

Luca Frei (b. 1976, Lugano Switzerland)

EDUCATION

1992-1997 Centro Scolastico Industrie Artistiche, Lugano
1997-2000 Edinburgh College of Art (BA Hons), Edinburgh
1999 Yale University School of Art, New Haven, Connecticut
2000-2002 Malmö Art Academy (MFA), Malmö

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2009 BALICE HERTLING, Paris
2008 *WATCH OUT*, Studio Dabbeni, Lugano
Ingleby Gallery, Edinburgh
Studies/Play, Lunds Konsthall, Lund
2007 *Interstices*, Elastic Gallery, Malmö
Come in Friends! The House is Yours!, NABA Nuova Accademia di Belle Arti, Milano
2005 *Words & Works & Worlds*, Marabouparken Annex, Stockholm
2004 *To Imagine Action*, Studio Dabbeni, Lugano
2003 *'Everything was to be done. All the adventures are still there'*, Rooseum, Malmö

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2009 *Audio, Video, Disco*, Kunsthalle Zürich
Search for the Spirit, MuHKA, Antwerp
Badischer Kunstverein, Karlsruhe
2008 *After October*, Elizabeth Dee Gallery, New York
Democracy in America: The National Campaign, Creative Time, New York
Archaeology of Longing, Kadist Art Foundation, Paris
A Town (Not a City), Kunsthalle Sankt Gallen, Sankt Gallen
Three interventions by Luca Frei, Marine Hugonnier and Sean Snyder, Grazer Kunstverein, Graz
Museum as a Medium, MARCO Museo de Arte Contemporaneo, Vigo
Object, The Undeniable Success Of Operations, SMBA, Amsterdam
Disobedience, Nottingham Contemporary, Nottingham
Art Cannot be Untaught, La Rada, Locarno
2007 *Modelle für Morgen*, Köln, EU Kunsthalle, Köln
TalkShow, Tranzit, Bratislava
Der Prozess, 3rd Prague Biennial, Prague
Cities from Below, Fondazione Teseco per l'Arte, Pisa
2006 Open Studios, IASPIS, Stockholm
Protections, Kunsthhaus Graz, Graz
Jump Into Cold Water, Shedhalle, Zürich
Grazer Kunstverein, Graz
2005 *Publish & be Damned*, Casco Office for Contemporary Art and Theory, Utrecht
Istanbul, 9th Istanbul Biennial, Istanbul
Collective Creativity, Kunsthalle Fridericianum, Kassel
The Invisible Insurrection of a Million Minds, Sala Rekalde, Bilbao
2004 *Normalizacija*, Galerija Nova, Zagreb
2003 *Total Motiviert*, Kunstverein München, Munich

SELECTED BIBLIOGRAPHY

2008 Cross Section: Glasgow International Festival Of Contemporary Visual Art, exh. cat. (Glasgow)
Chimurenga Vol. 12/13: Dr. Satan's Echo Chamber, March 2008 (Cape Town)
Martin Herbert, "Disobedience", Frieze, September 2008 (London)
Michael Bracewell, "Editions of You" Frieze, June 2008 (London)
"An interview between Luca Frei and Santiago García Navarro", Lunds Konsthall (Lund)
Isac Nordgren, "Lunds Konsthall: Luca Frei", Kristianstad Dagblad (Kristianstad)
2007 Elizabeth Schambelan "The View from Below", Artforum, October 2007 (New York)
Carolina Söderholm, "Mellan Utopi och Dystopi", Sydsvenskan Dagbladet (Malmö)
Mark Crinson, "In the bowels of the fun palace", Mute magazine, October 2007 (London)
Dan Fox, "Imagine Action", Frieze, October 2007 (London)
2006 Lars Bang Larsen, "Making room for learning and un-learning; jugglers and public space", Frieze, September 2006 (London)
2005 Istanbul, 9th Istanbul Biennial, exh. cat. (Istanbul)
Alex Farquharson, "Invisible Insurrection", Frieze, September 2005 (London)
Collective Creativity, exh. cat., Kunsthalle Fridericianum (Kassel)
2004 Maria Lind, "Soft and strict strands", Ootat, #17/18 (Stockholm)
Charles Esche, "Luca Frei", in CREAM 3, Phaidon, (London)
2003 Drucksache, Kunstverein München, Spring 03 (Munich)

GRANTS

Konstnärsnämnden Arbetstipendium (2006, 2003)
Konstnärsnämnden Internationellt kulturutbyte (2007, 2006, 2005, 2004, 2003)
IASPIS Ateljéstipendium (2005)
Pro Helvetia (2008, 2007, 2006, 2005)
Hänel's Donationsfond (2002)
Ellen Battell Stoeckel Fellowship, Yale University (1999)