

Moscow's Iconic Coat of Arms Gets Remixed and Reimagined

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Moscow's coat of arms contains four main elements: St. George, his horse, his spear and a dragon that's about to get seriously slayed. Contemporary Russian artists have found new meaning in these elements, recreating the historic symbol in new and unexpected ways.



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The project, called "Gerb Moskvyy (Moscow coat of arms)," [features](#) 33 artists' reimaginings of the symbol that can be seen all over Russia's capital.

Some are funny, some are cute, some are scandalous — but they all elevate the logo to a whole new level.

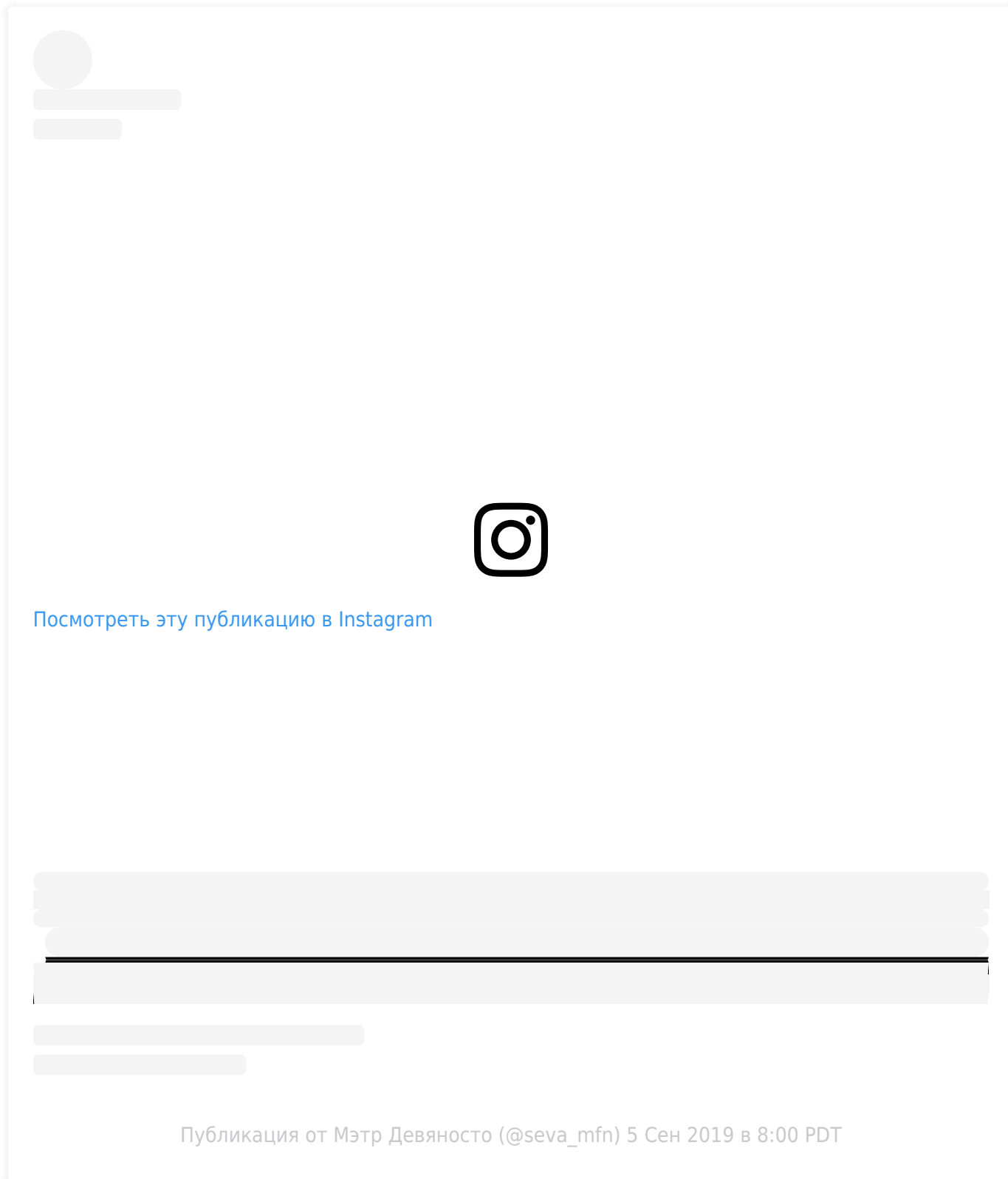
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[ГЕРБ МОСКВЫ / COAT OF ARMS OF MOSCOW](#) from [Petrick](#) on [Vimeo](#).

Here are a few of our favorites:

Mayor Sergei Sobyenin came in like a wrecking ball.

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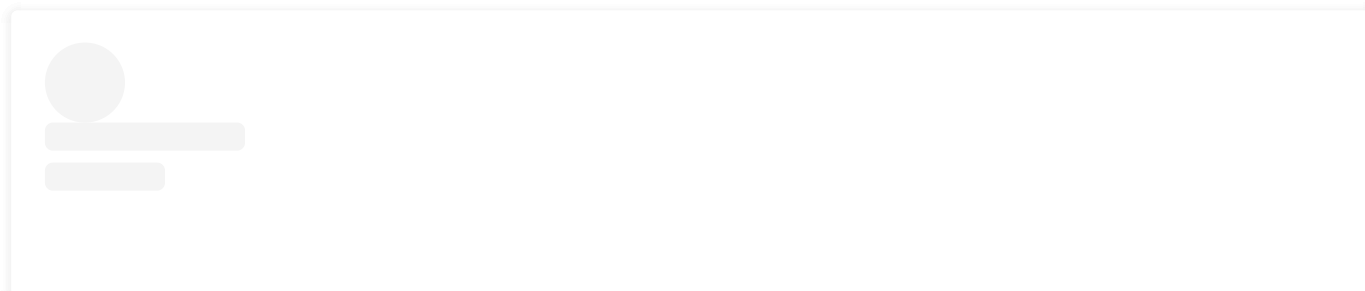


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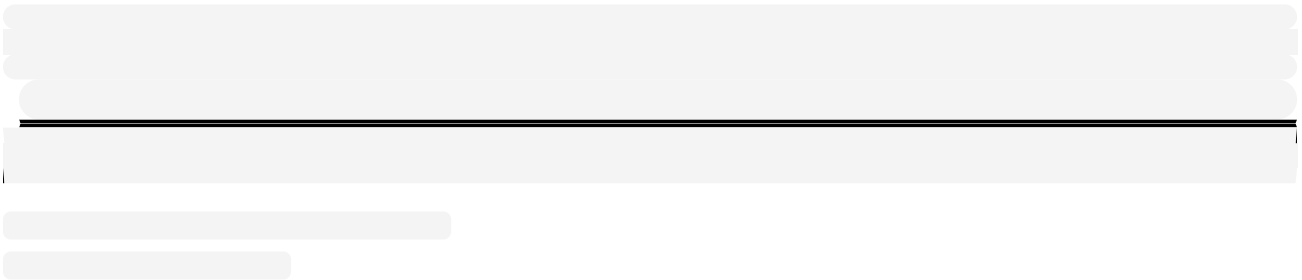
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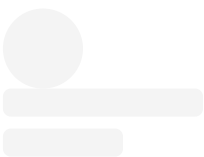
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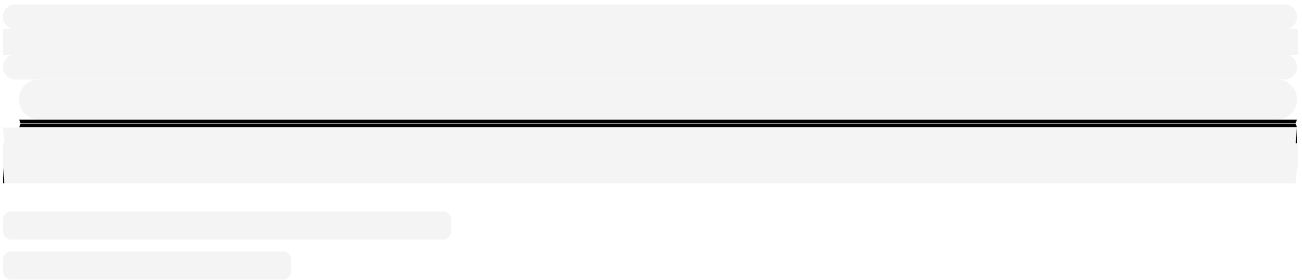
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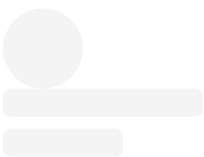
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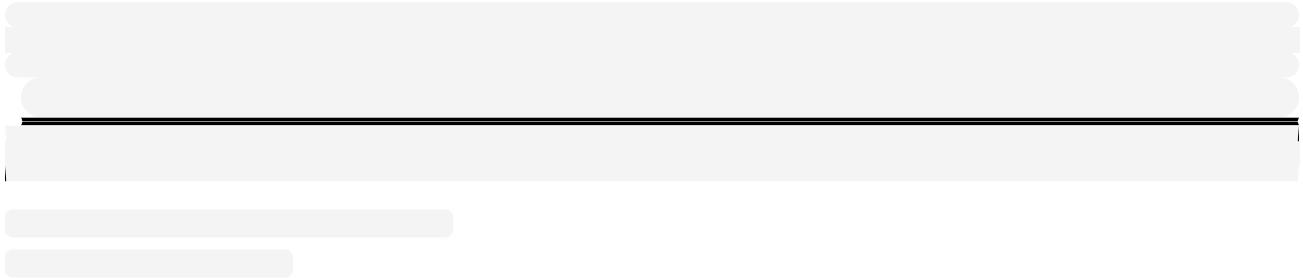
The art isn't limited to digital recreations.

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