



BENITA SUCHODREV

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Benita Suchodrev was born in Tbilisi, Georgia and was raised in the United States where she received her Bachelor's degree in Liberal Arts with a focus on Art History from SUNY Purchase, New York, continuing to a Master of Arts in English Literature, graduating with high honors.

In 2008 Benita relocated to Berlin where she began an extensive documentation of the cosmopolitan city's multifaceted art scene while working on diverse photographic projects.

In addition to publishing *Of Lions and Lambs* (2019) and *48 Hours Blackpool* (2018) with KEHRER Verlag, her photographs have appeared in *Nachtleben Berlin 1974 – bis heute* (Metrolit Verlag, 2013), *Berlin Now* (teNeues Verlag, 2009) and have been covered by various media including Arte, The guardian, Zeit Online, ARD, Rbb24 Kulturradio, Frankfurter Allgemeine Zeitung, Mare Magazine, Berliner Zeitung, Stern.de, Amica Italy, Die Tageszeitung, Tagesspiegel, MIND China and The Moscow Times, among others.

Her portrait and documentary work has been exhibited in solo and group shows nationally and internationally and is part of the Michael Horbach Stiftung in Cologne, Willy-Brandt-Haus in Berlin, the Rafael Tous Foundation for Contemporary Art in Barcelona and international private collections. Benita is a member of the photographers' agency FOCUS. She currently lives and works in Berlin.

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SELECTED EXHIBITIONS

Solo Exhibitions

48 HOURS BLACKPOOL
March 30 – Mai 12, 2019
WILLY-BRANDT-HAUS
Stresemannstraße 28, 10963 Berlin, Germany

PUPPET MASTERS

October 27 – December 20, 2018

HfS Ernst Busch

Zinnowitzer Straße 11, 10115 Berlin, Germany

PUPPET MASTERS

September 28 – December 01, 2019

Musiktheater im Revier

Kennedyplatz, Gelsenkirchen, Germany

ЛЕДИ В РАЗГАРЕ / WOMAN IN HEAT

February 12 - March 31, 2013

Fotoloft Gallery

Contemporary Art Centre Winzavod,

4-th Syromyatnicheskiy Lane, 1, Building 6, Moscow, Russia

WOMAN IN HEAT

March 30 - April 29, 2012

Carpentier Galerie

Meinekestraße 13, 10719 Berlin, Germany

FACES AND SPACES

April 17 - May 5, 2009

25books

Brunnenstraße 125, 10115 Berlin, Germany

FACES OF BERLIN

January 29 - February 1, 2009

PREMIUM- International Fashion Trade Show Station-Berlin

Luckenwalder Straße 4-6, 10963 Berlin, Germany

Group Exhibitions

UNVRSCHÄMTE SCHÖNHEIT

July 10- August 19, 2022

Michael Horbach Stiftung

Wormser Str. 23, 50677 Cologne, Germany

SUPERMERCADO

December 10, 2021- January 15, 2022

Bermel von Luxburg Gallery

Fassanenstrasse 29, 107619 Berlin, Germany

GRENZGANG FOTOKUNST

11. Wiesbadener Fototage

August 17 – September 01, 2019

Kunsthau Wiesbaden | Schulberg 10, 65183 Wiesbaden, Germany

Rathaus Wiesbaden | Schloßpl. 6, 65183 Wiesbaden, Germany

WHO DO YOU THINK I AM

“Imagine” freie Klasse Eva Bertram

October 27 – January 20, 2018

Neue Schule für Fotografie

Brunnenstraße 188-190, 10119 Berlin, Germany

LIEUX DE MÉMOIRE | SITES OF MEMORY

December 8, 2017 – February 2, 2018

pavlov's dog

Bergstrasse 19, 10115 Berlin, Germany

SELECTED WORKS

February 11 – March 12 2016

White Brush Gallery – André Schnaudt

Altstadt 13 (Ratingerstr.), 40213 Düsseldorf, Germany

SHOOTING KITTY

August 10 - August 31, 2013

Carpentier Galerie

Meinekestraße 13, 10719 Berlin, Germany

SCHWERE GLÜCK BESCHÄFTIGUNG

September 18, 2009 - September 19, 2009

GALERIE IM REGIERUNGSVIERTEL THE FORGOTTEN BAR

10937 Berlin, Germany

PAPERGIRL

July 17, 2009 - July 31, 2009

Alte Post Neukölln

Karl-Marx-Straße 97/99, 12043 Berlin, Germany

RELIQUARIES OF EMPIRES DUST May 1, 2009 - June 16, 2009

Bereznitsky - Kiew.Berlin Gallery for Contemporary Art

Heidestrasse 73, 10557 Berlin, Germany

OX/01 FRISE-Kunstkammer

March 4, 2009 - March 25, 2009

Künstlerhaus Hamburg e.V. und Abbildungszentrum FRISE

Arnoldstrasse 26-30, 22765 Hamburg, Germany

ART OF EMERGENCY

February 5, 2009 - March 15, 2009

Artneuland

Schumannstr. 18, 10117 Berlin, Germany

GIB MIR STOFF

January 23, 2009 - March 1, 2009

Foto-Shop Galerie

Brunnenstraße 11, 10119 Berlin, Germany

ART FAIRS

Kehrer Verlag

PARIS PHOTO

November 7 - November 10, 2018 | November 7 - November 10, 2019

Grand Palais

Avenue Winston Churchill , 75008 Paris, France

Frida Fine Arts Gallery

ART MONACO

April 25 - April 28, 2013

10 Avenue Princess Grace, 98000 Monaco

BOOKS

UNVERSCHÄMTE SCHÖNHEIT
Sammlung Michael Horbach Stiftung | July 2022

OF LIONS AND LAMBS
Kehrer Verlag | November 2019

48 HOURS BLACKPOOL
Kehrer Verlag | September 2018

NACHTLEBEN BERLIN 1974 - BIS HEUTE
Metrolit Verlag | October 2013

WOMAN IN HEAT
Edition Carpentier
Exhibition catalog, edition of 100 | October 2012

BERLIN NOW
teNeues Verlag | September 2009

COLLECTIONS

Freundeskreis Willy-Brandt-Haus
Berlin, Germany

Michael Horbach Stiftung
Cologne, Germany

Rafael Tous Foundation for Contemporary Art
Barcelona, Spain

Private Collections
Berlin, Moscow, New York

PUBLICATIONS

THE GUARDIAN, ARTE, ZEIT ONLINE, ARD, Frankfurter Allgemeine Zeitung, Berliner Zeitung, Deutsche Welle, RBB24 Kulturradio, HR2, STERN.DE, DNCHT, AMICA Italy, ART, Berliner Zeitung, Die Tageszeitung, Tagesspiegel, MARE magazine, SCHWARZWEISS magazine, SNOECKS Belgium, Neues Deutschland, MIND China, The Moscow Times, L'oeil de la photographie, NOOVO Editions Barcelona, Brennpunkt Magazine Germany, Российский Фото Союз (Russian Photographers Union), Photo & Video Magazine Russia, Искусство - The Art Magazine Russia, Вести ФМ - Vesti FM Russia, Page42 TV Magazine Russia, FMD Magazine Russia, among others.

SELECTED AWARDS / GRANTS

2020 Monat der Fotografie OFF-Berlin, Germany - Jury Award 2020 for *Of Lions and Lambs*

2019 Wiesbadener Fototage, Wiesbaden, Germany – Publikumspreis (People's Choice Award) for project *48 Hours Blackpool*

2012 Grand Prix de la Découverte, Paris, France – two Juror Awards of Merit for project *Limbus*.

2012 IPA - International Photography Awards, New York, USA – three Deeper Perspective Finalist Awards for *Woman in Heat*.

CURATORIAL

ECHO DES KRIEGES

September 12, 2020 – January 10, 2021

WILLY-BRANDT-HAUS

Stresemannstraße 28, 10963 Berlin, Germany

ECHOES OF WAR

May 07, 2015 – June 24, 2015

Blick.Macht.Bild Atelier für Fotografie

Motzstraße 52, 10777 Berlin, Germany

PUBLIC SPEAKING

LUXEMBOURG STREET PHOTOGRAPHY FESTIVAL | May 13 – 16, 2021

ARTIST IN ACTION | October 10, 2020 | EMOP (European Month of Photography) Berlin

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