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**CV:**



Zahar Bondar was born in 1992 in Daugavpils, Latvia to two circus artists. His art practice is strongly process-oriented and emphasises concepts of balance and precarity, engaging with topics revolving around bodily movement, the performative use of objects and space, and the dialogue between these. His latest projects deal with the re-elaboration of historical events to offer alternative readings of the past, while simultaneously offering perspectives on both the present and the future.

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**Education:**

2011 - 2014 Russian State Circus company, RU

2014 - 2019 Royal Academy of Art, The Hague (KABK), Fine Arts, NL

SS 2016 Die Angewandte, Vienna, Skulptur und Raum, Austria

**Performance / Exhibition :**

2021 group show *Petanque* at Annastate, Den Haag

2021 performing at Kunsten Lab, Deventer

2021 contributing artist at the *Koninginnedag Tentoonstelling* at Hgtomi Rosa, Den Haag

2020 *Sculpture in the sea*, Normandy, France

2020 performing at Raus, at Coehoornpark, Arnhem

2020 contributing artist at *Kifl the kid Saloon* at Billy town, Den Haag

2020 group exhibition of Annastate at Drift, Breda

2019 performing at Korzo, Den Haag

2019 group show *Progeny* hosted by Peter Brinkman and Titus Bovenberg in their atelier

2019 group show at Bart gallery, Amsterdam , NL

2019 group show at SBK, Loods 6, Amsterdam , NL

2019 performing during the Museumnacht and HOOGTIJ at Heden gallery, Den Haag

2019 performing for West Den Haag at UIT festival, Den Haag

2019 solo exhibition at Heden gallery, Den Haag , NI  
2019 graduation show at KABK, Den Haag , NI  
2018 group show *A balancing act* at Kunsthal KAdE, Amersfoort, NI  
2018 group show *Outermost Corner* at NEST, Den Haag , NI  
2018 opening performance at *The New Reach* by Ad de Jong at De School, Amsterdam , NI  
2017 performing at *CASS Concert* Koninklijk Conservatorium, Den Haag , NI  
2017 finissage performance at Billy town, Den Haag , NI  
2017 group exhibition at *The Essence*, Vienna, Austria  
2017 *Cafe am Heumarkt* group exhibition organised by E++, Vienna, Austria  
2017 *Learning from Shans Habus* group exhibition at Shizle, Vienna, Austria  
2016 performing at *Graduation festival 2016*, The Royal Academy of Art, The Hague , NI  
2016 performing at *As close to black as blue can be*, MegaStores, The Hague , NI  
2014 performing at *Old kwantum*, Leon's place, The Hague , NI

#### Masterclasses / Residencies:

2020 mentorship by Hans van der Ham, Den Haag, NI  
2019 artist residency in Tusheti, Georgia  
2017 masterclass with Tirzo Martha at Museum Beelden aan zee, Den Haag, NI  
2016 masterclass with Simone Forti at Vleeshal, Middelburg, NI  
2015 masterclass with Tino Sehgal at KABK, Den Haag, NI

#### Stipendia:

2021 Project subsidies Stroom Den Haag exhibition *Petanque*  
2019 Invest prijs Stroom Den Haag  
2019 Heden startprijs  
2018 Residency subsidies Stroom Den Haag