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Transforming advertising to art changes the image of art, to a cultural service of a society that is proclaiming norms by cultural advertising of politics. The meaning of sex in adds and art has different political and cultural functions. Culture is controlled by traditions, religion and politics. The political function of art in the capitalism is different to socialism and communism, fascism, Catholicism or other religious or political systems. As different the politics are, as different is the art, that presents the culture of politics. Freedom of art is the proof of freedom a society provides. The more freedom of art a political system misses, the less tolerance is in that society at all. Art is no fashion, it is hidden under the underwear of religion, tradition and politics in the culture of a society.



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Using products as resource of art, turns the process of development upside down. Individualizing mass products, creates uniqueness again. Doing that digital, creates a new series of ideas out of recycled products. The process, making things out of things, is the cycle from product to product. Art is recycling ideas that makes recycling to art. Individualizing mass products is an art in a world of mass products.

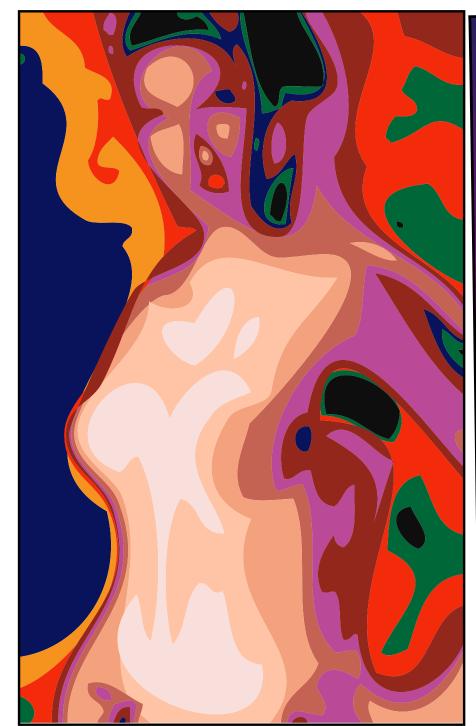
Manufactured art out of serial products closes the circle of transforming. What we do, will be artificial as we are separated from nature by culture. Art is ever artificial wether it is artful or not.

Culture and art are artificial products we use to define as values in a society. Art is no religion, for it is not dogmatic or restrictive as culture can be. Art as living individualism is a power of tolerance in a democratic society with freedom as culture of art.

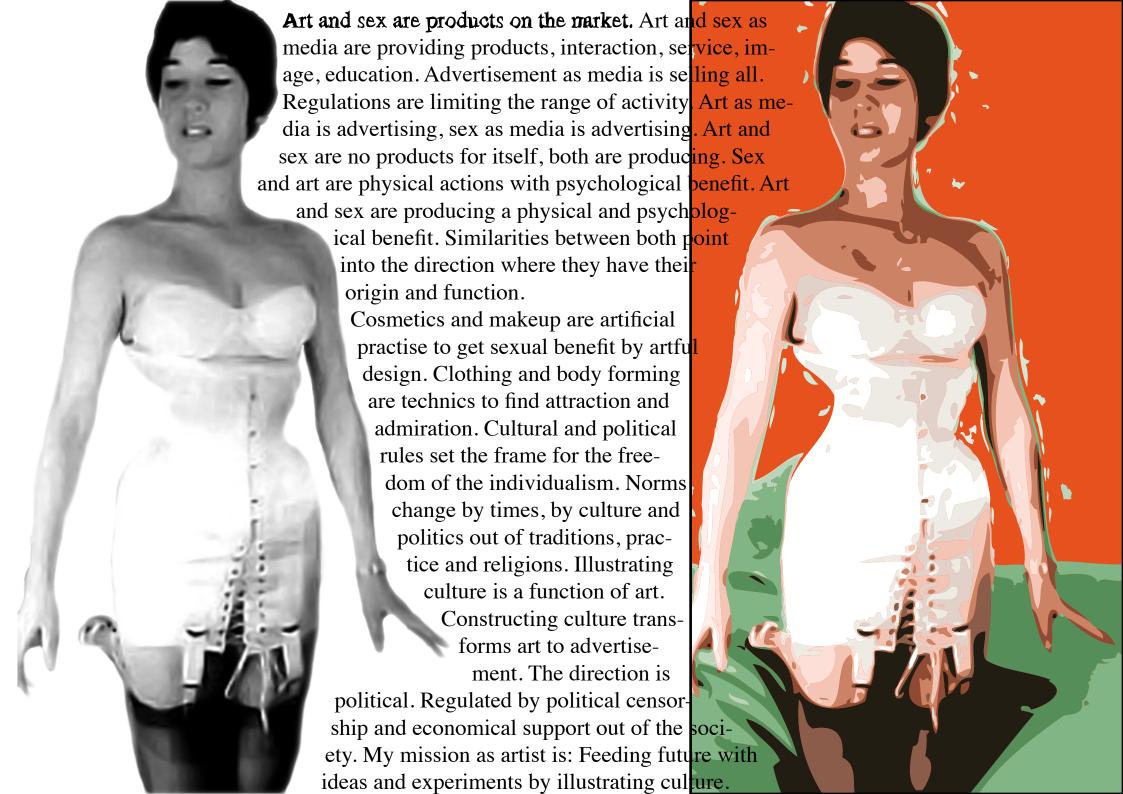
If art represents the culture of a society, it becomes advertising and gets economically misused by political control. Culture as artificial process is setting differences to societies, religions and human behaviors. Art should educate different cultures tolerance and interactivity. That is an political aspect to the personal cultural mission of an artist. Tradition is conserving habits as culture. Art is developing culture as freedom. Politics set the frames to freedom of art and the development of freedom for all. If art gets more than an individual meaning, it gets culture by politics, economically controlled by political advertisement, for being proclaimed as a cultural value. It becomes an economical size. That can change with the political size of cultural values.



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Simplifying, mixing, changing and vectoring images is the basic of these works out of adds from different times. So it might be that use of footage is not ever correct or in time. The idea behind these works is to change the use of advertising to art. Advertising is pop art, looking back it tells about history. Pictures with different origins I use as templates to work on Abstraction of human bodies is supporting the abstract recognition of the result. Maybe that depends on habits to analyze what we see and what is important to see. For sexuality is an instinctive motive to be interested to ook at. So I took some ladies being dressed to look interesting for male humans in the culture of their times. I could have taken naked bodies to find would set limits in the attraction but that naked is something out of publication. Being societies. In Art is a naked anatomic studies of a classic body something fo view to something that stands beside of connatural view to the huforming morals as man body. Clothes show/some environment Clothing gets to fetishof time and moral when being naked is ism in a world. forbidden. So fashion is developed out of cation and advertising. It is sense of the time. So being well the idea of identififollowing the common dressed means what you wear represents what you are and what you want to look like. Underwear got an image of sex for being naked is not present in our life. Sexuality gets connected with the signals send by the dress we wear, if nudity is forbidden. So what we wear is transmitting the lifestyle we like in our adapted life and the interpretation of our moral, the censorship of sexuality and behavior. To be outstanding by individual design is exclusive in a world of conforming mass-produces. 12.86 010.84

A method to start creativity. If there is no idea about the beginning of a work. It helps against the horror vacui, begin with things you see.

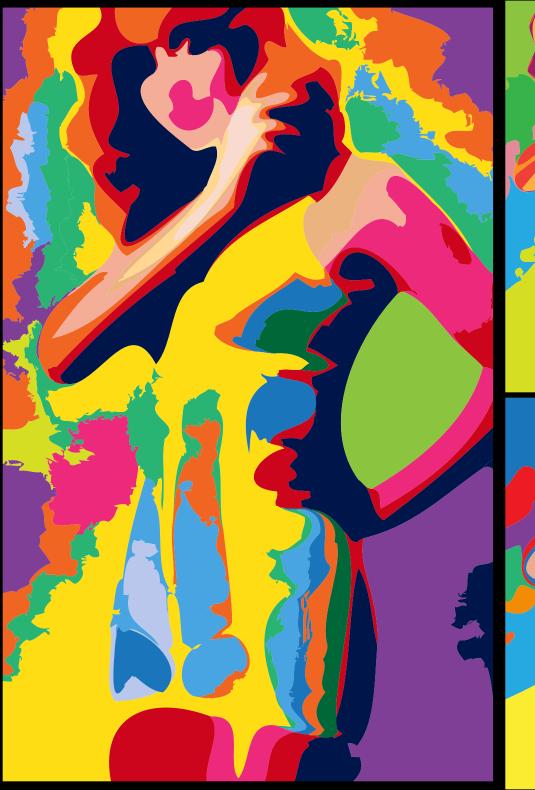
Simplifying as basic and adding lines to the forms, is transforming a photographic image into a drawing. Filling the new graphic with different content is a transforming step into surrealism.

So you start orientating at naturalism. The function gets lost, the more content you fill into the image by your own fantasy and you develop while doing your work, The frame of art is the cultural edge of the canvas, that an artist can work on, in the frame of cultural politics. Freedom of art is the definition of freedom in a culture a political system provides. Societies without freedom of art are directed in culture and limited in the direction of their development by their government.



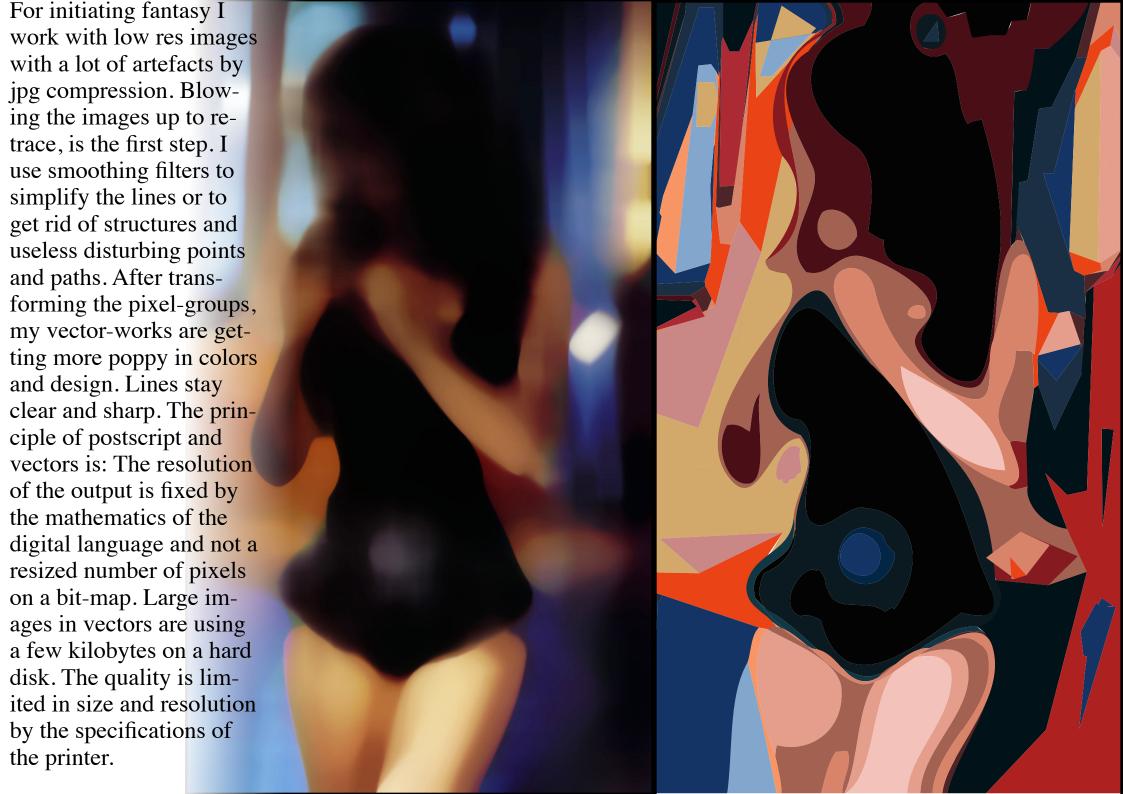
Art is under construction. It is transforming it self from generation to generation. It fits into time, in politics and culture to be what it is. It is representing the change we develop and keeps taking influence to following generations. As more it defences common values, the less influence it can take to change the future and change our minds. To be restrictive and to represent the values we reached makes art to the culture we got. To develop values we cheer in the future gives art the meaning it has to following generations. To be in front of time is the job of contemporary art today to have a meaning tomorrow. To be in time means to represent the political spirit of a society in their contemporary cultural politics. Art is representing the culture a political system offers The review of the meaning of art out of a distance in future shows the political mission of contemporary art. The view on works in the future as contemporar art, will display the roll and the influ ence of art to politics today as history Restrictive influence of politics to art today won't be helpful for the meaning of the works of an artist tomorrow.



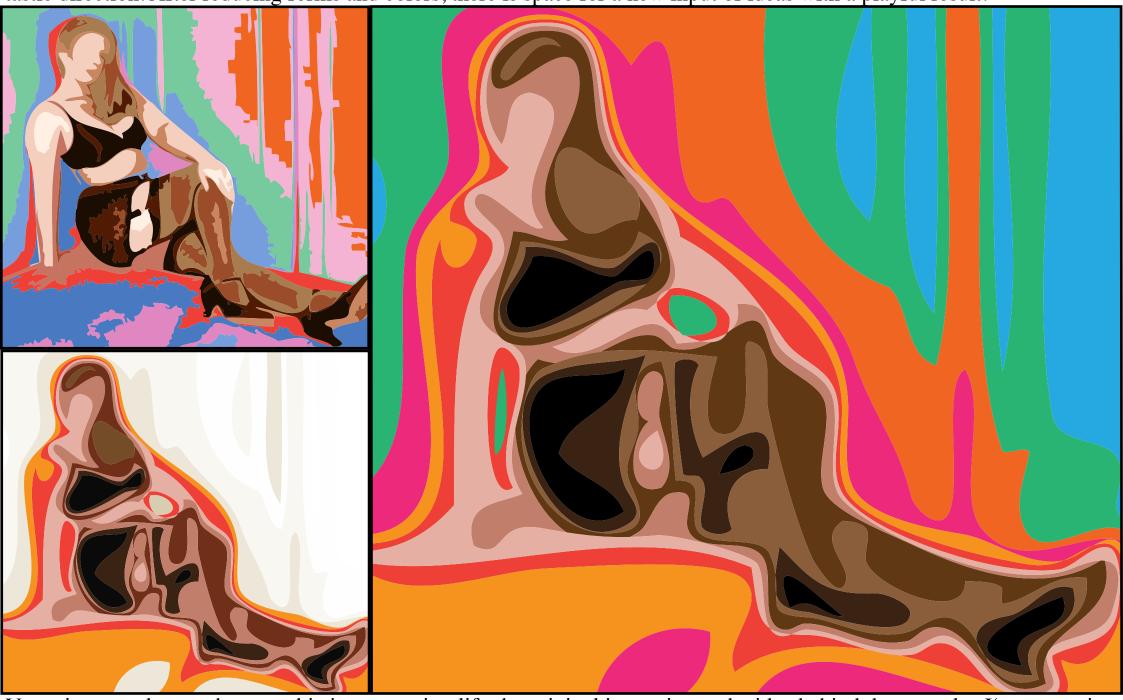




Adds, for being part of cultural environment, are a resource of inspiration to me. Fetish images and pinups are some other rare resources I use for pixel-collages, transforming to vectors. Moral is no quality in art, it is culture that is moralizing. Pointing onto moral, can't support tolerance, it is closing borderlines and separates people. Moral sets ideas into culturepolitical frames with the function of cultural propaganda. Culture is not developing art, freedom and acceptance. That does or don't our politics by proclaiming art to a cultural value. Moving, art follows its own direction, it has to change the point of view from time to time. Art is personal, that is the difference to industrial products. Getting serial, art is changing to a mas product. A mas-product is "Kitschart". Kitschy art is for every one, it has to hit the common sense and taste and loses its originality. As easy it is to follow the line as difficult is to find out what direction the timeline will go. A significant sign for the cultural value of the works we do today will be visible in our future.

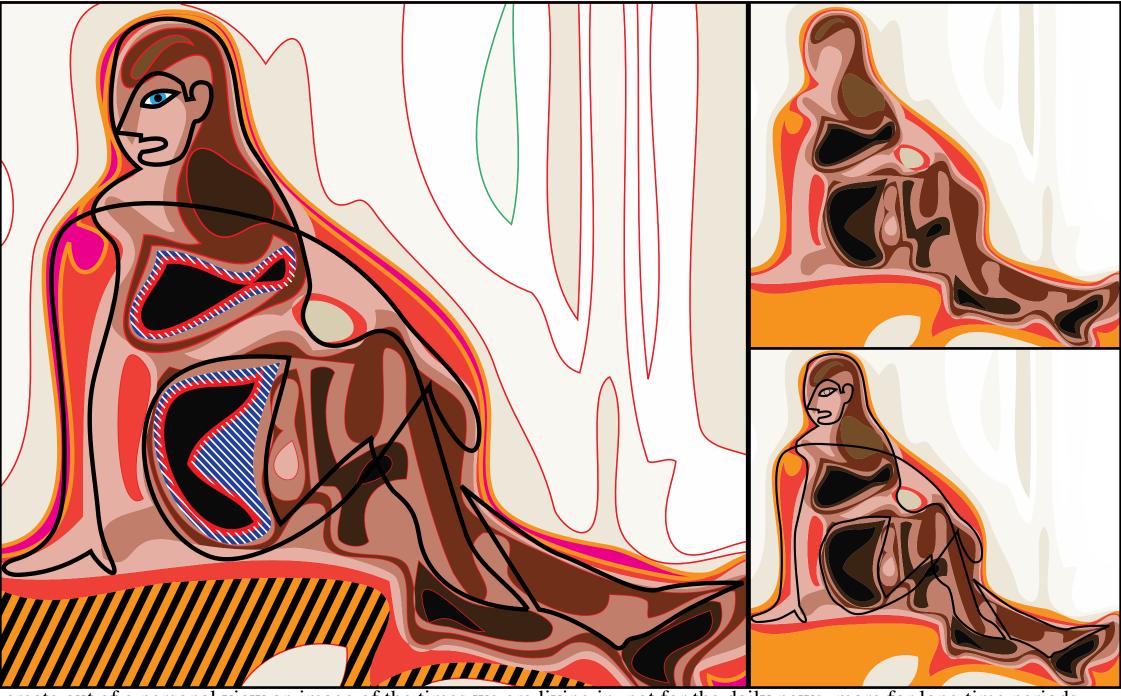


Adding lines to the vectors is a further step to change the interpretation of photographic images into a surrealistic and fantastic direction. After reducing forms and colors, there is space for a new input of ideas with a playful result.



Vectoring to reduce a photographic image to simplify the original image is not the idea behind these works. I'm not optimizing the outlines for cleaning the image. Creating a new image is the creative aspect behind my work. Showing the way

of the development is the intention of this GuckBook. To give some inspiration, to think about art and what we look upon as art or what we do as artists is, not only to repeat in tradition, but to create new points of view in the change of time. We



create out of a personal view an image of the times we are living in, not for the daily news, more for long time periods and following generations. What we want to do will be looked upon for a long time to become art. Art will survive, it is

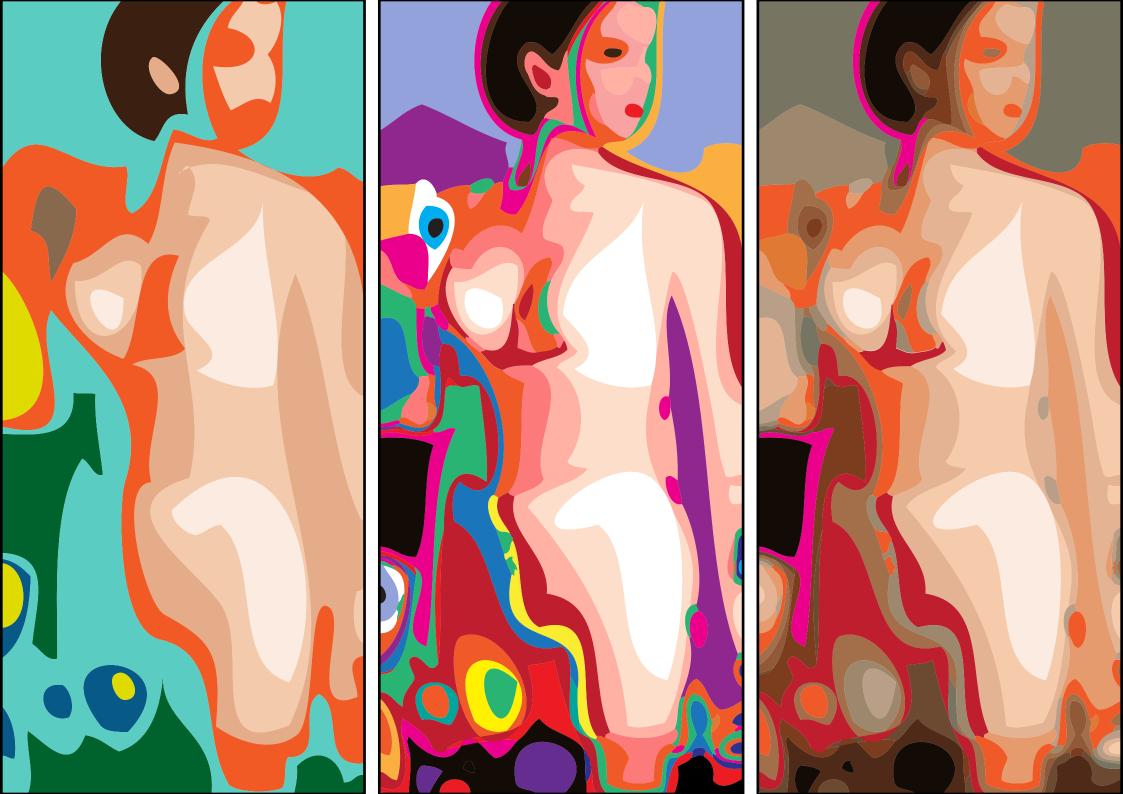
for everyone to find and develop originality. What kind of art will be important is not our decision it is the decision of further generations and their cultural politics to their history as history has told. All we do is artificial whether it is artful



or not. Art is a value we generate and we destroy as we did with cultures. Art is the opinion to the work of an artist. In the culture of an society is art a political instrument of propaganda for those that set the rules. That's state of the art.

Is art a work of an artist that is famous in his time or is art recognized by further generations as an inspiration to change traditional habits to more cultural tolerance? Is art changing ideas, philosophy and times or is it reflecting the society as it likes to look upon itself in the focus of an art as glamorous self exhibition? Transforming a society in peace with tolerance should change our economics into an ecological system to give further generations a chance of development. That is a political job in an ecological crisis. Being elected to think for the future and following the wishes of today, means to change the paradox situation of: You can't have tomorrow what you ate today for it is away.



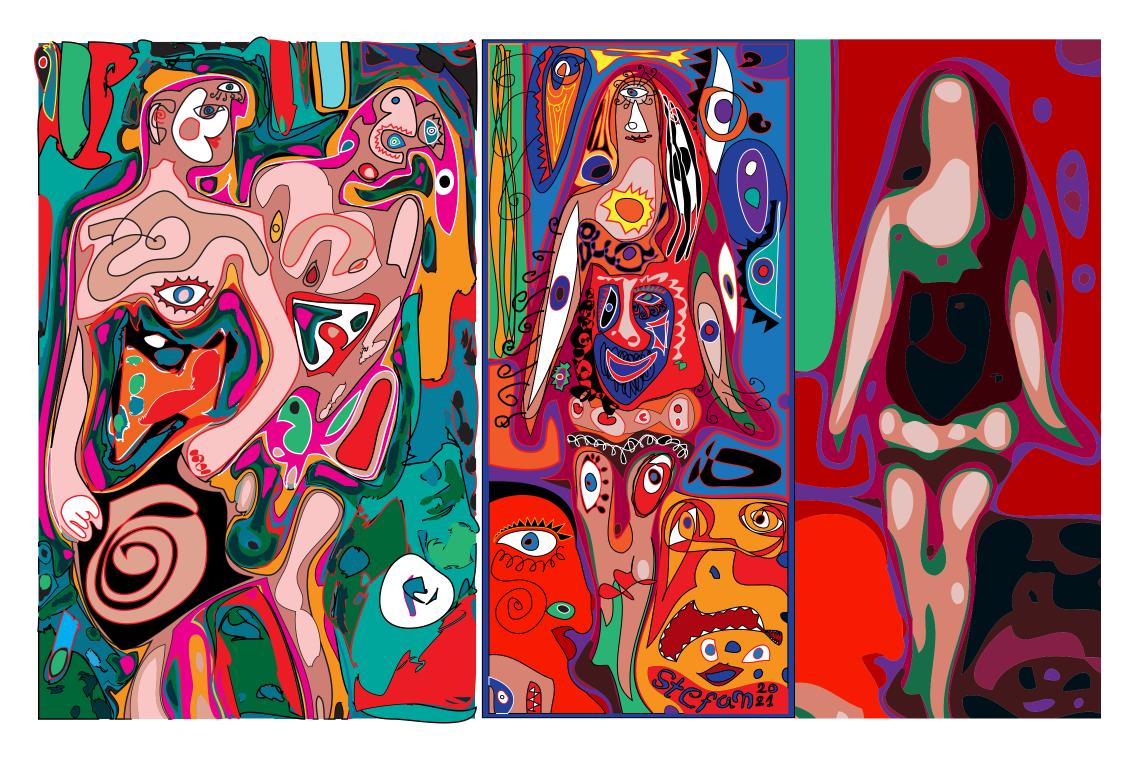






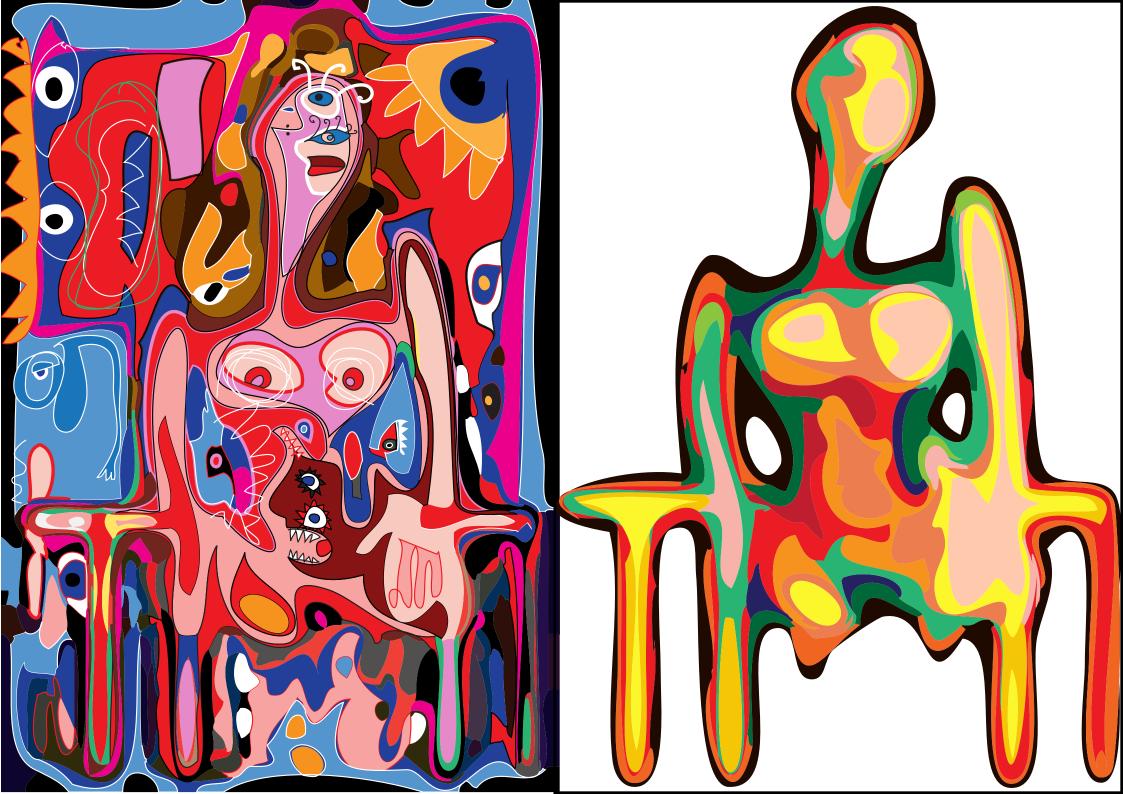








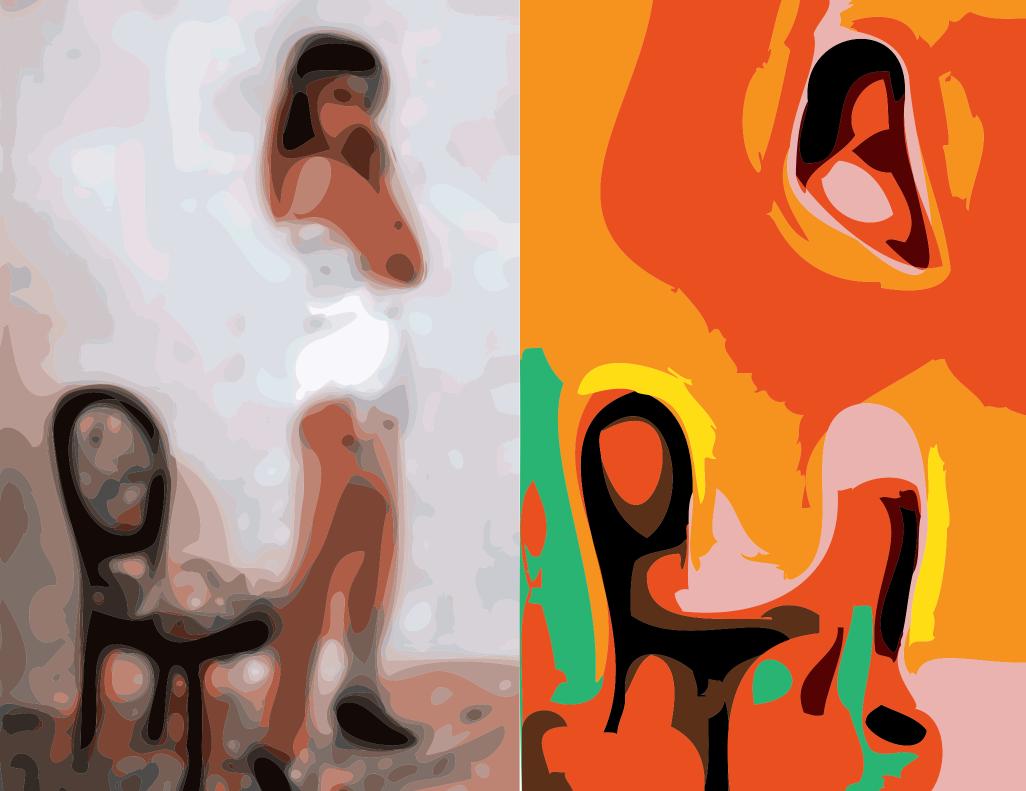












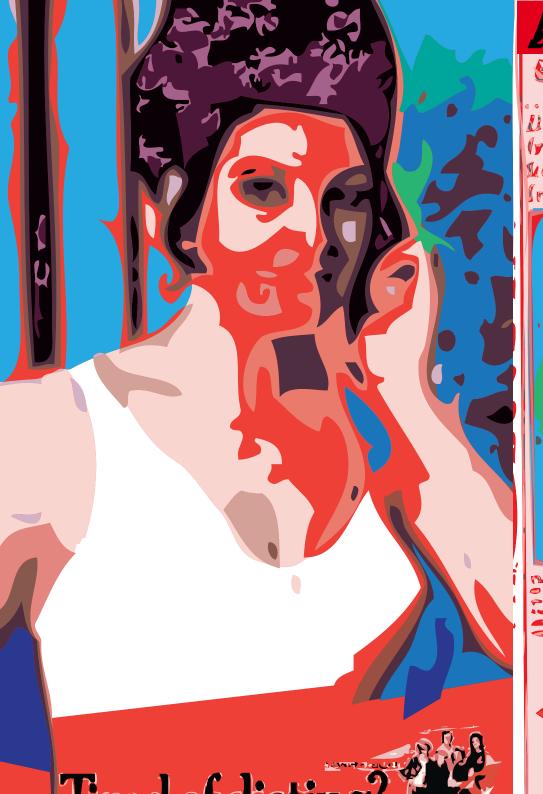












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