

ABOUT PARALLEL VIENNA 2016

PARALELL VIENNA is a satellite fair and curated exhibition that remains true to its principle of using abandoned property in the city centre as a presentation platform for contemporary art. It's taking place for the forth time in Vienna parallel to viennacontemporary. PARALELL VIENNA chooses galleries, artists and curators and additionally invites project spaces which fit into the overall concept. PARALELL VIENNA pools the urban forces of contemporary art production and offers an insight into different scenes, communities and areas of Vienna.

PARALLEL VIENNA 2016 will take part between the 21st – 25th of September in Alte Post in the first district. "The goal is to place more of the Austrian art production in an international context, where more potential for contemporary artists exists. On one hand, young artists miss galleries and on the other hand there's not enough space for young positions. This is a deficit that PARALLEL VIENNA wants to point out and to once again efficiently counteract with high artistic standards", says Stefan Bidner, artistic director of PARALLEL VIENNA.

PARALELL VIENNA presents young and aspiring as well as established artistic works and collects art initiatives of every kind – art associations, galleries, project spaces, curated project spaces and artist spaces – all under one roof. Additionally, in cooperation with the Austrian Federal Chancellery, 10 independent international curators from Croatia, Denmark, Albania, Lithuania, Romania, Greece, Georgia, Germany and USA are invited to curate their own rooms.

Last year, PARALLEL VIENNA had more than 13.000 visitors and it's on the way to establish itself as an important part in the international art scene. In total this year, over 400 artistic positions are shown on 7000 m². Participation is only possible with invitation by the PARALLEL VIENNA team.

Among highlights of this year is Gelitin's performance "Human Elevator", presented by Land Niederösterreich at the opening on the 20th of September. Institutional partners for the first time this year are also the City of Vienna with MUSA as well as Land Salzburg/Kunst im Traklhaus. PARALLEL VIENNA presents a performative screening with Hermann Nitsch and site specific interventions, such as one from Ona B. Young and established photographers will be exhibited in a special photography exhibition curated by Elfie Semotan und Stefan Bidner.

Every afternoon and evening at the fair there'll be artist talks, panels and performances – the final program will be announced soon.



Curator Statements*

exhibitions by curators – invited by PARALLEL VIENNA supported by Bundeskanzleramt Austria

Ioana Ciocan, Romania Vilma Dagilienė, Lithuania Mario Grubisic, Croatia Max Henry, USA Robert Müller, Germany Matilda Odobashi, Albania Panos Papadopoulos, Greece Irena Popiashvili, Georgia Nanna Stjernholm Jepsen, Denmark Leila Topic, Croatia

Gallery Statements*

one gallery presenting one artist

aa collections, Vienna
artdepot, Innsbruck
bäckerstraße 4, Vienna
Charim Galerie, Vienna
Christine König, Vienna
Contemporary Art Advice, Vienna
Gabriele Senn, Vienna
Galerie 3, Klagenfurt
Galerie Anzenberger, Vienna
Galerie Artemons, Hellmonsödt
Galerie Bechter Kastowsky, Vienna
Galerie Karenina, Vienna
Galerie Klaus und Elisabeth Thoman, Vienna

Galerie Konzett, Vienna
Galerie Krobath, Vienna
Galerie Meyer Kainer, Vienna
Galerie Peithner-Lichtenfels, Vienna
Galerie Rhomberg, Innsbruck
Galerie Steinek, Vienna
Krinzinger Projekte, Vienna
Lundgren Gallery, Palma de Mallorca
Marenzi Galerie, Leibnitz
Nitsch Foundation, Vienna
Ritter Gallery, Klagenfurt
Unttld Contemporary, Vienna

Gallery's Choice*

exhibition with galleries selected by PARALLEL VIENNA

Special Exhibition*

exhibition curated by Elfie Semotan and Stefan Bidner

Elfie Semotan Benjamin Eichhorn Markus Krottendorfer Tina Lechner Michaela Moscouw Rita Nowak Claudia Rohrauer Margeritta Spiluttini Sophie Thun Anita Witek

Institutions*

MUSA Land Niederösterreich Land Salzburg

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PARALLEL VIENNA 2016 SEPTEMBER 21ST-25TH

ALTE POST, DOMINIKANERBASTEI

Artist Statements*

solo presentations of artists - invited by Parallel Vienna

Minda Andrén
Matthias Buch
Club Fortuna
Elisabeth Czihak
Ramesh Daha
Beatrice Dreux
Christian Egger
Christian Eisenberger
Michael Fanta
Karin Ferrari
Kerstin von Gabain
Parastu
Sara Glaxia

Luise Hardegg
Harald Hund
Natia Kalandadze
Michael Lukas
Anna Paul
Alexandar Peev
David Roth
Alex Ruthner
Corinne L. Rusch
Nino Sakandelidze
Hanno Schnegg
Claudia Schumann
Station Rose
Tin Trohar

Project Statements*

exhibitions / projects curated by project spaces

A Flash of Colour curated by August Kocherscheidt/Judith Freund , Vienna Apt. Draschan & Instant Edition, Vienna

Arrival First, Vienna
ARTSUITE ONE project, Vienna

artunited, Vienna

Sophie Gogl

Avramidis/Kaletsch/Spasovski, Köln

b a s e m e n t, Vienna
Beyond the Noise, Fuschl
Bild.Raum, Salzburg
Border Crossing curated by
Marcello Farabegoli, Vienna
Büro Weltausstellung, Vienna
Coupé International, Vienna
Criasche mit Ritschert, Velden
Da da da Academy, Vienna
Der Konterfei, Vienna
Durchhaus Kollektiv, Vienna

Elina Dzelme presented by CAA, Vienna

Everybody needs art, Vienna

fAN, Vienna Flat1, Vienna Flux 23, Vienna Fotowerk, Vienna Galerie Kunstbüro, Vienna

Galerie SPZ, Prague
Hinterland Galerie, Vienna
Happy Little Clouds, Vienna
Kulturkontakt Austria, Vienna
Kunstraum am Schauplatz, Vienna

Kunstraum Lakeside, Klagenfurt Kunstraum SUPER, Vienna Linke Bahngasse 13, Vienna Long Loud Silence, Berlin Markhof 2, Vienna

MAXXX, Sierre Medien.Kunst.Tirol, Innsbruck Mikro Open Space, Zürich Museum am Bach. Ruden

Niki Weitzer-Little Joe's Gang, Vienna

Neoteric curated by Sandra Petrasevic, Vienna

Neuer Kunstverein Wien, Vienna

New Jörg, Vienna Nino Stelzl, Vienna OMG, Vienna

On The Cusp curated by Else Prünster &

Chiara Galbusera, Vienna One Work Gallery, Vienna Ortner 2, Vienna Periscope, Salzburg

Polarraum für Kunst der Gegenwart, Hamburg

Salon Flux, London

Schule Friedl Kubelka, Vienna

St/a/r, Vienna

Steinbrener / Dempf & Huber, Vienna

TOBE Gallery, Budapest TRANSKRIPTIONEN curated by Marlene Hans, Vienna

Wiener Art Foundation, Vienna

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Intervention*

Ona B. Olivier Hölzl Teresita Traun Moritz M. Polansky Nicolas Muller Philip Mentzingen Kathrin Hanga Erich Joham

OPENING HOURS & PROGRAM*

Tuesday 20. 9	13:00 - 18:00 18:00 - 22:00 from 18:00 22:00 - 06.00	Opening I Opening II "Human Elevator" GELITIN Performance Opening Party
Wednesday 21.9	12:00 - 19:00 17:00 - 19:00	Fair Wiener Achse Talk – WATs LEFT
Thursday 22.9	12:00 - 19:00 17:00	Fair TRAUMAWIEN PDP OFFICIAL feat. Valentin Postlmayr
Friday 23.9	12:00 – 19:00 17:00	Fair "Artist Talk" ONA B./ DIE DAMEN und Parastu Moderation:Juliane Saupe
Saturday 24.9	12:00 - 19:00 15:00 - 18:00 18:30 - 19:30 22:00 - 06.00	Fair Nitsch Performance / Screening / Konzert FORWARD PANEL Closing Party with Red Bull Music Academy
Sunday 25.9	12:00 - 19:00 15:00 - 17:00	Fair Charity Auction

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