

Biography MAGNUS PLESSEN

Born in 1967, Hamburg
Lives and works in Berlin

Solo Exhibitions

- 2026 Galerie Lelong, Paris, FR
- 2025 *Dein Gesicht in meinen Händen*, WENTRUP, Berlin, DE
- 2023 *lucid density*, Mai 36 Galerie, Zurich, CH
- 2022 *Collagen*, Mai 36 Galerie, Zurich, CH
- 2021 *Hope, Love, Helium*, White Cube, London, UK
- 2019 *Magnus Plessen*, Mai 36 Galerie, Zurich, CH
- 2018 *zweitausendeinhuudertachtzehn*, Konrad Fischer Galerie, Düsseldorf, DE
Schablone und Fragment, Daniel Marzona Gallery, Berlin, DE
Mess Dress Mess Undress, White Cube, Hong Kong
- 2016 *The Skin of Volume*, White Cube, London, UK
Kunstparterre, Munich, DE
Gerhardsen Gerner, Oslo, NO
- 2015 *Neunzehnhundertvierzehn*, Mai 36 Galerie, Zurich, CH
- 2014 *19:14 Magnus Plessen*, The Rose Art Museum, Waltham, US
Konrad Fischer Galerie, Berlin, DE
- 2013 White Cube, São Paulo, BR
Gladstone Gallery, Brussels, BE

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- 2012 *Riding the Image*, White Cube, London, UK
Gladstone Gallery, New York, US
- 2010 Mai 36 Galerie, Zurich, CH
- 2009 Gladstone Gallery, New York, US
- 2008 *Freizeit*, Konrad Fischer Galerie, Berlin, DE
- 2007 Gladstone Gallery, New York, US
- 2006 Mai 36 Galerie, Zurich, CH
- 2005 *For Immediate Release*, Gladstone Gallery, New York, US
Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, US
- 2004 *Escape 315*, Centre Georges Pompidou, Paris, FR
Konrad Fischer Galerie, Düsseldorf, DE
Gladstone Gallery, New York, US
- 2003 Mai 36 Galerie, Zurich, CH
- 2002 MoMA PS1, New York, US
Malerei, K21 Kunstsammlung, Düsseldorf, DE
- 2001 Neues Kunstmuseum, Luzern, CH
- 1996 Galerie Volker Diehl, Berlin, DE

Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2026 *Homecoming* (curated by Polina Kosmadaki), Arndt Art Space, Athens, GR
- 2023 *A Theatre of Waiting*, The Cloud Collection, Nanjing, CN

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- 2022** *What is Left Unspoken: Love*, High Museum, Atlanta, US
- 2018** *salondergegenwart*, Hamburg, DE
Memory Palace, White Cube, London, UK
- 2016** *With a Touch of Pink – With a bit of Violet – With a Hint of Green – Dorothee Fischer – In Memoriam*, Konrad Fischer Galerie, Düsseldorf, DE
- 2014** *Fruits de la Passion: La Collection du Centre Pompidou*, The Hyogo Prefectural Museum of Art, Kobe, JP
- 2010** *Wojtek Bakowski, Piotr Bosacki, Magnus Plessen, Iza Tarasewicz, Philip Topolovac*, Galerie Isabella Czarnowska, Berlin, DE
Biennale für aktuelle Fotografie, Wilhelm-Hack-Museum & Kunsthalle Mannheim, DE
Americans Looking In. Center for Book Arts, New York, US
Florida Wild. McKenzie, Miami, US
- 2009** *Slow Paintings*, Museum Morsbroich, Leverkusen, DE
HUB: Dumont Editions, White Space, Beijing, CN
- 2008** *You Dig the Tunnel, I'll Hide the Soil*, White Cube, London, UK
The Krautcho Club / In and Out of Place, Forgotten Bar Project, Berlin, DE
- 2007** *Images in Painting*, Museu Serralves, Porto, PT
Eberhard Havekost, Johannes Kahrs, Magnus Plessen, Wilhelm Sasnal: Imagination Becomes Reality, Arbeiten aus der Sammlung Goetz, ZKM, Karlsruhe, DE
- 2006** *Infinite Paintings*, Villa Manin, Passariano, IT
Imagination Becomes Reality, Sammlung Goetz, Munich, DE
The Cartin Collection: Subject, Contemporary Portraiture, Lyman Allyn Art Museum, Connecticut, US
- 2005** *Bilder von Magnus Plessen und Fotos von Carlo Bottigello*, Kunstparterre e.V., Munich, DE
- 2004** *Direct Painting*, Kunsthalle Manheim, Germany

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Centre Georges Pompidou, Paris, FR

2003 *Clandestine, Dreams and Conflict*, Mai 36 Galerie, Zurich, CH
50th Venice Biennale

2002 *Startkapital*, K21 Kunstsammlung Nordrhein-Westfalen, Düsseldorf, DE

1999 *Missing Link: Menschen-Bilder in der Fotografie*, Kunstmuseum Bern, Switzerland, CH

Collections

Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, US

Centre Pompidou, Paris, FR

De La Cruz Collection, Miami, US

Ellipse Foundation, Cascais, PT

Fundación Amparo y Manuel, Mexico City, MX

Goetz Collection, Munich, DE

K21 Düsseldorf, Düsseldorf, DE

Museum of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles, US

Museum of Modern Art, New York, US

Rachofsky House, Dallas, US

Rose Art Museum, Massachusetts, US

Rubell Collection, Miami, US

Start Museum, Shanghai, CN

Walker Art Center, Minneapolis, US