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ACADEMIC EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS

Studied art, mathematics and theoretical physics in Vienna, Paris (Sorbonne), Lisbon, Frankfurt (Städelschule) with academic degree "Magistra rerum naturalium". Lecturer at the University of California Santa Barbara and at the Art University Linz.

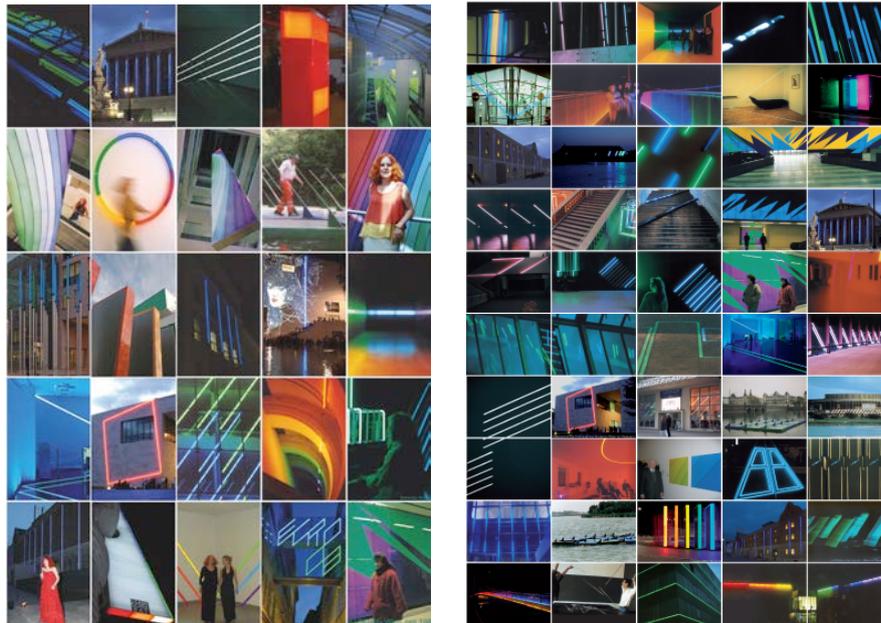
AWARDS

Member of the International Women's Forum
Board Member of the Austrian Society for Cultural Policy
Member of the International Kepes Society, Hungary
Membre Corr. de l' Académie Européenne des Sciences, des Arts et des Lettres, Paris
Kulturpreis des Landes Oberösterreich, Theodor Körner Preis, Kunstwürdigungspreis der Stadt Linz, Prix Ars Electronica,
Große Goldene Ehrenmedaille des Künstlerhauses Vienna, Award of the title "Professor" by Federal President Dr. Heinz Fischer.

PARTICIPATION IN IMPORTANT ART EVENTS AND FESTIVALS



Time Space Existence /Venice Biennale of Architecture 2016



Time Space Existence /Venice Biennale of Architecture 2014
European Capital of Culture Istanbul 2010



Project of the City of Venice for the Biennale 2009: " The Light of Sant'Erasmus "

Museum für Konkrete Kunst Ingolstadt 2004 (Light sculpture)
 Kunstmuseum Lentos Linz 2004
 Festival "Lux Europae" Copenhagen 2003
 Galerie Ludwig Oberhausen 1999
 Media Festival "Pour une Ecologie des Média" Paris 1999



Arte Laguna/Venice Biennale 1995: "Light Fleet" ✨

Festival Femme Totale Dortmund 1991
 Media Festival "Siggraph" Boston 1989
 Media Festival SiRITT Bourges 1989
 Festival "Images du Futur" Montréal 1988
 Messe Hannover: Pavillion of the City of Bremen: computer regulated light installation 1988
 Festival des Arts de l'Univers Scientifique et Technique Toulouse 1988
 Festival Arte Elettronica Camerino 1988
 Ars Electronica Festival Linz 1988, 1987, 1986, 1984



Venice Biennale 1986/Art and Science: " Sounding Names" ✨

Messe Frankfurt: Raum-Kunst-Textil 1984
 Brucknerhaus Linz 1983: International Festival Andere Avantgarde
 Art Basel 1983/ Galerie Grita Insam
 Bari Art Fair/Modern Art Galerie/Grita Insam Vienna 1979
 Internationales Performancefestival Linz 1979
 Wiener Festwochen 1981, 1980, 1979

EXHIBITIONS AND LIGHT INSTALLATIONS

Kunstmuseum Celle 2017: SIGNAL
 Laboratory of Art: Art on Prescription, Venice 2017
 Lower Belvedere & Orangery Vienna 2016: MORE THAN ZERO
 Kunsthalle Budapest 2015: A Nemzetközi Fényműhely kiállítás
 Strathmore Fine Arts Washington 2014: WHAT'S UP: New Technologies in Art
 Museum der Wahrnehmung Graz: Art Liquid. 2013 (solo show)
 Museum Angerlehner Wels 2013: Light installations façade and Museum Bridge 2013
 Kunstmuseum Celle: Einleuchten 2012 (solo show together with Hartung Trenz)
 Vasarely Museum Budapest 2012: "Chance as Strategy"
 Galerie Artplosis Munich and Freiburg 2012: "Melange"
 Kunsthalle Schloss Seefeld Munich 2012: "Light and Reflections "
 Kepes Museum Eger 2012: Opening Exhibition
 Art Museum Nordico/ Art Museum Lentos Linz 2009: Brehm. Cooper. Dorfer
 Leopold Museum Vienna 2011: Ten Years Leopold Museum (computer regulated light installation façade)
 The Austrian Parliament Vienna 2010, 2008, 2007 (computer regulated light installations façade)
 Austrian Ministry of Foreign Affairs 2008 (light installation façade)
 Artlife Gallery Venice 2008 (solo show)
 German Museum of Technology Berlin 2008: " Mathema "
 Museum im Kulturspeicher Würzburg 2008 plus computer regulated light installation façade
 Museum Ritter near Stuttgart 2006: Hommage to the Square (computer regulated light installation façade)
 Bridge between Austria and Germany 2006 (light installation)
 ZKM/Museum of Contemporary Art, Karlsruhe 2005: Lichtkunst aus Kunstlicht plus light installation façade
 Wilhelm Lehmbruck Museum Duisburg 2004: Lichtkunst.Stadtlicht plus light installation façade
 Künstlerhaus Vienna 2001: Cooper Gerngroß Wimmer
 Olympic Fine Arts Beijing 2000
 Galleria Nazionale d' Arte Moderna Roma 2002
 Galerie im Stifterhaus Linz 1998 (solo show)
 Art and Exhibition Hall of the Federal Republic of Germany Bonn 1996: "Kunst aus Österreich 1896-1996 "
 Aral Duisburg 1996/Lehmbruck Museum Duisburg: "Energiefeld" (computer regulated light sculpture)
 Museum Moderner Kunst, Palais Liechtenstein, Vienna 1996
 Lotto Toto Vienna 1995 : " Lichtteppich "

RAINBOW TRILOGY FOR PEACE

Austria 1999 Europe 2004 Worldwide 2015



Rainbow across Austria 1999: Festspielhaus Bregenz, Goldenes Dachl Innsbruck, Festung Hohensalzburg, Financial Building East & West Linz, Museum der Wahrnehmung Graz, Gloriette/Schönbrunn Palace Vienna Museum (façades).

Rainbow for Europe 2004: Royal Castle Warsaw, Brandenburg Gate Berlin, Colosseum Rome, Kunsthistorisches Museum Vienna, European Parliament Brussels (Info Point), Saviour Cathedral Moscow (façades).
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Worldwide Rainbow 2015: Private Home: N-America, Olympia Stadion Beijing: Asia, Museu Oscar Niemeyer Curitiba: S-America, Kunsthistorisches Museum Vienna: Europe, Gizeh Pyramids Egypt: Africa, Sydney Opera House: Australia.

& Vienna Rainbow 2015: Hofburg, Kunsthistorisches Museum, Naturhistorisches Museum.



Rainbow across Salzburg 1999, 2000, 2004: Glockenspiel, Festung Hohensalzburg, Cathedral, Mozart Monument, Town Hall, University Church (light installations façade)

IRCAM/Centre Pompidou Paris: "Chronik" 1994
Bronx Museum New York 1991 : "Third Emerging Expressions Biennial"
Karl-Franzens-Universität Graz 1990: "Chronik" (light installation foyer)
Secession Vienna "Logische Kunst" 1987
Wilhelm Hack Museum Ludwigshafen 1987: "Mathematics in the Art of the Past 30 Years "
Stedelijk Museum Amsterdam 1987: "The Art Machine"
Austria Vienna International Center 1987: "Friedensfries "
Museum of Modern Art Vienna 1985 : "Kunst mit Eigensinn"
Kunsthhaus Hamburg 1984: "Grenzüberschreitungen"
IBM Salzburg 1984: "Light Lines"
Galerie Grita Insam Vienna (solo shows 1983, 1978, 1975)
Künstlerhaus Vienna (mit Marga Persson und Osamu Nakajima) 1981
Galerie Maerz Linz 1981 (solo show)
Kunsthhaus Hamburg 1980: Konkrete Kunst und Architektur
Secession Vienna: Logische Kunst 1978
Galerie Eckenheimer Frankfurt am Main 1977 (solo show)
Kunstverein Frankfurt 1977: "Frauen International 1877-1977"
Schloss Charlottenburg Berlin 1977: "Frauen International 1877-1977"
Galerie im Taxispalais Innsbruck 1976 (solo show)
Galeria São Francisco Lisbon 1970 (solo show)

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