## Gluklya

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BEHIND THE CARNIVAL

Tour through the exhibition at AKINCI, 2018



Behind the Carnival, overview at AKINCI, 2018, photo Wytske van Keulen



Shahmaran, 2017, Pvc, wire, 340 x 120 x 120 cm, photo Wytske van Keulen

Shahmaran is a mythological creature with origins in Turkey, Iran and Iraq. This creature has two faces: a beautiful woman and a snake. Introduced by Tuncay Korkmaz (Murad), a Kurdish writer and activist.





Shahmaran, 2017, Pvc, wire, 340 x 120 x 120 cm, detail, photo Wytske van Keulen



Shahmaran, 2017, Pvc, wire, 340 x 120 x 120 cm/drawings Language of Fragility with Marwa Aboud, photo Wytske van Keulen



**Embracing All the Strange** (Installation), 2017, mixed techniques and materials, measurements variable, overview AKINCI, photo Wytske van Keulen An installation in which objects from the *Carnival of the Oppressed Feelings*, as well as the video *Embracing All the Strange*, is brought together in a confined space.



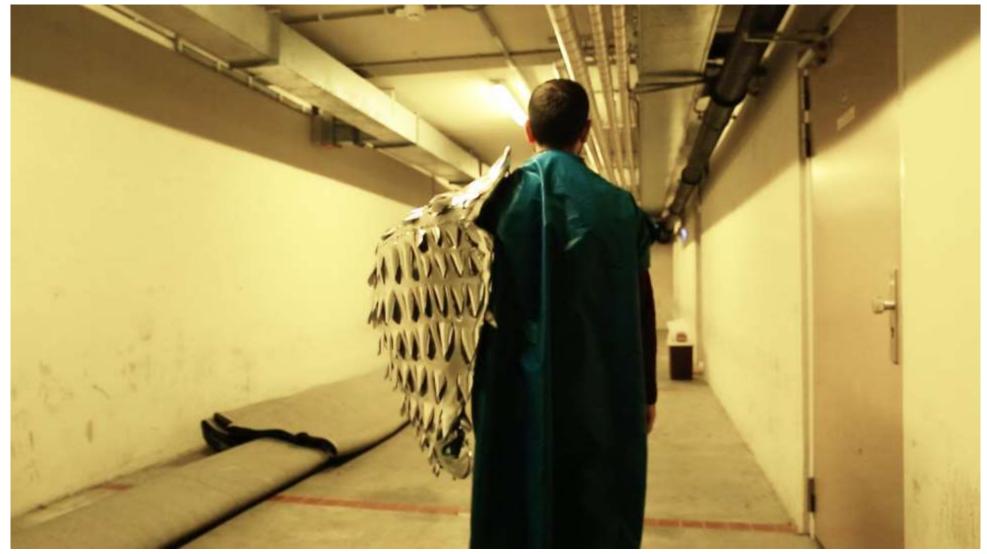


Prostitute Chair, t2017, extile, iron and plastic, 76x48x94 cm And The Wing, 2017, textile, iron, 2017, 90x30 cm Photo Wytske van Keulen





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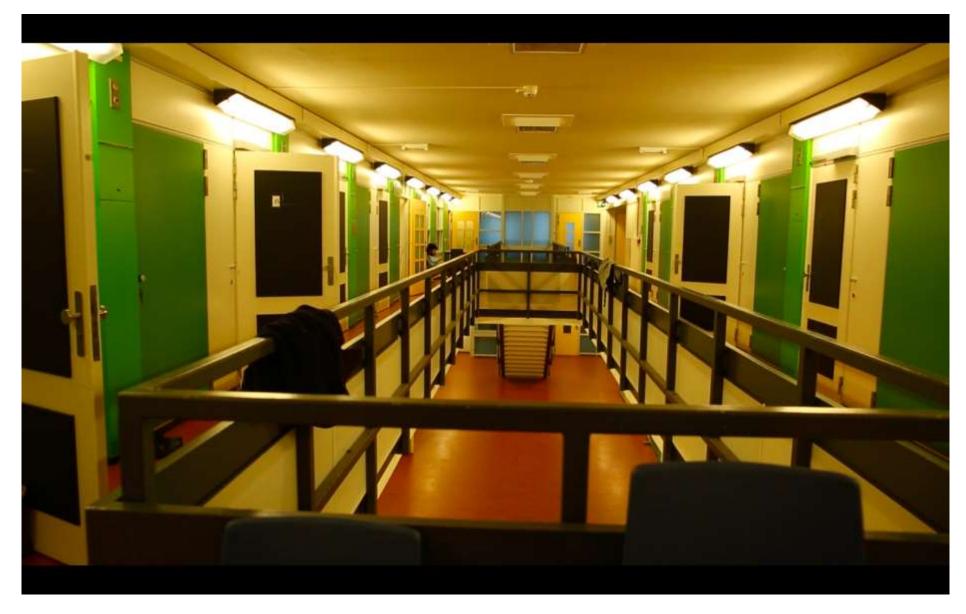
*Embracing All the Strange*, 2017, HD video 14 min

a visualization of the sensitive texture of human interaction that occurred during Gluklya's workshops. Moving away from the linear thinking towards a more oneiric (dreamy) chronotope.. Main protagonist is Tuncay Korkmaz (Murad), Kurdish writer and activist.





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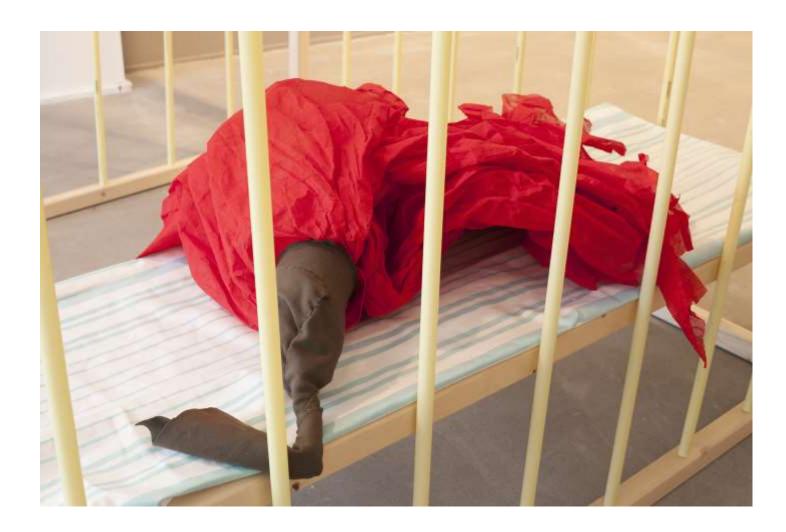


'Drawings for research 'Carnival of the Oppressed Feelings', 2017, overview at AKINCI, photo Wytske van Keulen A wall with drawings, memo's and invitations, all connected to the workshops Gluklya did with the refugees in the Bijlmerbajes.





**Prison Cell, 2017** PVC, wood and textile, 270 x 170 x 238 cm, photo Wytske van Keulen. A representation of a prison cell in the Bijlmerbajes. The red clove (inside the cell) is a symbol of the Russian Great October Social Revolution 1917.





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