

BIOGRAPHY EWERDT HILGEMANN

1938 Born in Witten, Germany

1959-1961 Art School + University of Saarland, Saarbrücken, Germany

1964-1967 Grants + Awards by: Aldegrevor Gesellschaft, Munster, Germany

Fritz Berg Foundation, Hagen, Germany, Town of Gelsenkirchen, Germany

1970-1984 Lives in Gorinchem, Netherlands

1975-1984 Studio and residency in Carrara, Italy

1977-1998 Teaches at Rotterdam Art School, Netherlands

1981-1982 Sabbatical, travelling around Europe

1984 Moves to Amsterdam, Netherlands

1998-now Exhibitions and regular stay in Los Angeles, California

EXHIBITIONS

Since 1963 many exhibitions in different countries occurred - a selection of most significant exhibitions is listed below:

2022

Sculpture Show, Ministry of Hessen, Wiesbaden, Germany, group

'Schwere Jungs', Bender Gallery, Munich, Germany, group

2021

'Double', Permanent Installation, Pedestrian Zone, Varese, Italy

'Sculpture Garden', Achter de Westduinen, Ouddorp, Netherlands, group

'Gallery Box 20/21', Coppejans Gallery, Antwerp, group

'Upspace', Works in Edition, DrJ Art Projects, Berlin, Germany, group

'Double Exposure: Ewerdt Hilgemann + KITRA', Hilgemann.Art, Berlin, Germany, duo

'Summer Show', Anningahof, Zwolle, Netherlands, group

'Ewerdt Hilgemann', Royale Projects, Los Angeles, USA, solo

'Voorhout Monumentaal', Pulchri, The Hague, Netherlands, group

'Cracked Cubes', Geiger gallery, Konstanz, Germany, solo

2020

'ZEITLOS GUT!', Geiger gallery, Konstanz, Germany, group

'Jing'an International Sculpture Project (JISP)', Shanghai, PR China, group

'Cube (Self)', Coppejans Gallery, Antwerp, Belgium, solo

'Ewerdt Hilgemann & Diet Saylor in Dialogue', Parts Project, The Hague, Netherlands, dual

'Ewerdt Hilgemann, Work in Progress (1959-2020)', Kröller Müller Museum, Otterlo, Netherlands, solo

'Heavy Metal', DENK gallery, Los Angeles, California, group

2019

Radial Art Contemporain, Strasbourg, France, duo

Bogert Gallery, Knokke, Belgium, solo

'Zutphen Concreet', Dat Bolwerck, Zutphen, Netherlands, group

Kunststation Stadtlohn, Germany, group

Sculpture Park Anningahof, Zwolle, Netherlands, group

German Embassy, The Hague, Netherlands, group

Galerie Geiger, Konstanz, Germany, solo
'Transformation', Bundesgartenschau, Heilbronn, Germany, group
'Entropie III', Schoots & VanDuyse Gallery, Antwerp, Belgium, group
'B1-Konstrukteure künstlerischer Form', Museum, Witten, Germany, group

2018

'Resonance', Beeckestijn Castle, Velsen, Netherlands, group
Sculpture Show, Dordrechts Museum and Outside, Netherlands, group
Sculpture Park Anningahof, Zwolle, Netherlands, group
'Sculpture Triennial', Bad Ragaz, Switzerland, group
'Das Rohe und das Gekochte 1967-heute', Kunsthalle, Bremen, Germany, group
'Summer Show', Verbeke Foundation, Kemzeke, Belgium, group
'Freiraum der Kunst', Goethe University, Frankfurt, Germany, group
'EH 80', Borzo Gallery, Amsterdam, solo

2017

'Serielle Formationen', Daimler Contemporary, Berlin, Germany, group
Geiger Gallery, Konstanz, Germany, solo
'Blickachsen', Sculpture Biennial, Bad Homburg & Frankfurt, Germany, group
'Art in Oisterwijk', Oisterwijk, Netherlands, group
'Raakvlakken', Beelden in Leiden, Netherlands, group
Sculpture Park Anningahof, Zwolle, Netherlands, group
'Art Zuid', Sculpture Biennial, Amsterdam, Netherlands, group
Gruga Sculpture Park, Essen, Germany, group
Royale Projects, Los Angeles, CA, solo

2016

'Zeitlos Gut', Galerie Geiger, Konstanz, Germany, group
'Dancers NY', Kansas City Art Institute, Kansas City, Missouri, temporary public installation
'Programmierter Zufall: Implosion', Galerie Peter Zimmermann gallery, Mannheim, Germany, solo
'White Art', Galerie Petr Zaloudek, Prague, Czech Republic, group
'Entropie', Galerie Schoots & Van Duyse, Antwerp, Belgium, group
'Best of Ruhrgebiet III', Galerie Frank Schlag, Essen, Germany, group
'Art of the 20th Century', Galerie Neher, Essen, Germany, group

2015

'Hilgemann & Friends', Kabinett K, Hanover, Germany, group
'Zeitlos Gut', Galerie Geiger, Konstanz, Germany, group
'Behind the Wall', Havana Biennial, Cuba, group
Sculpture Park Ravesteyn, Heenvliet, Netherlands, group
Sculpture Park Anningahof, Zwolle, Netherlands, group
'Reductive', Dum Umeni, Ostrava, Czech Republic, group
'Teknology', Galeria Impakto SAC, Lima, Peru, group

2014

'Implosion Event', Kröller-Müller Museum, Otterlo, Netherlands
'Panta Rhei', Mana Contemporary Art Center, Jersey City, NJ, solo

'Reductive', Tatranska Galeria, Poprad, Slovakia, group
'Moments in a Stream', Ewerdt Hilgemann / Clara von Aich, William Holman Gallery, New York, NY, dual
'D-Form', Ewerdt Hilgemann / Jan Maarten Voskuil, Dr. Julius ap, Berlin, Germany, dual
'Moments in a Stream', Park Avenue Sculpture Project, New York, NY, solo, publ.
'Freeze Frame', Magnan Metz Gallery, New York, NY, solo
'Reductive', Galeria EL, Elblag, Poland, group
'Implosion Event', Kunsthalle Bremen, Germany, solo

2013

'Ewerdt Hilgemann, Der Luftschmied', Luftmuseum, Amberg, Germany, solo
Sculpture Park Anningahof, Zwolle, Netherlands, group
'Ewerdt Hilgemann, Live Implosion', MARCdePUECHREDON gallery, Basel, CH, solo
'Ewerdt Hilgemann, NY Project', Art Affairs, Amsterdam, Netherlands, solo
'Ewerdt Hilgemann, Der Luftschmied', Flottmann-Hallen, Herne, Germany, solo
'Coll. Manders - Naar eenvoud en verstillig', Museum van Bommel van Dam, Venlo, NL, group

2012

'Zufall', Vasarely Museum, Budapest, Hungary
'Positionen konkreter Kunst heute', Stadtmuseum Simeonstift, Trier, Germany
'Faltwelten -It's all in the fold', Galerie Bender, Munich, Germany
'Geometric-abstract.eu', Dom Umenia, Bratislava, Slovakia
'Metall-Konkret-Remix', Deutsche Werkstätten Hellerau, Dresden, Germany
Galleri Mårtenson&Persson, Båstad, Sweden
Sculpture Garden Anningahof, Zwolle, Netherlands
'MIX 2012', Rob de Vries Gallery, Haarlem, Netherlands (with Sol Lewitt + Tilman)
'Klare Taal' (Homage to Riekje Swart), Locus Solus, Antwerp, Belgium
'Out of Control', Nest Art Space, The Hague, Netherlands

2011

'Metal Konkret', Galerie St.Johann, Saarbrücken, Germany
'Nul=Zero & Contemporaries', Art Affairs, Amsterdam, Netherlands
'Nul=Zero', Galerie De Rijk, The Hague, Netherlands
'Spring/Summer Exhibitions', Grounds for Sculpture, Hamilton, New Jersey
'Jubileum', De Gang, Beuningen, Netherlands
'Kunsthöfe', Laboratorium, Saarlouis, Germany

2010

'Konkrete Konzepte', Galerie Ruhnke, Potsdam, Germany
'Panta Rhei', Samuel Freeman Gallery, Santa Monica, California
Sculpture Garden Anningahof, Zwolle, Netherlands
'Spring/Summer Exhibitions', Grounds for Sculpture, Hamilton, New Jersey
'Kunstlandschaft Ruhrgebiet', RWE, Dortmund, Germany

2009

'Amsterdam in New York', Art Affairs Project Space, New York, New York
'Positionen Konkreter Kunst heute,' Landesmuseum, Mainz, Germany

'Industrial Land Art im Ruhrland,' Kunstmuseum, Ahlen, Germany
'Sculpture in the Summer,' Royale Projects, Indian Wells, California
'Ewerdt Hilgemann at Art Karlsruhe,' Galerie Neher, Germany
'Mostly Sculpture (damn it)' Samuel Freeman, Santa Monica, CA

2008

'Fall season', Samuel Freeman, Santa Monica, CA
'Exemplifizieren wird Kunst', Ludwig Museum, Koblenz, Germany
'Implosion-Explosion, Ewerdt Hilgemann-Friedrich Werthmann', Herne, Germany '
Ewerdt Hilgemann, Implosion-Sculptures', Vonderbank Gallery, Berlin, Germany

2007

'Tegendruk', Sculpture Park Tesslo, Netherlands
Galerie Roland Aphot, Basel-Alschwill, Switzerland
Wilhelm-Hack Museum, Ludwigshafen, Germany
'8 x Konkret', Beardsmore Gallery, London, England
Künstlerverein, Munich, Germany

2006

Galerie Zimmermann, Mannheim, Germany
Carl Berg Gallery, Los Angeles, California
'Nature's twist', Art Affairs, Amsterdam, Netherlands
Museum Waterland, Purmerend, Netherlands

2005

'Old & New', Art Affairs, Amsterdam, Netherlands
'Art-Field', Moscow, Russia
'Farbe-Fläche-Form', Galerie Neher, Essen, Germany
'Symposion Gorinchem', Gorinchem, Netherlands
Galerie Roland Aphot, Basel-Allschwil, Switzerland
'Sculptures', Grusenmeyer Art Gallery, Deurle, Belgium
Aegon, The Hague, Netherlands

2004

Grusenmeyer Art Gallery, Deurle, Belgium
Galerie Neher, Essen, Germany
'Skulptur.04', Galerie Roland Aphot, Basel-Allschwil, Switzerland'
Skulptur und Objekt', Bratislava, Slovakia
Bleibtreu Galerie, Berlin, Germany
Kunstverein, Gelsenkirchen, Germany
Galerie Hüsstege, den Bosch, Netherlands
Sparda Kunstraum, Saarbrücken, Germany
Galerie St.Johann, Saarbrücken, Germany

2003

Gorcums Museum, Gorinchem, Netherlands
Galerie le Besset, St.Jeure d'Andaure, France
Museum Mondriaan Huis, Amersfoort, Netherlands

'Art on the Outside', City of West-Hollywood, California

2001

Galerie St.Johann, Saarbrücken, Germany
Irvine Fine Arts Center, Irvine, California
Galerie Zimmermann, Mannheim, Germany

2000

Galerie Aphold, Basel-Allschwil, Switzerland
Galerie Hoffmann, Friedberg, Germany '

1999

'To Be Imploded', Weltbühne, Berlin, Germany

1998

'Sculpted by Air', Art Affairs, Amsterdam, Netherlands

1997

'Implosioni', Galleria Vismara, Milano, Italy'
Seven for Luck', Galerie Artline, Amsterdam, Netherlands

1996

'Panta Rhei', Art Affairs, Amsterdam, Netherlands
Museum Waterland, Purmerend, Netherlands
Städtisches Museum, Gelsenkirchen, Germany

1995

Museum für Konkrete Kunst, Ingolstadt, Germany

WORK IN MUSEUM COLLECTIONS

Netherlands:

Kröller-Müller Museum, Otterlo
Museum Voorlinden, Wassenaar
Bonniefant Museum, Maastricht
Rijksmuseum Twenthe, Enschede
Gemeentemuseum, Arnhem
Groninger Museum, Groningen
Dordrechts Museum, Dordrecht
Gorcums Museum, Gorinchem
Stedelijk Museum, Schiedam

Germany:

Museum Ritter, Waldenbuch
Kunsthalle, Bremen
Luftmuseum, Amberg
Museum im Kulturspeicher, Würzburg

Museum für Konkrete Kunst, Ingolstadt
Museum Lenbach-Haus, Munich
Städtisches Museum, Gelsenkirchen
Märkisches Museum, Witten

Other countries:

Elgiz Museum of Contemporary Art, Istanbul, Turkey
Ludwig Museum, Budapest, Hungary
The Chelm Province Museum, Chelm, Poland
Muzeum Sztuki, Lodz, Poland
Louisiana Museum, Humlebaek, Denmark

WORKS IN PUBLIC SPACE

2021 'Threesome NY', Permanent Installation, EUREF Campus, Berlin, Germany
2018 'Dancers NY', 2 parts, City of Leawood, KS, U.S.A.
2017 'Parallelepiped', City of Bad Homburg, Germany
2017 'Imploded Pyramid', Gruga Park, City of Essen, Germany, long term loan
2014 'Imploded Cube', Kunsthalle Bremen, Germany
2011 'Three Graces', Messer Group, Bad Soden, Germany
2010 'Imploded Column', New Pacific, Beverly Hills, California
2006 'Quint', Hervormd Lyceum, Amsterdam, Netherlands
2004 'Panta Rhei', Town of Hünfeld, Germany
2000 'Cerberus', IBB Bank, Berlin, Germany
1996 Il-San Lake Sculpture Park, Ko-Yang City, Korea
1995 'Birth', Town of Heemstede, Netherlands
1995 'Sárospatak Implosion', Town of Sárospatak, Hungary
1992 'Delft Implosion', Technical University, Delft, Netherlands
1991 'Water Stones', City of Ingolstadt, Germany
1991 'Homage to Brancusi', Galati, Rumania
1990 'Reflection', City of Nivala, Finland
1990 'Plus-Minus', City of Gorinchem (co-production with Jan van Munster), Netherlands
1989 'Tension', City of Rotterdam, Netherlands
1987 'Natura Artis Magistra', University, Nymegen, Netherlands
1987 'Imploded Cube', City of Elblag, Poland
1986 'Imploded Pyramid', City of Kleinsassen, Germany
1985 'Exploded Sphere', Sculpture Park, Dordrecht, Netherlands
1985 'Imaginary Landscape', IWO, Amsterdam, Netherlands
1983 'Falling Cube (Victoria)', City of Dordrecht, Netherlands
1978 '1 + 2 = 3', City of Gorinchem, Netherlands
1974 'Three Equal Volumes', City of Gorinchem, Netherlands
1973 'Cube Structure', City of Gorinchem, Netherlands
1972 'Structural Row', Realschule, Wanne-Eickel, Germany
1969 'Space Structure', City of Amsterdam, Netherlands
1968 'Pyramid', Letterhaus School, Gelsenkirchen, Germany