

BERLIN ART WEEK 11—15 SEP 2024

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Berlin Art Week 2024: The Festival Programme is Here!

Berlin Art Week is pleased to announce the programme for this year's festival. With over 300 events, including more than 70 exhibition openings, over 100 participants will celebrate contemporary art in Berlin.

From 11—15 SEP 2024, together with more than 100 partners, including Berlin's most renowned museums and art institutions, private collections, project spaces, and numerous galleries, Berlin Art Week will present the capital's diverse contemporary art scene.

More than 70 exhibitions are opening throughout Berlin, featuring impressive artists such as Pier Paolo Pasolini, Pamela Rosenkranz, Santiago Sierra, Yoko Ono (n.b.k.), Sigmar Polke (Schinkel Pavillon), Alfredo Jaar, Samuel Fosso, Nina E. Schönfeld (Kindl—Centre for Contemporary Art), Rirkrit Tiravanija, Kerstin Brätsch (Gropius Bau), Patricia Belli (daadgalerie), Tracey Snelling (Haus am Lützowplatz), Sarah Ancelle Schönfeld (Schering Stiftung), Sara Ouhammadou (ifa-Galerie Berlin), and Gisèle Vienne (Haus am Waldsee, Georg Kolbe Museum, Sophiensæle). Additionally, outstanding artists like Candida Höfer (Akademie der Künste, Käthe-Kollwitz-Preis), Mariechen Danz (Berlinische Galerie, Gasag Kunstpreis), Rohini Devasher (PalaisPopulaire, Artist of the Year) or Laura Huertas Millán and Sarker Protick (C/O Berlin, After Nature. Ulrike Crespo Photography Prize) will be honoured with art prizes during Berlin Art Week. Aside from exciting solo shows, fascinating theme-focused exhibitions will open, such as ›Dream On—Berlin, the 90s‹ (Ostkreuz, C/O Berlin), ›Orangery of Care‹ (nGbK), ›SOCIETY. OR INFINITE REHEARSALS‹ (Savvy Contemporary) and ›Durchdringen: Das U/unheimliche s/Sehen (Inter/Penetration: The Uncanniness of Seeing)‹ (Stiftung Kunstforum Berliner Volksbank).

Unique special programmes promise an eventful festival beyond the numerous openings. A variety of live performances, for example by Göksu Kunak and Ewa Dziarnowska (Sophiensæle), Anan Fries (Hebbel am Ufer HAU2), and Yvonne Rainer's historic ›Trio A‹ (Neue Nationalgalerie) will be shown exclusively during Berlin Art Week. Livia Rita (Spoiler at Cank), Slavs and Tatars (Sinema Transtopia) and Alvin Lucier (singuhr—projekte), along with other selected special projects, will also enrich the Berlin Art Week programme thanks to ›BAW Featured‹. While Naama Tsabar, Lydia Lunch and Jelena Fužinato transform the Hamburger Bahnhof into a sound performance festival, KW Institute for Contemporary Art presents an entire performance weekend with Sarah Aviaja Hammeken and Amina Szecsödy. Haus der Kulturen der Welt invites you to a big opening weekend themed ›heimaten‹ and the haubrok foundation celebrates the final day of the festival week with a summer party. If you want to experience artists like Calla Henkel and Max Pitegoff (Fluentum), Donata Wenders and Thomas Florschuetz (Sammlung Ivo Wessel) up close, don't miss ›Meet the Artist‹, the new format in the collections.

The art market also excites with unique event formats during Berlin Art Week. In addition to the Positions Berlin Art Fair at former Tempelhof Airport, the festival week invites more than 50 of

Berlin's most important galleries to a Gallery Night by Gallery Weekend Berlin. There are some new venues to discover, such as KOW, Galerie Thomas Schulte and ChertLüdde, young positions like Oliver Bak (Sprüth Magers) and Kayode Ojo (Sweetwater) as well as various openings.

As a central meeting point for all visitors, the festival centre ›BAW Garten‹ at Gropius Bau invites you to discover the entire Berlin Art Week programme admission free and outdoors throughout the festival week. For five days, art enthusiasts and those curious about art can come together here to get in the mood for the festival with performances, workshops, drinks, and refreshments.

About Berlin Art Week: Berlin Art Week is a yearly contemporary art festival and major collaboration between important institutions in the Berlin art world. Every year for five days in September, the festival presents a diverse programme with more than 100 partners, from museums and exhibition venues to art fairs, private collections and project spaces as well as numerous galleries.

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