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CV Ralf Schmitt

- 2015 Co-founder & co-director BERLIN ART INSTITUTE
2014 Co-founder of ART WEISSENSEE
since 2013 Lecturer at weißensee kunsthochschule berlin
since 2012 Initiative partner of BERLIN ART WEEK in cooperation with the Senate Chancellery for Economics and the Senate Chancellery for Cultural Affairs
2011 Lecturer at Academy of Fine Arts, Nuremberg
2009 - 2010 Professional training in sound- & videodesign at cimdata.de
since 2008 Founder and artistic host of "MyVisit.to"
since 2006 Co-dictator and shareholder of the group ULTRA ART FAIR UNLIMITED
since 2005 Co-founder/managing partner/director of PREVIEW BERLIN ART FAIR
since 2003 Father-in-Residence
since 1999 "Franz.East"- trilogy
1999 DAAD-scholarship in Taiwan (R.O.C.)
1998 – 2008 Founder and artistic director of the patented label "Förderkoje®"
1994 – 2003 Body of works "Bahnhofsmission"
1995 Master-degree by Hermann Nitsch
1991 – 2001 Co-founder of the interdisciplinary group "10 o'clock"
1989 – 94 Städelschule Frankfurt/M, classes Hermann Nitsch, Ludger Gerdes, Ilja Kabakov
1985 – 89 Design of communication at Fachhochschule für Gestaltung Würzburg (diploma)
1964 – Body of works "Presents"
12.10.1964 born in Aschaffenburg (Germany)

Exhibitions

- 2014 Galerie der HBKsaar, Saarbrücken "Verliebte Künstler & affaire de coer"
2014 Kunsthalle am Hamburger Platz, Berlin, "UHU", "UTA", "UWE"
2014 Kunstverein Familie Montez, Frankfurt/M, "Wurzeln weit mehr Aufmerksamkeit schenken"
2014 Deutsches Generalkonsulat, New York, "LUXUS"
2014 Rotterdam "Verliebte Seefahrer & Lachende Künstler"
2013 Kunsthalle am Hamburger Platz, Berlin, "UHU"
2013 Kunstverein Familie Montez c/o Nürnberg, "Wurzeln weit mehr Aufmerksamkeit schenken"
2013 Kunstverein Familie Montez c/o Museum Lytke Leipzig, "Wurzeln weit mehr Aufmerksamkeit schenken"
2013 Kunstverein Familie Montez c/o PREVIEW BERLIN, "Wurzeln weit mehr Aufmerksamkeit schenken"
2013 KUNSTHALLE am Hamburger Platz, Berlin, "Verliebte Künstler & Lachende Dritte..."
2013 St. Johannes-Evangelist-Kirche, Berlin, "I Amsterdam You Berlin"
2013 Alte Münze Berlin, "MACHT KUNST"
2012 Preview Berlin, "Staff Art"
2012 Kunstverein Familie Montez e.V., Frankfurt/M, "ende gut alles gut"
2011 Club der Polnischen Versager, "AUFHÄNGEN UND ABHÄNGEN"
2010 Preview Berlin, "Multi-Generational Booth"



2010	Stiftung für futuristische Forschung, Neuruppin, "Kasino Rausch"
2009/10	Temporäre Kunsthalle, Berlin, c/o Karin Sander: Zeigen. Eine Audiotour durch Berlin. "Rumor Mix" (cat.)
2009	Künstlerhaus, Wien, "NITSCH Vorbilder Zeitgenossen Lehre" (cat.)
2009	Frac-Collection Aquitaine, Bordeaux, Collection Rausch, "Heidi au pays de Martin Kippenberger" (cat.)
2008	Kunstverein Familie Montez e.V., Frankfurt/M, "My Generation"
2008	Hotel Marienbad, KW Institute for Contemporary Art, Berlin, "Rauschende Gäste"
2007	Portikus, Frankfurt/M, "The Rausch Collection" (cat.)
2007	b.K.i., Darmstadt, "fünf Jahre bewohnte Kunstinstallation"
2005	Projektraum Neuenhausen, Berlin, "Safer Art"
2005	b.K.i., Darmstadt, "Schneidebrett" (with Gunda Schmitt)
2005	ACC Galerie, Weimar, "The Social Collector: Sammlung Rausch"
2004	Mehrzweckhalle, Berlin, "Leuchten" (with Stephanie Jünemann & Ruben Schmitt)
2003	Absolventen 1971 - 2003 der Klasse Hermann Nitsch, AusstellungsHalle Schulstraße 1A , Frankfurt/M
2002/03	Hamburger Bahnhof - Museum für Gegenwart - Berlin, Visio Räume II, "Förderzeitraum 1998-2002", curated by Dr. Britta Schmitz
2002	"International Knotting Art Exhibition", Taiwan Craft Design Center, Taipei (cat.)
2001	Adrift at Stubnitz/Las Palmas, Rotterdam, "Rabbitdragon's Honeymoon" (with Stephanie. Jünemann), curated by Ronald Glasbergen
2001	"Frankfurter Kreuz", Schirn Kunsthalle Frankfurt/M (cat.), curated by Annette Tietenberg
2000	Kunstmuseum Bonn, "weltwärts", curated by Dr. Friedrich Meschede & Dr. Stefan Gronert
1999	Cities on the Move 6, Bangkok, "COTM 921" (cat.). curated by Hou Hanru & Hans Ulrich Obrist
1999	Melbourne Fringe Festival, "I'm (k)not working"
1999	"The 8th International Exhibition of Traditional Knots", National Museum of History, Taipei (cat.)
1999	"A Joint Exhibition of Chang Hsiao-chien & Hsia Yin", Taipei (with Manray Hsu)
1998	Kultural Kommuting, Berlin, Gallery Treppenhaus, "Claudius"
1998	Art Frankfurt, Gallery Heinrich Schmidt, Grenzach-Wyhlen, "Förderkoje®"
1998	Kultural Kommuting, Melbourne, "looser"
1998	Badischer Kunstverein Karlsruhe, c/o Klaus Heid "KAMPAGNE.3000"
1997	Outpost, Münster, "Catherine David isn't pregnant" (cat.)
1997	Gallery Frank Hänel, Frankfurt/M, "Telekom-Studie"
1997	Stoltzestr. 24, 60311 Frankfurt/M, "My neighbour is an artist"
1996	Gallery Alexander Wolf, Berlin, "Streugut", Hommage a Martin Kippenberger
1995	Coopers & Lybrand art collection, Frankfurt/M, curated by Kasper Koenig, "Sterntaler" (cat.)
1995	Gallery Frank Hänel, Frankfurt/M, "Life as a Free Artist"

Works in Public Space

2007	St. Hedwig-Krankenhaus, Berlin, "Trostpflaster" (Installation in the transit)
2004	Seniorencentrum St. Elisabeth, Wilhelmshorst, "Rosenwunder" (Mobile glass wall in the chapel)
2002	Hermann Nohl Schule Berlin, "Fabelwesen" (Glass case in the entrance)
2000/01	St. Joseph Krankenhaus Berlin/Weißensee, "dsien" (Feng Shui-Wall in front of the entrance) & "Alexiusstiege" (Light boxes in the staircase)
1999	Hsinchu Municipal Glass Art Museum, Taiwan, "when rabbitudes become form" (neon object), "Jail of Glass" (space installation with Stephanie Jünemann)
1996	University Clinic, Frankfurt/M, "Glass Noodles", 2 glass windows in the passage to the canteen
1995	Treffhotel Residenzschorloss, Bayreuth, "Glück und Glas - wie leicht bricht das.", 22 stained glass windows in the Sudhaus



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Teamworks

by "ULTRA ART FAIR UNLIMITED" (2006 -) with Matthias Schellenberger

- 2013 "Another Fairy Tale Vol. 18", EXOTICA 2013, Galerie M, Berlin
2013 "Another Fairy Tale Vol. 17", EXOTICA 2013, Galerie Nord | Kunstverein Tiergarten, Berlin
2013 "Another Fairy Tale Vol. 16", FREUDENREICH, Berlin
2013 "Another Fairy Tale Vol. 15", EXOTICA 2013, Silpakorn Art Lab, Bangkok /Nakhon Pathom
2012 "Another Fairy Tale Vol. 14", PREVIEW VIDEO SCREENING, Sony Center Berlin
2012 "Another Fairy Tale Vol. 13", Objects & Filmlets, bauer&ewald, Berlin
2012 "Another Fairy Tale Vol. 12", .HBC, Kino, Berlin
2011 "Another Fairy Tale Vol. 11", VernissageTV, Open Space, Art Cologne
2010 "Another Fairy Tale Vol. 10", VernissageTV, Open Space, Art Cologne
2009 "Another Fairy Tale Vol. 9", MyVisit, PREVIEW BERLIN - The Emerging Art Fair
2009 "Another Fairy Tale Vol. 8", NITSCH Vorbilder Zeitgenossen Lehre, Künstlerhaus Wien
2009 "Another Fairy Tale Vol. 7", VernissageTV, Open Space Lounge, Art Cologne
2009 "Another Fairy Tale Vol. 6", My Generation, Kunstverein Familie Montez e.V., Frankfurt/M
2008 "Another Fairy Tale Vol. 5", MyVisit, PREVIEW BERLIN - The Emerging Art Fair
2008 "Another Fairy Tale Vol. 4", KUNSTINVASION, Blumengroßmarkt Berlin
2008 "Another Fairy Tale Vol. 3", MyVisit, NEXT - The Invitational Exhibition of Emerging Art, Chicago
2007 "Another Fairy Tale Vol. 2", Förderkoje®, PREVIEW BERLIN - The Emerging Art Fair
2007 "Another Fairy Tale Vol. 1", Förderkoje®, dc duesseldorf contemporary

by "10 o'clock" (1991 – 2001) with Bernd Mey, Christian Pantzer, Bernhard Schreiner

- 2001 "Ein Lebkuchenhaus für das neue Berlin", Berlin
2000 "Pong Ping: das Brot, der Trabbi, seine Stoßdämpfer und das Pferd – der Film", Frankfurt/M
2000 "Der 10 Uhr – Weckauftrag", Frankfurt/M
2000 "Urbantartanduft – Friedhofsvasenflash", Wiesbaden
1999 "Museum für werdende Kunst", Frankfurt/M
1999 "Desire", München
1999 "Travel Tales", Ti-Nan Chi's workshop "Urban Flashes", Taipei
1997 "Open Skyline", Frankfurt/M
1991 "Stadtbahn Bochum"

1997 "morphosis-mind moves" (CD-Extra) with Rupert Schellenberger & Friends

Participations

- 2013 Centraltheater, Leipzig 138. Aktion
2005 Burgtheater, Wien, Hermann Nitsch 122. Aktion
2004 Schloss Prinzendorf a. d. Zaya, Hermann Nitsch 120. Aktion
1998 Schloss Prinzendorf a. d. Zaya, Hermann Nitsch 100. Aktion
1992 Wilhelm-Hack-Museum, Ludwigshafen, Hermann Nitsch 89. Aktion



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Publications

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| 2005 - 2013 | "PREVIEW BERLIN", cat. |
| 2012 | "Join MyVisit.to Pawel Althamer's 'Draftsmen's Congress'", Rabbidragonhorse, Berlin |
| 2009 | "Perhaps That's Just the Way It Is", contribution for "einfach", Merve, Berlin |
| 2002/03 | "Docu-Soap", contribution for Atlántica Internacional Revista de las Artes, No. 36 |
| 2001/02 | "Politics of Dada and Data", contribution for Atlántica Internacional Revista de las Artes, No. 30 |
| 1999 | "and the knots of the story", internet-EXPOsé-in-progress |