

Capitain Petzel

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Born 1989 in Poznań, Poland

EDUCATION

- 2019 MFA Kunstakademie Münster, Germany
- 2016 MFA Academy of Fine Arts Warsaw, Poland
- 2015 Universität der Künste, Berlin, Germany

Lives and works in Paris, France and Düsseldorf, Germany

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2025 Salzburger Kunstverein, Austria (forthcoming)
- 2024 Jester, Genk, Belgium (forthcoming)
- 2023 *Heretics Forever*, Galerie Max Mayer, Düsseldorf, Germany
- 2022 *Leibeigene*, Kunsthalle Münster, Germany
Blue Wheat, Galeria Bielska BWA, Bielsko-Biała, Poland
- 2021 *Metamorphoses*, Polana Institute, Warsaw, Poland
- 2018 *The Doomed Ones, in the frames of The Department of Presence*, Museum of Modern Art, Warsaw, Poland

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2023 *Illiberal Lives*, Ludwig Forum, Aachen, Germany
- 2022 *Weak.End.Opera*, Shedhalle, Zurich, Switzerland
Gutsherren, MOS, Gorzów Wlkp., PL
- 2021 *Illiberal Arts. Institutions, Humiliation, Rituals, Perceptibilities*, Haus der Kulturen der Welt, Berlin, Germany
The Mudam Performance Season: The Illusion of the End, Mudam – The Contemporary Art Museum of Luxembourg, LUX *Metamorphoses*, Polana Institute, Warsaw, Poland
steirischer herbst, a festival, Graz, Austria
- 2020 *Warsaw Under Construction: Something Common*, Museum of Modern Art, Warsaw, Poland
Crack Up - Crack Down, Ujazdowski Castle Centre for Contemporary Art, Warsaw, Poland
On the Politics of Delicacy, Capitain Petzel, Berlin, Germany
i'm from nowhere good, Maison Populaire, Paris, France
- 2019 *Parasite Eve, a performance in the frames of Transcorporealities*, Ludwig Museum, Cologne, Germany
New Kingdom, Polana Institute, Warsaw, Poland
DISPLAY. Staging Identities, Dortmunder Kunstverein, Germany
Kurzfilmtage: Short Films Festival, Oberhausen, Germany
- 2018 *Artists' Film International*, Whitechapel Gallery, London, United Kingdom
Somewhere in Between: Contemporary Art Scenes in Europe., BOZAR, Brussels, Belgium
What Is Enlightenment?, Museum of Modern Art, Warsaw, Poland

PERFORMANCES

- 2023 *Lutzi Puppe Wutzi*, Forum Stadtpark, Graz
- 2021 *Peasants*, (with Nicholas Grafia), commissioned by Haus der Kulturen der Welt, Berlin
- 2020 *Weak Links of a Strong Chain*, (video series with Nicholas Grafia), Commissioned by Kunstverein für die Rheinlande und Westfalen Düsseldorf
Rooms, (with Nicholas Grafia), commissioned for the VII Moscow International Biennale for Young Art
- 2019 *It's 10pm. Do you know where your children are?* (with Nicholas Grafia), commissioned by Dortmunder Kunstverein

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2018 *The Accursed Ones*, (with Nicholas Grafia), commissioned by the Museum of Modern Art, Warsaw

PRIZES

- 2021 The Views. Deutsche Bank Award
Zachęta National Gallery of Art, Warsaw, Poland
Paszport Polityki for Visual Arts, Poland
DAAD Preis, Germany
- 2019 ING Polish Art Foundation, Poland
The Warsaw Gallery Weekend Prize, Poland
- 2018 NRW.Bank Kunstpreis, Germany

STIPENDS / RESIDENCIES

- 2023 Art Explora, Paris, France
- 2022 Rijksakademie van beeldende kunsten, Amsterdam, The Netherlands