

BIOGRAPHY

KERSTIN DRECHSEL

1966 born in Reinbek near Hamburg
studied at the HdK Berlin, MFA with Achim Freyer
Kerstin Drechsel lives and works in Berlin

Solo Exhibitions (Selection)

2010 *If You Close The Door*, SEPTEMBER Berlin

2008 *CINÉ*, Galerie 21, Braunschweig, Germany
Jan-Holger, Vane, Newcastle upon Tyne, UK

2007 *MITTELERDE*, SEPTEMBER, Berlin

2005 *UNSER HAUS*, Laura Mars Grp., Berlin

2004 Allgemeiner Konsumverein, Braunschweig
POSTER_BOX Teil 1, Laura Mars Grp., Berlin

2003 GEHAG FORUM, Berlin
RESERVE, Laura Mars Grp., Berlin

2001 *In Wärmeland #2*, Galerie Station im Mousonturm, Frankfurt/Main

1998 *Singles*, Focus Mediport, Berlin

1997 *KOMM*, Dirty Windows Gallery, Berlin (together with Markus Strieder)

1995 *Raucher, Hair, Nasen, 1 Good Girl & 1 Bad Girl*, Galerie M. Giesler, Berlin

Group Exhibitions (Selection)

- 2009 *Freie Wahl? Die Formkräfte des Kunstlebens*, Nancyhalle, Karlsruhe, curated by Gregor Jansen
A room inside them, Vane, Newcastle upon Tyne, UK
THE NEW OMEGA WORKSHOPS, SEPTEMBER Berlin
Rotate, Contemporary Art Society, London
- 2008 *I QUEERELANTI*, neon>campobase, Bologna
Just Different, Cobra Museum Amstelveen
- 2007 *Meatdistrict*, MAMA showroom for media and moving art, Rotterdam, Netherlands
A Room of One's Own, Kunstraum Kreuzberg/Bethanien, Berlin
- 2006 *The Eighth Square*, Museum Ludwig, Cologne
A Room of One's Own, De Markten, Brussels, Belgium
Cit  Internationale des Arts, Paris, France
Berlin: Tendenzen, La Capella, Palau de la Virreina, Barcelona, Spain
STIPS 06/07, Kunstraum Kreuzberg/Bethanien, Berlin
- 2005 *In Wirklichkeit*, Kunsthaus N rnberg, Nuremberg
- 2004 *1. Berliner Kunstsalon*, arena, Berlin
B2B and back again, Laura Mars Grp., Berlin
Wintershow, Laura Mars Grp., Berlin
- 2003 *Stadt im Regal – WK8P2 Abbau*, part of the project *Superumbau*, Hoyerswerda
Paradies, Bunker beneath Alexanderplatz, Berlin
LEBENSL NGLICH 14, Laura Mars Grp., Berlin
Das Atmen der Stadt, Haus am Waldsee, Berlin
Scarface, Gesellschaft der Freunde Junger Kunst, Baden-Baden
- 2002 *Mahagoni*, Offspace, Vienna, Austria
Over the moon, Kunstraum Kreuzberg/Bethanien, Berlin
- 2001 *Werkschau 7*, Neues Kunstquartier, Berlin

- 2000 *Megapearls*, Kunstamt Mitte and Kunstamt Schöneberg, Berlin
Randori 2, loop – Raum für aktuelle Kunst, Berlin
 plug-in in the exhibition *Satellit, Z 2000*, Berlin Pavilion, Berlin
Stadt im Regal – Bungalow, Z 2000, Akademie der Künste, Berlin
- 1999 *Visitez ma tente*, Karl-Hofer-Gesellschaft, Bahnhof Westend, Berlin
pleasure principle (props), Kunstamt Kreuzberg, Berlin
Más y más – Stadt in den Beinen, La Panaderia, Mexico City, Mexico
- 1998 *Goldrausch 9*, Marstall, Berlin
- 1997 *Pearls Vol. 5*, Kunstamt Treptow, Berlin
 Parkhaus – Stadt im Regal, Parkhaus des Grandhotels, Behrenstraße, Berlin
- 1995 *Mora*, Berlin
- 1992 *New Generation*, Historical Museum Tallinn, Estonia

Awards and Stipends

- 2008 Working Grant Kunstfonds Bonn
- 2006 Artists' Grant from the Working Grant from the Berlin Senate Administration for Science, Research and Culture
- 2005 Cité Internationale des Arts, Paris: Travel Grant from the Berlin Senate Administration for Science, Research and Culture
- 1997 Women Artists' Project *Goldrausch*, Berlin
- 1990 Critics' Prize from the Berliner Zeitung for *La Finta Giardiniera*, Hebbeltheater, Berlin

Publications

- 2007 MITTELERDE, SEPTEMBER Berlin (pub.), Vice Versa Verlag, Berlin
- 2006 in: *New German Painting*, Prestel Verlag, München

1998

in: *The Eighth Square*, Hatje Cantz Verlag, Ostfildern

In Wärmeland, Vice Versa Verlag, Berlin