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Opening & Photo Exhibition

Ukraine: Daily Resistance

Photographs by Yan Dobronosov

25 November 2025, 12:00-12:45

Oslo Nye Høyskole, Ullevålsveien 76, Oslo



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Opening Remarks:

Torstein Dale-Åkerlund, Department Chair, Political Science & International Relations, Oslo New University College

Olga Parashchuk, Director, UA Beyond (Ukraine)

Tom Syring, Chairman, Human Rights Research League

Yan Dobronosov, Photographer (Ukraine)

On 25 November 2025, Human Rights Research League (HRRL) in collaboration with Oslo New University College and UABeyond (Ukraine) will open a photo exhibition on 'Ukraine: Daily Resistance', with photographs by Ukrainian photojournalist Yan Dobronosov.

The exhibition, to be presented from 25 November – 5 December 2025 at Oslo New University College ('Oslo Nye Høyskole'), features 40 photographs taken by Dobronosov since the beginning of the full-scale war of aggression committed by Russia against Ukraine, depicting the Ukrainian peoples' daily resistance, both soldiers fighting on the front lines and the civilians' daily struggle for survival, braving constant Russian attacks, destruction, and death.

By also including snapshots of everyday life, which Ukrainians are determined to uphold despite the hardship of war, the exhibition demonstrates how a population's daily resolve and resilience contribute to the overall strength of its resistance against an aggressor.

The opening event and exhibition are open to the public.



Yan Dobronosov is an award-winning Ukrainian photographer and photojournalist known for his political and war photography. Born in Kramatorsk, Donetsk Oblast, in 1986, he graduated from the Donbas State Machine-Building Academy with a degree in mechanical engineering. Since the beginning of the war in 2014, he has been documenting the consequences of the shelling, missile and drone attacks, war crimes committed by the Russian Federation, and the resilience and everyday life and struggle of Ukrainians during these times of war.

You may [follow Yan Dobronosov on Facebook](#).

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