## ONEIRIC HIDDEN SYMBOLISM OF DALI

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## **ABSTRACT**

The study speaks about Spanish artist Salvador Dali who was well-known for the surreal time, as one of the figures that 'crowned' with symbols that very sensational movement. Dali has contributed to the field of art, fashion, architecture and functional design making it influential and inspiring even today. Mainly, this study focuses on the elements presented in the artworks of Dali. Dali was one of the most famous surrealist artists, and one of the proponents of theories on oneiric symbolism. These symbols are not just artistic and surreal ones. Dali's symbolism is multifaceted in its interpretative form. In this study it is presented a form that connects the S. Freud oneiric symbolism (who was then called the father of psychoanalysis), to sexual relationship that appears in the works of the artist. What should be emphasized is that this study represents a certain interpretative form, influenced by oneiric Freudian interpretations.

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