Travel of flowers (Kuvshin studio)

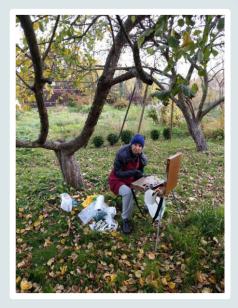
This painting I created during COVID-19 lockdown at the best period when lilacs were blooming.

We were all locked in our apartment, and the artists could not do any plein-airs, but I was lucky having a lilacs growing near my window.



## **Dacha's routines**

30x20cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2020



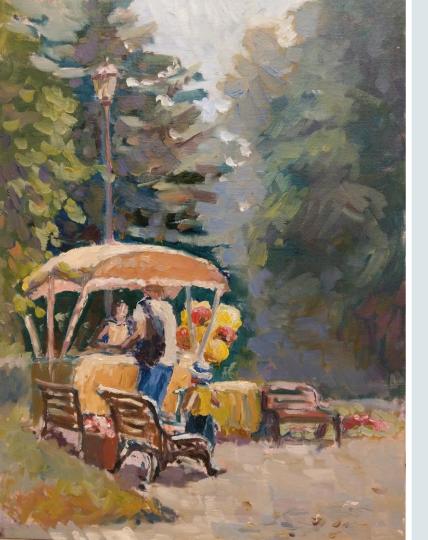
Typical Russian countryside scene from life. Plein-air painting.



## **Arcs and Shadows**

10x30cm, Oil on canvas, 2020

The architecture of Kolomenskiy park in Moscow.



#### I want an ice-cream

40x30cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2019



I saw the scene from life happening in Baumanskiy park.

A father was buying an ice-cream for his son. It looked so cute that I wanted to paint it.



## **Backwater**

24x30cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2019



I made this plein-air painting in Kuzminki park. Autumn dark waters with golden leaves.



## Kisses' Bridge in Tsaritsyno

30x40cm, Oil on canvas, 2019



There is a small picturesque bridge in Tsaritsyno park.



## **Lilacs in Tsaritsyno**

40x40cm, Oil on canvas, 2019



The artist's favorite theme of the painting are lilacs. This one was in Tsaritsyno park near the orangery.



## Krutitsy. The Chamber of Cross.

40x40cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2019



#### The architecture of Krutitsy is so different. The Chamber of Cross outside looks like a castle.

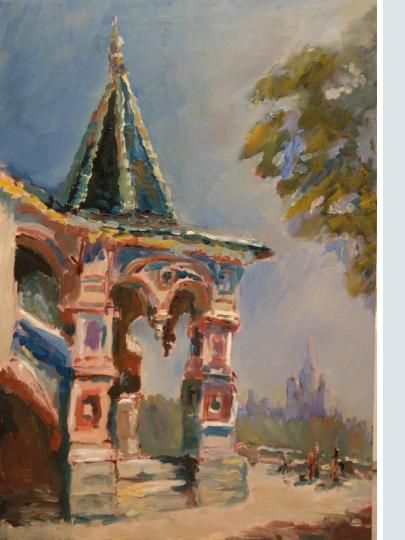


#### The Palaces of Kuskovo

40x40cm, Oil on canvas, 2019



The view from the back garden to the major palace in Kuskovo park.



### Saint Basil's Cathedral 2019

50x35cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2019



#### This painting is my first contribution to the Art Festival "Drawing of St. Basil's Cathedral" in 2019.



#### Window to the garden

30x40cm Oil on canvas 2019

Exhibition: Notwithstanding (Kuvshin studio)



We have beautiful apple trees growing just near the terrace of our small country house.



### **Autumn Forest**

60x50cm, Oil on canvas, 2019



#### The view from my room in the mansard of our small country house.

# PLEIN-AIR, MONTENEGRO

First plein-air in my life - 2019



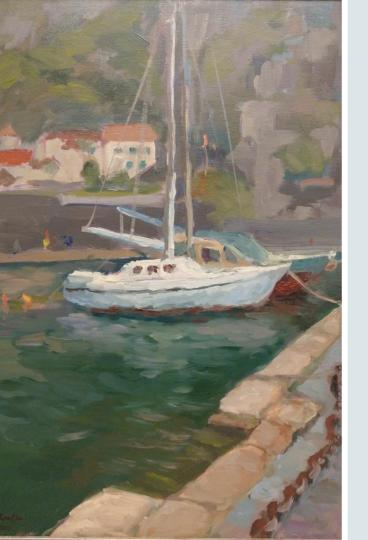
It is my favorite plein-air work from Montenegro. I depicted these mansions in Budva.

#### Mansions in Budva

60x40cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2019

Exhibition: Gallery N-Prospect, Castello di Boca Montenegr





#### Yacht in the Bay of Kotor

60x40cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2019

Exhibition: Gallery N-Prospect, Castello di Boca Montenegro



If you want to depict a yacht, there is a problem that at some point it can suddenly leave. This time I was lucky, and it stayed until my painting was finished.



This is my first plein-air work in Montenegro trip. The mansion was located just near the Kotor Bay.

#### Mansion Near the Bay

50x40cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2019

Exhibition: Gallery N-Prospect, Castello di Boca Montenegro





## **A Small Ship**

30x30cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2019

#### Exhibition: Gallery N-Prospect, Castello di Boca Montenegro



The view to the mountains of Kotor Bay.



## **Foggy Morning**

60x60cm, Oil on canvas, 2019

#### Exhibition: Gallery N-Prospect, Castello di Boca Montenegro



The weather in Montenegro in May that year was humid and fresh.

What flowers were not in this magical still life creature, even there were roses and irises. However, all of them together created harmony.

### Montenegro

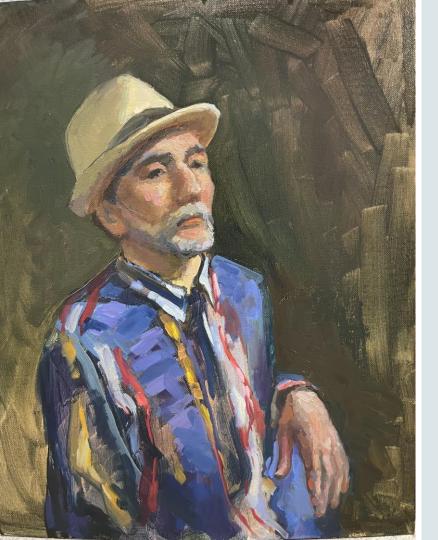
First Plein-Air Experience





## PORTRAITS

Only life model painting



## A Man with a Hat

50x40cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2021



The special effects of colors on the shirt create an impression of lightness. The face of the man is well detailed at the same time.



## **Richman**

50x50cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2023



The portrait depicts a man in a masquerade costume of middle age centuries. It was a real model posing in the studio. His costume represents a guard or hired warrior.



## **Prejudice**

50x40cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2020



This is a real model's portrait. The expression of the face and his eyes looking at the floor give the impression of arrogance and pride. I personally like this portrait and for a long time I kept it in the hall.



## Lady from 50th

50x40cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2022



This is a real-life portrait of a lady dressed in an old-style fashion that reminds me 50th of last century.





50x40cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2021



It is very detailed and gentle portrait of a lady. Could be a stylish element in apartment or any public place.





50x40cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2021



Portrait made in the studio from the model. Such a portrait could be a stylish detail is any public place or entrance/hall of apartment.

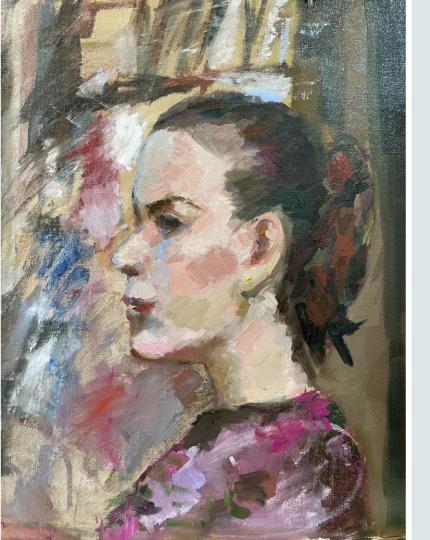


#### Cap-man in the Profile

50x40cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2021



Portrait made in the studio from the model. Such a portrait could be a stylish detail is any public place or entrance/hall of apartment.



## Lady in the Profile

50x40cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2022



The portrait made in the studio during 3h session.

Special techniques applied to create impression of lightness and movement. Alla prima style / Au premier coup



### **New Year Portrait**

50x40cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2021



It is a New Year portrait. However, the face of the lady is not so happy. Nobody knows what else can happen the next year.



#### Daria

50x40cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2021

I have created this portrait during one session. Alla prima style / Au premier coup



## Lady in Red

50x40cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2020



The lady in red created from real model for one session. Alla prima style / Au premier coup



## Lady by the Lake

40x40cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2020



A friend of mine asked me to made a portrait of her daughter. The lady was posing in the park near the pond. Alla prima style / Au premier coup



# NATURE-MORTE

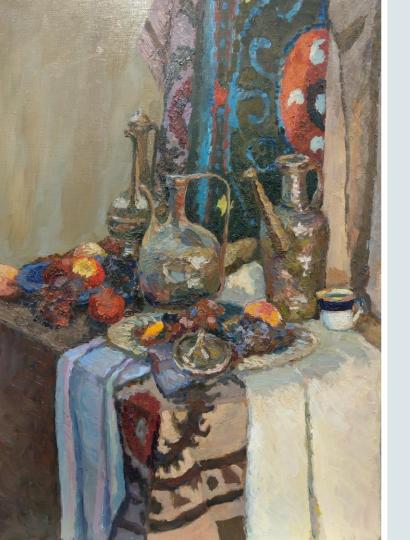


#### **Cornflowers - Jewelry** of the Fields

60x50cm, Oil on canvas, 2023



A warm summer day and the window is open widely. The rays of the sun highlight the ultramarine cornflowers like they would be real jewelry.



### **Eastern Nature-Morte**

70x50cm, Oil on canvas, 2020



The nature-morte evokes associations about the East. The Aladdin lamps, kilim carpets, and grapes with other fruits on the tray.



#### **Autumn**

50x35cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2020



The jug made of brass with dried flowers and the pumpkin creates warm golden fall vibes.



## **Orange Morning**

50x50cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2020



The nature-morte transfers sensation of freshness. The oranges and the crystals tableware in the light provide this impression.



## **Behind the Mirror**

50x35cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2020

#### Exhibition: Travel of flowers (Kuvshin studio)



The incredible sort of peonies "Sunset" reflecting in the mirror and creating the impression of some abstract life happening there.

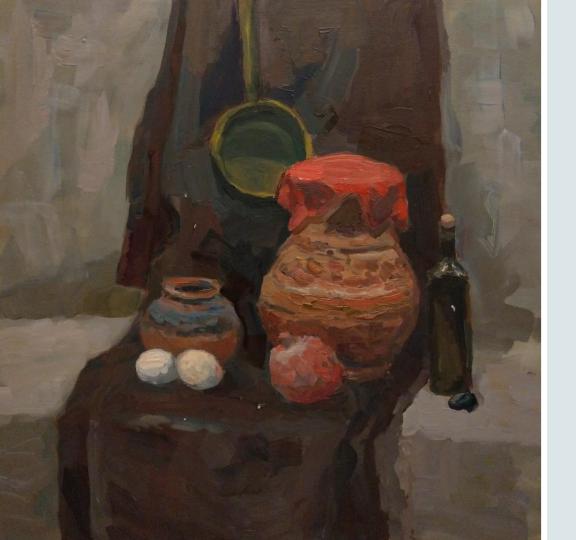


#### **Countryside** Nature-Morte

30x40cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2021



Everybody has this kind of shelf in their country house. Watering cans, mugs, bottles and still no one remembers what is there.



#### Peasant Nature-Morte

40x40cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2020



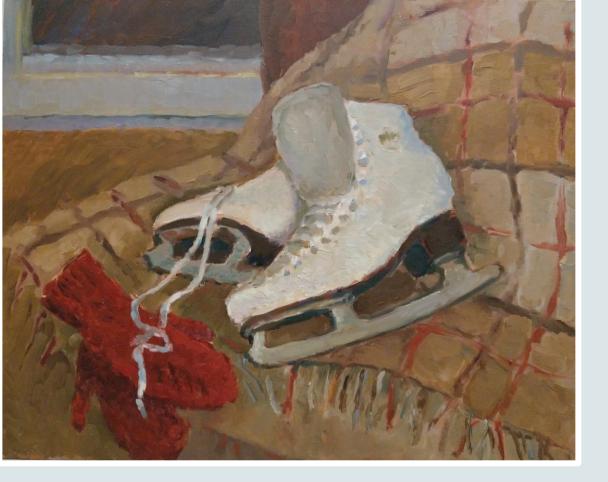
The ladle and jars, eggs, all the things from farmer's life.



## **Turkish coffee**

30x20cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2019

The nature-morte of Alla prima style. For one-time quick piece of nature-morte.

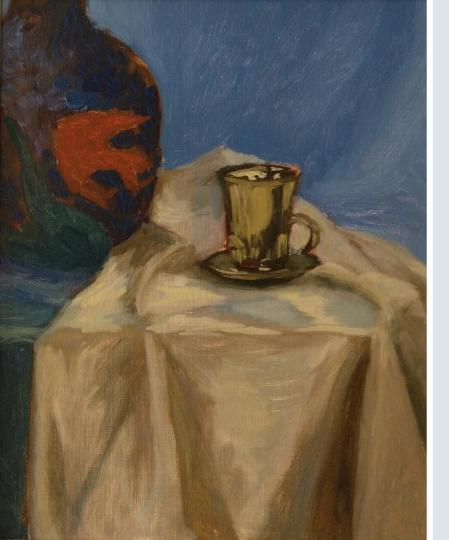




50x40cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2019 Exhibition: X-Mas Exhibition (Kuvshin studio)



The figure skates and the mittens are waiting to be used.



## **Golden Cup**

40x30cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2018



The nature-morte depicts a golden cup on the silk fabric in sateen.



#### Caucasus Nature-Morte

70x50cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2019 Exhibition: X-Mas Exhibition (Kuvshin studio)



The jars and the pomegranate evokes feelings as it was somewhere in Caucasus.



#### **Petunias**

40x30cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2022

The Petunias from my family's garden. They look a little artificial as Petunias do in real life.



## Cornflowers

60x40cm, Oil on canvas/board, 2019

Exhibition: Travel of flowers (Kuvshin studio), Notwithstanding (Kuvshin studio)



My favorite end of summer flowers are cornflowers. They are like jewelry of the golden fields. Next to the mug lies a handful of chokeberry.



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