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KAYA (Kerstin Brätsch & Debo Eilers)

Established in 2010 by Kerstin Brätsch and Debo Eilers Based in New York and Berlin

Solo Exhibitions and Performances (Selection)

2023	KAYAHÖLLEKÖLLE, JUBG, Cologne, Germany
	HISTORY_HERSTORY, Deborah Schamoni, Munich, Germany

- 2022 HOME, CICCIO, New York City, USA
- 2020 The Jewel Box, SCAD Museum of Art, Savannah, GA, USA Bergdorf Goodman, KAYA and Stephan Dillemuth, Schwabinggrad, Munich, Germany
- 2019 *Various Others*, with Paul Gondry invited by MX Gallery, Deborah Schamoni, Munich, Germany
- 2018 Kerstin Brätsch_Ruine / KAYA_KOVO, curated by Francesco Stocchi, Fondazione Memmo, Rome, Italy
 - KAYA_The Store presents CFGNY, Nic Xedro, N.O.Madski, Nhu Duong, curated by Gesine Borchert, Capri, Düsseldorf, Germany
 - KAYA, Friends and Family Featuring Mariechen Danz and Johannes Paul Raether, including Loredana and Nicolas An Xedro, curated by Nele Heinevetter, Tropez im Sommerbad Humboldthain, Berlin, Germany
 - Aktive Asche_Johannes Paul Raether & Mariechen Danz feat. KAYA with Nicolas An Xedro, curated by Nadia Pilchowski, Bärenzwinger, Berlin, Germany
- 2017 *KAYA* as part of *Kerstin Brätsch. Innovation*, curated by Patrizia Dander, Museum Brandhorst, Munich, Germany
- 2016 Liste Art Fair, Deborah Schamoni, Basel, Switzerland
- 2015 N.O.Madski presents Klub KAYA, Deborah Schamoni, Munich, Germany KAMP KAYA feat. KAYA, curated by Eva Birkenstock, KUB Kunsthaus Bregenz, Austria Paramount Ranch 2, KAYA invited by Freedman Fitzpatrick, incl. Daniel Chew as Burmamyanmar, with Strautcherepnin, Paramount Ranch, Los Angeles, USA KAYA V, curated by N.O.Madski, Galerie Meyer Kainer, Vienna, Austria
- 2014 *KAYA IV*, incl. Daniel Chew as Burmamyanmar, The Green Gallery, Milwaukee, USA
- 2013 KAYA III, incl. Daniel Chew as Burmamyanmar, 47 Canal, New York, USA
- 2012 KAYA II, Various Small Fires, Los Angeles, USA
- 2010 KAYA, 179 Canal, New York, USA

Group Exhibitions (Selection)

- 2024 Zwischen Pixel und Pigment. Hybride Malerei in postdigitalen Zeiten, as KAYA / Kerstin Brätsch, Marta Herford, Kunsthalle Bielefeld, Germany Seymour, Max Joseph Str. 7, Munich, Germany (upcoming)
- 2023 HORIZONS Did you get the signal?, curated by Robin Peckham and Simon Wang, Antenna Space, Shanghai, China JUBGWGGS #1, JUBG, Munich, Germany Georgie Nettell & Freya Field-Donovan, KAYA (Kerstin Brätsch & Debo Eilers), Vera Lutz, Materials/Materialien, Maque Pereyra & Portrait XO, Alexandra Symons-Sutcliffe mit MayDay

Rooms Archive & The Jo Spence Memorial Library Archive, "Terre Thaemlitz: Give Up On Hopes And Dreams" von Patrick Nation, firefly frequencies, Free Home University, Halle für Kunst, Lüneburg

2022 Future Bodies from a Recent Past, Museum Brandhorst, Munich VILLA ROMANA Fellows 2019/2020/2021, Kunstverein Braunschweig, Brunswick, Germany Aliens are temporary, Kunsthaus Bethanien, Berlin 50 Seconds, Soda Art space, Kyoto, Japan

2021 AB7: ECLIPSE, Athens Biennale, curated by Omsk Social Club and Larry Ossei-Mensah, Athens, Greece

Bijoux, Fitzpatrick Gallery, Paris, France

The Eyes Have It, Lehman College Art Gallery, Bronx, New York, USA Deine Kunst 5, curated by Michael Mueller, Städtischen Galerie Wolfsburg, Germany Lisa Jo, KAYA, Lukas Quietzsch and Padraig Timoney, The Downer, Berlin, Germany All I Think About Is You, an exhibition in cooperation with KUNSTSAELE Berlin, Galerie Georg Nothelfer Berlin, Germany

2020 MPP Milano, curated by Davide Stucchi, Milano, Italy

Museum Brandhorst's collection at NEUES MUSEUM Staatliches Museum für Kunst & Design Nürnberg, Germany

Radical Passivity I, with N.O.Madski, NGBK Berlin, Germany

Radical Passivity II, with N.O.Madski, HGB Galerie Leipzig, Germany

After Bob Ross. Beauty is everywhere, Museum im Bellpark, Kriens, Switzerland

YOU, Musee d'Art modern de la Ville de Paris, curated by Anne Dressen, Lafayette Anticipation Collection, Paris, France

2019 Le Amice, curated by Rita Selvaggio, Casa Masaccio, San Giovanni Valdarno, Italy Helmpflicht: Den Bogen spannen - 100 Jahre Darmstädter Sezession, curated by Thomas Georg Blank and Jonas Müller-Ahlheim, Kunsthalle Darmstadt, Darmstadt, Germany Forever Young, 10 Jahre Museum Brandhorst, Museum Brandhorst, Munich, Germany Groups, Kunstverein Braunschweig, Braunschweig, Germany 40,000, A Museum of Curiosity, Fellbach Small Sculpture Triennial 2019, curated by Brigitte Franzen, Fellbach, Germany

The Art Side of Kartell, curated by Ferruccio Laviani and Rita Selvaggio, Palazzo Reale, Milan. Italy

Hybrid Sculpture, Contemporary Sculpture from the Collection of the Stedelijk Museum, Amsterdam, Netherlands

Villa Romana Fellows 2019, including KAYA with Nicolas An Xedro, Villa Romana, Florence, Italy

Realismus mit Schleife, with N.O.Madski, Kunstverein Hamburger Bahnhof, Hamburg, Germany

2018 Chthonic Rift, Kraupa-Tuskany Zeidler, Berlin, Germany

The Vitalist Economy of Painting, curated by Isabelle Graw, Galerie Neu / MD 72, Berlin, Germany

Expérience Pommery #14 : L'esprit souterrain, with N.O.Madski, curated by Hugo Vitrani, Pommery caves, Reims, France

Blind Faith, Between the Visceral and the Cognitive in Contemporary Art, curated by Julienne Lorz, Daniel Milnes and Anna Schneider, Haus der Kunst, Munich, Germany Lemurenheim, Galerie Meyer Kainer, Vienna, Austria

2017 *Per_formare una collezione, The Show Must Go_ON*, Madre – Museo d'Arte Contemporanea Donnaregina, Naples, Italy / *KAYA NAPOLI*, workshop as KAYA, MADREscenza – Seasonal School, Naples, Italy

WILD WEST, Austrian Cultural Forum, New York, USA

The Leftovers, Simon Lee Gallery, New York, USA

Cul-De-Sac, curated by Franklin Melendez, Antenna Space, Shanghai, China

- Whitney Biennial 2017, curated by Christopher Y. Lew and Mia Locks, New York City, USA Eggy and Seedy, Reading: International, Reading, UK
- 2016 I Pledge Allegiance, curated by KM Temporaer, On Stellar Rays, New York, USA Blackmail, Svetlana Gallery, New York, USA Jahresgaben 2016/2017, Kunstverein Düsseldorf, Düsseldorf, Germany Painting 2.0: Expression in the Information Age, curated by Manuela Ammer, Achim Hochdörfer and David Joselit, mumok Museum moderner Kunst Stiftung Ludwig Wies
 - Hochdörfer and David Joselit, mumok Museum moderner Kunst Stiftung Ludwig Wien, Vienna, Austria
- 2015 Painting 2.0: Expression in the Information Age, curated by Achim Hochdörfer, David Joselit and Manuela Ammer, Museum Brandhorst, Munich, Germany

Jahresgaben 2015/2016, Kunstverein München, Munich, Germany

Jahresgaben 2015/2016, Neuer Aachener Kunstverein, Aachen, Germany

Full of Peril and Weirdness: Painting as a Universalism, curated by Robin Peckham, M Woods, Beijing, China

Halmos: INCUBATORACCELERATOR, curated by Kristen Chappa, Art In General, New York, USA

Sweating as Distribution, curated by Camilla Wills, Treize, Paris, France Yes We Are Open, Giò Marconi, Milan, Italy

2014 Kerstin Brätsch, KAYA Aquitaine, coproduction Monnaie de Paris and Frac Aquitaine, Bordeaux, France

One step ahead of moving backwards, with N.O.Madski, curated by KM Temporaer, Leap, Berlin, Germany

Hypothesis for an Exhibition, curated by Begum Yasar, Dominique Lévy Gallery, New York, USA

Come to my Castle, Old Room, New York, USA

- 2013 *KAYA I II III Nomad* in *Speculations on Anonymous Materials*, curated by Susanne Pfeffer, Fridericianum, Kassel, Germany
- 2010 KAYA, Performance at PS1 Moma, New York, USA

Press & Publications (Selection)

- 2019 Expérience Pommery #14 : L'esprit souterrain, Domaine Pommery, Reims, Beaux Arts éditions, Paris 2019
- Davide Stucchi, *Pittura Fossile, Kerstin Brätsch introduce i suoi nuovi lavori in* "stuccomarmo", on the occasion of Kerstin Brätsch_Ruine / KAYA_KOVO at Fondazione Memmo, Rome, Flash Art Italia 339, May-June 2018
 Bianca Stoppani, Kerstin Brätsch_Ruine / KAYA_KOVO at Fondazione Memmo, Rome, Mousse Magazine, Issue # 64, Summer 2018
 - Franklin Melendez, KAYA, KALEIDOSCOPE, Fall/Winter, 2017/18
- 2017 Whitney Biennial 2017, Whitney Museum, New York, USA

Weronika Trojanska, 2017 Whitney Biennial, Metropolis M, April 2017

Raul de Nieves, New York - *The 2017 Whitney Biennial at the Whitney Museum*, through June 11th, 2017, Art Observed, March 2017

Philip Greenberg, *Why the Whitney's Humanist, Pro-Diversity Biennial Is a Revelation*, The New York Times, 03/17/2017

Fan Zhong, Whitney Biennial 2017: How the Museum's Riskiest, Most Political Survey in Decades Came Together, W Magazine, March 2017

Siddhartha Mitter, *The Bold Groups Tying Art History to Political History at the Whitney Biennial*, Village Voice, March, 2017

Howard Halle, Review: 2017 Whitney Biennial, Time Out New York, March 2017

Andrew Russeth, *The 2017 Whitney Biennial Is a Moving, Forward-Looking Tour de Force – a Triumph*, ARTnews, March 2017

Benjamin Sutton, *An Omnivorous Tour of the 2017 Whitney Biennial*, Hyperallergic, March 2017

- 2016 KAYA, edited by Eva Birkenstock, Kunsthaus Bregenz, Austria, 2016
 Terry R. Myers, Painting 2.0: Expression in the Information Age, The Brooklyn Rail, February 2016
 - Boško Blagojević, Kerstin Brätsch and Debo Eilers, Art in America, January 2016
- 2015 Painting 2.0: Expression in the Information Age, edited by Achim Hochdörfer,
 David Joselit, Manuela Ammer, DelMonico / Prestel, Munich, London, NY 2015
 Martin Herbert, Mint Condition, frieze d/e, November 2015
 Quirin Brunnmeier, S is for Submission, gallerytalk.net, November 2015
 I Am Real, But..., Vienna Galleries, October 2015
 Maxwell Williams, Hippie Vibes Reign at Paramount Ranch, LA's Newest Fair,
 artnet news, February 2015
 Kevin McGarry, In Los Angeles, a Crop of Art Fairs to Suit All Tastes, NY Times Magazine,
 January 2015
- 2014 Hypothesis for an Exhibition, ed. by Begum Yasar, Dominique Lévy Gallery, 2014 Speculations on Anonymous Materials, ed. by Susanne Pfeffer, Fridericianum, Kassel, 2014 Kat Murrell, Mystery, Muse, and Money, Dial Urban Milwaukee, May 2014 Kerstin Stakemeier, Prosthetic Productions. The Art of Digital Bodies, Texte zur Kunst, March 2014
- 2013 M Hompes, Anonyme Materialien in Kassel, Is that art, December 2013
 Robin Peckham, Maturity and Social Media: A Report From the Margins, Turn on Art, November 2013
 Benoit Lamy de la Chapelle, Speculations on Anonymous Materials, Zerodeux, October 2013
 Alice Gregory, Margarets Lee's One-Woman Show, NY Times Magazine, August 2013
 Zack Etheart, KAYA III: Luck and Body Bags at 47 Canal, Interview Magazine, July 2013
- Carol Che, Best New Performance Art Space, LA Weekly, October 2012
 Carol Che, 25 Alternative LA Art Spaces to Check Out Now, LA Weekly, May 2012
 Carol Che, Debo Eilers and Kerstin Brätsch, Another Righteous Transfer, March 2012
- 2010 Critics Picks, *Debo Eilers / Kerstin Brätsch: Best in Mixed Media*, Time Out New York, January 2010

Grants & Residencies

- 2019 Villa Romana Prize, Prize Fellows 2019, Florence, Italy
- 2010 Foundation for the Arts Emergency Grant

Benefits & Donation

- 2013 Fundraiser for Kaya's College Fund, New York, USA
- 2012 Fundraiser for Innercityarts, Los Angeles, USA
- 2010 Fundraiser for 179 Canal, New York, USA

Museum and Public Collections (Selection)

Frac Nouvelle-Aquitaine La MÉCA, Bordeaux Hammer Museum, Los Angeles Lafayette Anticipations – Fondation Galeries Lafayette, Paris Sammlung Goetz, Munich Städtische Galerie im Lenbachhaus, Munich Stedelijk Museum, Amsterdam