

Johannes Christopher Gérard

CV – visual art only > photography, installation, land art, prints – 2019-2009

plus education, grants,/residency, work in public institutions, timeline

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Selection one man shows since 2006

2019

Conecta-No Conecta, The Lab Program, Mexico City, Mexico

2018

Yerevan in March at Goethe Institute (Zentrum), Yerevan, Armenia

2016

Aniticipaing You, Art Center Pushkinskya 10, St. Petersburg, Russia

2014

Silent Crossing Boundaries, Soulangh Cultural Park, Tainan, Taiwan

2013

Fliessende Welten, Mittelpunkt Berlin-Köpenick Bibliothek

Mumbai Taxi, Galerie 1892, Berlin, Germany

2011

taktberlin, Berlin, Germany

Galerie Zimmer 16, Berlin, Germany

Chhaap (in conjunction with Ice on the Rock), Vadodara, India

2010

Galerie Lotard, Eindhoven, Netherland

2008

Galerie Il Forno, Udenhout, Netherland

2007

A vijver in Taipei, Museum Jan Heesterhuis, Schijndel, Netherland

2006

Galerie Lotard, Eindhoven, The Netherland

Selection groupshows - art projects since 2009

2019 Hands Up !, BLUNK, Trondheim, Norway

«Фестиваль графики – UNI Graphica 2019» Krasnodar Regional Art Museum named after F.A. Kovalenko, Krasnodar, Russian

Erotic Art Exhibition, OXO Tower Wharf, London, UK

FESTIVAL FÜR FREUNDE (Festivals for Friends) , Dahnsdorf , Germany

The HIT Festival Norway's first international festival of relief printing. Haugesund Billedgalleri, Haugesund, Norway

Postcard Salon.Jarvis Dooney Gallery, Berlin , Germany

Hope is Maybe (touring exhibition) Hochschule für Philosophie, Munich, Germany

Montanha Pico Festival MiratecArts Galeria Costa, Pico Island, Miratec Village, Azores, Portugal

2018

Mensch-Natur, Sankt Andreasberg, Germany

Touring group exhibition Hope is Maybe - Verbindung leben I,II,III, IV, Regensburg, Munich, Munich Airport, Germany

2017

Respublika Festival! Limassol & Nicosia, Cyprus

Indo-German Art Forum, Arts Acre, Kolkata, India

Orient 2.0, Pulchri Studio,The Hague, The Netherlands

BINNAR HOMESICKNESS CASA-MUSEUM SOLEDADE MALVAR, Vila Nova de Famalicão, Portugal

Land Art Field Trip Milheeze (Gemert-Bakel), Netherlands
STARTAS ART FESTIVAL, Rokiskis, Lithuania
Biennal Land Art Diessen 2017, Diessen Brabant, The Netherlands
Water Tower Art Festival - Depot Poduyane , Sofia, Bulgaria
3rd International Printmaking Triennial, Art Pavillon (Umetnicki paviljon),Belgrade, Serbia
Reel on Hai Project, first Karachi Biennial, Karachi, Pakistan
2016
15th DongGang International Photo Festival, Yeongwol DongGang Photomuseum, Yeongwol, Korea
Kunst am Spreeknie, Art Festival, Geschlossene Gesellschaft , Berlin, Germany
8 bewegter wind - changing horizons, Land Art Event, Hofgeismar, Trendelburg, Offerberg, Germany
Seattle Erotic Art Festival, Seattle, (Ore), USA
We see heaven upsidedown, Villa Novilla, Berlin, Germany
Menschenräume International Photoszene 2016, Odonien, Cologne, Germany
Biennial of Artwork on Paper in Prijedor, The Museum of Kozara Prijedor, B&H
3rd International Exlibris Exhibition, City Museum Skopje, Skopje, Macedonia
2015
Art Camp Sultan, Narail, Bangladesh
Picturing Asia, Ilas photo exposition, Central Building University of Leiden, Leiden, Netherland
Zentralstation - Kunst am Spreeknie, Berlin, Germany
5th Sheffield International Art Book Prize, Bank Art Center, Sheffield, GB
2014
Gegen alten Geist und neue Kriege, Rosa Luxemburg Konferenz , Urania, Berlin
Sixt Int. Biennale for the Artist's Book, Library Aexandrina, Alexandria, Egypt /
Kraft, QQArt Gallery, Hilden, Germany /
The 9th Kochi International Triennial Exhibition of Prints, I Cho Paper Museum, Kochi san, Japan/
2nd International Print Triennial, art Pavillion, Cvijeta Zuzoric, Belgrado, Serbia /
Täuschungen im Alltag, Turm der Sinne, Nürnberg, Germany/
3rd Guangzhou International Mini Print Biennial, Art Museum of Guangzhou Art Academy, Guangzhou, China /
Venezia mi amore, Galerie 1892, Berlin, Germany /
Christian Morgenstern zum Gedenken, Galerie im Bismarkturm, Werder, Germany /
Kunst am Spreeknie, Berlin, Germany /
mensch und arbeit,Museum im Wehrturm, Cologne, Germany
2013
Sarajevo Winter Festival 2013 Touch of Art, Sarajevo, Herzegovina-Bosnia /
Land Art Project. Maastricht, Netherland /
5 th Documentary Festival, Lodz, Poland /
und was machen wir morgen, Galerie am Kocher, Kunstverein Hohenlohe, Künzelsau, Germanyv /
4th Sheffields International Art Book Prize, Banks Art Center, Shefflied, UK /
Portas Abiertas, Fórum Eugénio de Almeida, Evora, Portugal /
Memory: Mail Art Exhibition Richmond Art Gallery, Richmond, Canada /
Urban Views (Fotogruppe Galerie 1892), Stadhuis Kaprijke, Belgium /
Mensch und Natur, Licher Fotopreis, Lich, Germany / Salon Video, Matters of Method, Iasi, Romania /
Die Büchse der Pandora 100 Jahre Franz Kafka Das Urteil , Oberwelt, Stuttgart, Germany /
Object Abuse, Spinach, London, UK / Kunst für Bildung, Auction, Berlin, Germany
2012
art/terre, Comines, Belgium /
Grosstadtblicke, Galerie 1892, Berlin, Germany
Weissenseer Blumenfest, Art Festival, Berlin, Germany
Vom Kiez nach Übersee, Galerie 1892,Berlin, Germany /
Contemporary Art Sucks, Galerie Designcenter de Winkelhaak, Antwerp, Belgium /
Freedom ? Privacy, art labtory & gallery Decamanus, Krk, Croatia /
Art Festival 48 Stunden Neukölln, Berlin, Germany //
MMAF, France Institute & New ZeroArt Space, Yangon, Myanmar /
InShadow Festival, Lisbon, Portugal

2011

Miniature Graphics, Bibliotecta Alexandrina, Alexandria, Egypt

Troyart, Museu Brasileiro da Escultura , Sao Paulo, Brazil

Stoff 2011, Kunsthuseet, Stockholm, Sweden

Troyart, Museu Brasileiro da Escultura , Sao Paulo, Brazil

3rd Intern. Sheffield Artist Book Prize, Bank Street Arts, Sheffield , UK

1st Print Triennale, Ulusu, Belgrade, Serbia

Grafiek Biennale, St. Niklaas, Belgium

14. Triennale of small Graphic Forms, Municipal Gallery, Lodz, Poland

Leistungschau, Kunsthalle am Hamburger Platz, Berlin, Germany

Wunderkammer, Galerie Lage3zu20, Berlin, Germany

p-ART-y, Börse, Dresden, Germany

2010

Kunstroute Zijpe 2010, North-Holland, Netherlands

Den Armen eine Stimme geben. St. Leopolds Friedenpreis, Kloster Neuburg, Austria

2nd. International Print Exhibition, Penang State Museum & Art Gallery, Penang, Malaysia

Huilen in Den Haag, Gemeentearchief, Den Haag

1 Bazonnale Thema Lust, Viehhofhallen, Weimar, Germany

View from the Window, Municipal Gallery, Weilheim, Germany

El Paisaje contemporáneo en el Museo de La Rioja, Museo Torreón de Haro, Álava, Spain

Um Livro sobre la Morte, Museu Brasileiro da Escultura, Sao Paulo, Brazil

kadeKUNST op locatie, Fries Grafisch Museum, Joure, Netherland

2009

Personally Political, Tacheles, Berlin, Germany

Subversive Conservation, Gallery at Willesden Green, London, UK

Are you a people person, Eggspace Gallery, Liverpool, UK

Snap the Grid, LACDA, Los Angeles, US

Bienal SIART2009, La Paz, Bolivia

IX Edizione Premio Acqui, Acqui Terme, Italy

Land Art Diessen 2009, Diessen, The Netherland.

Education

1977-1981 Dun Laoghaire School of Art and Design, (today IADT), Dublin, Ireland

1975-1977 School of Graphic Design and Print, Cologne, Germany

Selection Artist in Residence, Awards, Grants

2019

Honorable Mention for White Cup, 1st NATIONAL COLLOQUIUM OF PERFORMANCE AND GENDER, The Faculty of Fine Arts of the Autonomous University of Querétaro, Mexico.

STEP Travel Grant, ECF, Amsterdam, Netherlands

Production Grant , Bureau of Cultural Affairs, City of Hannover for 20 Int. Performings Art Festival, Hannover, Germany

Stroom, Grants for exhibitions and documentation, The Hague, Netherlands

The Lab Program, Mexico City, Mexico

Festival für Freunde, Dahnsdorf, production residence, Dahnsdorf, Germany

Montanha Pico Festival -"PEDRARTE" production residence, Azores, Portugal

2018

Naked State Residence, Bare Oaks, East Gwillimbury, Canada

ACSL , Yerevan, Armenia -Yerevan in March

Stroom, Grants for exhibitions and documentation, The Hague, Netherlands
2017
Water Tower Residence in conjunction with Water Tower Festival, Sofia, Bulgaria
Indo-German Art Forum, Arts Acre, Kolkata, India
SPAR, Transposition II and Unfolding-Unwrapped, St. Petersburg, Russia
Travel and production Grant, Bavarian Ministry of Culture, Munich, Germany
Stroom, Grants for exhibitions and documentation, The Hague, Netherlands
2016
SPAR, Art Center Pushkinskya 10, St. Petersburg, Russia
bewegter wind, Land- Art, Hofgeismar, Germany
Bureau of Cultural Affairs of Berlin-Köpenick , Grant for Hier & Jetzt (Hier & Now), Berlin, Germany
Project and Documentation grants, Stroom, The Hague, The Netherlands
2015
Artist Residence 435ArtStudio, Banqiao New Taipei City, Taiwan.
Residence Sultan Art Camp, including residence grant, Narail, Bangladesh
Material grant Cultural Affairs Bureau, New Taipei City Government, Taiwan
2014
Artist Residence Soulangh Cultural Park, Tainan City, Taiwan
Residence and material grant Cultural Affairs Bureau, Tainan City Government, Taiwan
Exhibition Grant, Stroom, The Hague, The Netherlands
2013
Documentary and exhibition grant by Stroom, Haags Centrum voor Kunst, The Hague, The Netherlands
Work Residence Land Art Maastricht, The Netherlands
2012
Sunhoo Creatives in Residence, Hangzhou, China
Creation Residence Art-Terre, Comines, Belgium
MMAF Symposium Residence , New Zero ArtSpace, Yangon, Myanmar
2011
Residency Chhaap, Vadodara, Indien.
1 Preis kunstpark(t) 2011, Inovisco Mobile Media AG, Berlin, Germany
2010
Artist in Residence, TAKT Kunstprojektraum , Germany
Finalist Friedenspreis 2010, Kloster Neuburg, Austria
2009
Auszeichnung für Zeelandse Meerminnen, Taipei County Government, Taiwan
Finalist Premio de Acqui, Acqui Terme, Italien
Exhibition grant, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of the Netherlands
1997
Kunstpreis Exile, Essen
1994
Graphic Award, 21st Taipei Fine Art Show, Taipei Fine Art Museum, Taiwan
Artist in Residence und gast docent, Australian Print Workshop, Melbourne, Australien
1986
Preis Europäischer Kulturkreis, Baden-Baden
1985
Premio de UGT, Madrid, Spanien

Work in public institutions (selection)

Russia:

Krasnodar Regional Art Museum named after F.A. Kovalenko, Krasnodar, Russian Federation

Norway:

Haugesund Billedgalleri, Haugesund, Norway

Italy:

CAM Casoria Contemporary Art Museum, Casoria

Spain:

Museo de La Rioja, Logrono. Caja de Ahorros, Madrid. City of Guadalajara, City of Santander

Australia:

National Gallery of Australia, Canberra and Gladstone Regional Art Museum, Gladstone.

Netherlands:

Museum Jan Heesterhuis, Schijndel, Museum Meermanno The Hague, Museum Wijchen, City archives of Amsterdam and The Hague.

Germany:

Museum Schloss Morsbroich, Leverkusen, Stadtmuseum Kusel, Stadtmuseum Weilheim, Gutenberg Museum, Mainz.

Belgien:

Stedelijk Museum Zwijgershoek, St.Niklaas.

Bulgaria :

Regional Library City of Russe,

Poland:

Municipal Gallery Lodz.

Taiwan:

Pacific Cultural Foundation, Taipei

Egypt:

Biblioteca Alexandrina, Alexandria

Publications

Regular publication of photos and graphic works in books, magazines, newspapers and for posters and flyers. Selection: Taiwan ein Reiseland, edition aragon (D). Oud Haarlem in Beld, uitgeverij De Vorl (NL), Artist for Democracy, utopia (NL), Poster Huilen in Den Haag, Gemeente Den Haag (NL), Poster or Code, Berlin, (Germany)

Timeline

2019

In Mexico for the collaboration project conecta-no conecta, The Lab program, Mexico City. In collaboration with performance artists Fred Castro (MX), Fey Montalvo (MX) and Hanna Doucet (FR). Honorable Mention for White Cup, 1st NATIONAL COLLOQUIUM OF PERFORMANCE AND GENDER, The Faculty of Fine Arts of the Autonomous University of Querétaro, Mexico.

Takes part at 20 Int. Performing Arts Festival in Hannover, Germany. In January creating Reflection a interdisciplinary performance with includes Land-Art installation and observer participation in conjunction with the ,Montanha Pico Festival, PEDERARTE, Pico Island, Azores, PT . Performance and Workshop for children with autism and children from the SOS Kinderdorf partly having no parents or coming from families with issues in conjunction with the Aré Performaing Arts Festival, Yerevan, Armenia

2018

Stay in Yerevan, Armenia. Creating the project Eriwan im März (Yerevan in March). Interdisciplinary and collaboration project about the city of Yerevan. The life performance part was developed with 5 students from the Theater and Cinematographic Institute, Yerevan. At the same time experiment with a shorter version workshop/performance Unfolding - Unwrapped .as part of German language classes at Goethe Institute in Yerevan. The workshop/performance became part of three German language classes. Creating two new performances COCOON during Naked State Project and Connected- Not Connected. Performed at Naked State, Bare Oaks, Canada, F.N.A.F, Prague, CZ, IMAF 2018, Odzaci and Novi Sad, Serbia and Alte Bürger Art Festival, Bremerhaven, Germany

2017

Working in the disciplines of Video Art, Art Photography, Installation Performance and printmaking (mainly digital). Developes Here & Now further into Unfolding-Unwrapped a participatory performance and workshop built on social sculpture principles for a general audience . Premiere Unfolding-Unwrapped. at Museum of Non

Conformist Art, St. Petersburg, Russia Lectures series at Karachi University, Karachi School of Art, Iris University and Karachi Grammar School, Pakistan

2016

Developed with theater teacher Denise Dörge (Berlin, Germany) a social sculpture workshop with the title Here & Now for schoolchildren. First conducted with different groups of school children in Berlin, Germany Anticipating You Project in collaboration with theater group DFT STAGE, St. Petersburg, Russia. Creates a series of performances with Wiebke Kahn (Berlin)

2015

Floating World Project with solo dancer Tsai Hsin-Ying at 435 Art Studio, New Taipei City, Taiwan. Stays in Dhaka and Narail, Bangladesh

2014-2016

Photographs and collaborates with Gabi Heinrich (Berlin) on various photo series with absurd and macabre motives

2014

Return to Taiwan. Starts there with filming, video. Becomes interested in performance. Start to focus on inter-culture, interdisciplinary collaboration projects. Silent Crossing Boundaries Project in collaboration with solo dancer Tsai Hsin-Ying and performance artist Kao Yu-I at Soulangh Culture Park, Tainan, Taiwan

2013

Works together with Hans Vernooij on X-Factor during Land Art Maastrich, Netherlands

2012

First video installations with still images. Stays in Hangzhou, China and Yangon, Myanmar

2011

Stays in Baroda, India. Series of lectures at various colleges around Baroda. Creation of a lino cut series with the title Mumbai Taxi

2010-Today

Conducting Workshops and artist talks in the fields video, photography, Land Art and printmaking

2007

Drops painting and sculpting. Turns towards photography and installation.

1981-Today

Regular participation in exhibitions, projects, video and film festivals among others China, Taiwan, Japan, Malaysia, Myanmar, India, Pakistan, Bangladesh, Dubai, Saudi-Arabia, Australia, UK, Ireland, France, The Netherlands, Germany, Belgium, Portugal, Spain, Greece, Serbia, Bosnia, Croatia, Romania, Bulgaria, Poland, Lithuania, Norway, Sweden, Austria, Italy, Malta, Turkey, Egypt, Namibia, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Columbia, Mexico, Cuba, Canada, USA, Kyrgyzstan, Armenia and Russia

1995

Melbourne, Australia. Creates a series of lino cuts at Australian Print Workshop.

Stays in Taipei, Taiwan (with one break in 1995). Getting strongly influenced by Far East culture and art

1989

In Buenos Aires, Argentina

1984-1989

Lives in Madrid, Spain,. Mainly doing painting and sculpting.

1981-2010

various teaching posts at schools and cultural centers in Dublin, Taipei and The Hague

1981-2007

Does painting, sculpture and printmaking,

1977- Today

Lived and worked in Ireland, Spain, Argentina, Taiwan, Australia, India, China Russia. Currently lives in The Hague, The Netherlands and Berlin, Germany

1977- 1981

Dun Laoghaire School of Art and Design (today IADT), Dublin, Ireland, MFA in Sculpture and Printmaking

1975-1977

School of Print and Design, Cologne, Germany

1959

Born in Cologne, Germany

