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CARL ANDRE (b. 1935 Quincy, Massachusetts, United States)

6x6 Tin Rectangle 2009

Tin plates, 36-unit rectangle (6 x 6) $1 \times 15 \times 30$ cm each $3/8 \times 57/8 \times 113/4$ inches each $1 \times 90 \times 180$ cm overall $3/8 \times 353/8 \times 707/8$ inches overall

Provenance Galerie Tschudi, Zuoz Private collection, The Netherlands; Acquired from the above in 2011

Exhibited

Zuoz, Galerie Tschudi, Carl Andre, Tin Works, Keizersgracht, 2009

This work is accompanied by a certificate of authenticity stamped by the artist

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BILLY APPLE (b. 1935 – d. 2021 Auckland, New Zealand)

Body Cleaning: Bathing and Shampooing (35A Cornwall Gardens, London, Winter 1960) 1960 Black and white photograph 20.3 x 25.4 cm 8 x 10 inches

Provenance

Acquired directly from the artist

Exhibited

London, The Mayor Gallery, *Billy Apple: British and American Works 1960-1969*, September – October 2010, ill. in cat. p. 34

Literature

Christina Barton, Billy Apple: A Life in Parts, 2015, Auckland Art Gallery Toi O Tamaki, ill. p. 30

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WIFREDO ARCAY (b. 1925 Havana, Cuba – d. 1997 Paris, France)

Maquette mural c.1950 Gouache on card 12 x 42.5 cm 4 3/4 x 16 3/4 inches

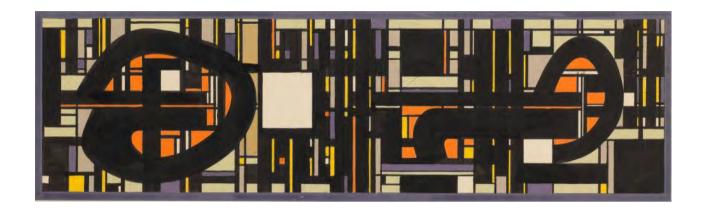
Provenance
The estate of the artist

Exhibited

London, The Mayor Gallery, Latin American Work on Paper, 9 Jan - 23 Feb 2018



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WIFREDO ARCAY (b. 1925 Havana, Cuba – d. 1997 Paris, France)

Untitled c1950 Gouache and ink on paper 12 x 45 cm 4 3/4 x 17 3/4 inches Signed lower right

Provenance

The estate of the artist

Exhibited

London, The Mayor Gallery, Latin American Work on Paper, 9 Jan - 23 Feb 2018

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WIFREDO ARCAY (b. 1925 Havana, Cuba – d. 1997 Paris, France)

Untitled c1950 Gouache on paper 54.5 x 42 cm 21 1/2 x 16 1/2 inches

Provenance
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Exhibited

London, The Mayor Gallery, Latin American Work on Paper, 9 Jan - 23 Feb 2018

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ARMANDO (b. 1929 Amsterdam, The Netherlands – d. 2018 Postdam, Germany)

Rood

1962

Painted sheet metal and nails on chipboard

 $30 \times 40 \text{ cm}$

 $153/4 \times 113/4$ inches

Signed and dated verso: "ARMANDO 2/62"

Provenance

Collection Henk Peeters, Hall, The Netherlands Private Collection, The Netherlands

Exhibited

Brussels, Belgium, BOZAR, 1980, *The Netherlands: Intersections and parallels in art after 1945*; Museum Rotterdam, The Netherlands, Boijmans Van Beuningen, 1981

Esslingen, Villa Merkel; Apeldoorn, Van Reekum Museum, NUL, 1993,

Essen, Museum Folkwang; *Jan J. Schoonhoven - retrospektiv*, Maastricht, Bonnefantenmuseum; Aarau, Aargauer Kunsthaus, 1995,

Haarlem, Galerie Tanya Rumpff, Nul 1960-1965, 1995,

Delft, Galerie de zaal, *Truus Nienhuis, friends around Jan Schoonhoven; Armando, Henderikse, Peeters, Schoonhoven,* 1996

Amsterdam, BorzoGallery, Sep - Oct 2020; London, The Mayor Gallery, Oct-Nov 2020, Earth & Light *Jaap Wagemaker/Jan Schoonhoven*, ill. p. 19

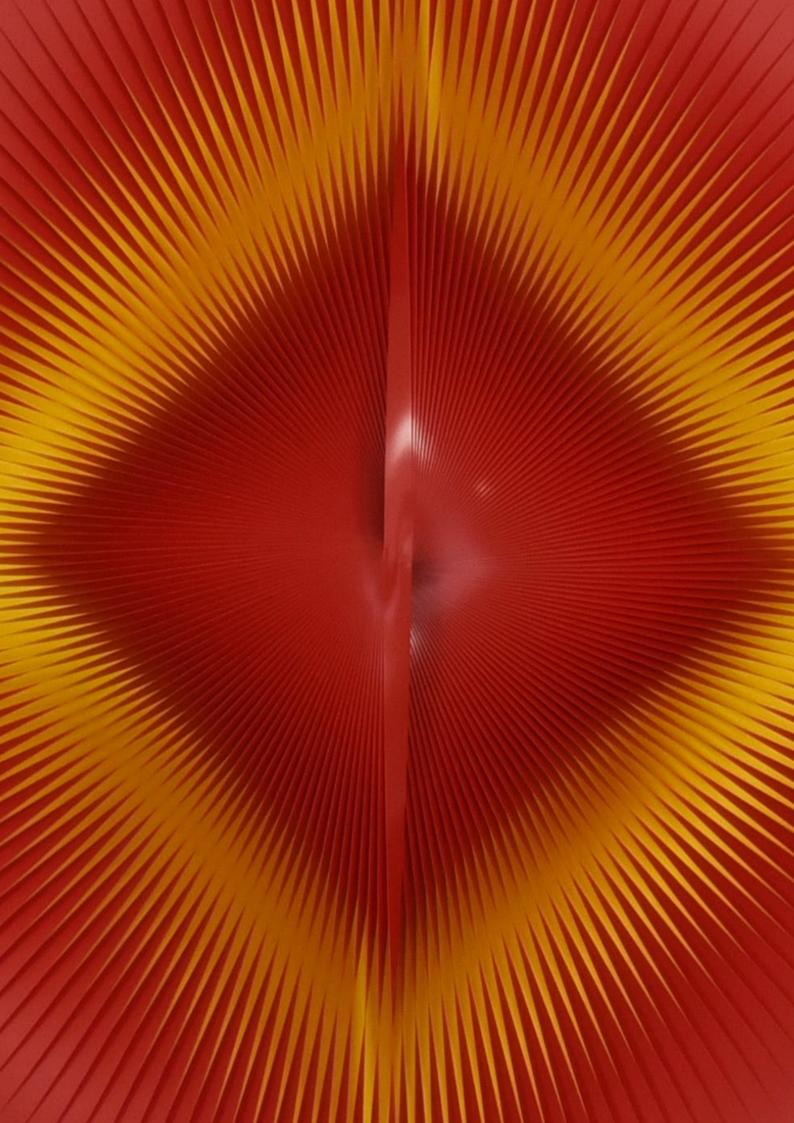
Promised to IVAM Valencia, Grupo Zero, 29 Sept 2022-12 Feb 2023

Literature

Damsch-Wiehager, Renate, nul- Die Wirklichkeit als Kunst fundieren, Stuttgart 1993, pp. 11 (ill.), 155

Finckh, Gerhard, Jan J. Schoonhoven – retrospektiv, exh.cat. Essen (Museum Folkwang); Maastricht (Bonnefantenmuseum); Aarau (Aargauer Kunsthaus) 1995, pp. 105, 174

Peeters, Henk a.o., Belgium, *The Netherlands: Intersections and parallels in art after 1945*, exh.cat. Brussels (BOZAR); Rotterdam (Museum Boijmans Van Beuningen) 1980/81, pp. 41 (ill. b/w), 47 (ill.)



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ALBERTO BIASI (b. 1937 Padua, Italy)

Dinamica romboidale rossa su giallo ocra! 1999 PVC relief on wooden panel $70 \times 70 \times 5$ cm $27 \ 1/2 \times 27 \ 1/2 \times 2$ inches

Provenance
Private collection, Italy

Certificate available Archive no: T848

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FELIZA BURSZTYN (b. 1933 Bogotá, Colombia - d. 1982 Paris, France)

Untitled (Colour Series)
1981
Iron Scrap
112 x 174 x 114 cm
44 1/8 x 68 1/2 x 44 7/8 inches

Provenance

The estate of the artist

Exhibited

Bogotá, Colombia, Museo Nacional de Bogotá, Elogio de la Chatarra, 2009

"By using parts of a car as her primary material, Bursztyn not only recalled their former glamorous life, but also complicated the ideas developed by the Nouveaux Réalistes or contemporaneous artists working under the pop art rubric.

(...)

In these works, Bursztyn points to yet another dimension: her colorful assemblages may be read as allusions to proletarian labor. (...) This association with the working class also invoked the role of men in society. Neither the mechanic nor the worker described above could be other than male in Colombia in the 1960s (...) her adoption of welding as an artistic technique challenged classical gender stereotypes."

Marta Dziewań ska and Abigail Winograd, *Feliza Bursztyn: Welding Madness*, translated by Maria Peroggi, Michael Wolfson-Susch, Muzeum Susch, 2021



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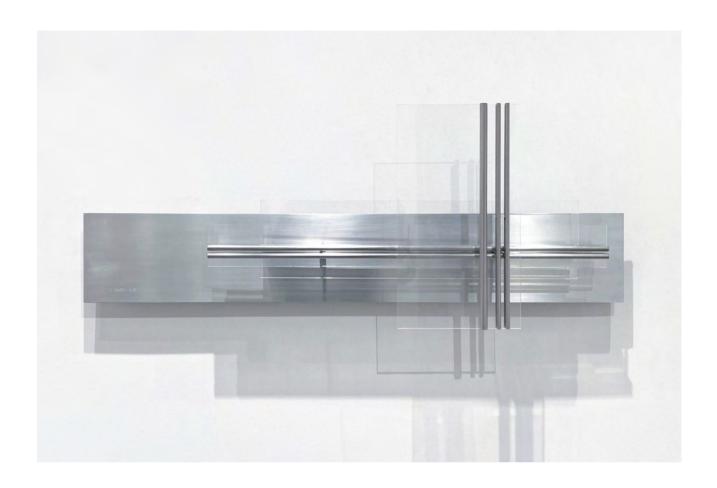


FELIZA BURSZTYN (b. 1933 Bogotá, Colombia - d. 1982 Paris, France)

Untitled (Números)
c. 1960
Scrap metal
25.4 x 25.4 x 27.9 cm
10 x 10 x 11 inches

Provenance
The estate of the artist

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CARLOS CAIROLI (b. 1926 Buenos Aires, Argentina – d. 1995 Chartres, France)

Spatialisme Orthogonal 1967 Altuglas, anti-oxide treated mild steel on aluminium base $35.5 \times 90 \times 14$ cm $14 \times 35 \ 3/8 \times 5 \ 1/2$ inches Signed on the base Unique

Provenance The artist Sophie Cavanna (The artist's last companion) By descent

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MIGUEL CHEVALIER (b. 1959 Mexico – Lives and works in Paris, France)

Nemophila Libertia d'Elsa Triolet 2022

Unique Virtual reality artwork

Video 60 minutes presented on a 75 in screen vertically within wooden frame

Screen Dimension: 168×96 cm $(66 1/8 \times 37 3/4 \text{ inches})$

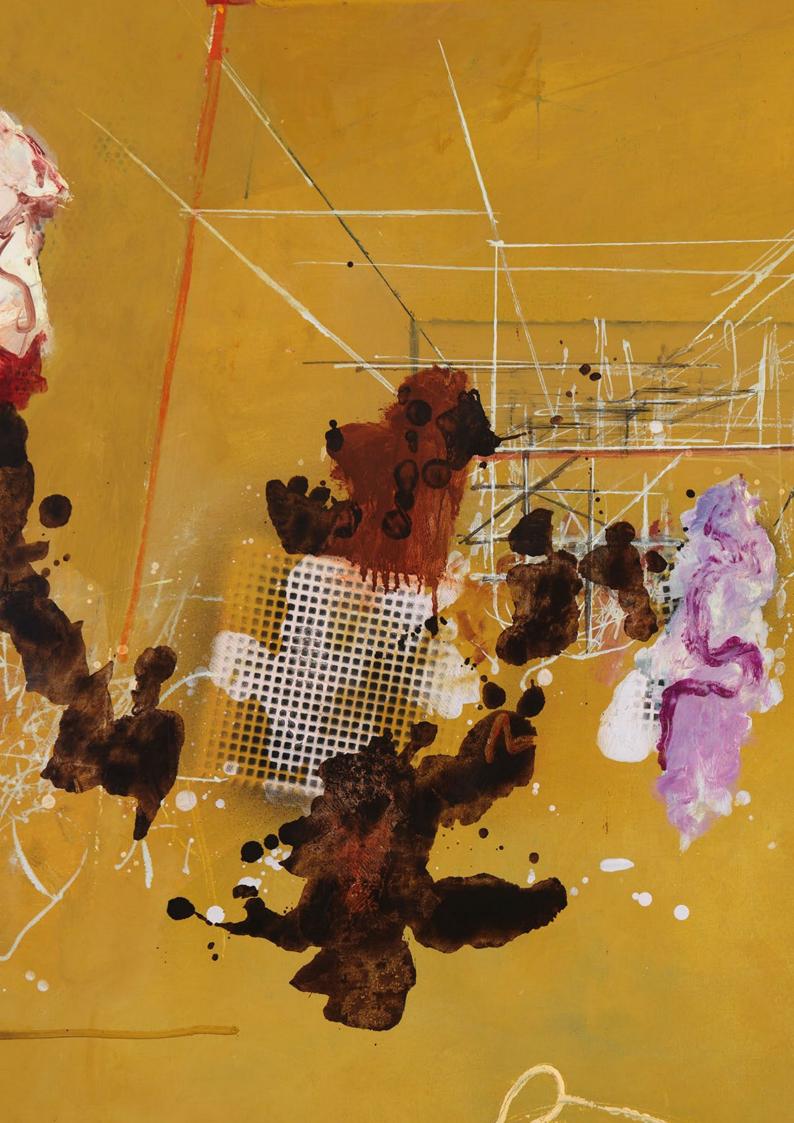
Frame size : $184 \times 112 \times 16$ cm (72 $1/2 \times 44 \times 1/8 \times 6 \times 1/4$ inches)

Provenance

Acquired directly from the artist

According to an approach initiated at the end of the 90s, which is based on the observation of the plant kingdom and its imaginary transposition into the digital universe, Miguel Chevalier is the creator of various herbaria and virtual gardens. Nemophila Libertia d'Elsa Triolet is a virtual seed extracted from the *Fractal Flowers* virtual herbarium.

These flowers are at the edge of four worlds: vegetal, mineral, animal and robotic. The flowers born from digital germination, unfold incredible shapes, undulate with a virtual wind that we do not feel, before disappearing before our eyes to make way for others. We pass from abundant universes to moments when nature seems to enter a phase of winter rest. The flowers have both a real monumentality through their geometric shapes and at the same time an evanescent aspect when, in a few seconds, they evaporate in the air. These tableaux vivants exert a disturbing fascination on the viewer. These works hypnotise the gaze in a dazzling dialectic between the real and the virtual.



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CONSTANT (b. 1920 Amsterdam – d. 2005 Utrecht, The Netherlands)

Happening
1973
Oil on canvas
139.8 x 130 cm
55 1/8 x 51 1/8 inches
Signed and dated "Constant '73" bottom center in white paint

Provenance

Galerie Daniel Gervis, Paris Tom Okker Art, Hazerswoude Collection ProWinko, The Netherlands

Exhibited

Paris, Galerie Daniel Gervis, *Constant, peintures recentes*, 30 October -30 November 1974

Amsterdam, Galerie Collection d' Art, *Schilderijen en aquarellen*, *Constant*, 20 March- 29 April 1976

Amsterdam, *Stedelijk Museum, Constant, Schilderijen 1969-77*, 17 March – 7 May 1978, no. 9 (ill.cat.)

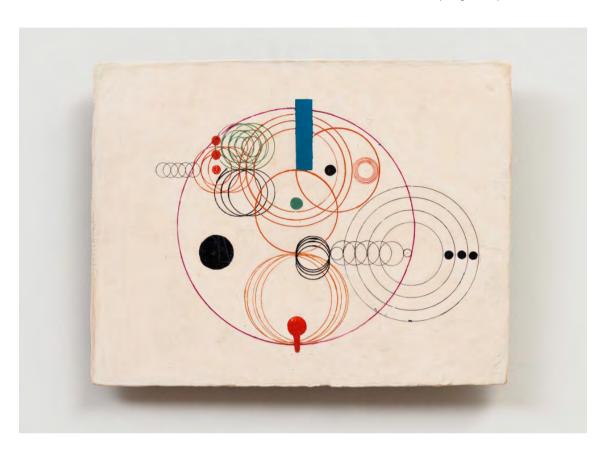
The Hague, Gemeentemuseum, *Constant Schilderijen 1940 – 1980*, 27 September – 24 November 1980 (sticker on the stretcher, not in catalogue)

Antibes, Musée Picasso, Constant, une rétrospective, 30 June- 15 October 2001, no. 56 (colour ill.cat. on p. 108)

Literature

Mark Wigely, Constant's New Babylon. The hyper-architecture of desire, Rotterdam 1998, p. 227 (colour ill.) Jean-Clarence Lambert, Constant. L'atelier d'Amsterdam, Paris 2000, p..40, no. 7 Mark Wigley, Constant dialogue, in, WORK, BODY, LEISURE, published in conjunction with the Dutch Pavilion of the Biennale Architectura 2018, Rotterdam/Berlin 2018

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WALDEMAR CORDEIRO (b. 1925 Rome, Italy – d. 1973 São Paulo, Brazil)

Untitled 1952 1952 Enamel on plywood 23.5 x 30.5 cm 9 1/4 x 12 1/8 inches

Provenance

The estate of the artist

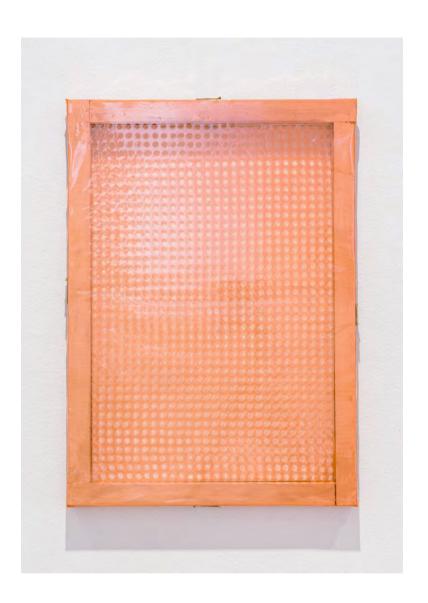
Exhibited

Bern, Zentrum Paul Klee, *The Revolution is dead - long live the Revolution! The Russian avant-garde and its consequences*, Apr – July 2017, ill. in cat. pages 118 & 162

Literature

Waldemar Cordeiro - Fantasia Exata, Itau Cultural, 2013, III. p. 248

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DADAMAINO (b. 1930 – d. 2004 Milan, Italy)

Volume a moduli sfasati 1960 Perforated plastic sheet on wooden stretcher 70 x 50 cm 27 1/2 x 19 3/4 inches Signed, titled and dated verso

Provenance Nicola Turco collection, Parma, Italy

Certificate available
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AD DEKKERS (b. 1938 Nieuwpoort, The Netherlands – d. 1974 Gorinchem, The Netherlands)

Reliëf met anderhalve cirkel / Relief with one and a half circle 1968 Polyester 90 cm diameter 35 3/8 inches diameter Signed, titled and dated verso Edition 1 of 60 - Only two were executed

Provenance Galerie De Rijk, The Hague

Exhibited

London, Frieze Masters 2016, Ad Dekkers, The Mayor Gallery, 6 - 9 Oct 16, ill in cat. p. 45

Literature

Carel Blotkamp, Ad Dekkers, The Hague, 1981 cat. No.109

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BRACO DIMITRIJEVIC (b. 1948 Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina)

Accidental Sculpture
1968
Silver gelatine mounted on board
89.5 x 69.5 cm
35 1/4 x 27 3/8 inches
Edition of 5

Provenance
Acquired directly from the artist

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BRACO DIMITRIJEVIC (b. 1948 Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina)

Sculpture by Tihomir Simcic 1969 Silver gelatine mounted on board 47.5 x 101.5 cm 18 3/4 x 40 inches Signed, titled and dated Edition of 5

Provenance
Acquired directly from the artist

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STANO FILKO (b. 1937 Trenčin, Slovakia – d. 2015 Bratislava, Slovakia)

Map of Europe (Rockets) 1967 Monotype on map 122 x 39.2 cm 48 1/8 x 15 3/8 inches Signed and dated lower left

Provenance Private collection, Bratislava

Exhibited

London, The Mayor Gallery, Stano Filko, Reality of Cosmos, 12 Sep - 27 Oct 17, ill. in cat. p. 24



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LUCIO FONTANA (b. 1899 Rosario, Argentina – d. 1968 Comabbio, Italy)

Concetto Spaziale

1962

Water-based paint on canvas

 $65\times54\times3~\text{cm}$

 $25.5/8 \times 21.1/4 \times 1.1/8$ inches

Perspex box: $91 \times 76 \times 7$ cm Signed, inscribed and titled 'I. Fontana, "Concetto Spaziale", ATTESE, Qui c'è poco da scrivere' verso

Provenance

Collection Carel Visser. Acquired directly from the artist c. 1966

Thence by descent to the present owner

This work has been registered by the Fondazione Lucio Fontana under number 4459/1 and will be included in the future supplement of the catalogue raisonné by E. Crispolti.

LUCIO FONTANA CONCETTO SPAZIALE THEORY COPPER SERIES

'Einstein's discovery of the cosmos is the infinite dimension without end. And so here we have: foreground, middle ground and background ... to go further what do I have to do? I make holes, infinity passes through them, light passes through them, there is no need to paint. Everyone thought I wanted to destroy but it is not true. I have constructed' — L. Fontana

'Man must free himself completely from the earth, only then will the direction that he will take in the future become clear' - L. Fontana

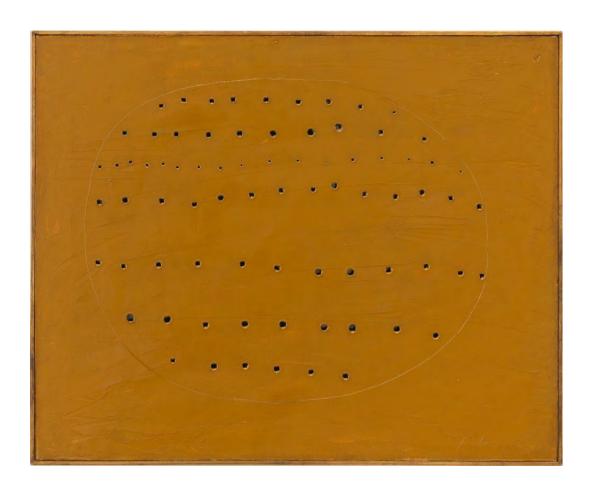
An outstanding example of Lucio Fontana's seminal series of buchi or 'holes', described in the artist's catalogue raisonné as 'copper' colour, Concetto Spaziale (1960's) thrusts the picture plane into new dimensions, epitomizing the artist's quest to synthesize a new art for the Space Age. Completed in the year that Yuri Gagarin became the first man to be sent into outer space, rhythmic incisions and punctures run through the canvas to expose its three-dimensional existence, posing at once a destruction of traditional art and the creation of a radical new aesthetic concept. 'When I hit the canvas,' Fontana explained, 'I sensed that I had made an important gesture. It was, in fact, not an incidental hole, it was a conscious hole: by making a hole in the picture I found a new dimension in the void. By making holes in the picture, I invented the fourth dimension' (L. Fontana, quoted in P. Gottschaller, Lucio Fontana: The Artist's Materials, Los Angeles 2012, p. 21).

The holes are grouped in a manner that recalls a linear constellation or galaxy which in its linear form takes a mathematical structure like few in his works, while Fontana's rich, metallic impasto brings forth the earthy texture of a planet's surface: the celestial pierces the terrestrial in a thrilling ruptured topography, capturing the inspiring sense of discovery that heralded an age of cosmic exploration. The mysterious chasm of space, in all its enigmatic and eternal darkness, is brought into conversation with geological expanses of time as well as the swift human motion of Fontana perforating his canvas. Concetto Spaziale is gestural and astral, organic and futuristic, primal and revolutionary. Man enters space: Fontana transcends the canvas, and brings space itself into art.

It is important to denote that the copper series follows his visit to New York in which he created his copper laminas perforated and cut to give reference to the industrious city and the sun that filtered in between the skyscrapers he contemplated in his visit.

In Concetto spaziale (1960-61), the halo of holes hints at an ovoid form; this prefigures the symbolic shape of the egg, with its myriad biological, spiritual and primeval connotations, which would become the defining motif of Fontana's seminal series La Fine di Dio, started in 1963. The title of the series referred to Friedrich Nietzsche's 1882 The Gay Science, which features an unhinged character declaring the 'death of God.' Aside from its religious associations with new life and the Resurrection, the oval was thought at the time to be the shape of the universe. In 1967 Fontana proclaimed that 'God is invisible, God is incomprehensible; this is why no artist today can depict God seated on a throne with the world in his hands and a beard ... The religions, too, must adapt themselves to the state of science' (L. Fontana, quoted in B. Hess, Lucio Fontana 1899-1968: 'A New Fact in Sculpture,' Cologne 2006, p. 68). The immanent orb that emerges from the surface of Concetto spaziale therefore refers to a profound existential reconfiguration in the face of 'the new state of science,' not bleakly atheistic in intent but offering a novel view of the divine. On 19 June 1968, in the final interview before his death, Fontana affirmed the transcendent and humanist quality of his vision. 'In 500 years', time people will not talk of art ... art will be like going to see a curiosity ... Today man is on earth and these are all things that man has done while on earth, but do you think man will have time to produce art while travelling through the universe? He will travel through space and discover marvellous things, things so beautiful that things here – like art, will seem worthless ... Man must free himself completely from the earth, only then will the direction that he will take in the future become clear. I believe in man's intelligence – it is the only thing in which I believe, more so than in God, for me God is man's intelligence – I am convinced that the man of the future will have a completely new world' (L. Fontana in T. Trini, 'The last interview given by Fontana,' in Lucio Fontana, exh. cat. Stedelijk Museum, Amsterdam 1988, p. 36).

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LUCIO FONTANA (b. 1899 Rosario, Argentina – d. 1968 Comabbio, Italy)

Concetto Spaziale
1960
Oil on canvas
50 x 60 cm
19 3/4 x 23 5/8 inches
Signed lower right, signed, titled and dated verso

Provenance Private Collection, Milan Marco Conte, Milan Private Collection, Italy

Exhibited

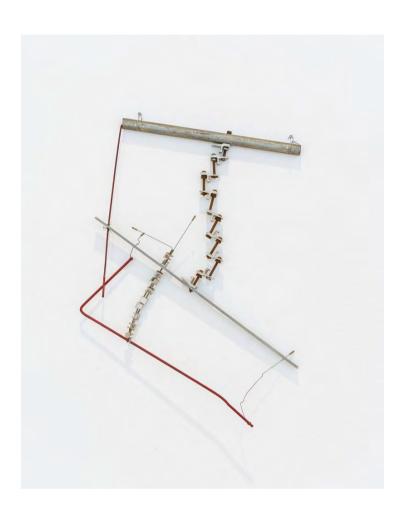
Lugano, Pro Arte Gallery, Lucio Fontana - Spatial Concepts, 18 October - 17 November 1984

Literature

Enrico Crispolti, Lucio Fontana: Catalogo ragionato di sculture, dipinti, ambientazoni, Vol. I, Milan, 1986, p. 406, 60B43



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GEGO (b. 1912 Hamburg, Germany - d. 1994 Caracas, Venezuela)

Dibujo sin papel 86.12 1986 Aluminium, metallic and stainless-steel wire assemblage $48 \times 41 \times 2$ cm $187/8 \times 161/8 \times 3/4$ inches

Provenance

Private collection, Miami

Exhibited

Caracas, Sotavento Gallery, *Gego: Recent Works*, 13th March – 17th April 1988 Caracas, Museum of Fine Arts, *Gego 1955-1990*, 16th November 2000 – 29th April 2001, ill. in cat. p. 147 London, Waddington Custot, *Invisible Cities*, 7 Mar-5 May 2018, ill. p. 15

Literature

Iris Peruga et al., *Gego: Obra Completa*, Caracas, Cisneros Foundation; Gego Foundation; Museum of Fine Arts, 2003, ill. p. 265

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RAIMUND GIRKE (b. 1930 Lower Silesia, Germany – d. 2002 Cologne, Germany)

Blue and White
1970
Acrylic on canvas
160 x 130 cm
63 x 51 1/8 inches
Signed, dated and titled verso on stretcher

Provenance Private collection, Cologne



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RAIMUND GIRKE (b. 1930 Lower Silesia, Germany – d. 2002 Cologne, Germany)

Untitled
1966
Tempera on canvas
95.5 x 70.3 cm
37 5/8 x 27 5/8 inches
Signed and dated verso

Provenance
Private collection, Berlin

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RAIMUND GIRKE (b. 1930 Lower Silesia, Germany – d. 2002 Cologne, Germany)

Nr 15 Aquarell (blue)
1971
Gouache on paper
15 x 15 cm
5 7/8 x 5 7/8 inches
Signed, titled and dated verso

Provenance The artist Galerie Hans Mayer, Düsseldorf

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RAIMUND GIRKE (b. 1930 Lower Silesia, Germany – d. 2002 Cologne, Germany)

Nr 11 Aquarell (grey-blue)
1969
Gouache on paper
14 x 14 cm
5 1/2 x 5 1/2 inches
Signed, titled and dated verso

Provenance The artist Galerie Hans Mayer, Düsseldorf

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RAIMUND GIRKE (b. 1930 Lower Silesia, Germany – d. 2002 Cologne, Germany)

Untitled (RN20895)
1967
Graphite on paper
10 x 10 cm
4 x 4 inches
Signed and dated with serial inscription verso

Provenance The artist Galerie Hans Mayer, Düsseldorf

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JEAN HÉLION (b. 1904, Couterne – d.1987, Paris, France)

Jugement Dernier des Choses 1978-79 Acrylic on canvas 200 x 845 cm overall 78 3/4 x 332 5/8 inches overall Triptych: 200 x 350cm; 200 x 145cm; 200 x 350 cm CERTIFICATE: 5 July 2008

Provenance

Private collection, Switzerland

Exhibited

Thionville, Centre culturel Jacques Brel, *Hélion "Les marchés"*, 20 April - 24 May 1985, ill. cat. n.7, p. 16-17 Denmark, Aarhus Kunstmuseums Forlag, *Jean Hélion, Retrospective Drawings & Paintings 1926-1983*, Sept - Oct 1987, ill. cat. n.46 p. 68-69 (b/w)

Paris, Galerie Gérald Piltzer, Hélion à Matignon, 28 Sept - 22 Nov 1995, ill. in exhibition cat.

New York, Galerie Salander-O'Reilly, Jean Hélion Paintings, 2-27 April 1996

Monaco, Salle du Quai Antoine 1er, Hélion ou l'invention de l'Autre, 4 March - 24 April 2000, ill. cat. p. 72

Paris, MNAM, Centre Georges Pompidou, *Jean Hélion*, 8 Dec 2004 - 6 March 2005; Barcelona, Musée Picasso, Jean Hélion, 17 March - 19 June 2005, ill. cat. p 168

Promised to Musée d'Art Modern de la Ville de Paris, *Jean Hélion* retrospective, from March 2024

Literature

SILEX N°29, 1985; ill. page 72 (b/w)

Jed PERL, Paris without end, North Point Press (San Francisco), 1988; n° 45

Henri-Claude Cousseau, *Hélion*, Editions du Regard, 1992; ill. p. 272-273 & 339 (b/w)

Alain Bonfand, L'art en France-1945-1960, Nouvelles éditions françaises, 1995, ill. p. 116

Philippe Dagen, *Hélion*, Editions Hazan, 2004, text page 251; n° 155 ill. p. 238

Hervé Bize, Hélion, Editions Cercle d'Art -Découvrons l'art, 2004; n° 62 ill.

L'œil, n° hors série, December 2004; ill. p. 32-33

Pleine marge, n°49-50, October 2009, Jean Hélion présenté par Jed Perl (Hélion's Freedom) et Pierre Brullé (Façons de peindre, façons de penser); ill. p. 17

Jean Hélion had painted three triptychs: One is at Musée Beaubourg – Georges Pompidou, Paris, one is at Musée D'art Moderne de la Ville de Paris, this one is considered his masterpiece and last will. Hélion has painted 2000 paintings including 600 in museum's collections.

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JULIUS KOLLER (b. 1939 Pieštany, Slovakia – d. 2007 Bratislava, Slovakia)

Untitled U.F.O. (Matchbox)

Mixed media

 $3.5 \times 12.7 \times 1$ cm, $1.3/8 \times 5 \times 3/8$ inches

Frame: $25.5 \times 25.5 \times 4.5$ cm, $10 \times 10 \times 13/4$ inches

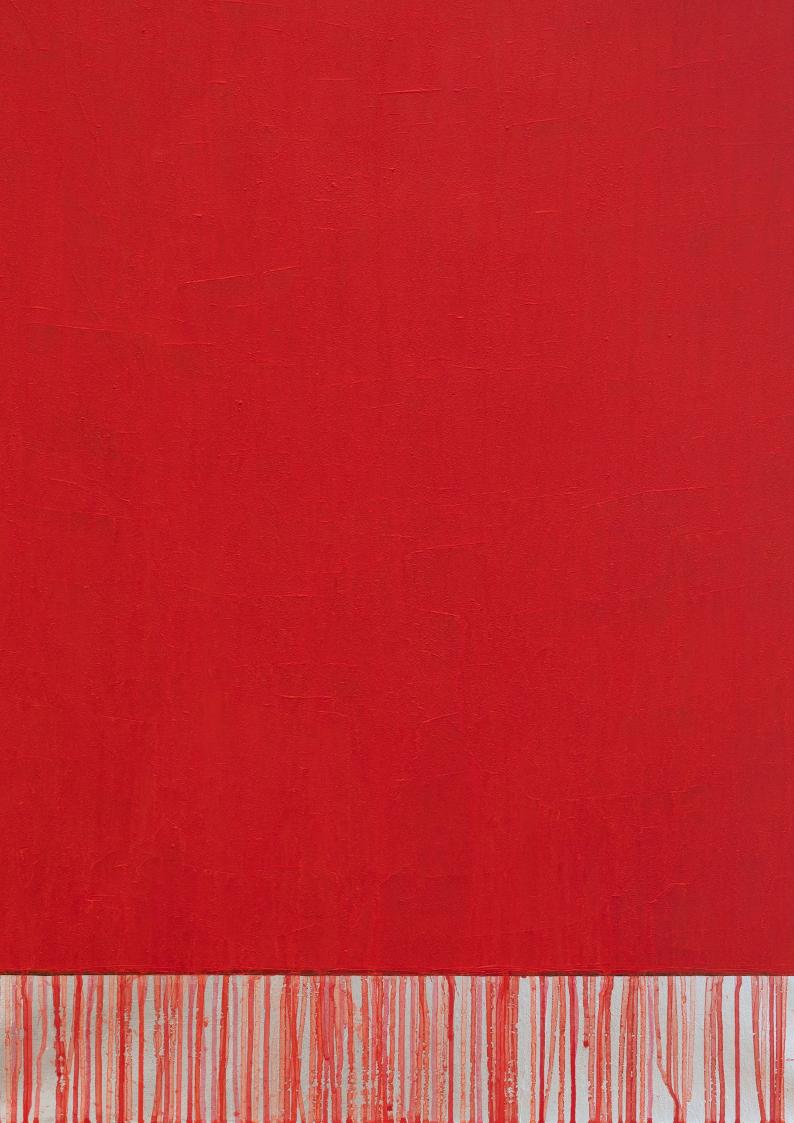
Signed lower centre on box

Provenance

The estate of Július Koller

Exhibited

The Arts Club, London, Displacements: Avant-Garde Eastern & Central European Art from the Cold War Period, Sept 2016-Jan 2017



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TADAAKI KUWAYAMA (b. 1932 Nagoya, Japan – Lives and works in New York, USA)

TK8742 1/2-61
1961
Red pigment with silver leaf
108 x 76.2 cm
42 1/2 x 30 inches
Signed, numbered and dated on the reverse

Provenance

The artist

Exhibited

London, The Mayor Gallery, Kuwayama/Naito, 5 Apr - 26 May 2023, ill. in cat. p. 29

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WALTER LEBLANC (b. 1932 Antwerp, Belgium – d. 1986 Silly, Belgium)

Twisted String 40F FX 198 (CR1111) 1975 Cotton strings and white latex on cotton canvas 69 x 88 cm 27 1/8 x 34 5/8 inches

Provenance

Walter Leblanc Foundation, Brussels The Mayor Gallery, London Private collection, England

Exhibited

Varazze, Emanuela Baglietto, Walter Leblanc. Torsions, 1975

London, The Mayor Gallery, Walter Leblanc: Paintings & Sculptures from 1960-1983, March-May 2011, ill. in cat. p. 29

Literature

Nicole Leblanc, Danielle Everarts de Velp-Seynaeve, *Walter Leblanc Catalogue Raisonné*, Ludion 1997, catalogue 455, ill. p. 263

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VERENA LOEWENSBERG b. 1912 – d. 1986 Zurich, Switzerland

Untitled (499)
1978
Oil on canvas
100 x 100 cm
39 3/8 x 39 3/8 inches
Signed and dated verso and on the stretcher

Provenance

Galerie Karin Fesel, Dusseldorf Private collection, Germany (acquired from the gallery above)

Exhibited

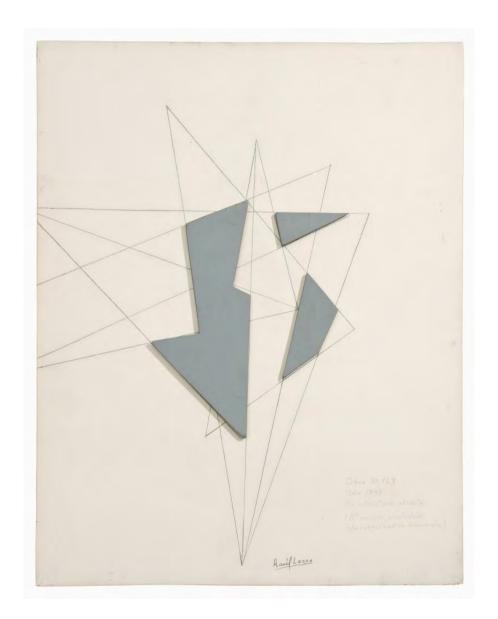
Zurich, Galerie du Carrois, *Verena Loewensberg*, 7 Sep - 14 Oct 1978 Wiesbaden, Galerie Karin Fesel, *Verena Loewensberg*, 26 Jan – 8 Mar 1980 Dusseldorf, Galerie Karin Fesel, *Verena Loewensberg Retrospective*, 11 Mar – 30 Apr 1988 Basel, Galerie Knoell, *Verena Loewensberg*, 5 Jun – 13 Jul 2019

Literature

Verena Loewensberg: 1912- 1986, Henriette Coray Loewensberg, Catalogue Raisonné, Scheidegger & Speiss, 2012, archive number 499, ill. p.221

Verena Loewensberg, Galerie Knoell, exhibition cat., Basel 2019, (n° 3, ill. in colour).

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RAUL LOZZA (b. 1911 Buenos Aires – d. 2008 Buenos Aires, Argentina)

Obra no. 163 1948 Oil and pencil on wood 45 x 35 x 2.8 cm

 $173/4 \times 133/4 \times 11/8$ inches

Signed, titled, inscribed, and dated 1948 "Obra No 163 Ario 1948 Su estructura abierta (El mural, propiedad Universidad de Tucumán)" lower right

Provenance

Collection Jorge Lopez Anaya, Buenos Aires

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AGNES MARTIN (b. 1912 Saskatchewan, Canada – d. 2004 Galisteo, USA)

Happy Holiday
2001
Acrylic, gesso and graphite on canvas
152.4 x 152.4 cm
60 x 60 inches

Signed, titled, and dated on the reverse: a. martin/2001; on stretcher bar

Provenance

Acquired from the artist Pace Wildenstein, New York Private Collection, Monaco

Exhibited

Taos, New Mexico, Harwood Museum of Art, University of New Mexico, *Agnes Martin Paintings from 2001*, 23 March - 5 June 2002

Literature

Agnes Martin: With My Back to the World, Film, produced and directed by Mary Lance, Corrales, New Mexico: New Deal Films, 2003

Agnes Martin: Paintings, 2017, Catalogue Raisonné, archive number #2001.017

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AIKO MIYAWAKI (b. 1929 Tokyo, Japan – d. 2014 Kanagawa, Japan)

Work
1960
Oil and powdered marble on board
41 x 53 cm
16 1/8 x 20 7/8 inches
Signed, titled and dated verso

Provenance Shibunkaku Gallery, Kyoto, Japan



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AIKO MIYAWAKI (b. 1929 Tokyo, Japan – d. 2014 Kanagawa, Japan)

Work
1962
Oil and powdered marble on board
24.2 x 33.4 cm
9 1/2 x 13 1/8 inches
Signed, titled and dated verso

Provenance Shibunkaku Gallery, Kyoto, Japan

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VERA MOLNAR (b. 1924 Budapest, Hungary)

Untitled (5)
1972
Computer drawing
30 x 30 cm
11 3/4 x 11 3/4 inches
Signed and dated lower right

Provenance The artist

Exhibited

London, The Mayor Gallery, Writing New Codes: Cordeiro/Mallary/Molnar, Jun 5 - Jul 26, 2018, ill. in cat. p. 71

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VERA MOLNAR (b. 1924 Budapest, Hungary)

Untitled (6)
1972
Computer drawing
30 x 30 cm
11 3/4 x 11 3/4 inches
Signed and dated lower right

Provenance The artist

Exhibited

London, The Mayor Gallery, Writing New Codes: Cordeiro/Mallary/Molnar, Jun 5 - Jul 26, 2018, ill. in cat. p. 70

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VERA MOLNAR (b. 1924 Budapest, Hungary)

Untitled (7)
1972
Computer drawing
30 x 30 cm
11 3/4 x 11 3/4 inches
Signed and dated lower right

Provenance The artist

Exhibited

Writing New Codes: Cordeiro/Mallary/Molnar, 6 June - 27 July 2018, The Mayor Gallery, London, ill. in cat. p. 72

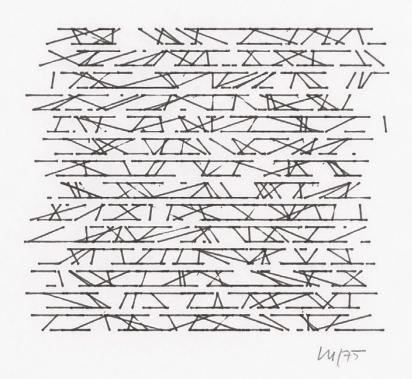
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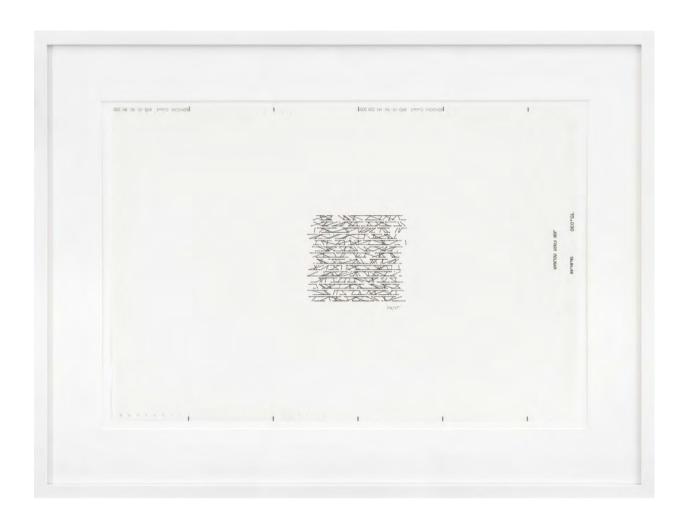
VERA MOLNAR (b. 1924 Budapest, Hungary)

Untitled (MV527) 1975 Computer drawing on paper 36 x 55 cm 14 1/8 x 21 5/8 inches Signed and dated lower right

Provenance The artist



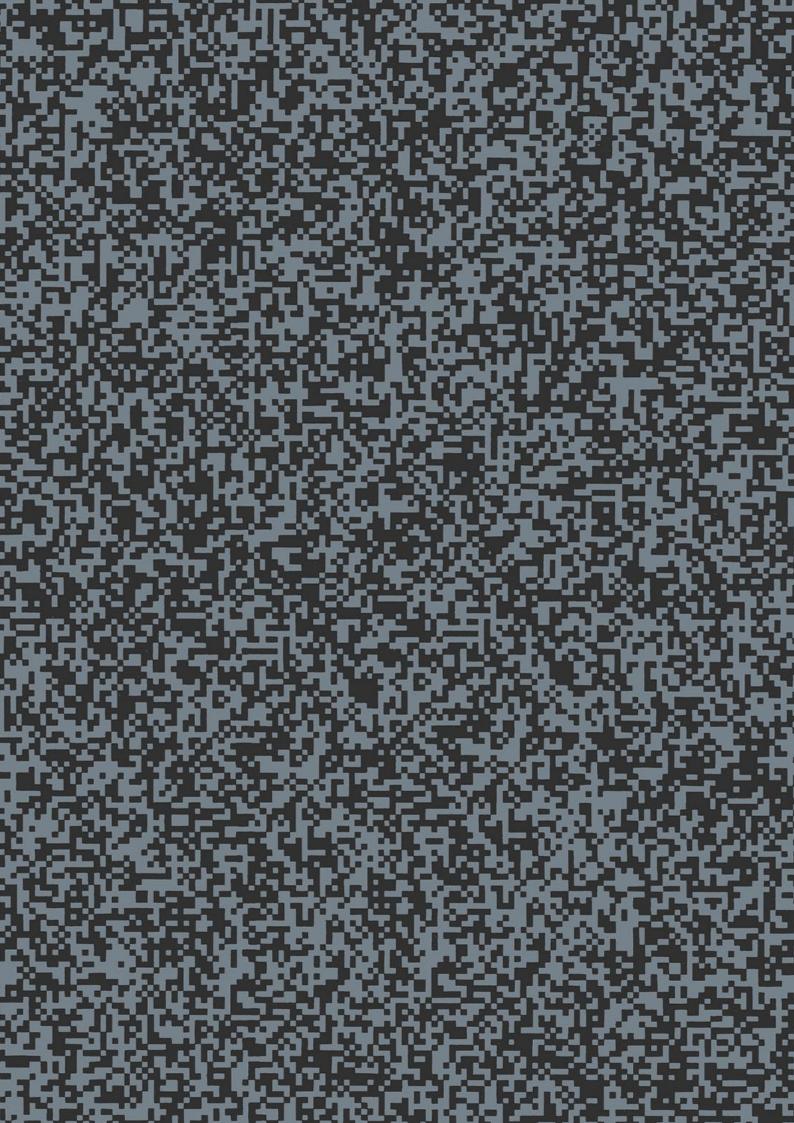
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VERA MOLNAR (b. 1924 Budapest, Hungary)

Untitled (MV528)
1975
Computer drawing on paper
36 x 55 cm
14 1/8 x 21 5/8 inches
Signed and dated lower right

Provenance The artist



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FRANÇOIS MORELLET (b. 1926 - d. 2016 Cholet, France)

Répartition aléatoire de 40.000 carrés 50% gris 50% noir selon les chiffres pairs et impairs d'un annuaire téléphonique 1961

Silkscreen ink on wood

 $80 \times 80 \text{ cm}$

 $31 \frac{1}{2} \times 31 \frac{1}{2}$ inches

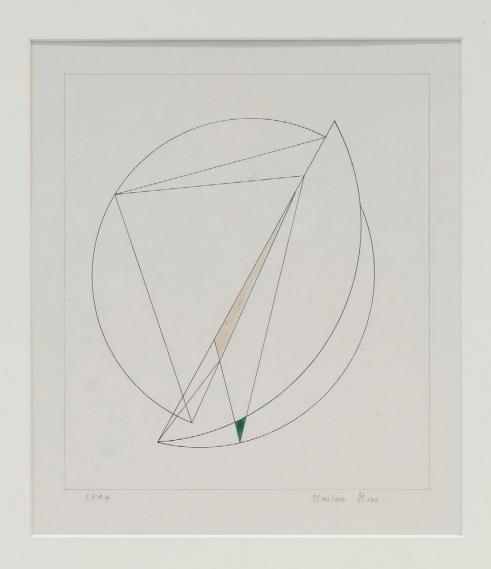
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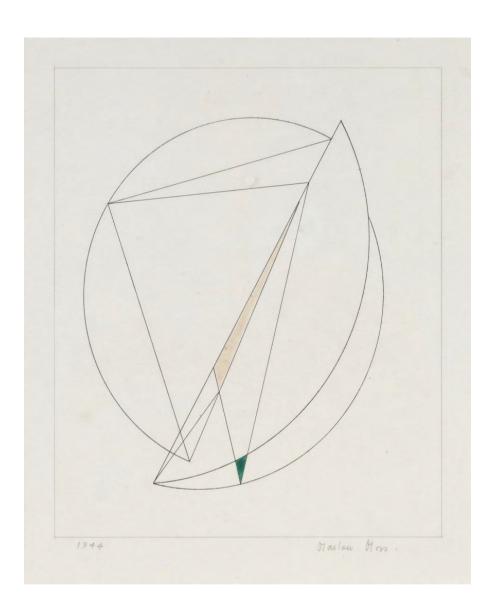
Collection Liliane and Michel Durand-Dessert, Paris

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Signature and inscriptions on the reverse: "Morellet/1961/unique/Répartition aléatoire de 40.000 carrés 50% gris 50% noir selon les chiffres pairs et impairs d'un annuaire téléphonique/61039



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MARLOW MOSS (b. 1889 Richmond, England – d. 1958 Penzance, England)

Untitled

1944

Pencil and coloured pencil on paper

 $30 \times 26 \text{ cm}$

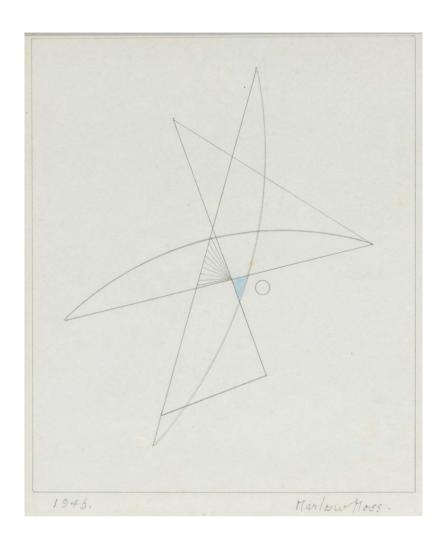
 $113/4 \times 101/4$ inches

Dated lower left, signed Marlow Moss lower right

Provenance

With Carus Gallery, New York, where purchased by Stanford Z. Rothschild, Jr, in 1979. His sale; Christie's, New York, 12 December 2017, lot 101 Private collection, London

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MARLOW MOSS (b. 1889 Richmond, England – d. 1958 Penzance, England)

Untitled

1946

Pencil and coloured pencil on paper

19 x 16 cm

 $71/2 \times 61/4$ inches

Dated lower left, signed Marlow Moss lower right

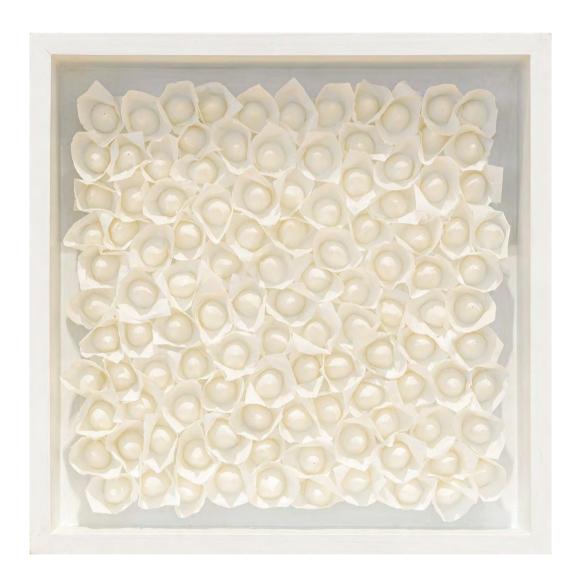
Provenance

Anonymous sale; Christie's, South Kensington, 12 December 2013, lot 35, where purchased by the previous owner. Private collection, London

Exhibited

Leeds, City Art Gallery and Temple Newsam House, *Marlow Moss*, June - September 2014, exhibition not numbered: travelling to London, Tate Britain, September 2014 - March 2015

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RAKUKO NAITO (b. 1937 Tokyo, Japan - Lives and works in New York, USA)

RN2112-3 1/2-16 2016 Japanese paper on board (small cone) $30.5 \times 30.5 \times 8.9$ cm $12 \times 12 \times 3$ 1/2 inches Signed, numbered and dated verso

Provenance The artist

Exhibited

London, The Mayor Gallery, Kuwayama/Naito, 5 Apr – 26 May 2023, ill. in cat. p. 22

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RAKUKO NAITO (b. 1937 Tokyo, Japan - Lives and works in New York, USA)

RN1317 1/2-2 1/2-21

2021

Japanese paper on board (burnt edge stripes) $44.5 \times 44.5 \times 6.3$ cm

 $17 \ 1/2 \times 17 \ 1/2 \times 2 \ 1/2$ inches

Signed, numbered and dated verso

Provenance

The artist

Exhibited

London, The Mayor Gallery, Kuwayama/Naito, 5 Apr – 26 May 2023, ill. in cat. p. 28



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RAKUKO NAITO (b. 1937 Tokyo, Japan - Lives and works in New York, USA)

 $RN1212-3\ 1/2-19$ 2019 Japanese paper on board (soft edge free form) $30.5\times30.5\times8.9\ cm$ $12\times12\times3\ 1/2$ inches Signed, numbered and dated on the reverse

Provenance

The artist

Exhibited

London, The Mayor Gallery, Kuwayama/Naito, 5 Apr – 26 May 2023, ill. in cat. p. 26

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ROMAN OPALKA (b. 1931 Abbeville-Saint-Lucien, France - d. 2011 Rome, Italy)

Detail - 3657832-3660848 1965 Ink and collage on paper in Plexiglas box 33 x 24 cm 13 x 9 1/2 inches Unique

Provenance
Galerie Isy Brachot, Bruxelles
James Corcoran Gallery, Los Angeles

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ALICE RAHON (b. 1904 Chenecey-Buillon, France - d. 1987 Mexico City, Mexico)

Untitled
c.1940s
Oil on canvas
20 x 30 cm
7 7/8 x 11 3/4 inches
Signed lower right

Provenance Acquired directly from the artist, Mexico Private collection, Chile



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MIRA SCHENDEL (b. 1919 Zurich, Switzerland – d. 1988 São Paulo, Brazil)

Untitled c.1962/3 Mixed media on hessian 30 x 30 cm 11 3/4 x 9 7/8 inches Signed verso

Provenance Mário Schenberg, Brazil Paulo Bittencourt, Brazil Paulo Kuczynski, Brazil The Mayor Gallery, London Linda Macklowe, New York

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MIRA SCHENDEL (b. 1919 Zurich, Switzerland – d. 1988 São Paulo, Brazil)

Untitled (Mandala serie)
c. 1970's
Ink and watercolour on rice paper
55 x 25 cm
21 5/8 x 9 7/8 inches

Provenance Galeria Milan, Sao Paulo

Exhibited

London, The Mayor Gallery, Latin American Work on Paper, 9 Jan - 23 Feb 2018

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MIRA SCHENDEL (b. 1919 Zurich, Switzerland – d. 1988 São Paulo, Brazil)

Untitled (Two red forms)
Early 1960s
Oil stick on paper
19 x 14 cm
7 1/2 x 5 1/2 inches
Signed lower right

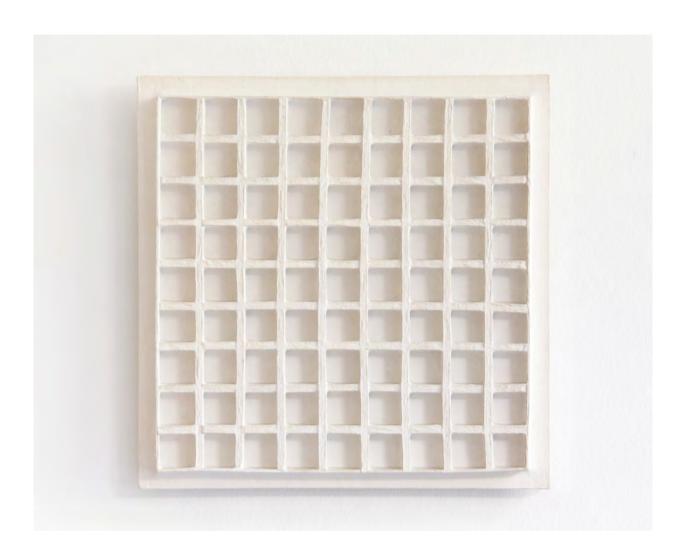
Provenance

Latin Collector Gallery, New York, USA Private Collection, Buenos Aires, Argentina Private Collection, USA

Exhibited

London, The Mayor Gallery, Latin American Work on Paper, 9th Jan - 23rd Feb 2018

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JAN SCHOONHOVEN (b. 1914 Delft – d. 1994 Delft, The Netherlands)

R 75-24

1975

Cardboard and white-painted papier-mâché on board

 $40 \times 40 \text{ cm}$

 $153/4 \times 153/4$ inches

Signed, titled and dated verso

Provenance

Collection Will van Roosmalen, Antwerp

Exhibited

Amsterdam, Borzo Gallery, *Wagemaker & Schoonhoven, Earth & Light*, 3 Sep - 3 Oct, travelling to London, The Mayor Gallery, 19 Oct - 27 Nov 2020, ill. in cat. p. 23



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JAN SCHOONHOVEN (b. 1914 – d. 1994 Delft, The Netherlands)

Ster-gerekt- 1 1968 Wood, cardboard, papier-mâché, white paint 33 x 23 cm 13 x 9 inches Signed, titled and dated verso

Provenance Galerie Tegenbosch, Heusden a/d Maas (Invoice no. 95019) Private collection, Amsterdam

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JAN SCHOONHOVEN (b. 1914 – d. 1994 Delft, The Netherlands)

Relief
1964
Wood, cardboard and white paint
40 x 30 x 3.8 cm
15 3/4 x 11 3/4 x 1 1/2 inches
Signed and dated verso

Provenance Collection Henk Peeters, Hall, The Netherlands Private Collection, The Netherlands

Exhibited

Brussels, Belgium, BOZAR, 1980, *The Netherlands: Intersections and parallels in art after 1945*; Museum Rotterdam, The Netherlands, Boijmans Van Beuningen, 1981

Esslingen, Villa Merkel; Apeldoorn, Van Reekum Museum, NUL, 1993,

Essen, Museum Folkwang; *Jan J. Schoonhoven - retrospektiv*, Maastricht, Bonnefantenmuseum; Aarau, Aargauer Kunsthaus, 1995,

Haarlem, Galerie Tanya Rumpff, Nul 1960-1965, 1995,

Delft, Galerie de zaal, *Truus Nienhuis, friends around Jan Schoonhoven; Armando, Henderikse, Peeters, Schoonhoven,* 1996

Amsterdam, BorzoGallery, Sep - Oct 2020; London, The Mayor Gallery, Oct-Nov 2020, *Earth & Light Jaap Wagemaker/Jan Schoonhoven*, ill. p. 19

IVAM Valencia, Far from the void. ZERO and postwar art in Europe, 29 Sept 2022 - 12 Feb 2023

Literature

Damsch-Wiehager, Renate, nul- Die Wirklichkeit als Kunst fundieren, Stuttgart 1993, pp. 11 (ill.), 155

Finckh, Gerhard, Jan J. Schoonhoven – retrospektiv, exh.cat. Essen (Museum Folkwang); Maastricht (Bonnefantenmuseum); Aarau (Aargauer Kunsthaus) 1995, pp. 105, 174

Peeters, Henk a.o., Belgium, *The Netherlands: Intersections and parallels in art after 1945*, exh.cat. Brussels (BOZAR); Rotterdam (Museum Boijmans Van Beuningen) 1980/81, pp. 41 (ill. b/w), 47 (ill.)

This relief was owned by Schoonhoven's friend and 'nul' colleague Henk Peeters. Peeters used this 1964 relief to create an exhibition installation in the form of a red, white and blue Dutch flag. Therefor he mounted this relief - turned a quarter turn - in a selfmade frame, together with a red relief by Armando and a blue relief by himself and on several occasions even with an orange pennant - made with (real or plastic) oranges by Jan Henderikse. For various exhibitions Peeters used different reliefs by Armando, Schoonhoven, Henderikse and himself, for the first time in the 1980 exhibition 'België-Nederland' in Brussels, Palais des Beaux Arts and the Rotterdam Boijmans Van Beuningen Museum (see the list of exhibitions above). It is evident that Schoonhoven created his relief as an individual work, originally signed and dated by the artist in 1964.

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TURI SIMETI (b. 1929 Alcamo, Sicily – d. 2021 Milan, Italy)

Cinque ovali gialli 2016 Acrylic on shaped canvas 60 x 60 cm 23 5/8 x 23 5/8 inches

Provenance
The estate of the artist

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TURI SIMETI (b. 1929 Alcamo, Sicily – d. 2021 Milan, Italy)

Sei ovali gialli
2018
Acrylic on shaped canvas
70 x 70 cm
27 1/2 x 27 1/2 inches

Provenance

The estate of the artist

Exhibited

London, The Mayor Gallery, Turi Simeti: A Homage, 8 September - 17 October 2021

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JULIAN STANCZAK (b. 1928 Borownica, Poland – d. 2017 Ohio, United States)

Mirrored
1971
Acrylic on canvas
102 x 128 cm
40 1/8 x 50 3/8 inches
Signed, titled and dated on the reverse

Provenance

The estate of the artist

Exhibited

Cincinnati, Ohio, Carl Solway Gallery, *Julian Stanczak*, March 1980 Santa Fe, New Mexico, David Richard Contemporary, *Julian Stanczak: Elusive Transparencies*, 30 August - 25 September 2011, ill. in exhibition catalogue p. 13

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KLAUS STAUDT (b. 1932 Ottendorf Niederelbe, Germany)

Futuristisch 1 WR-SG 110 2002 Wood, dispersion, plexiglass 100.5 x 100.5 x 11.5 cm 39 5/8 x 39 5/8 x 4 1/2 inches Signed, titled and dated verso

Provenance

Acquired directly from the artist

Exhibited

Ludwigshafen, Germany, Retrospective 1957 - 2002, Wilhelm-Hack-Museum, 2002

Bottrop, Germany, Klaus Staudt, Josef Albers Museum, 2002

Bremerhaven, Germany, Klaus Staudt, Kunsthalle Bremerhaven, 2002

Mannheim, Germany, *Immer in Bewegung, kinetische Kunst und Op-Art aus der Sammlung Marli Hoppe-Ritter*, Museum Ritter, Waldenbuch, Kunstverein Mannheim, 2010

Gelsenkirchen, Germany, *In Bewegung. Arbeiten von 1990 bis 2010*, Kunstmuseum Gelsenkirchen, 2011 Ingolstadt, Germany, *In Bewegung. Arbeiten von 1990 bis 2010*, Museum für Konkrete Kunst, 2011

Literature

Klaus Staudt In Bewegung, Arbeiten 1990 – 2010, Wienand Verlag, Köln

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SHINKICHI TAJIRI (b. 1923 Los Angeles, USA – d. 2009 Baarlo, The Netherlands)

Fortress 1961
Bronze $58 \times 18 \times 31$ cm $227/8 \times 71/8 \times 121/4$ inches Stamped with the artist's signature 'S. Tajiri' (lower right) Unique

Provenance

Private collection, The Netherlands

Exhibited

Tokyo, Tokyo Gallery, Tajiri, 22 April - 4 May 1963, no 7, ill. in. catalogue London, The Mayor Gallery, Shinkichi Tajiri, 16 Feb - 31 Mar 2017, ill. in cat. p. 30-31

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PAUL THEK (b. 1933 – d. 1988 New York, USA)

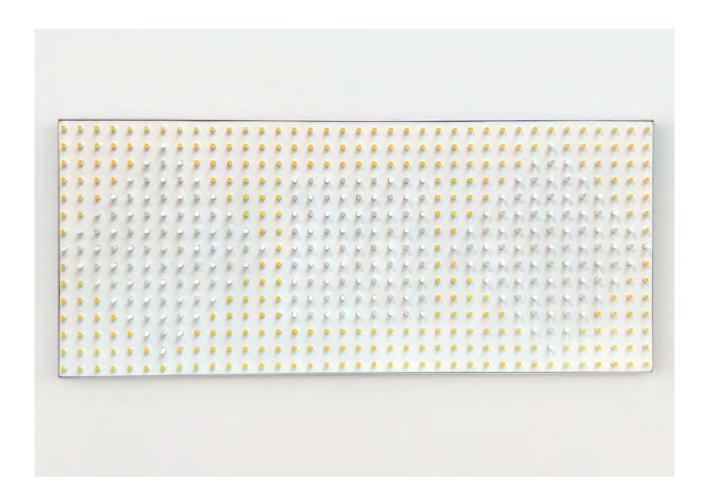
Untitled (Self-Portrait 1)
October 1970
Pencil on paper
34 x 23.5 cm
13 3/8 x 9 1/4 inches

Provenance

Collection of Tom Lenders (Personal friend of the artist)

Drawn in October 1970 by Paul Thek, on his favourite island Ponza before the Italian coast between Rome and Naples. The island was a refuge for Paul Thek, a place he loved and visited frequently. In a letter in 1979 to Frans Deckwitz, a Dutch artist friend, he wrote that he would prefer to spend the rest of his life on Ponza and die there.

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LUIS TOMASELLO (b. 1915 La Plata, Argentina - d. 2014 Paris, France)

Object Plastique No. 895
2008
Acrylic on wooden relief
38.5 x 94 cm
15 1/8 x 37 1/8 inches
Signed, titled and dated verso

Provenance
The estate of the artist

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GUNTHER UECKER (b. 1930 Mecklenburg, Germany)

Dickicht

2007

Glue, charcoal, bamboo, nails on plywood

 $48.5 \times 62 \times 9 \text{ cm}$

 $19 \frac{1}{8} \times 24 \frac{3}{8} \times 3 \frac{1}{2}$ inches

Signed, back, bottom right: Uecker Titled, verso, top left: Dickicht Numbered, verso, top left: 2 Dated, verso,

bottom right: .07

Provenance

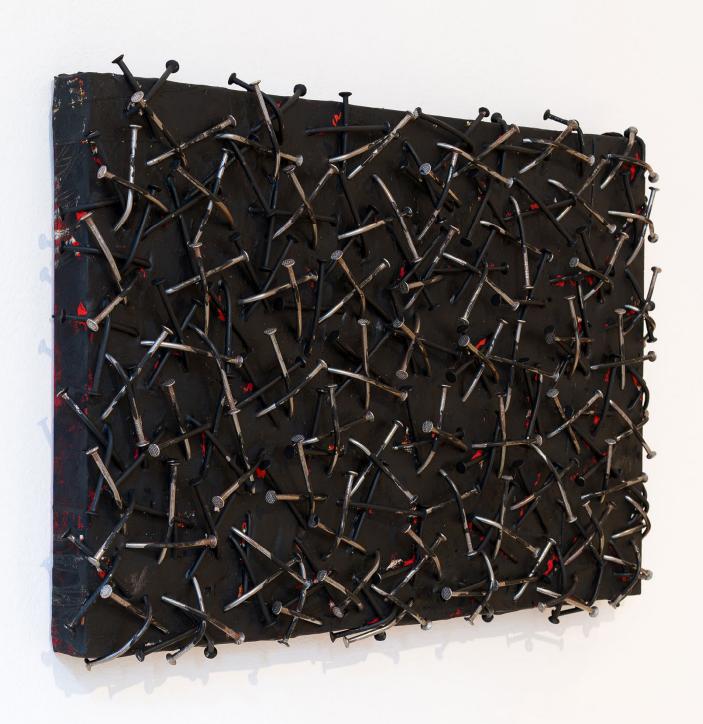
The Artist

Akira Ikeda Gallery, Japan, 2007

Exhibited

Japan, Akira Ikeda Gallery, *Günther Uecker: Time Sequences*, August 18 -October 27, 2007, Taura, catalogue no. 235, ill. p. 55

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GUNTHER UECKER (b. 1930 Mecklenburg, Germany)

Verborgen

2007

Glue, black acrylic paint, nails, Kimono fabric on plywood

 $44.5 \times 63 \times 7$ cm

 $17 \ 1/2 \times 24 \ 3/4 \times 2 \ 3/4 \text{ inches}$

Signed and dated, back, bottom right: Uecker .07 Titled, verso, middle left: Verborgen Directional arrow, back, top center: orientation twice Numbered, back, top left: 11

Provenance

The artist

Akira Ikeda Gallery, Japan, 2007

Exhibited

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CAREL VISSER (b. 1928 Papendrecht, The Netherlands – d. 2015 Le Fousseret, France)

Untitled
1965/1968
Aluminium
120 x 97 x 4 cm
47 1/4 x 38 1/4 x 1 5/8 inches

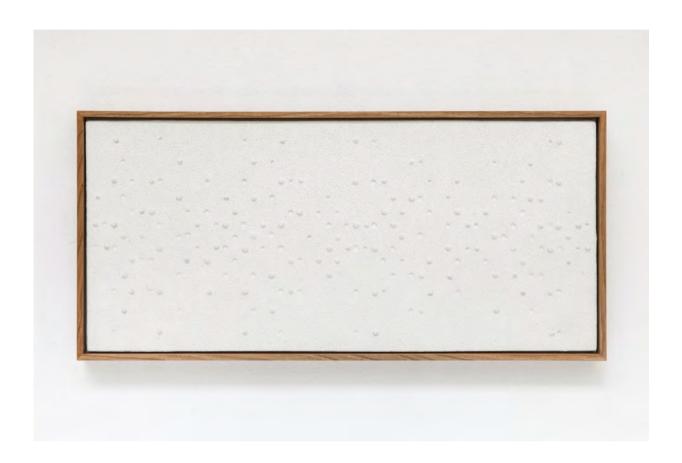
Provenance The artist

Exhibited

London, The Mayor Gallery, Carel Visser: Counterbalance, 18th Feb - 10th Apr 2015



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GERHARD VON GRAEVENITZ (b. 1934 Schilde, Germany – d. 1983 Hakpern, Switzerland)

Versuch //
1959
Painted plaster
21.8 x 49 cm
8 5/8 x 19 1/4 inches
Titled and dated verso

Provenance
The estate of the artist

Exhibited Galerie de Rijk, The Hague

Literature

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