

# !Mediengruppe Bitnik

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!Mediengruppe Bitnik (read - the not Mediengruppe Bitnik) are contemporary artists working on, and with, the Internet. Their practice expands from the digital to physical spaces, often intentionally applying loss of control to challenge established structures and mechanisms.

In the past they have been known to subvert surveillance cameras, bug an opera house to broadcast its performances outside, send a parcel containing a camera to Julian Assange at the Ecuadorian embassy in London and physically glitch a building. In 2014, they sent a bot called «Random Darknet Shopper» on a three-month shopping spree in the Darknets where it randomly bought items like keys, cigarettes, trainers and Ecstasy and had them sent directly to the gallery space.

!Mediengruppe Bitnik's works formulate fundamental questions concerning contemporary issues.

Their works are shown internationally, most recently in exhibitions at:

CAC Shanghai, LOAF Kyoto, Annka Kultys Gallery London, House of Electronic Arts Basel, Eigen + Art Lab Berlin, Super Dakota Brussels, Centre Culturel Suisse Paris, Aksioma Ljubljana, Kunsthaus Zurich, FACT Liverpool, Onassis Cultural Center Athens, Public Access Gallery Chicago, Kunstverein Hannover, Nam June Paik Art Center South Korea, Fondazione Prada Milano, Shanghai Minsheng 21st Century Museum, The Pushkin Museum of Fine Arts Moscow, Cabaret Voltaire Zurich, Beijing Contemporary Art Biennial and the Tehran Roaming Biennial.

They have presented their works in lectures, panels and events including:

ICA London, CCCB Barcelona, HOPE New York, Lentos Museum Linz, Kunsthalle Zurich, Videonale Bonn and FILE Sao Paulo.

They have received awards including:

Swiss Art Award, PAX Art Award, Prix de la Société des Arts Genève, Migros New Media Jubilee Award, Golden Cube Dokfest Kassel, Honorary Mention Prix Ars Electronica.

!Mediengruppe Bitnik are Carmen Weisskopf and Domagoj Smoljo. They are currently based in Berlin.



## Solo Exhibitions

- 2024 **One ● Review Tour (Un)real data ▲ – (●)real effects** Aksioma, Ljubljana
- 2021 **Flagged for Explicit Image** with Super Dakota Gallery for LISTE Art Fair, Basel  
**Refuse to be Human – Baidu Edition** DigiLab Kunsthaus Zürich  
**Refuse to be Human – Yandex Edition** OPEN Berlin  
**Flagged for Political Speech** Aksioma, Ljubljana
- 2020 **Decisions Decisions Decisions** Aksioma, Ljubljana  
**Poor Decisions are half the fun** DeltaLab, Rijeka  
**What are you looking at?** Laboratory of Art and Form, Kyoto
- 2019 **Swiss Media Art: !Mediengruppe Bitnik** House of Electronic Arts, Basel
- 2018 **Decisions, decisions, decisions** Super Dakota, Brussels  
**Conexión (in)discreta** Gallery Weekend CDMX, Mexico City  
**Alexiety** Panke Gallery, Berlin
- 2017 **Are you online now?** Annka Kultys Gallery, London  
**Alexa – Who is Joybubbles** Société des Arts Genève, Palais de l’Athénée, Genève  
**Come chat with me** EPFL Artlab, Lausanne  
**Is anybody home lol** EIGEN+ART Lab, Berlin  
**Desperate times call for desperate measures, lol** Swissnex Gallery, San Francisco
- 2016 **Jusqu’ici tout va bien** Centre culturel suisse, Paris  
**Welcome to Ecuador** Zoo Gallery, Nantes  
**Post/Drone** Galerija Drugo More, Rijeka  
**Is Anyone Home Lol** Kunsthaus Langenthal  
**Random Darknet Shopper** Aksioma, Ljubljana
- 2015 **Random Darknet Shopper** Horatio Junior Gallery, London  
**H333333333K** Art in Public Space, Haus of Electronic Arts, Basel
- 2014 **The Darknet – From Memes to Onionland. An Exploration** Kunst Halle St. Gallen  
**Delivery for Mr. Assange** Helmhaus, Zurich

- 2012 **Lügen: UBS Lies/ Polizei lügt** Kunstkabine, Museum für Kommunikation, Bern
- 2011 **Questions/Noise** Substitut, Berlin
- 2010 **Jusqu'ici tout va bien** Espace Multimédia Gantner, Belfort  
**Too Big To Fail / Too Small To Succeed** SPACE Gallery, London  
**Too Big To Fail / Too Small To Succeed** Les Complices\*, Zurich  
**Opera Calling** Projektraum Enter, Kunstmuseum Thun
- 2009 **Parasite's Delights** Stiftung Binz39, Zurich
- 2008 **Our Man in India** [plug.in], Basel
- 2007 **Download Finished** Cabaret Voltaire, Zurich  
**Opera Calling** Cabaret Voltaire, Zurich

## Group Exhibitions

- 2024 **Decoding the Black Box** Galerie Stadt Sindelfingen, Sindelfingen
- 2023 **Another Day at the Office 5 year anniversary of OFFICE IMPART** OFFICE IMPART, Berlin  
**Glitch The Art of Interference** Pinakothek der Moderne, Munich  
**LOVE LETTERS** Gabriele Senn Galerie, Wien  
**I'll be Your Mirror: Art and the Digital Screen** The Modern Art Museum of Fort Worth, Fort Worth  
**Playmode** CCBB - Centro Cultural Banco do Brasil, Brasilia
- 2022 **Playmode** CCBB - Centro Cultural Banco do Brasil, São Paulo  
**Data Dating Desire** MO.CA, Brescia  
**Liquid Life** Super Dakota, Brussels  
**Playmode** CCBB - Centro Cultural Banco do Brasil, Rio de Janeiro  
**The Root** Amphicar Studio, Athens  
**TECHNO ROMANCE: Data, Dating, Desire** Electron Festival, Le Commun, Geneva  
**Tecnocene: Produci! Consuma!** DamsLab, University of Bologna, Bologna  
**The Broken Timeline** Distant Gallery, Online  
**Résopolis** La Fabrikà, Besançon  
**Playmode** CCBB - Centro Cultural Banco do Brasil, Belo Horizonte  
**Feedback #6: Anti-Environment** Fonderie Darling, Montreal  
**Power! Light!** Kunstmuseum Wolfsburg  
**Aus den Fugen – Momente der Störung** Migros Museum für Gegenwartskunst, Zurich
- 2021 **Super Dakota Gallery** Art Antwerp, Antwerp  
**Fractured Spine** Photobastei, Zurich

**SWIPE RIGHT! Data Dating Desire** iMAL Art center for digital cultures and technology, Brussels  
**Inaugurational Exhibition New Wing Kunsthaus Zürich** Kunsthaus, Zurich  
**GoldenNFT** Peng! Kollektiv, online  
**Tomas Schmit. Pieces, Actions, Documents 1962–1970** Neuer Berliner Kunstverein, Berlin  
**Proof of Art** Francisco Carolinum, Linz  
**An Intransparent Game** Deutsches Kulturzentrum 798 – Goethe Institut Peking  
**Experimental Music and Art (EMA) Expo 2021** MMOMA Moscow Museum of Modern Art, Moscow  
**Refuse to be Human** transmediale, Berlin, online  
**H.o.Me. – Heim für obsolete Medien** Kunsthaus Langenthal

2020

**FitArt – Female Body** Roehrs & Boetsch Gallery, Zurich  
**6 Degrees** Liebaert Projects, Kortrijk  
**Imagine you Wake Up and There is no Internet** Romantso, Athens  
**AI: Love and Artificial Intelligence** Hyundai Motorstudio Beijing  
**1000 Bots** 1000 Scores. Pieces for Here, Now & Later, online  
**Sammlung Ivo Wessel** Berlin Art Week, Berlin  
**Seating Chart for a Fall Dinner Party...** Metro Pictures, New York  
**Watzizeitsch. Rebisch, zwog. Über Sprachen und Stimmen** D21, Leipzig  
**crypto\_manifold** CAC – Chronus Art Center, Shanghai  
**This house is not a home** Lothringer 13 Halle, München  
**Art Comes True** Kendra Jayne Patrick Gallery at NADA “FAIR”, New York  
**Spy DIY** Barents Spektakel festival, Terminal B, Kirkenes  
**Data Dating** Watermans Art Center, London

2019

**Glass Room San Francisco** Tactical Tech, San Francisco  
**Privatsphäre – geschützt, geteilt, verkauft** Zurich City Hall, Zurich  
**Art Berlin – Fair for Modern and Contemporary Art** with EIGEN+ART Lab, Berlin  
**Playmode** MAAT – Museum of Art, Architecture and Technology, Lisbon  
**Opera Calling** Super Dakota, Brussels  
**Luxus Privatsphäre / Mythos Anonymität** Propstei St.Peterzell, St. Peterszell  
**Futures of Love** Magasins généraux, Paris-Pantin  
**Tomorrows – urban fictions for possible futures** Le lieu unique, Nantes  
**Behind The Screen** KINDL, Berlin  
**Conspiratorial Aesthetics** Cressman Center for Visual Art, Louisville, Kentucky  
**FREEPOR: Terminal MCR** University of Salford, Manchester  
**Papagena und andere schräge Vögel** Musée visionnaire, Zurich

2018

**Art Acquisitions 2011–2018** City of Zurich Art Collection, Helmhaus, Zurich  
**CHEERS** EIGEN+ART Lab, Berlin  
**Ubiquité** Bento, laboratoire d'expressions, Mulhouse  
**Digitale Narrationen** Forum Schlossplatz Aarau  
**Holen und Bringen – Fetch and Deliver** Werkleitz Festival 2018, Halle (Saale)  
**JETZT KUNST 06 – New Media** Max Frisch Bad, Zurich  
**Gallery.Delivery** Performance exhibition by Sebastian Schmieg, Berlin

**Algorithmic Lifestyle** Roehrs & Boetsch, Zurich  
**Spy DIY** Electromuseum, Moscow  
**Always Different** Always the Same. An Essay on Art and Systems, Museum of Fine Arts Chur  
**#DATAMAZE** DOX Centre for Contemporary Art, Prague  
**Data Dating – Sex, Love and Intimacy in the Age of Algorithms** Galerie Charlot, Paris  
**Hidden / Secret** Villa Merkel, Esslingen / Stuttgart  
**I'm sorry, I didn't quite catch that** arebyte Gallery, London  
**INTO WORLDS. The Craft of Blurring Boundaries** Berliner Festspiele, Gropius-Bau, Berlin  
**Future Love. Desire and Kinship in Hypernature** House of Electronic Arts, Basel

2017

**L'art au centre** Palais de Tokyo, Paris  
**Ashley Madison Angels at Work in London** Glass Room London, London  
**DA Fest** National Academy of Art, Sofia  
**Feedback – Marshall McLuhan and the Arts** West Den Haag Contemporary Art, Den Haag  
**I'm afraid I can't do that, Dave** Gluon, Emaillerie Belge, Brussels  
**Media Mediterranea 19: Digital Romance** Titov park, Pula  
**Our Bright Future : Cybernetics Fantasy** Nam June Paik Art Center, Yongin  
**Action!** Kunsthau, Zurich  
**Scenographies of Power** La Casa Encendida, Madrid  
**Infosphere** Centro Nacional de las Artes (CENART), Mexico City  
**Tomorrows – Urban Fictions for Possible Futures** Onassis Cultural Center, Athens  
**Science Fiction Festival Basel** Casino Theater, Basel  
**(DYS-)Tropism** Super Dakota, Brussels  
**Dadaclub.online** Spazio Contemporanea, Brescia  
**How Much of This is Fiction** House of Electronic Arts, Basel  
**How Much of This is Fiction** FACT Liverpool  
**Dada. State of the Reference** Dadaclub.online, online  
**Lanceurs d'alerte** La Gaité Lyrique, Paris

2016

**The Glass Room: NYC** Soho Store Front, New York  
**Dispatches – Live news through art** Southeastern Center for Contemporary Art, Winston-Salem  
**House of Impressions. Wandering with a Troubadour** The Pushkin State Museum, Moscow  
**Digital Dark** Public Access Gallery, Chicago  
**Lodz Design Festival** Art Centre Lodz  
**Corporate Parodies** Stadstriënnale Hasselt-Genk, Stadscampus Hasselt  
**CyberArts 2016 – Prix Ars Electronica** OK Centrum, Linz  
**CAMÉRA(AUTO)CONTRÔLE** Centre de la photographie, Geneva  
**L'image volée** Fondazione Prada, Milan  
**Digital Archives** Kunstverein Hannover, Hannover  
**Nervous Systems** Haus der Kulturen der Welt, Berlin  
**The Next Big Thing is Not a Thing** Bureau Europa, Maastricht  
**Kunst und Nachhaltigkeit Vol. 5: Prix Mobilier 2016** Die Mobilier, Bern  
**Hacking Habitat – The Art of Control** Utrecht

- Prix Mobilière** artgénéve, Geneva
- SEIZURE** Avalanche, London
- The Black Chamber** Škuc Gallery, Ljubljana
- The Black Chamber** Mali Salon, Rijeka
- 2015
- Identifikuj me** Galerija 12 HUB, Belgrade
- Always On** Schule des Sehens, Mainz
- (Artificial Intelligence) Digitale Demenz** HMKV, Dortmund
- Thing Nothing** Van Abbemuseum, Eindhoven
- Digitale Demenz (Artificial Intelligence)** Eigen+art Lab, Berlin
- 3rd Ural Industrial Biennial of Contemporary Art** Yekaterinburg
- GLOBALE: Infosphere** Center for Art and Media, Karlsruhe
- Werk- und Atelierstipendien der Stadt Zürich 2015** Helmhaus, Zurich
- Wasting time on the Internet 2.0** Kunsthalle, Düsseldorf
- Athens Digital Arts Festival** Athens
- Digital/Analog: Indifferenz** Motorenhalle, Dresden
- Invent the Future with Elements of the Past** Cabaret Voltaire, Zurich
- 2014
- Cosmos** The Shanghai Minsheng 21st Century Museum, Shanghai
- Leipzig Festival of Lights 2014** Public Space, Leipzig
- Performa Festival 2014** La Rada, Locarno
- 大声展 – Get it louder** Biennial, Beijing
- net.art Painters and Poets** City Art Gallery, Ljubljana
- Swiss Art Awards** Basel
- 2013
- Monitoring Kunstverein Kassel** Dokfest, Kassel
- Flashbacks** Stadtgalerie Bern, Bern
- WERKSCHAU 2013: Werkbeiträge Bildende Kunst Kt. Zürich** F+F, Zurich
- Physical City – Sensing Place** Rua da Madalena Project, Lisbon
- BiennaleOnline 2013** Artplus.com, online
- Streetview** Lichter Filmfest, Frankfurt
- Social Sound** Stichting VHDG, Leeuwarden
- 2012
- Network Hack** Mal au Pixel #7, La Gaité Lyrique, Paris
- Werk- und Atelierstipendien der Stadt Zürich 2012** Helmhaus, Zurich
- Yes we're open** NiMk Netherlands Media Art Institute, Amsterdam
- The Social Contract** Artefact, STUK Kunstencentrum, Leuven
- 2011
- The Revolution to Smash Global Capitalism** Cabaret Voltaire, Zurich
- Together in Electric Dreams. Absent Presence** Beton7, Athen
- Cops and Robbers** Share Prize Exhibition, Torino
- One Hundred Days of Manifestation** Bblackboxx, Basel
- Swiss Art Awards** Messehalle 3, Basel
- Wem gehört die Stadt?** Schlachthaus Theater, Bern
- Together in Electric Dreams. Abwesende Anwesenheit** House of Electronic Arts, Basel
- Hoja Blanca – Weisses Blatt** Arte Centro Graciela Andrade de Paiz, Guatemala

- Hands on – Hacking & Bricolage** BAC Bâtiment d'art contemporain, Geneva  
**Hoja Blanca – Weisses Blatt Schmuck Inc.** Weinplatz 7, Zurich
- 2010 **unterdessen** Museum Bären­gasse, Zurich  
**Hacking the City** Museum Folkwang, Essen
- 2009 **Cyberarts 09 – Prix Ars Electronica Exhibition** OK Offenes Kulturhaus, Linz  
**Pronto!** [plug.in], Basel  
**Leftover** White Space, Zurich  
**Shifting Identities – (Swiss) Art Now** CAC Contemporary Art Center, Vilnius  
**Urban Jealousy – Roaming Biennial of Tehran** Centar za Kulturnu Dekontaminaciju, Belgrade  
**Neid** Gunststiftung, Zurich  
**Schmuck Inc. – RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT** Strehlgasse 26, Zurich
- 2008 **Urban Jealousy – Roaming Biennial of Tehran** Kunstraum Bethanien, Berlin  
**Werk- und Atelierstipendien der Stadt Zürich 2008** Helmhaus, Zurich  
**StipendiatInnen** Stiftung Binz39, Zurich  
**Shifting Identities** Kunsthau­, Zurich  
**Swiss Art Awards** Messehalle 3, Basel  
**Urban Jealousy – Roaming Biennial of Tehran** Hafriyat Karakoy, Istanbul
- 2007 **Access** Shift – Electronic Arts Festival, Basel  
**They call it Reality** Hartware MedienKunstVerein, Dortmund  
**TAGallery** cont3xt.net, online  
**25 Years** Jubiläumsausstellung Stiftung Binz39, Zurich

## Public Interventions

- 2019 **Cryptorave #10** House of Electronic Arts, Basel  
**Cryptorave #9** Onassis Foundation, Athens  
**Cryptorave #8** transmediale, Berlin
- 2018 **Cryptorave #7** The Influencers Festival, Barcelona  
**/me followed by an action – Following the rave** 4. Welt, Berlin  
**Cryptorave #5** Panke Club, Berlin
- 2017 **Chelsea's Wall** La Gaité Lyrique, Paris
- 2016 **Chelsea's Wall** Škuc Gallery, Ljubljana
- 2015 **Chelsea's Wall** The Influencers Festival, CCCB, Barcelona  
**Chelsea's Wall** Elevate Festival 2015, Graz
- 2014 **Pirate TV Vol. II** Sonic Protest Festival, Paris  
**CCTV – A Trail of Images** Literatur und Strom Festival Literaturhaus, Stuttgart

## The Hidden City: From Surveillance to Sousveillance Swissnex, San Francisco

- 2013 **Your Own Private Pirate TV Station** Désert Numérique, Saint-Nazaire-le Désert  
**CCTV – A Trail of Images** Festival politischer Medienkunst, Berlin  
**CCTV – A Trail of Images with Benjamin Gaulon** Lichter Filmfest, Frankfurt  
**CCTV – A Trail of Images** Rua da Madalena Project, Lisbon  
**CCTV – A Trail of Images Invisible Zurich's** Gessnerallee, Zurich
- 2012 **(Un)friendly\_takeover.exe** Corner College, Zurich  
**CCTV – A Trail of Images** Sound Development City, London  
**CCTV – A Trail of Images** La Gaité Lyrique, Paris
- 2011 **CCTV – A Trail of Images** House of electronic Arts Basel, Basel  
**CCTV – A Trail of Images** BAC Bâtiment d'art contemporain, Geneva
- 2010 **CCTV – A Trail of Images Hacking The City** Museum Folkwang, Essen  
**Following The Crisis Instructions for a Dérive** Space Gallery, London  
**Following The Crisis Psychogeophysical Summit** HTTP Gallery, London  
**Following The Crisis Instructions for a Dérive** Les Complices, Zurich  
**Looking out for you – Instructions for a Dérive** Kunstpassanten, Zurich
- 2009 **Our Own Private Pirate TV** Stiftung Binz39, Zurich  
**CCTV – A Trail of Images** [plug.in], Basel  
**CCTV – A Trail of Images Roboloco** Reithalle, Bern  
**CCTV – A Trail of Images Goldsmiths College** University of London, London  
**CCTV – A Trail of Images** Kunst Halle Sankt Gallen, St. Gallen  
**CCTV – A Trail of Images** Tachometra, Vienna  
**CCTV – A Trail of Images** Kunstraum Walcheturm, Zurich
- 2008 **From TV to CCTV – Live TV Performance** Quarantaine, Brussels  
**CCTV – A Trail of Images** Piet Zwart Institut & WORM, Rotterdam  
**CCTV – A Trail of Images** Gallery Eden 343, Sao Paulo  
**CCTV Cinema** Kalkbreite, Zurich  
**Die unsichtbare Stadt: Tools für Sousveillance** Kunsthaus, Zurich

## Curatorial Projects

- 2024 **(Un)real data 🏔 – (●)real effects Tactics&Practice #15** Aksioma, Ljubljana
- 2023 **Energy Parasites Roaming City Tours** Piksel, Bergen  
**4x4 – Random Band Generator 1 day · 1 club · 1 gallery · 10 bands · 40 artists**  
panke.gallery & Panke Club, Berlin  
**Unreal Data - Mine Yours Ours** Drugo More, Rijeka

- 2022 **Can You See Me Now?** AIA, Löwenbräu Zurich
- 2020 **Odds Without Ends online exhibition on eBay Kleinanzeigen** ABK, Stuttgart

## Performance

- 2024 **Non Guided Tour (Taming of Chance Edition)** Galerie Sindelfingen, Sindelfingen
- 2023 **Home is where the work is** \\_(ツ)\_/ Literaturforum im Brecht-Haus, Berlin

## Screenings

- 2022 **Surveillance Chess Eye/View** Videocity, Congress Center Basel and cinema Rex Bern, Bern
- 2019 **Surveillance Chess** Joinery Videoprogramme, Art Berlin, Berlin  
**Opera Calling** Super Dakota, Brussels  
**Surveillance Chess** Joinery Gallery Video and Performance Programme, Liste Art Fair, Basel
- 2018 **Surveillance Chess** L'action prend place, Festival Non-Aligné(e)s, la Générale, Paris
- 2015 **Random Darknet Shopper MAC Black Box Theater** The Dallas Medianale 2015, Dallas
- 2014 **Surveillance Chess Short Film Festival Cologne** Unlimited #8, Shortfilmfestival Cologne
- 2013 **Surveillance Chess National Centre for Contemporary Arts** National Centre for Contemporary Arts, Kalingrad  
**Surveillance Chess Galeri Nasional Indonesia** OK.Video Festival, Galeri Nasional Indonesia, Jakarta  
**CCTV – A Trail of Images** Festival politischer Medienkunst, Berlin  
**Opera Calling** Désert Numérique Festival, Saint-Nazaire-le-Désert  
**Surveillance Chess VIDEOAKT 03** French Institute, Barcelona  
**Surveillance Chess** Lichter Filmfest, Frankfurt  
**Surveillance Chess Cine Tonal Theatre** Cine Tonal Theatre, Mexico City
- 2012 **Surveillance Chess** Exploding Cinema, London  
**Surveillance Chess** IMPAKT Festival 2012, Utrecht  
**Opera Calling** SIMULTAN FESTIVAL 8, Timisoara  
**Surveillance Chess** UCL Urban Lab, London

2007 **Resuscitate: Download Finished Screenings** Gallery The Distillery, Boston

## Talks and Conferences

- 2024 **Ratings Suck!!! How Did We Even Get to This Point???? (Un)real data** ▲ – (●)real effects Aksioma, Ljubljana  
**Artist Talk: Zwischen Klarheit und Rauschen Künstlerische Potenziale im analogen und digitalen Glitch-Spektrum** Pinakothek der Moderne, Munich  
**Intro to Unreal Data (Un)real data** ▲ – (●)real effects Kino Šiška, Ljubljana  
**Media (arts) and politics - EMAP online seminar** NeMe, Limassol  
**Introducing ISSA - Island School of Social Autonomy** /rosa, Berlin  
**Figure it Out: Ghost Workers - Practicing resilience in remote work systems and on platforms** panke.gallery, Berlin  
**Non Guided Tour Guest Talk – Conversations Class** IMA Low Res Programme, New York University Berlin campus, Berlin
- 2023 **Figure it Out: The Art of Living through System Failures International Radio Conference** VEKTOR Athens / stegi.radio, Athens  
**Unreal Data** Drugo More, Rijeka  
**Digital Middleman** transmediale, Berlin
- 2021 **Kultur digital** Museum für Gestaltung, Zurich  
**Augmented Authorship** Lucerne School of Art and Design & House of Electronic Arts, Basel  
**Are we building the next world together?** Moscow Museum of Modern Art, online  
**The Crypto Canvas** LASER Boston, Swissnex Boston and SciArt Initiative New York, online
- 2020 **#algoregimes: In conversation with Felix Stalder** Aksioma, Ljubljana, online  
**Après Corona – und jetzt? Panel, Visarte** StudioK3 Zurich, online  
**Kulturarbeit neu denken und gestalten** University of Basel, Basel  
**Gallery Surfing Session Twitch channel** panke.gallery, Berlin, online  
**Data Dating** Watermans Art Center, London
- 2019 **Artist Talk** Chronus Art Center, Shanghai  
**Trick – Jerusalem Art Conference #4** Manofim festival, Van Leer Jerusalem Institute, Jerusalem  
**Amazon Academy on Innovation** Einstein Center for Digital Future, Berlin  
**Mit Kunst Netzpolitik machen 15 Jahre Netzpolitik** Roter Salon, Volksbühne, Berlin  
**Mechanisms of a Surveillance State** Art Basel Conversations, Art Basel, Basel  
**Artist Talk** Sportbuffet Weissensee Kunsthochschule, Berlin  
**Delivered the Same Day** Centre for Postdigital Cultures, Coventry University, Coventry  
**Digital Matters DON18 Gesprächsreihe** ETH Eidgenössische Technische Hochschule, Zürich  
**Algorithmic Intimacies talk** transmediale, Berlin
- 2018 **PUBLIC(S)** Open Lecture Series, HDK Academy of Design Gothenburg  
**Kolloquium 1,2,3 Logisitcs** Werkleitz Festival, Halle (Saale)

**Artist Talk** A+T Salón de Arte y Tecnología. Fundación Telefónica, Gallery Weekend Mexico 2018

**Artist Talk** Bündner Kunstmuseum Chur

**Conversation with Andreas Blättler Bruce Naumann exhibition** Schaulager, Basel

**502 Bad Gateway — Digitales Ausstellen** K-Komma, Berlin

**Ecstasy 10x yellow Twitter 120mg Mdma Studium Generale** Universität der Künste,  
Berlin University of the Arts

**ALT-OUTPUT** FHNW Academy of Art and Design, Basel

**INTO WORLDS** Berliner Festspiele, Gropius-Bau, Berlin

2017 **Ecstasy 10x yellow Twitter 120mg Mdma** 34th Chaos Computer Congress, Leipzig

**Good Hack – Bad Hack?** Collegium Helveticum, Zurich

**Bots and Angels** Glass Room, London

**!Mediengruppe Bitnik meets EIGEN+ART Lab** EIGEN+ART Lab, Berlin

**Bots like Me** Swissnex San Francisco

**Artist Talk: ‘Dark Jesters’ in the Spotlight** How Much of This is Fiction, FACT Liverpool

**Alertes et régimes de vérité** Lanceurs d’alerte, La Gaité Lyrique, Paris

2016 **Bots like Me** Centre Culturel Suisse, Paris

**Truth Tellers – The Impact of Speaking Out** Disruption Network Lab, Bethanien Berlin

**Artist Talk** The Pushkin State Museum, Moscow

**Artist Talk** Drugo More, Rijeka

**Get involved! Partizipation als künstlerische Strategie** Cabaret Voltaire Zurich

**Art Bar** Kunsthau Langenthal

**Transparency. Thinking Through an Opaque Concept** University St. Gallen, Palace  
St. Gallen

**Human Entities** Trienal de Arquitectura de Lisboa, Lisbon

**Artist Talk** Aksioma, Ljubljana

**Die Gegenaufklärung with Jürg Halter** Theater Bern, Bern

**The Art of Bots** Disruption Network Lab, Somerset House, London

2015 **Artist Talk** University of Basel

**Artist Talk** Academy of Media Arts Cologne

**Influencers Festival** Centre de Cultura Contemporània de Barcelona, Barcelona

**Parallel Polis** Kino 43, Prague

**Alles nur noch digital?** EIGEN+ART Lab, Berlin

**Darknets und ein Paket an Mr. Assange** Welkunztzimmer, Düsseldorf

**Kunst ist Manipulation** Staatliche Akademie der Bildenden Künste, Stuttgart

**FOMO Fear of Missing Out** Institute of Contemporary Art, London

**Artists Talk** Athens Digital Arts Festival, Athens

**Sealed with a bit** Re:publica, Berlin

**Videonale.15** Kunstmuseum, Bonn

**Art under Mass Surveillance** Museum Bäregasse, Zurich

2014 **On Darknets** Palace, St. Gallen

**Here but Invisible** Kunsthalle St. Gallen

**Wie gefährlich ist Unwissen?** RAB Bar, Trogen

**Kultur an der Arbeit** Kunsthau, Zurich

- Zeitfugen, Umzonungen** Biennale Bern, Schlachthaus Theater, Bern
- Information as Reality** Lentos Kunstmuseum, Linz
- Hacking as Artistic Practice** HOPE X, New York
- Dorkbot San Francisco** Noisebridge, San Francisco
- Who Are Hacktivists?** Swissnex, San Francisco
- Art Meets Radical Openness Servus.at** Architekturforum, Linz
- Literatur und Strom Festival** Literaturhaus, Stuttgart
- Ziviler Ungehorsam im Netz** taz.lab, Berlin
- Art under Mass Surveillance** Helmhaus, Zurich
- Reality Check #6 Between Private and Public Identity** Kunsthalle, Zurich
- Hacking as Artistic Practice** inauguration of Critical Media Lab, Basel
- 2013 **Hacking as Artistic Practice** 30th Chaos Communication Congress, Hamburg
- Delivery for Mr. Assange** Verbindungen / Jonctions Festival, Recyclart, Brussels
- Surveillance Chess** rePLAYCE:theCITY, Gessnerallee, Zurich
- Prekäre Landschaften** Ringlokschuppen, Mülheim
- Physical City – Sensing Place** Rua da Madalena Project, Lisbon
- Delivery for Mr. Assange** Storytelling Konferenz, Volkshaus, Zurich
- Mikro.TV: Présentation du dispositif** Désert Numérique, Saint-Nazaire-le Désert
- Agora zu Stadtraum und Öffentlichkeit** Streetview Lichter Filmfest, Frankfurt
- Hacking as Artistic Practice** Freie Fachschule für Tontechnik, Zurich
- Lost in Space – Kampfzone öffentlicher Raum** Kunsthau, Basel
- 2012 **Public Lecture: RRRRadical Realtime** Hochschule für Gestaltung, Offenbach a. M.
- RRRRadical Realtime: Hacking as Artistic Practice** B3 Biennale, Frankfurt a. M.
- Besides The Screen Conference** Goldsmiths College, London
- Round Table Event** Constant Variable, Brussels
- CCTV and Network Hacks Conference** La Gaité Lyrique, Paris
- Panorama Event #1: Unstating the Obvious** Impakt Festival 2012, Utrecht
- Performativity of Code** Zurich University of the Arts, Zurich
- On the Make** with Philipp Meier (Cabaret Voltaire), University of Liechtenstein
- The Revolution to Smash Global Capitalism** Cabaret Voltaire, Zurich
- 2010 **Medienkunst im Kunstmuseum?** Kunstmuseum Thun
- 2009 **Ruhestörung** Symposium on Art in Public Space, Kongresshaus, Zurich
- Dis – Connecting Media** Symposium on intermedial aesthetics, University of Basel
- 2008 **My Fear – Your Castle** RarBar, St. Gallen
- Transformationen** Komposition & Medienkunst, Museum für Gestaltung Zurich
- File Symposium 2008** Festival Internacional de Linguagem Eletrônica, São Paulo
- Hacker Space Fest /tmp/lab** Vitry-Sur-Seine, Paris
- 2007 **interfictionXIV/2007 PATCH\_WORK** Film & Documentary Film Festival, Kassel
- Who owns Culture? – Panel** Shift – Electronic Arts Festival, Basel
- Open the Source** Cabaret Voltaire, Zurich
- Dorkbot Swiss** Walcheturm, Zurich



- Artist Talk** Zurich University of the Arts, Zurich
- Guest Curators** BA Art & Art Education, Lucerne University of Applied Sciences and Art, Lucerne
- Can You See Me Now? – Art and the Internet** CAS Digital Cultures, University Basel, Basel
- Artist Talk** Low Res Interactive Media Arts, Tisch NYU, online
- 2020 **Virtual studio visit** Art Institute, University of Applied Sciences and Arts (FHNW), Basel
- Hacking as Artistic Practice** CAS Digital Cultures, University Basel, Basel
- Guest Professorship** State Academy of Fine Arts Stuttgart
- 2019 **Guest Professorship** State Academy of Fine Arts Stuttgart
- 2017 **For the Lulz** Media Studies, University of Basel, Basel
- Memories of the Future tutoring** Open Set Lab, Master Institute at AKV, Rotterdam
- 2016 **Lecture** Design Politics Seminar, University of Applied Arts, Vienna
- For the Lulz Post-grad Programme in Curating** Zurich University of Arts, Zurich
- 2015 **For the Lulz Post-grad Programme in Curating** Zurich University of Arts, Zurich
- Guest Lecturers Master of Art Education** Zurich University of Arts, Zurich
- Hacking Identity week-long course** Zurich University of Arts, Zurich
- 2014 **RRRRadical Realtime** Parsons Paris, Dept. of Art, Media, and Technology, Paris
- Hacking as Artistic Practice and Surf Session** School of Art and Design, Kassel
- Hacking as Artistic Practice** Temple University, Philadelphia
- Remote\_Spacin presentation** Zurich University of the Arts, Zurich
- Metaphern der Stadt year course, MA** Zurich University of Arts, Zurich
- Metaphern der Stadt year course, MA** Zurich University of the Arts, Zurich
- Big Data co-teaching, 4-week course, BA** Zurich University of the Arts, Zurich
- Master Fine Arts Symposium MA** Zurich University of the Arts, Zurich
- 2013 **Art and Internet BA Medial Arts** Zurich University of the Arts, Zurich
- RRRRadical Realtime MA** Zurich University of the Arts, Zurich
- 2012 **RRRRadical Realtime week-long course** Hochschule für Gestaltung, Offenbach a. M.
- Hacking as Artistic Practice** ERG – École Supérieure des Arts, Brussels
- Hacking Radio Space week-long course, BA** Zurich University of the Arts, Zurich
- Hacking Radio Space week-long course, BA** Zurich University of the Arts, Zurich
- 2011 **Hacking as Artistic Practice** Schule für Gestaltung, St. Gallen
- Surveillance & The City 2-day Seminar, PhD** Cultural Studies Institute, University Warsaw
- Hacking Radio Space week-long course, BA** Zurich University of the Arts, Zurich
- 2009 **The Parasite's Delights week-long course** Zurich University of the Arts, Zurich
- Kunstradio – Radiokunst one-day course** Hochschule der Künste, Bern

- 2008 **Hacking as Artistic Practice colloquium** Lucerne University of Applied Sciences and Arts, Lucerne  
**Hacking as Artistic Practice talk & mentoring** Piet Zwart Institute, Rotterdam  
**The Parasite's Delights week-long course** Zurich University of the Arts, Zurich  
**Hacking as Artistic Practice talk and exhibition tour, MA** Hochschule Luzern
- 2007 **Mobile Media Performances 4-day course** Haute École d'Art et de Design, Geneva

## Prizes, Grants and Residencies

- 2018 **Pax Art Award** Basel
- 2017 **Prix de la Société des Arts Genève** Geneva
- 2016 **Honorary Mention Prix Ars Electronica** Linz
- 2015 **Artists Stipend** Zurich
- 2014 **Art On Your Screen** ZKM Karlsruhe  
**Swiss Art Award** Zurich  
**Work Grant** Migros Kulturprozent, Zurich
- 2013 **Artist Stipend** Kanton of Zurich  
**Golden Cube** 30th Kassel Documentary Film and Video Festival, Kassel  
**Work Grant** Migros Kulturprozent, Zurich
- 2012 **Artist Stipend** City of Zurich  
**Work Grant and Residency** Constant Variable, Brussels
- 2011 **Short List** Share Prize 2011, Torino  
**Studio Residency Pro Helvetia** Warsaw
- 2010 **Studio Residency SPACE Medialab** London
- 2009 **Honorary Mention Interactive Art** Ars Electronica, Linz
- 2008 **Swiss Art Award** Zurich
- 2007 **Jubilee Award** Migros Kulturprozent, Zurich

## Publications

- 2023 **Glitch. The Art of Interference A First Comprehensive Survey of Glitch as a Phenomenon in Art** Distanz Verlag  
**Learning From The Earth ILEA – Book 1: Art Safiental Biennial 2023** Vexer Verlag  
 ILEA – Institute for Land and Environmental Art  
**I'll Be Your Mirror Art and the Digital Screen** DelMonico Books/ Modern Art Museum of Fort Worth
- 2022 **Chimeras: Inventory of synthetic cognition A volume on artificial intelligence, with multiple textual and visual contributions exploring the synthetic qualities of cognition** Onassis Foundation  
**Kunst für Zürich. Kunstankäufe der Stadt Zürich 2011–2021** Scheidegger & Spiess  
**Playmode Brasil** Centro Cultural Banco do Brasil  
**The Computer as Seen at the End of the Human Age** Rojal
- 2021 **H.O.Me. Home for Obsolete Media Hands-on tips on how to handle 'veteran' media such as records, audio cassettes or Super8 film** Christoph Merian Verlag  
**Kunsthaus Zurich – The Collection in a New Light** Kunsthaus Zürich  
**PROOF OF ART A short history of NFTs, from the beginning of digital art to the metaverse** Distanz Verlag  
**Theory on Demand #41: Pandemic Exchange** Institute of Network Cultures  
**Umgeben von Kunst: Die Julius Bär Kunstsammlung** Scheidegger & Spiess
- 2020 **Das ungute Gefühl, auf der richtigen Seite zu stehen** Diaphanes  
**Hyperemployment – Post-work, Online Labor and Automation** NERO Editions
- 2019 **Artistic Intelligence. Digital Archives. Digital Conditions** Kunstverein Hannover  
**Erase, ISSUE Annual Art Journal No. 8.** LASALLE College of the Arts  
**Playmode** MAAT – Museum of Art, Architecture and Technology
- 2018 **Always different, always the same** Snoeck  
**Big Data und der digitale Ungehorsam** Springer Fachmedien  
**Documents – Collecting Digital Art Vol. 2** Presses du Réel  
**Faking, Forging, Counterfeiting** transcript Verlag  
**Fetch and Deliver/ Holen und Bringen** Verlag für moderne Kunst Wien  
**Hidden/Secret. Strategien des Verborgenen** Ed. Randgruppe  
**L'art au-delà du digital / Art Beyond Digital** Nouvelles éditions Scala  
**Media Arts in Switzerland. Pioneers, Tinkerers, Provocateurs** Christoph Merian Verlag  
**TOMORROWS: Urban fictions for possible futures** Onassis Cultural Center
- 2017 **< script >alert(“!Mediengruppe Bitnik”);< /script >** Verlag für moderne Kunst  
**Action!** exhibition catalogue  
**Dadaclub.online** Link Editions  
**Digital Dark** Public Access Gallery  
**Inéditos 2017 – Scenographies of Power** La Casa Encendida

- 2016 **L'image volée** Fondazione Prada  
**Nevous Systems** Haus der Kulturen der Welt  
**Random Darknet Shopper** Aksioma  
**The Black Chamber** Link Editions
- 2015 **Athens Digital Arts Festival 2015** ISSUU  
**Dadabot** IDPure  
**Global Activism. Art and Conflict in the 21st Century** MIT Press  
**Invent the Future with Elements of the Past** Scheidegger & Spiess  
**Selection 02 #2** Zéro deux éditions  
**Wasting Time on the Internet 2.0 Reader** Kunsthalle Düsseldorf
- 2014 **Delivery for Mr. Assange / Ein Paket für Herrn Assange** Echtzeit Verlag  
**Hacking** Christoph Merian Verlag  
**net.art Painters and Poets** City Art Gallery
- 2013 **Substitut – A little Centre Culturel Suisse in Berlin** Substitut
- 2012 **Summer Expeditions 2012 – Sound Development City: Berlin London Zurich**  
Heller Enterprises
- 2011 **(Dis)Connecting Media** Christoph Merian Verlag  
**Hacking the City** Steidl Verlag  
**Kultur digital: Begriffe, Hintergründe, Beispiele** Christoph Merian Verlag
- 2009 **CyberArts 2009** Hatje Cantz  
**Home Made Electronic Arts** Christoph Merian Verlag
- 2008 **Mediale Kunst Zürich/Media Arts Zurich: 13 Positions** Scheidegger & Spiess  
**Shifting Identities: (Swiss) Art Now** JRP Ringier Kunstverlag AG  
**The Deptford.TV Diaries II – Pirate Strategies** MetaMute
- 2007 **Tactile: High Touch Visuals** Die Gestalten Verlag

## Works in Public Collections

- 2023 **Canton of St. Gallen Art Collection** St. Gallen
- 2021 **Swiss Federal Art Collection** on permanent loan to Kunsthaus Zurich
- 2019 **Canton of Zurich Art Collection**
- 2018 **Art Foundation Pax Basel**

- 2017 **House of Electronic Arts Basel**
- 2015 **City of Zurich Art Collection**  
**Migros Museum für Gegenwartskunst**
- 2014 **Julius Bär Art Collection**  
**Walter A. Bechtler Foundation, on permanent loan to Kunsthaus Zurich**
- 2011 **Museum for Communication Bern**
- 2010 **Espace Multimédia Gantner Belfort** France

## Works in Public Space

- 2019 **Solve This Captcha** University of Zurich, Digital Society Initiative Building (2019)
- 2015 **H333333333K** House of Electronic Arts Basel