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## 6TH INTERNATIONAL ARTIST'S BOOK TRIENNIAL VILNIUS 2012

**EXHIBITION THEME:** "Love";

"If I speak in the tongues of mortals and of angels, but do not have love, I am a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal. And if I have prophetic powers, and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing. If I give away all my possessions, and if I hand over my body so that I may boast, but do not have love, I gain nothing." 1Cor 13,1-3.

**TIME AND PLACE:**

2012 March, Leipzig Book Fair, Germany;  
2012 April, Gallery "Titanikas", Vilnius, Lithuania;  
2012 September, Kloster Bentlage, Rheine, Germany;  
Also we plane to show it in Italy, France, Bengladesh, China and USA.

**DEADLINE:** 15th of November 2011;**ENTRY FEE:** 50 euro;

In this time of economic crisis we have two possibilities, or to cancel with this wonderful Triennial, or to continue, but with the entry fee. I would like to continue, but also I know, how big problem is money for artists. So, we decided to everybody, who will send an artist's books and entry fee, but will be not selected for the Triennial, not only to return an artist's books back, but also to send the catalogue from the Triennial. Normally it cost 25 euro.

**ORGANISER OF THE EXHIBITION:** Circle "Bokartas";**CURATOR:** Kestutis Vasiliunas;**E-MAIL:** vasiliunas@bookart.lt;**TEL.** +370 5 2154796;**MOB. TEL.** +370 656 05379;**CONDITIONS:**

1. We invite all artists to participate.
2. Entry Fee 50 euro.
3. Artists are invited to send up to 3 books, either traditional artist's books or artist's books objects.
4. The package with an artist's books has to be not bigger 90 cm x 90 cm x 90 cm, and not heavier than 9 kg.
5. Works, entry form and entry fee must be sent till the 15th of November 2011.
6. International jury will select artist's books for the Triennial.
7. Applicant shall cover all the necessary expenses for subscription, such as shipping cost to the Triennial, etc.
8. Please write on the envelope or package the value for the customs no more 30 USD or 30 euro.
9. Catalogue: The organisers will publish the catalogue. As usually it will be printed in typography and bounded by hands like an artist's book. Please, take a look on the last catalogues <http://vasiliunas.arts.lt/catalogues.html>  
All artists will receive the catalogue.

**INFORMATION AND ENTRY FORM:** <http://vasiliunas.arts.lt/>  
or <http://artistsbook.lt/>

**HISTORY:** "6th International Artist's Book Triennial Vilnius 2012" is organised as a continuation of the last Triennials.

The **1ST** International Artist's Book Triennial took part in 1997, in the Gallery "Kaire Desine" in Vilnius. The theme of it was "Diary: Eight Days". 65 artists from 13 countries took part in the Triennial. The **2ND** International Artist's Book Triennial took part in 2000, in the Gallery "Arka" in Vilnius, and in the "Galerie 5020" in Salzburg, in Austria. The theme of it was "Apocalypse". 138 artists from 29 countries took part in the Triennial.

The **3RD** International Artist's Book Triennial took part in 2003, in the Contemporary Art Centre in Vilnius. The theme of it was "23 Sins". 118 artists from 37 countries took part in the Triennial. After the exhibition in Vilnius the Triennial was showed in 2004 in Frankfurt Art Fair in Frankfurt on Main, Germany; in 2004 in Thomas Mannas' House in Nida, Lithuania; in 2004 in the Gallery "Le Carre" in Lille, France;

The **4TH** International Artist's Book Triennial took part in 2006, in the Gallery "Arka" in Vilnius. The theme of it was "Rabbit and House". 130 artists from 29 countries took part in the Triennial. After the exhibition in Vilnius the Triennial was showed in 2007 in Leipzig Book Fair in Leipzig, Germany and in Seoul International Book Arts Fair, South Korea.

The **5TH** International Artist's Book Triennial took part in 2009, in the Gallery "Arka" in Vilnius. The theme of the Triennial was "Text". The jury selected 131 artists from 34 countries for the exhibition. The 5th Triennial was presented in 2009 in Leipzig Book Fair in Germany; in 2010 in the Art Centre Silkeborg Bad, in Denmark; in the Gallery "Hübner Bokform" in Sweden and in "Scuola Internazionale di Grafica" in Venice, Italy.

10. Returning of works: Works with the catalogue will be returned after the exhibition.
11. Circle "Bokartas" plane to buy few artist's books for the Permanent Collection of "Bokartas".
12. To pay Entry Fee you can:
  - A) by Western Union on Kestutis Vasiliunas name;
  - B) together with art works in envelope;
  - C) or: please pay to AB SEB Bankas, Vilnius, SWIFT: CBVI LT 2X, for further credit to Kestutis Vasiliunas, IBAN: LT79 7044 0600 0033 6333;
13. Miscellaneous: The organiser retains the rights to photograph and print photographs of works for use in catalogues, in web, public relations and advertisements of the exhibition.
14. Address: Works must be sent to:
  - 6th International Artist's Book Triennial Vilnius 2012
  - Kestutis Vasiliunas
  - Filaretu 9 - 5
  - Vilnius 01207
  - Lithuania



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**FIRST NAME**

**LAST NAME (SURNAME)**

**COUNTRY**

**ADDRESS**

**E-MAIL**

**HTTP://**

**1. TITLE OF WORK**

**DATE OF PRODUCTION**

**SIZE IN CM (H x W)**

**TECHNIQUE**

**PRICE IN EURO**

**2. TITLE OF WORK**

**DATE OF PRODUCTION**

**SIZE IN CM (H x W)**

**TECHNIQUE**

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**3. TITLE OF WORK**

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**TECHNIQUE**

**PRICE IN EURO**

**DATE**

**SIGNATURE**

**WORKS MUST BE SENT TO:**

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