

Bio & C.V.

Valentina Piccinni è una fotografa che si occupa di storie contemporanee. Pubblica regolarmente sulle più importanti testate internazionali, solo per citarne alcune: M di Le Monde, Der Spiegel, Süddeutsche Zeitung, Politico, The Guardian, GEO, L'Espresso, Internazionale, D di Repubblica, Io Donna, Wired (con diversi lavori nell'edizione Italiana, Inglese e Giapponese). Ha ricevuto diversi premi prestigiosi come il Sony World Photography Award nella categoria "Discovery", il Gomma Grant per il miglior lavoro documentario in bianco e nero, la borsa PHmuseum Of Humanity 2020 e molti altri. Sei progetti sono stati pubblicati in forma di libro negli ultimi cinque anni ed esposti in festival e gallerie, tra cui la Biennale Für Aktuelle Fotografie, Voies Off, International Month Of Photojournalism, Fotoleggendo, Delhi Photo Festival. L'ultimo libro "Güle Güle", pubblicato da André Frère Éditions, è stato finalista per il Prix du livre d'auteur d'Arles 2020 e il Prix Nadar. Nel 2021 vince il premio RESET Sistema Festival e la residenza d'artista Planches Contact.

> Mostre

2021

QUARANTEEN - Photo Brussels Festival - Hangar Photo Art Center - Brussels | Belgium
THIS LAND IS MY LAND - IMP Festival - International Month Of Photojournalism - Padua | Italy
ISLAM RAMADAN - PEP Gallery - Berlin | Germany
UMANA NATURA - Il Forno Gallery - Città della Pieve - Umbria | Italy

2020

GÜLE GÜLE - Biennale Für Aktuelle Fotografie - Mannheim | Germany
GÜLE GÜLE - Photographic Museum of Humanity Lab - Bologna | Italy
GÜLE GÜLE - Bird In Flight Prize - Kyiv | Ukraine
RHOME - Unsocial Studio Gallery - Modena | Italy

2019

GÜLE GÜLE - Sony WPO winner's exhibition - Villa Reale di Monza | Italy
THE BURNING PLAIN - L'Artiere bookshop - Arles | France
RHOME - Officine Fotografiche - Rome | Italy
GÜLE GÜLE - Sony World Photography Award Exhibition 2019 - Somerset House - London | UK
PASSAGGI | TRANSIZIONI | MICROCOSMI - f.project gallery - Bari | Italy

2018

RHOME - Voies Off screening nights - Arles | France
RHOME - Istanbul Photobook Awards (book dummy exhibition) - Istanbul | Turkey
LET ME IN - Fotofestival Lenzburg, "Im Wandel" | Switzerland
RHOME - Self Publish Riga | top ten finalist (book dummy exhibition) - Riga | Latvia

2017

THIS LAND IS MY LAND - Phest, Festa Internazionale della Fotografia - Monopoli | Italy
GALEAZZO - Nardini, Caimi & Piccinni - Interzone Gallery - Rome | Italy
THIS LAND IS MY LAND | Locus Festival, Locorotondo | Italy
LET ME IN - Kunsthalle-Emden | Germany
THIS LAND IS MY LAND - "New Visions" Cortona On The Move, Cortona | Italy

2016

LET ME IN - FOTOLEGGENDO Festival - Rome | Italy
FORCELLA - FOTOGRAFIA Festival - Galleria 001 - Roma | Italy
LET ME IN - Amnesty International Scuola Barsanti, Pietrasanta | Italy

2015

WAR DREAMS - Delhi Photo Festival - New Delhi | India
FORCELLA/Leboudoir2.0 - Voies Off - Arles | France
FORCELLA - Cascina Farsetti - Rome | Italy
DAILY BREAD - Galleria Interzone - Rome | Italy

2014

DAILY BREAD - Reminders Photography Stronghold - Tokyo | Japan
THE WARRIORS OF MAIDAN - Galleri Vasli Souza - Malmo | Sweden
DAILY BREAD - Galleri Vasli Souza - Malmo | Sweden
THE FIGHTERS OF MAIDAN - Lumix Festival of Young Photojournalism - Hannover | Germany
DAILY BREAD/HUNGRY STILL - Format Gallery - Derby | UK
DAILY BREAD - Festival Encontros da Imagem - Braga | Portugal

> Premi

2021

RESET - Sistema Festival - Winner - "This Land Is My Land"

Festival Planches Contact - Recipient of the residency Planches Contact/Photo4Food

Prix Maison Blanche - Selected Artist for the Projection Night - "Umana Natura"

2020

PHMuseum Of Humanity - Winner "Solo Exhibition" Category - "Güle Güle"

Hangar Photo Art Center | PhotoBrussels - Winners Call for European photographers - "Quaranteen"

Prix 6Mois du photojournalisme - Finalists - "Girls who repair cars"

Bird In Flight - Finalist - "Güle Güle"

Arles Author Book Award - Finalist - "Güle Güle. André Frère Éditions"

Prix Nadar - Finalist - "Güle Güle. André Frère Éditions"

2019

Sony World Photography Award - 1st Place Discovery Category - "Güle Güle"

Kassel Dummy Award - Shortlisted - "Güle Güle"

LUMA Rencontres Dummy Book Award, Arles - Shortlisted - "Güle Güle"

PHotoESPANA Best Photobook of the Year - Shortlisted - "RHOME"

Premio Marco Bastianelli, Special Mention - Güle Güle"

Zine Tonic Photobook Award - Winners, "The Burning Plain"

2018

Alfred Fried Photography Award - Finalists, "The Sound Of Refugees"

Istanbul Photobook Festival - Winners, "Rhome"

Voies Off - Official selection, "Rhome"

Lenzburg Fotofestival - Winners, "Let Me In"

2017

Gomma Grant - Best Black & White Documentary Story | Winner | THIS LAND IS MY LAND

2015

Delhi Photo Festival | Finalist | WAR DREAMS

HM BOP Best of Photojournalism | Portraits Category | Fighters of Maidan

HM BOP Best of Photojournalism | Magazine Lifestyle Story | Týždeň Magazine/Fighters of Maidan Oskar

Barnak Award | shortlisted with FORCELLA

Cortona on the move/Slideluck Cortona | Finalist | Maidan: Backstage of a Revolution

Athens Photo Festival | Photobook Exhibition | Forcella

2014

LUMIX FESTIVAL OF YOUNG PHOTOJOURNALISM | Finalist | Fighters of Maidan

LEICA PHOTOGRAPHERS AWARD | 2° Place | Holy Days

WPO | Sony World Photography Awards | Shortlisted with The Purgatory

> Libri

Rhome Catalogue | Unsocial Studio Editions

Güle Güle | André Frère Éditions

The Burning Plain | ZineTonic/L'Artiere editions

Rhome | MAS/Fuam publishing

Forcella | Witty Kiwi Books

Daily Bread | T&G Publishing

Same Tense | Witty Kiwi Books

Mono Vol. 2 | Gomma Books

Raw: the making of Daily Bread | Interzone Editions Hungry Still | Akina Books