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The Art of Intervention



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Can political and socio-critical art “survive”? Martha Rosler asks famously. The lecture series *The Art of Intervention* takes this question as its cue to focus on art and culture’s critical and visionary contributions to current debates on the multiple crises of neoliberal global capitalism, migration, and reignited nationalisms. On the occasion of the exhibition by Martha Rosler and Hito Steyerl at the Kunstmuseum Basel Gegenwart, we will explore academic and artistic synergies that emanate from interventions that are intensely critical and fun, politically creative and creatively political, espousing queer-feminist, postcolonial and intersectional perspectives.

02.10.18 | 18 Uhr

Rethinking Debates on Freedom
of the Arts and its Limits

Banu Karaca, Istanbul

In Kooperation mit
Kulturanthropologie &
Nahoststudien

13.11.18 | 18 Uhr

Performing In Public Space at
the Time of Identity Claims and
Political Resistances

Michèle Magema, Paris

In Kooperation mit
Ethnologie & African Studies

16.10.18 | 18 Uhr

Unbuilding Gender:
Trans* Anarchitectures In
and Beyond the Work of
Gordon Matta-Clark

Jack Halberstam, New York

In Kooperation mit
Gender Studies & Urban Studies

27.11.18 | 18 Uhr

Wer interveniert? Gedanken aus
kunst/kultur_aktivistischer
Perspektive

Sarah Owens und

Rahel El-Maawi, Zürich

In Kooperation mit
Soziologie & Politikwissenschaften

29.11.18 | 18 Uhr

Art, War, Displacement

Roundtable Conversation with

Hito Steyerl, Heja Nitruk,

Sener Özmen (tbc) and Bilgin Ayata

Veranstaltungsort

Kunstmuseum Basel Gegenwart

St. Alban-Rheinweg 60

Eintritt frei

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