

## trans-local Sympodium What's Wrong with Performance Art?

Friday, 27 October, 12:30h doors open, coffee/tea/buffet

13:00h Welcome and introduction by the curators

13:30h Artist Talk *Performance as Book. Book as Performance* by **Martina-Sofie Wildberger** in conversation with **Georg Rutishauser** 

14:00h Session 1 Performing the Curatorial / Curating Performance

Chris Regn, Madeleine Amsler, Sibylle Omlin, Elise Lammer, moderation Irene Müller

Performances by Heike Fiedler and Nathalie Rebholz

18:50h Keynote Inputs by Linda Cassens-Stoian and Federica Martini

Saturday, 28 October, 10:30h doors open, coffee/tea/croissants

11:00h Session 2 Performative (Un)Learning – Performance as Teaching

Donatella Bernardi, San Keller, Kamen Stoyanov, Axelle Stiefel, moderation Bernadett Settele

Performances by Katharina Swoboda and Kamen Stoyanov

16:15h Session 3 *What's Wrong with Performance Art – Strategies in the Performative* Valerian Maly, Voin de Voin, Camille Aleña, Lou Masduraud, Guillaume Pilet, moderation Dimitrina Sevova

Performances by  $\ensuremath{\text{Delphine Chapuis Schmitz}}$  and  $\ensuremath{\text{Camille Aleña}}$ 

Sunday, 29 October, 10:30h doors open, coffee/tea/croissants

11:00h Session 4 Performance Szenen/Scenes – Tribal & Translocal Networking

Milenko Lazic, Pascal Schwaighofer, Muda Mathis, Gilles Furtwängler, moderation Chris Regn

Performances by Dorothea Schürch and Voin de Voin

16:30h Session 5 Performative Tactics, Activism & Performance Politics

Mo Diener, Lia García, Angela Marzullo, Nathalie Rebholz, moderation Denis Pernet

Performances by Gilles Furtwängler and Axelle Stiefel

Final Sympodium discussion with report by the observer throughout the Sympodium,  $\ensuremath{\textbf{Andrea Saemann}}$ 

Curated by **Dorothea Rust** and **Dimitrina Sevova**, co-curated by **Denis Pernet** 

The Sympodium sets up a two-and-a-half days live performative event that aims to provide a platform for presenting, discussing and performing Performance Art throughout a panel structure with an accent on moderated discussions and performances. The Sympodium strives to generate an energetic open space for aesthetic experience and exchange of knowledge between the current

active practitioners in the field of Performance Art(s): artists, curators, performance study researchers, educators, and their publics. Those committed to Performance Art will share their practices, experience, reflections, thoughts, and research.

The Sympodium is a platform that encourages invited participants to give a very direct subjective response from the material objectives of the event itself. The Sympodium is quasiacademic and brings together practitioners inside and outside academia to publicly present and discuss their practices and modes of articulation and action. The Sympodium operates within the local, interregional and international Performance Art scene. It strives for different perceptions and a new ontology of the relation between Performance and Art, and a pattern of branching that expands the field of live practices.

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