

MATTHIAS ESCH

Vita

- 1988 Born in Andernach, Germany
2003–2006 Apprenticeship as a wine cooper
2009–2015 Studied Fine Arts in Kassel, Antwerp and Berlin
2010–2013 Member of the artist-run exhibition space Stellwerk, Kassel
2012–2016 Recipient of a scholarship from the Cusanuswerk e.V., Bonn
2015 Residency at Casa Ugo Alto, San Stino di Livenza
2016 Meisterschüler at the Weißensee Kunsthochschule, Berlin;
curation of the experimental sound-event series *NO)))*,
Berlin
2018 Master of Letters at the Glasgow School of Art; winner of
the RSA Keith Prize; head instructor at Summer Academy,
Weißensee Kunsthochschule, Berlin; residency, Dumfries
House, Ayrshire
2019 Winner of the Emerging Art Prize, Banditto Gallery;
residency at Hickster Project, San Giovanni d'Asso

Selected Exhibitions (S: Solo Exhibitions)

- 2012 *Yes, This Year It's Documenta*, Kreuzberg Pavillon, Berlin
Memory Cash, Project Venus & Apoll, Düsseldorf
2014 *Kopier mir die Sonne*, Akademisches Museum Bonn
2015 *1/1 (S)*, Brandenburgischer Kunstverein, Potsdam
Walllust, Kunsthalle Weißensee, Berlin
Versteckte Variable, Max Planck Institute, Berlin
2016 *more weight*, with Daniel Rossi, Tat-Ort Bernstraße, Luzern
Centro di gravità permanente, with Manuel Kirsch,
Centercourt Gallery, München
One Month: After the Materialization of the Art Object,
Temporary Gallery, Köln
Quelltext, Brandenburgischer Kunstverein, Potsdam
2017 *all I want in life (S)*, ITIS Gallery, Brussels
Romantic Club – Octopus Love, C4 Project, Copenhagen
Böse Blüten, Projektraum Bethanien, Berlin
2018 *Attitudes*, LM Gallery, Latina
marching through the fields, Jeannie Avent Gallery, London
open exhibition, Royal Scottish Academy of Art and
Architecture, Edinburgh
No Safe Haven, The Pipe Factory, Glasgow
2019 *I Engineer*, Halle 12 Spinnerei, Leipzig
like the ocean does (S), Sox, Berlin
Fling Project III, Tramway, Glasgow
Schrein der Freundschaft, Brandenburgischer Kunstverein,
Potsdam
Every Now and Then, with Thilo Jenssen, Kbh_Kabinet,
Copenhagen
2020 *The Days Are Just Packed*, The Pool, Istanbul
Forma, HilbertRaum, Berlin
disguise, with Thilo Jenssen and Daniel Rossi, Galerie für
Gegenwartskunst, Bremen
Oak Island II, Zönotheka, Berlin

2021	<i>Seance</i> , with Anna Nero and Robert Vellekoop, Schierke & Seinecke / Rundgänger, Frankfurt am Main <i>Human Drama</i> , Spoiler, Berlin
2022	<i>Friends with Benefiz</i> , MARS, Frankfurt am Main <i>Conversations in colour</i> , Pilgrims Contemporary, London <i>Minibar</i> , Galerie Oel-Früh, Hamburg
2023	<i>Salon der Gegenwart</i> , Hamburg <i>Paroli</i> , Definition of Done, Köln
2024	<i>deranged chanting (S)</i> , Kunstverein Brandenburg, Potsdam
2025	<i>Karte und Gebiet (S)</i> , Galerie Brockstedt, Berlin
2026	<i>Sammlung Holle</i> , Kunstraum Potsdam, Potsdam <i>Slice Through Reality (S)</i> , Galerie Kutlesa, Goldau

Publications & Press

2016	<i>Quelltext</i> , Textem Verlag, Hamburg
2017	Artevie Publishing, Düsseldorf, online Horst und Edeltraut Magazine, Berlin, online
2018	young space, Wisconsin, online New Minds Eye, Glasgow, online
2019	art verge, London, online Banditto Gallery, Montefollonico, online
2020	AucArt Interview, London, online
2021	<i>Soft Need 23</i> , Expanded Media Editions, Basel <i>Banality of Structure</i> , NEIN Publishing, Berlin
2023	<i>Salon der Gegenwart</i> , Gudberg Nerger, Hamburg