



### **CURATED PHOTOGRAPHS**

### **SELECTED** FROM THE **SCP/BULB** FB AND IG STREAMS

This issue is ...

# ... dedicated to the people who make it!

Michail, May 2022

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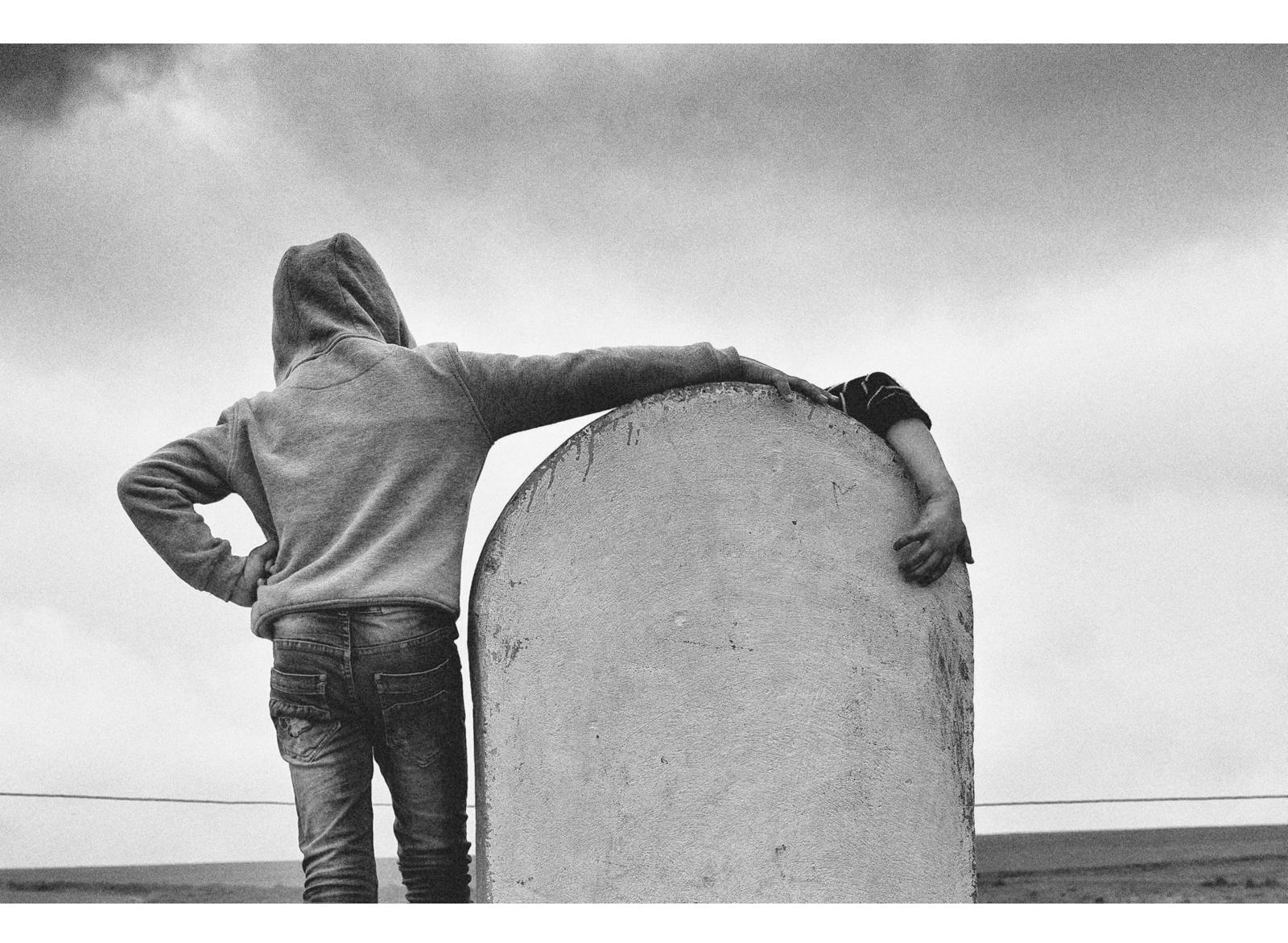
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### **MARIUS**

Marius is one of the strongest pillars of our team. A real architect, he has the skills for complex artwork in all his tasks. When this is coupled with a keen eye, as in his case, the results are both impressive and of high aesthetics.

But most importantly, difficulties make him stronger and we are grateful for that! A huge thanks Marius!



### **RUXANDRA**

Ruxandra is a prodigy. So young and so mature at the same time, she has an edgy photographic glance especially when experimenting.

She is always there for us and sometimes we feel guilty for not giving her all our support when she needs it. We apologise Rux but be assured that you have all our love and admiration!



### SAKIS

Sakis, the latest recruit of our team, developed a huge and efficient workflow in running the daily management of the group. We sometimes feel "jobless", but most of the time we feel blessed that he never misses the target and that he "shoots anything that moves".

Way to go Sakis, we are so glad to have you!



### **ANDREI**

Andrei is the "arguing" philosopher of our work. Insightful and rightful critic, he uses his academic knowledge on art and photography to open new horizons to us but also to bring us back from the utopian waters where we are likely to swim!



### **VICKY**

Vicky is a restless photographer and cinematographer with so many projects running that we are convinced she has superpowers.

And indeed, what a role model to many of us! Vicky we are so lucky you have accepted to be with us! Respect and awe!



### **PANAGIOTIS**

Panagiotis needs no praise. He is beyond and above all, a friend, a trustful colleague and a great wanderer in the human adventure. He has gone through many things but he kept his enthusiasm and energy to always launch and implement our new projects!

Many thanks mate!



## **ALEXANDROS**

Alexandros and Raluca are the young and busy editors of our team. Everyday life can be very demanding but in the end they always appear and respond to our calls for help. Stay tuned guys, the force is with us!



# **RALUCA**



### **TZEN**

Tzen, our overseas friend and editor, struggles to protect honesty, liberty and beauty both in our small world of photographers and in her conflicting proximity. She is a guardian angel, difficult to see, but always there when needed.

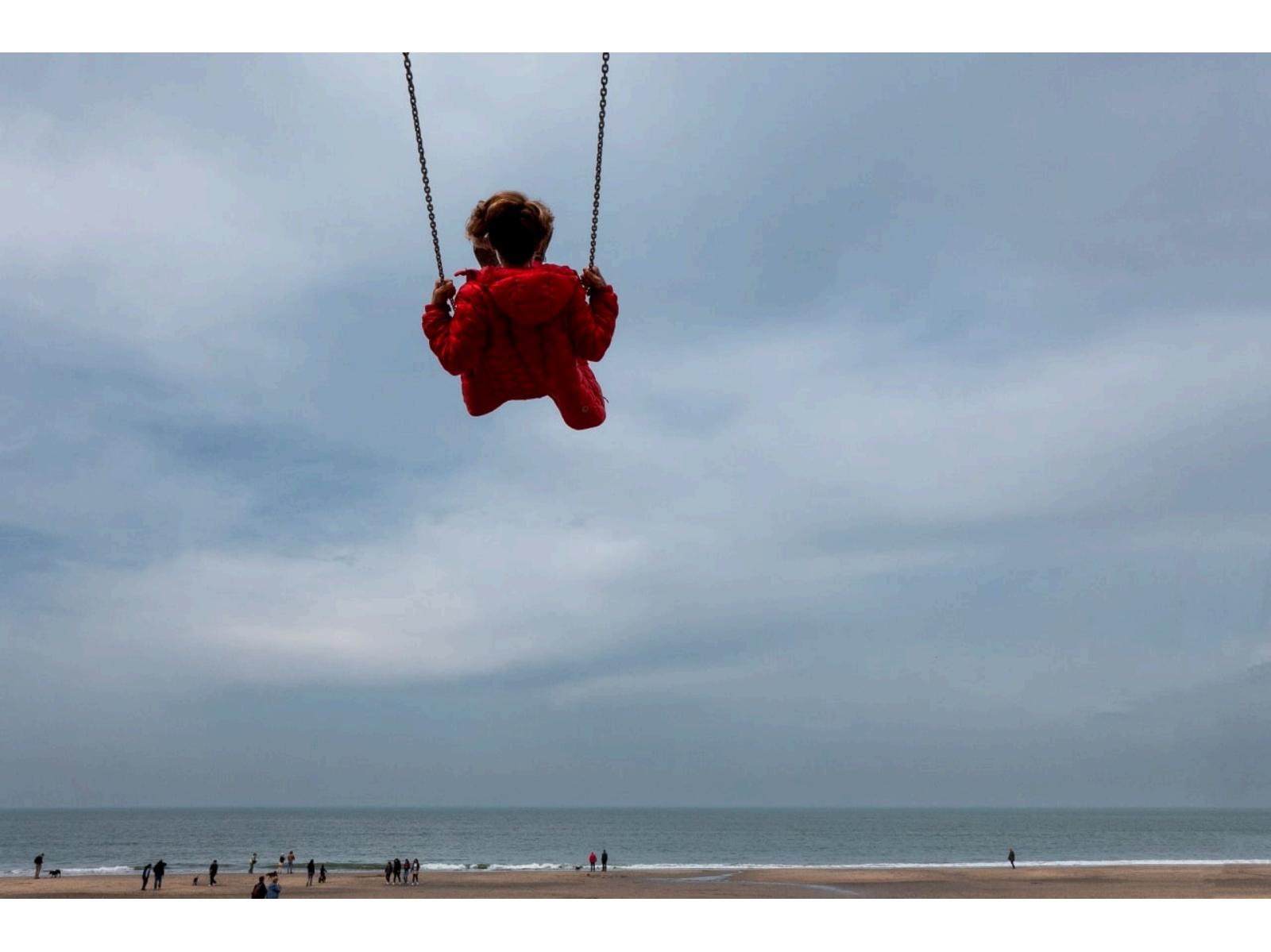
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Adeolu Osibodu

Ali Zolghadri

Antonio E. Ojeda

Arpit Saxena

Arpit Saxena2

Daniel Pannemann

Debrani Das

Debrani Das2

Ebrahim Noroozi

Elisabeth Dare

Emre Çakmak

Eva Milkonskaya

George Koutsouvelis

GII Kreslavsky

Gökhan Arer

Hans Jacob Haarseth

Kai Hsiao

Konstantinos Patsakis

Livia Belkova

Lorenzo Catena

Mehdi Vatanparast

Mile Modic

Nikos Konidaris

Nurcan Ertem

Patrulescu Stela

Pranvera Dautllari

Priyanka Nahada

Sevil Erdal

Silvia Alessi

Sotiris Lamprou

Susana Barbera

Tanay Sahoo

Viktor Balaguer

Ypatia Kornarou

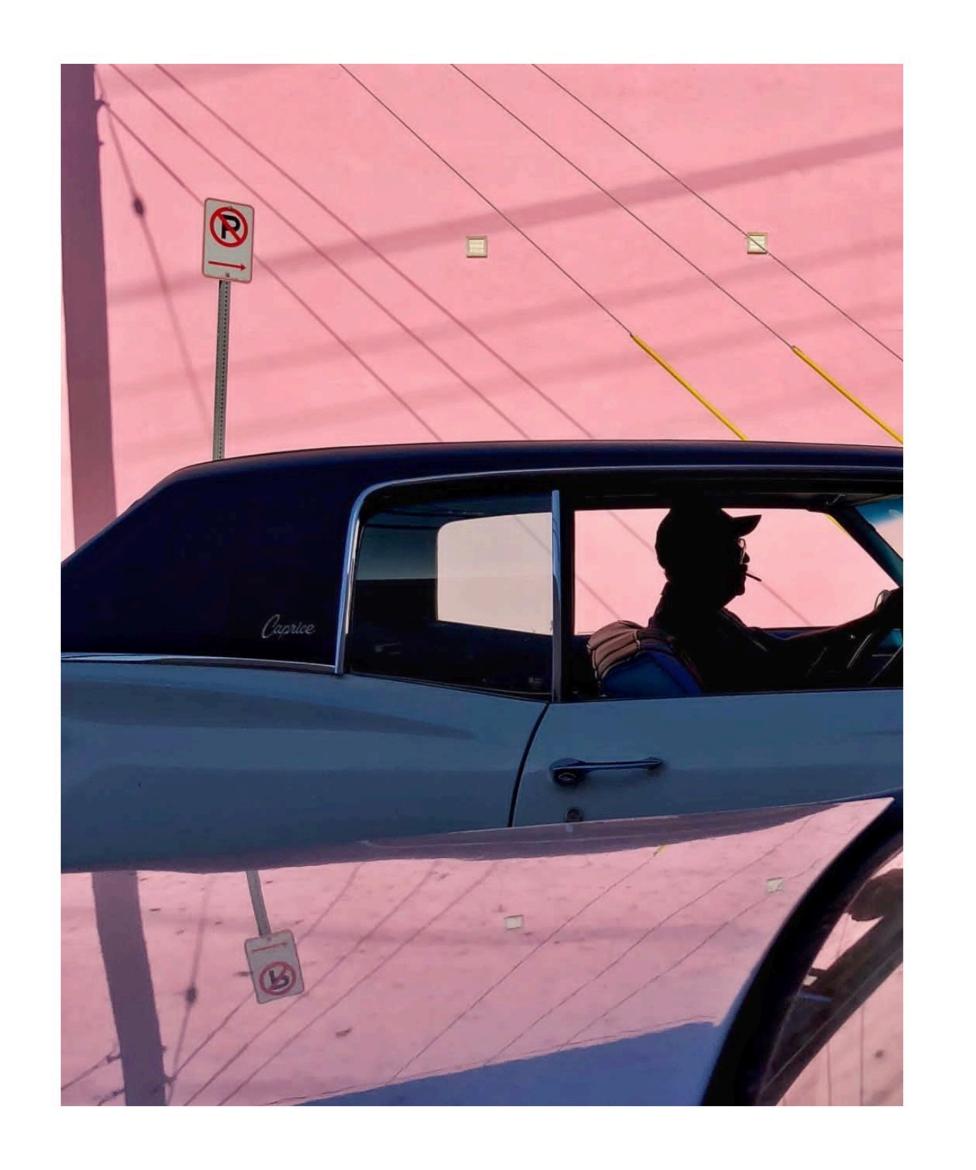












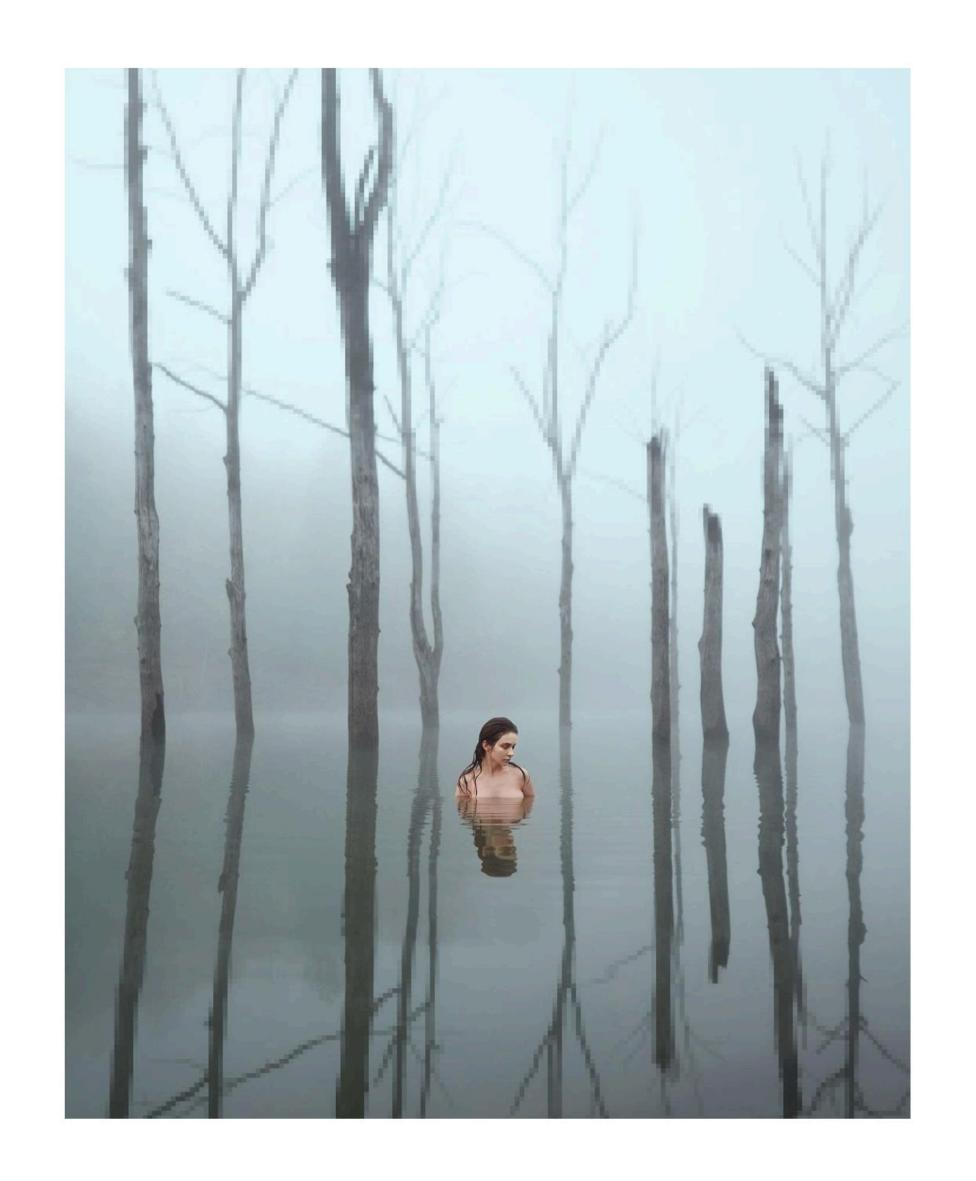










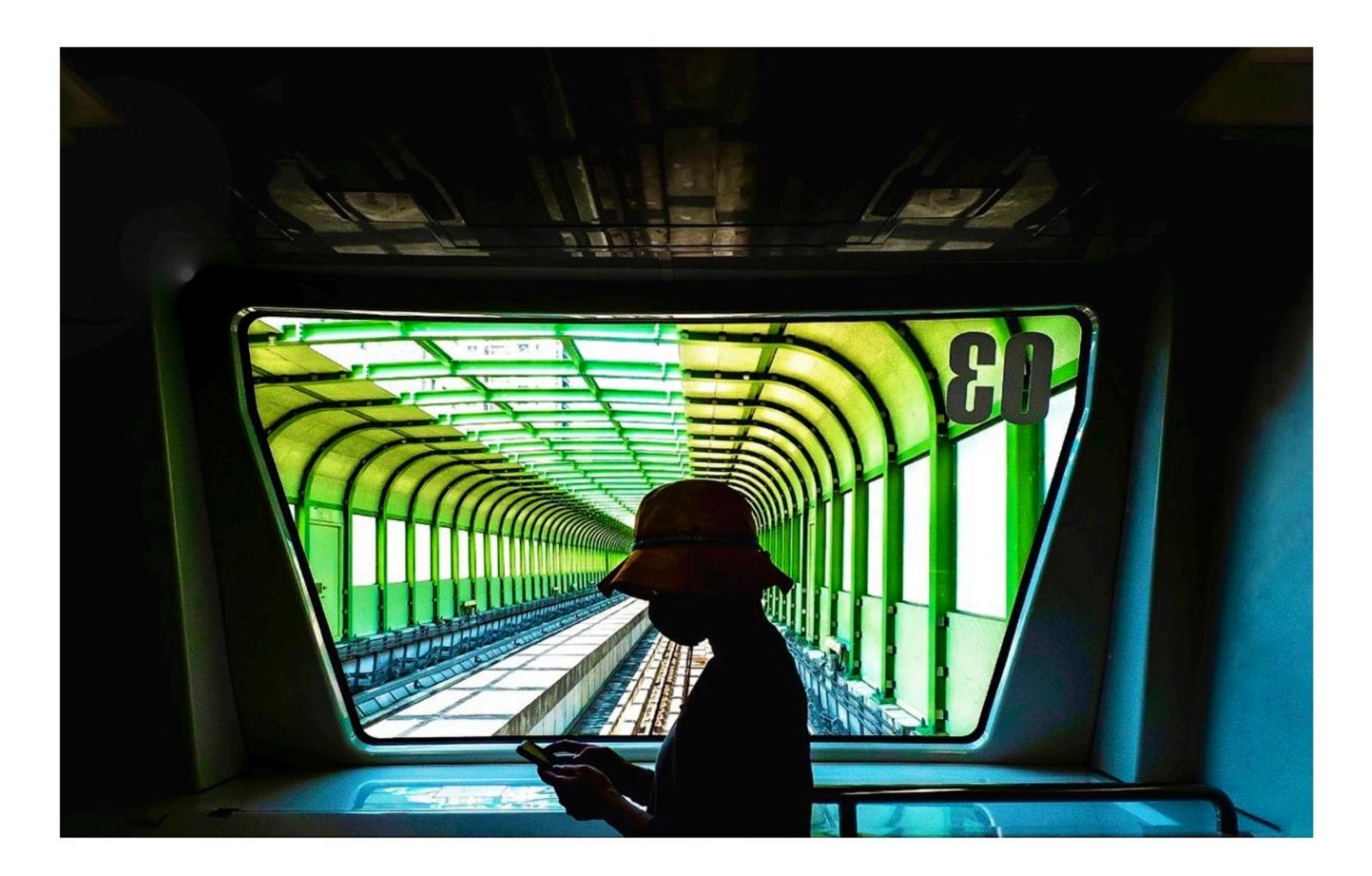
















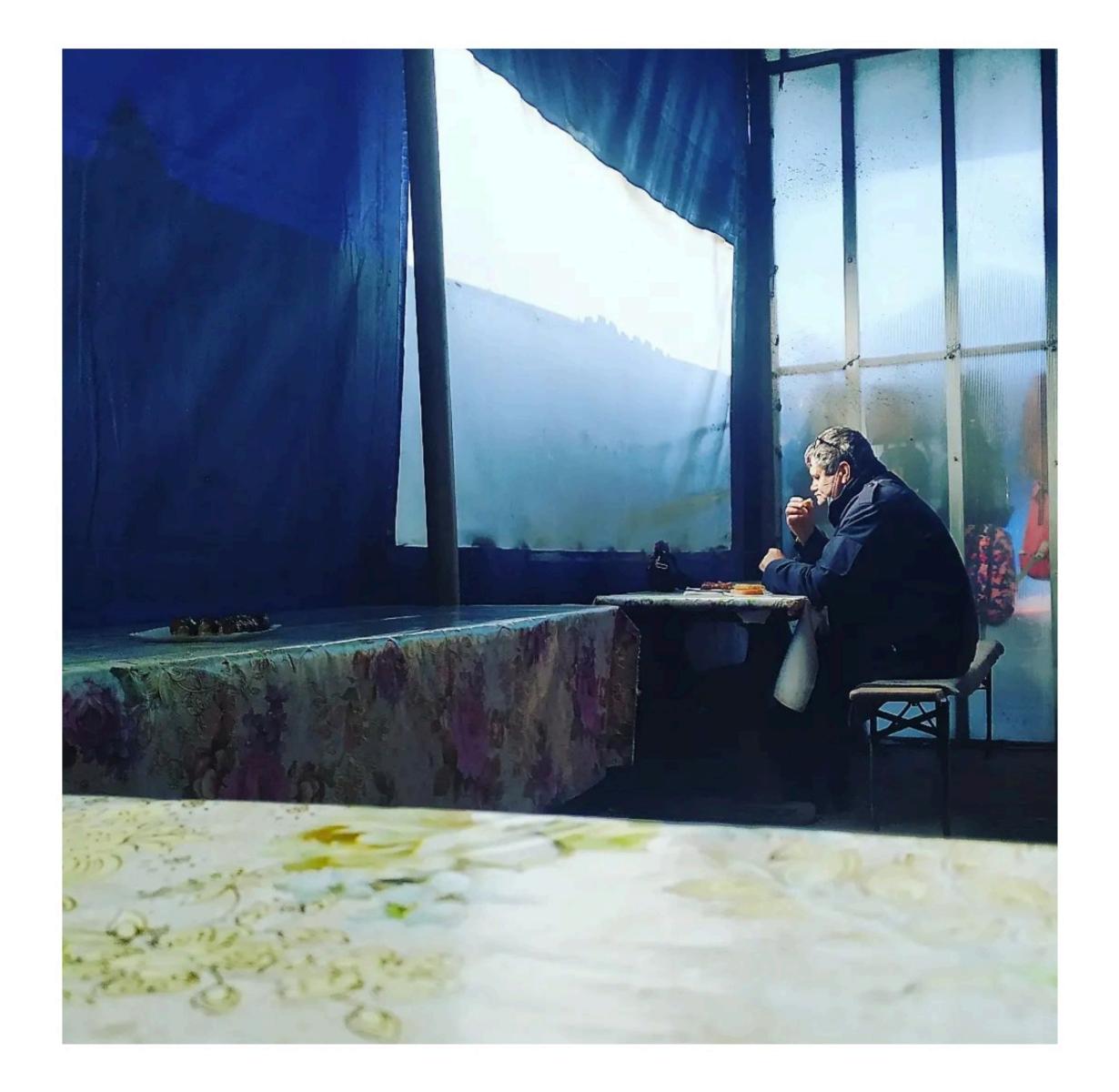


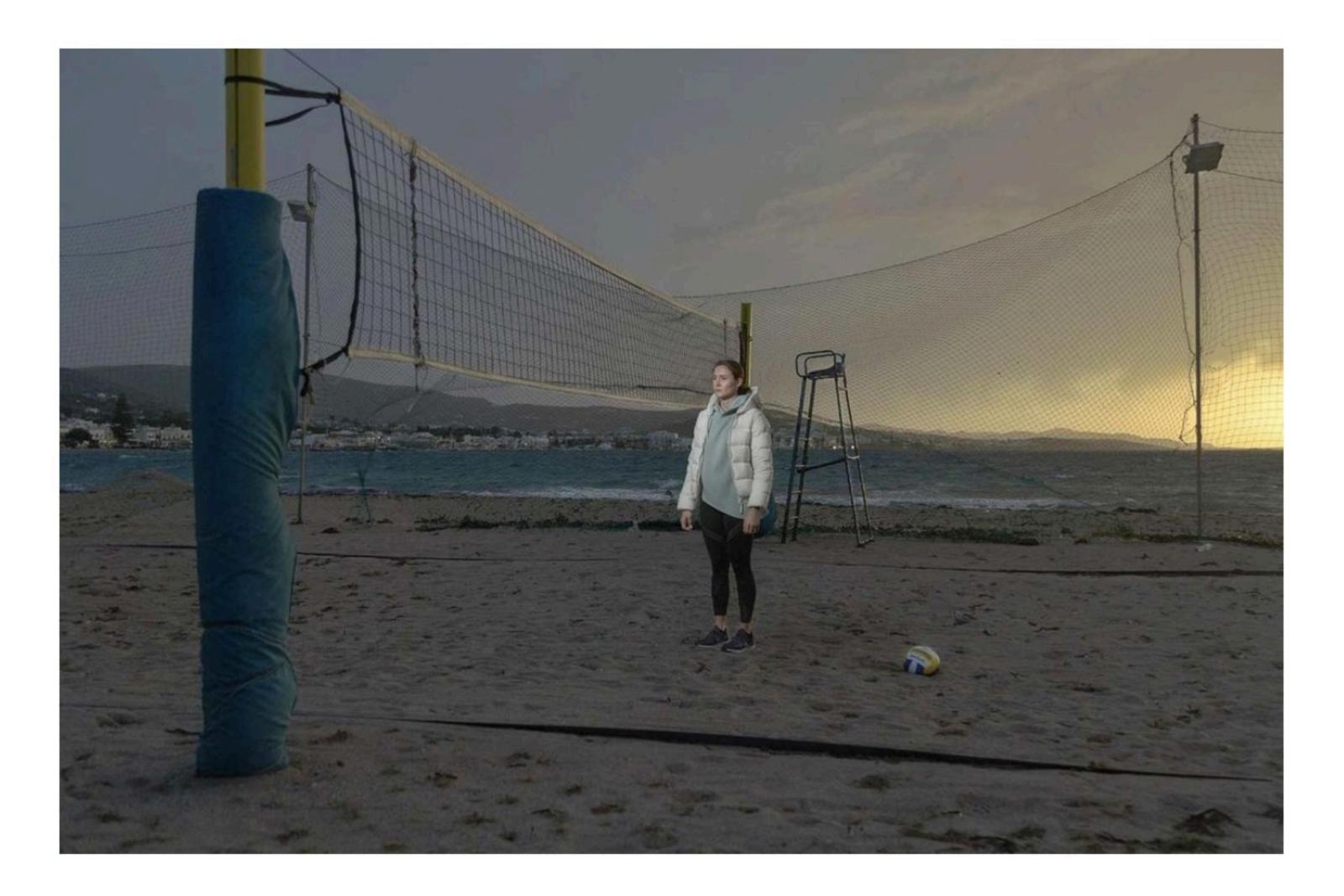


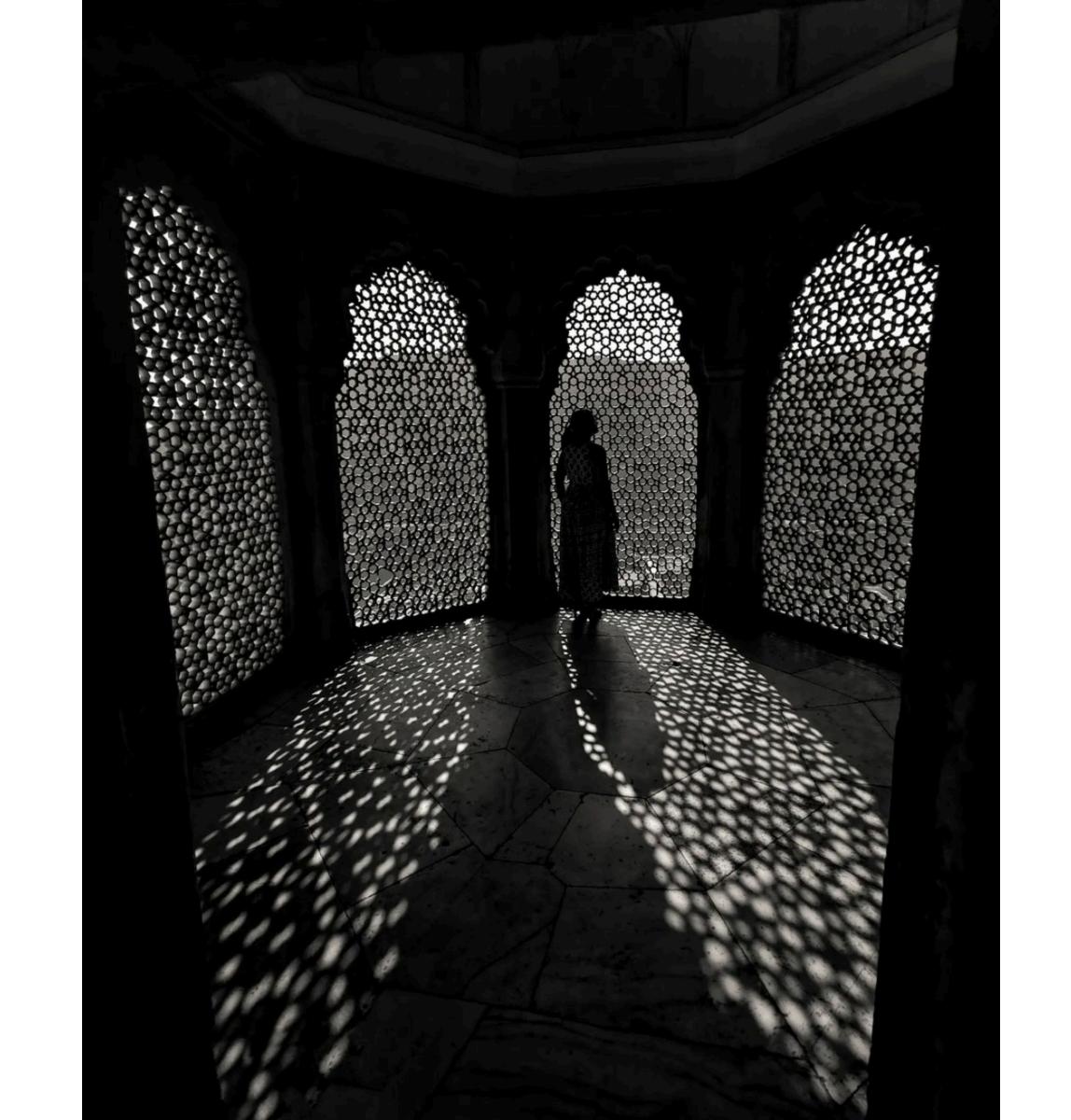




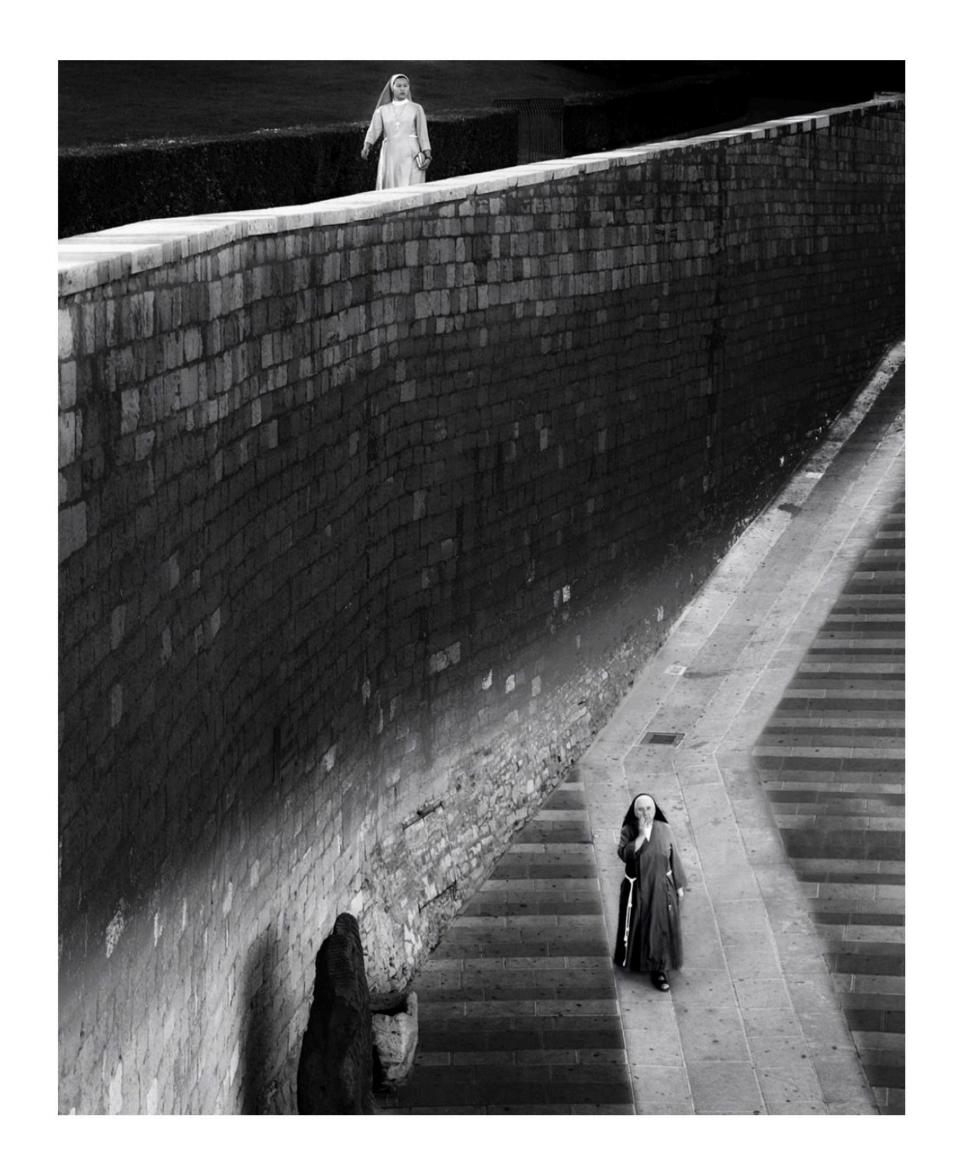






















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Amalia Tsakiri

Antonis Panagopoulos

Barbara Di Maio

Birsel Sabanoglu

Diana Maria

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Kostas Galanis

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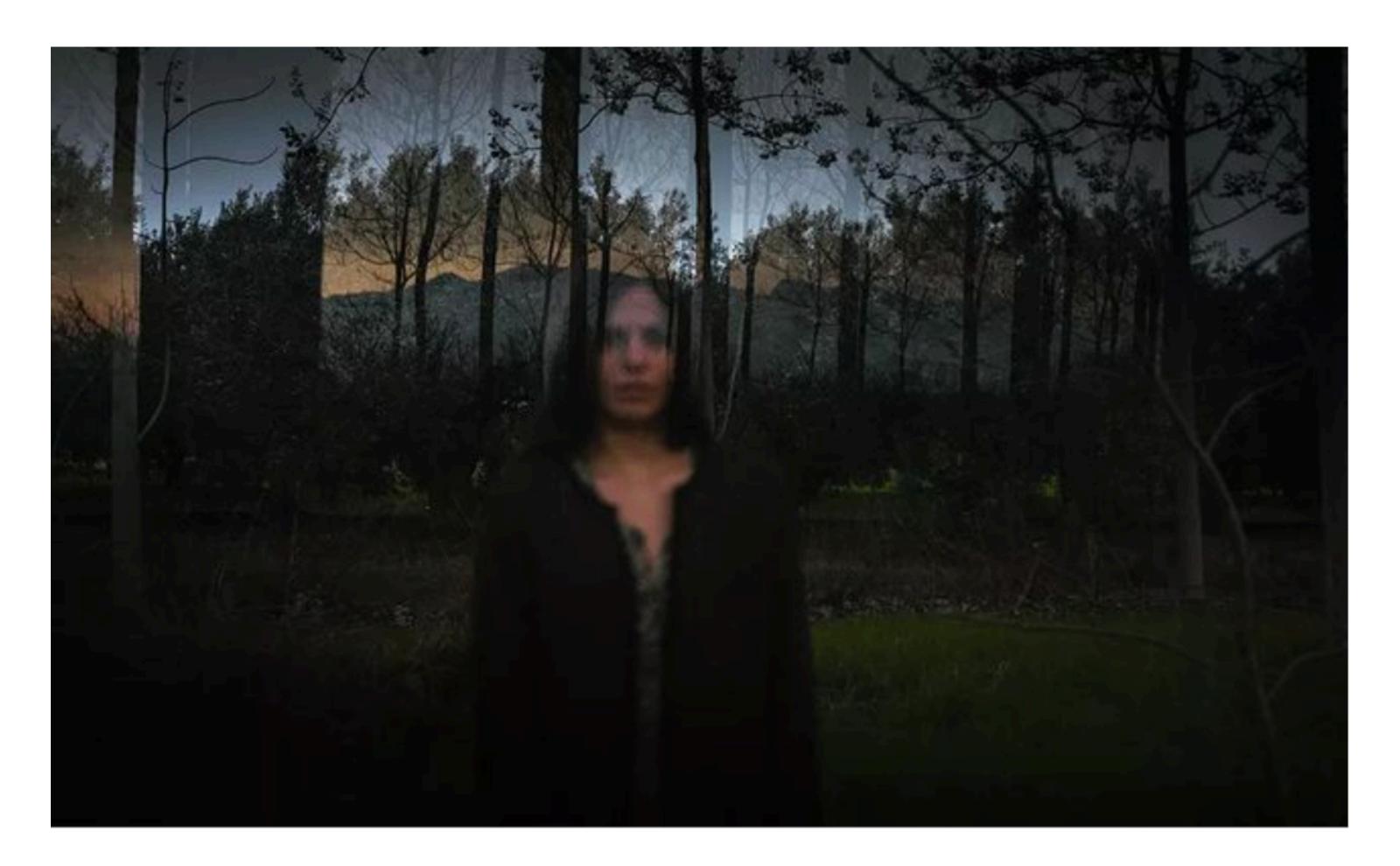
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Ploutarcos Haloftis

Stelios Katsatsidis







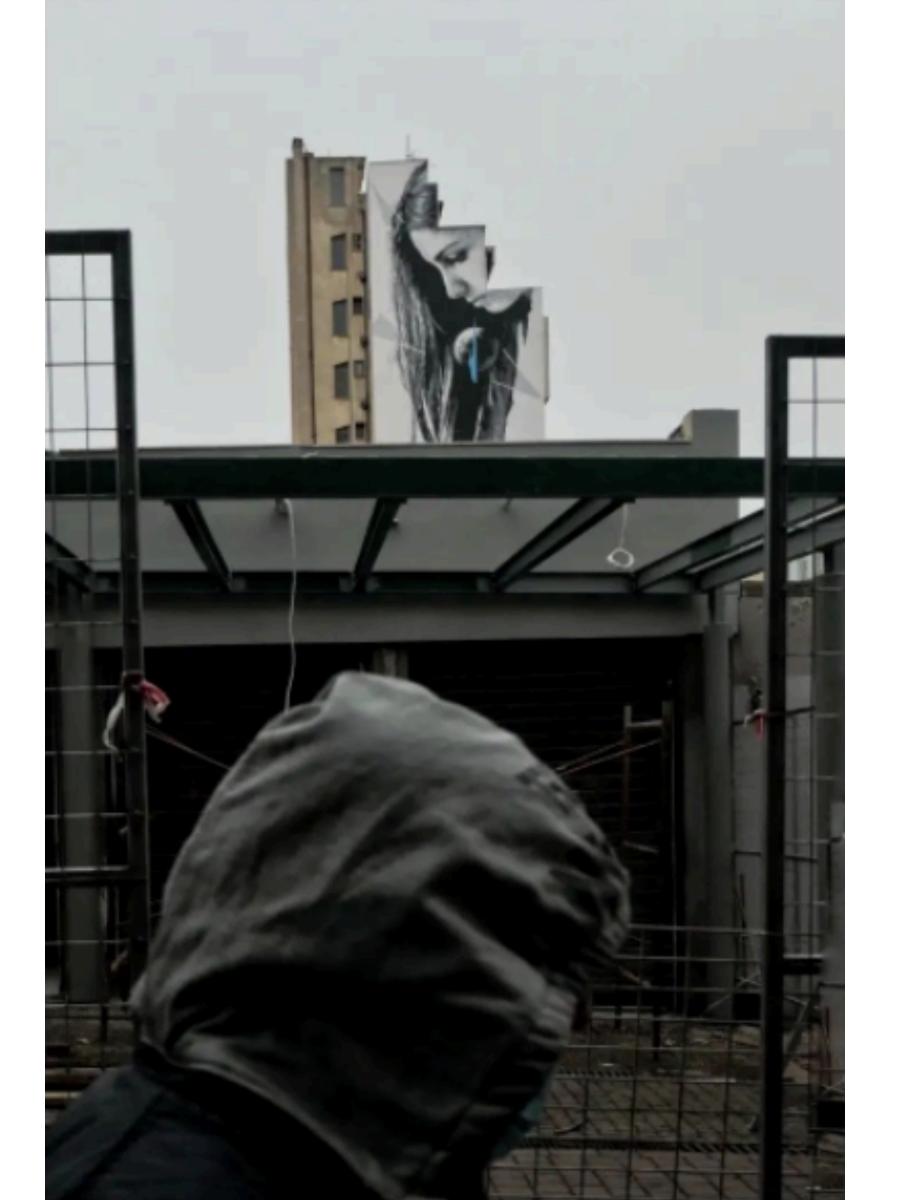












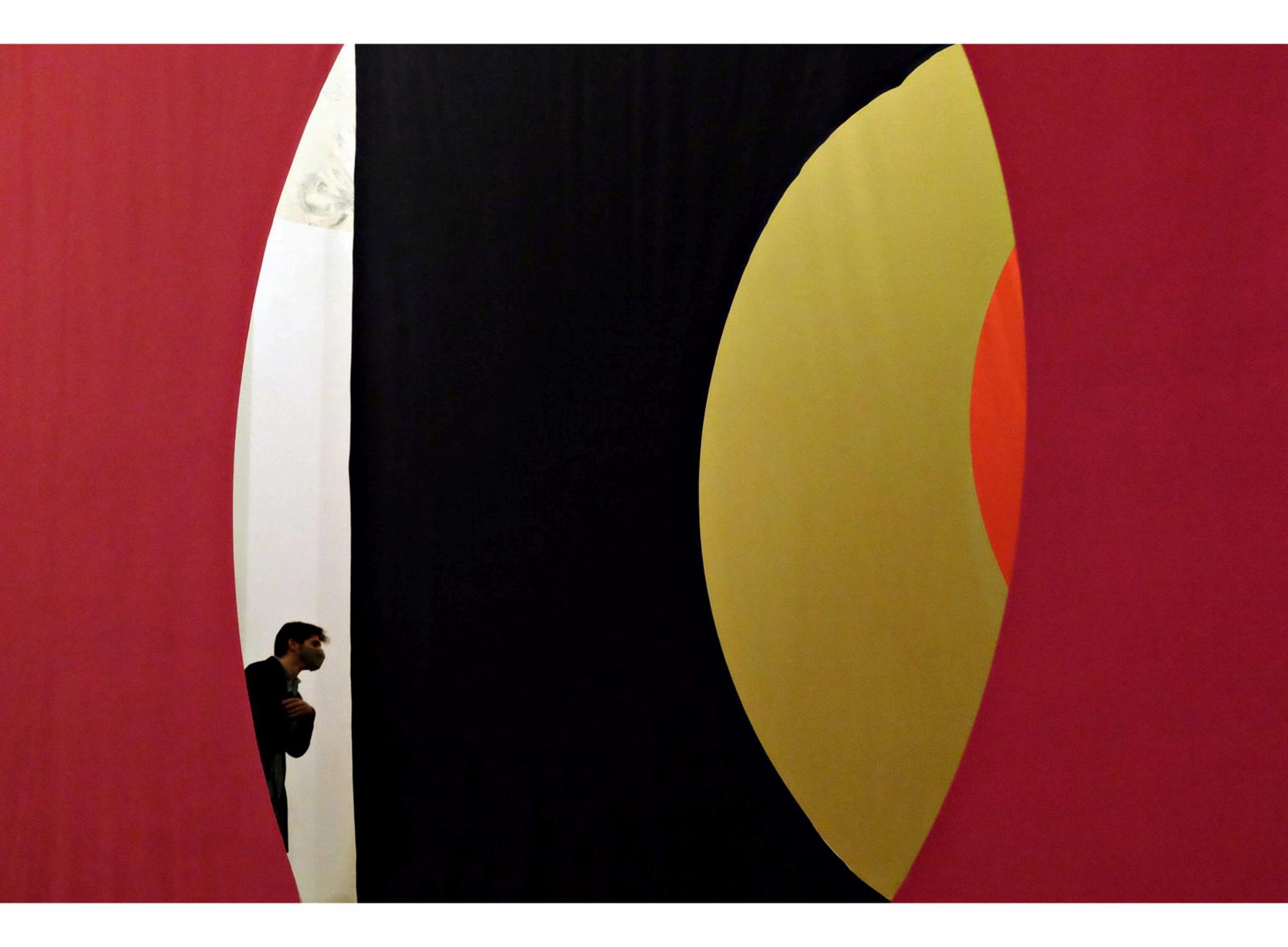




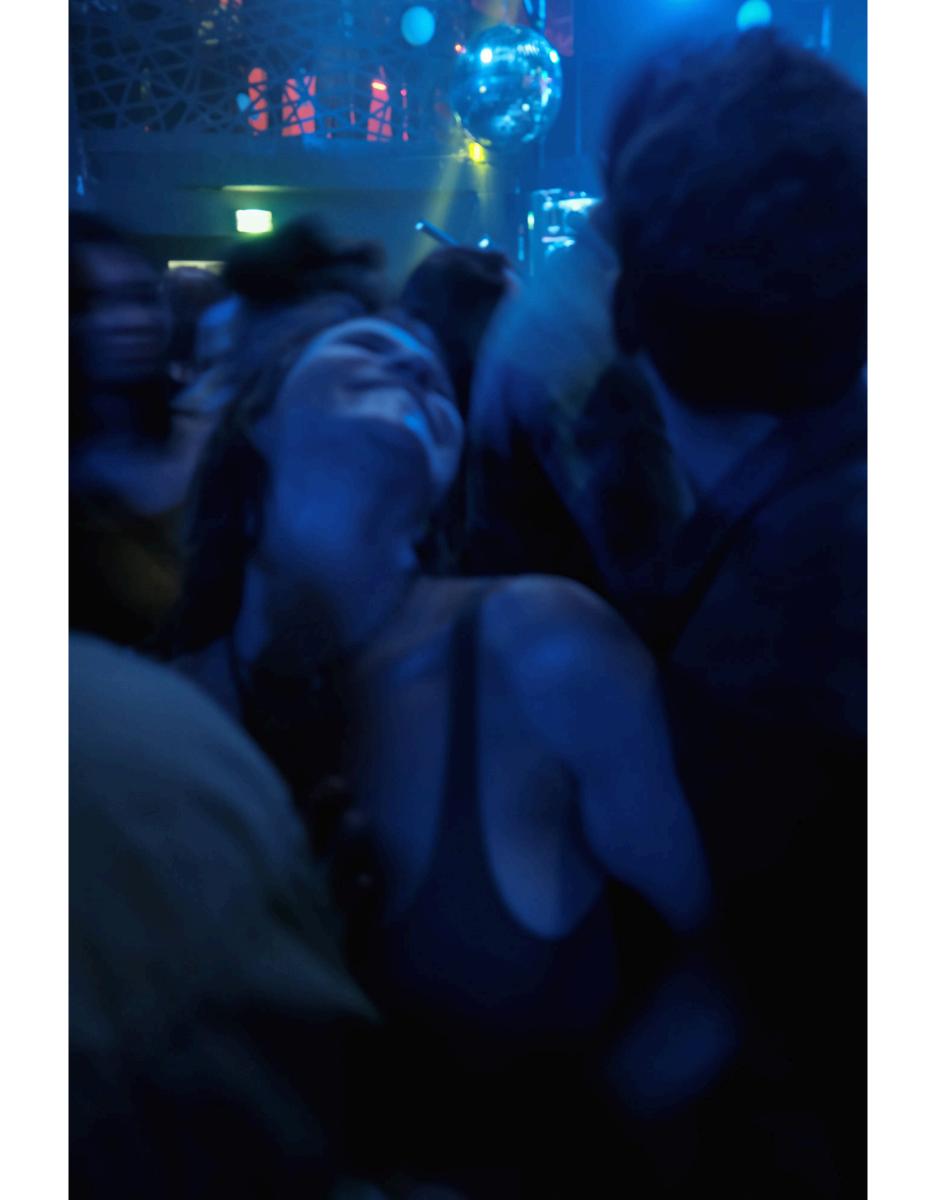


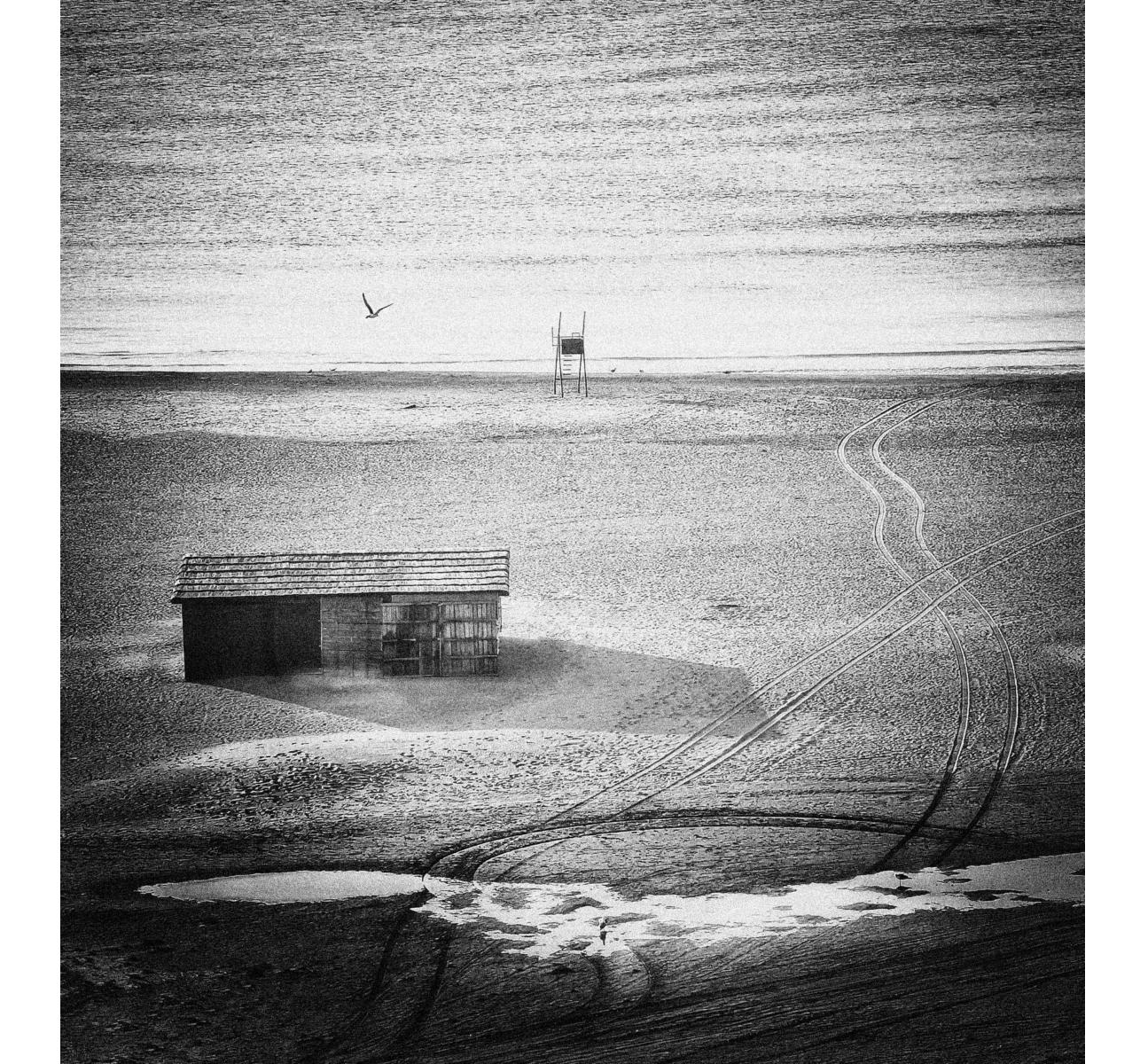


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Antonis Panagopoulos
Aurelien Bomy
Emilian Avramescu
Hubert Muller
Huseng Pitikero
Joel Martirez
Joy Prakash Das
Stathis Stavrianos
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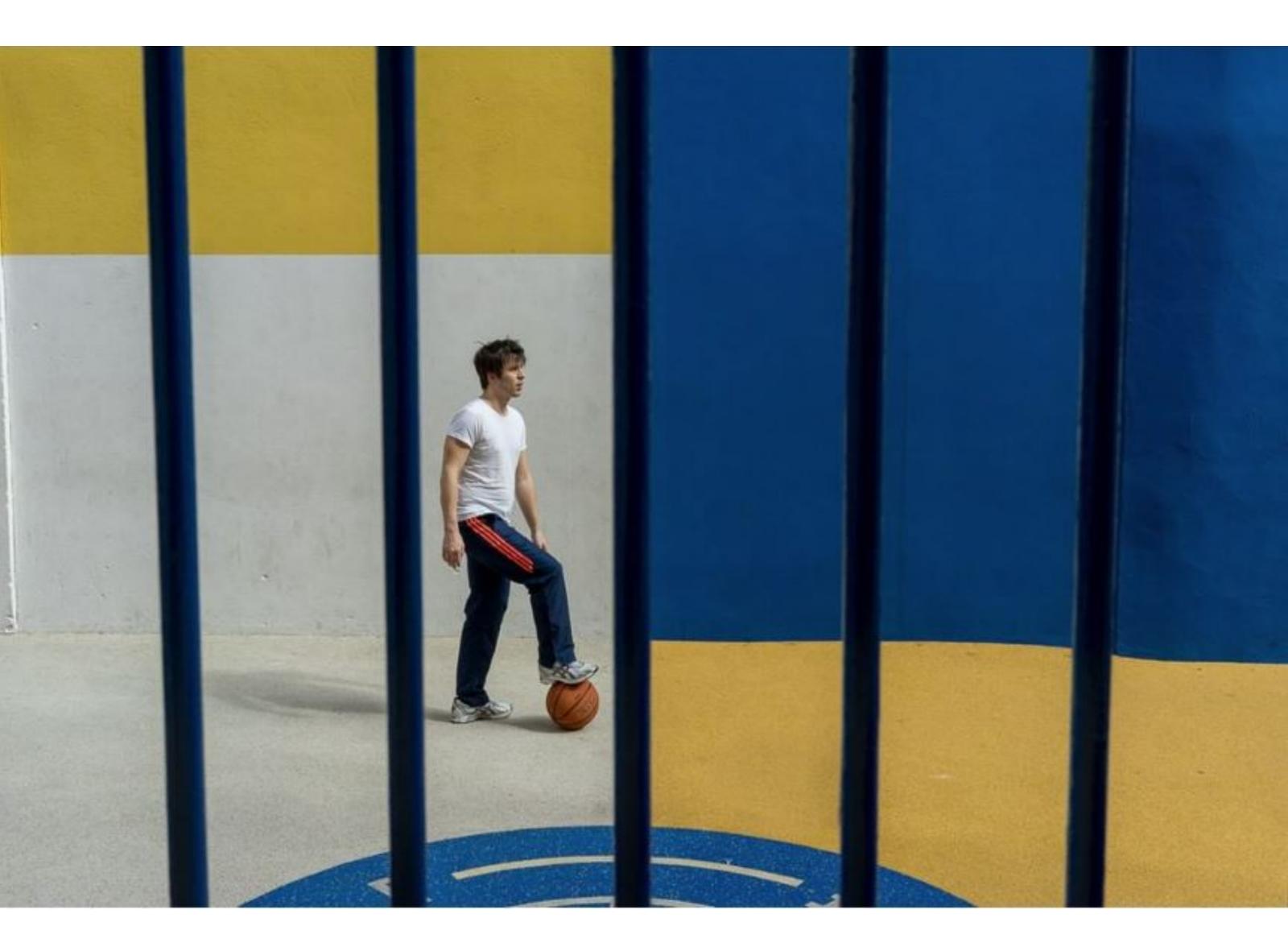


The quest for color has twined photography since its very beginning – from hand-colored photograms, to Lippmann plates and autochromes, all the way down the rabbit hole into the development of digital technology, which we hold in our pockets everyday now. Although this spectacular scientific and technological background has made color in photography a "normal" thing today, color manifests a deeply emotional and intensely personal experience.

Even if one is a stranger to the three attributes of color (hue, value and saturation), or even to the helpful palettes (monochrome, analogous or complementary), it is a fact that color has an intuitive hold on both he or she who takes a photograph, and on all who gaze at it. Black and white photography remains a strong presence on the global photoscene, perhaps because it's otherness in contrast with how we perceive the world or even because there are those among us who dream this way.

As such, this month, I have resolved to select photographs that remind me of dialogue and emotional sharing, of those cinematic and explosively colored rare dreams we have sometimes or, even, of memories we revisit, which are always richer in color, aren't they?

Six such photographs were swimming among the photowaves of this month's Bulb group. I share with you the beautiful world of **Alexandre L**, with his strong color rifts; **Antonis Panagopoulos**, presenting a dreamy hazy world; **Joel Martirez**, with his warm atmosphere no matter the material context; **Ohad Aviv** - a gently colored dialogue with technology; **Zhuowen AO**, depicting an intense, yet quiet space, and  $\Gamma\iota\omega\rho\gamma\sigma\varsigma$  **Kouλouρίδης**, with painting-like colored textures.





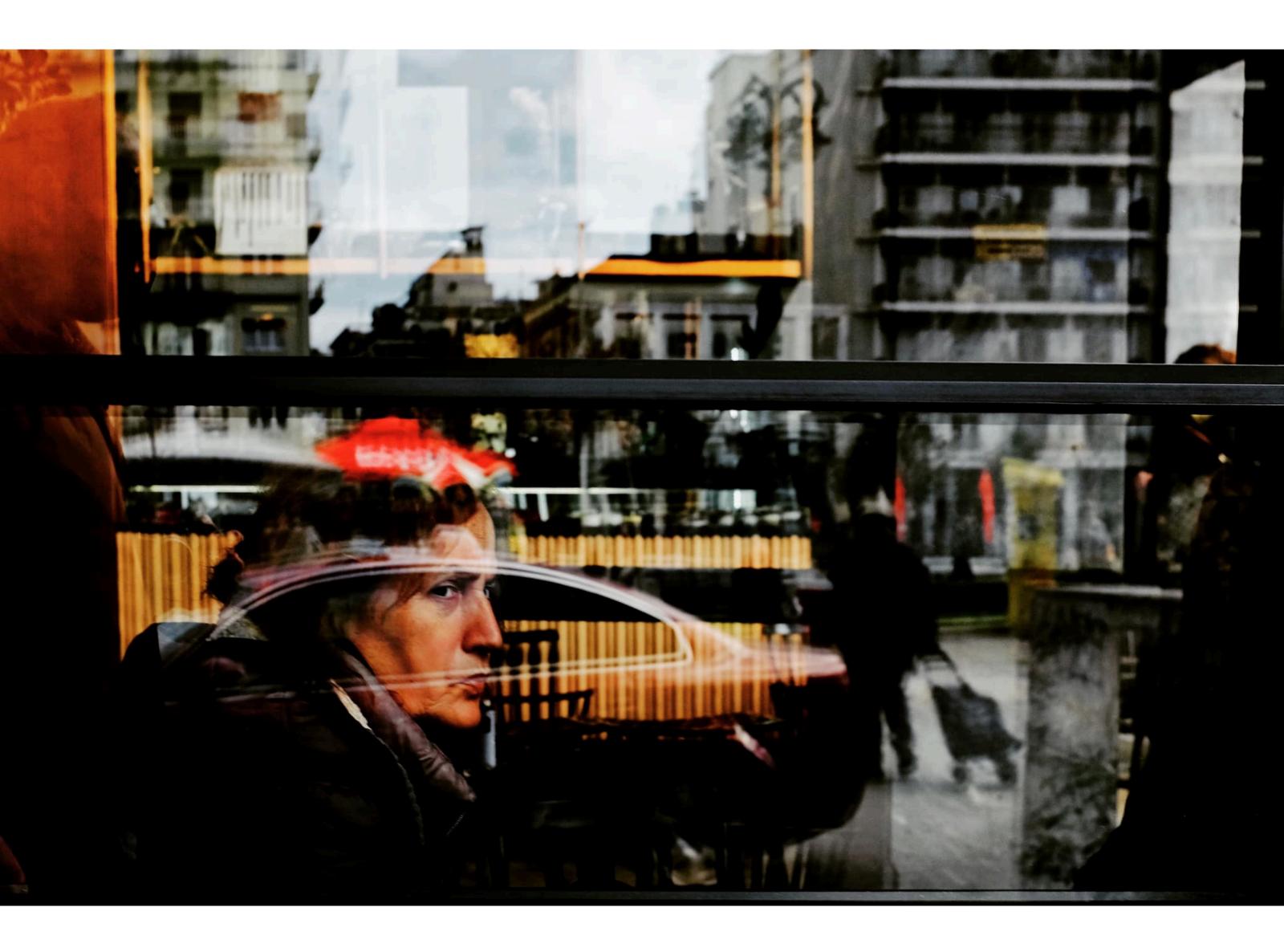








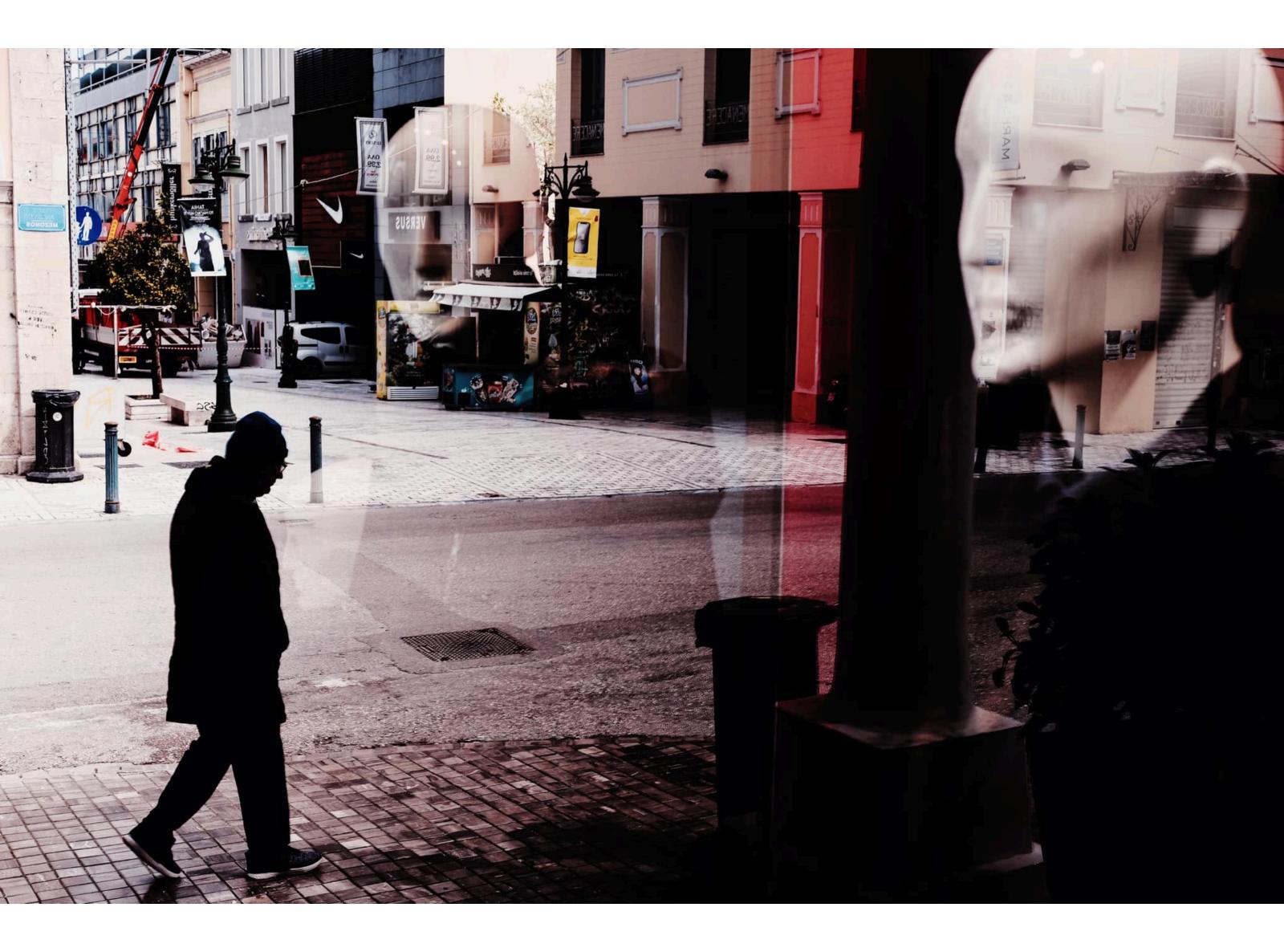
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## THE INTERVIEWS

#### **LEFTERIS PARTSALIS**

#### CONDUCTED BY VICKY MARKOLEFA

# What is your view on the future of reportage, street, and documentary photography in Greece and the Balkan region?

The future of reporting is in multimedia. Our cameras show the way. Now, with one click you can record high-resolution videos. Although printing - in one way or another - will never die, if you notice now more and more media are presenting reportages using new technologies and while we once had a photoreportage and a text, now there is the use of audio, graphics and video in addition to all this and on a platform that you can easily navigate by simply scrolling. All this contributes to the easier understanding of the subject that you are presenting. We can't deny that mobile phones are now everyone's third eye and their image quality is terrific and professionals in the field are called to differentiate by expanding their knowledge.

#### Full interview at:

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#### **ARJA HEINONEN RIGANAS**

#### CONDUCTED BY VICKY MARKOLEFA

#### What makes a "good image"?

"I think good dreaming is what leads to good photographs" – Wayne Miller

A street photo needs a clearly defined subject.

It should have a good light and composition and tell a story.

In my photos I usually pay attention to elements like lights and shadows, the rule of thirds, leading lines, symmetry, shapes, texture, patterns, interesting faces and characters and peoples' bodylanguage.

A good photograph is one that comes from your soul and explains how you see the world.

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