



CologneOFF 2013 USA

New Media Room

February 23 – March 30, 2013

Opening Reception February 23, 7-10 PM

CologneOFF, Cologne International Videoart Festival is a nomadic festival project travelling around the globe during 2013, making a stop on its tour in Newark to present 5 programs of single channel videos. The four programs are curated by the director of Cologne International Videoart Festival, Wilfried Agricola de Cologne. CologneOFF VII - Art & the City explores how artists experience the urban environment, while CologneOFF VIII -Memory & Identity tackles essential questions of human existence in relation with others. The third program, entitled "[self]-imaging" include artists portraying themselves via the medium of video. The two final programs are "Visionary Insights" a selection from animateCOLOGNE - Cologne Art & Animation Festival, and "Look! That's it!" presents selections curated from 12 international festivals. In its totality, the show presents the diversity of global video art creation by presenting a variety of artistic and curatorial approaches.

Artists: Matthias Härenstam (Sweden), Albert Merino (Spain), Francesca Fini (Italy), Sarah Mock (Germany), Yuriy Kruchak, Yulia Kostereva (UA), Oksana Chepelyk (Ukraine), Liu Wei (China), Eva Olsson (Sweden), Andres Jurado (Colombia), Alessandro Amaducci (Italy), Johanna Reich (Germany), Susanne Wiegner (Germany), My Name is Scot (Canada), Ryota Hamasaki (Japan), Przemek Węgrzyn (Poland), Emanuela Iorga (Moldova), Mark Kadota (Japan), David King (Australia), Jonathan Minard and James George (USA), Beate Hecher/Markus Keim (Austria), Emilio Bassail (Mexico), Nicola Bergström Hansen (Sweden), Jean-Michel Rolland (France), Dario Bardic (Croatia), Mihai Grecu (Romania), Shuai Cheng Pu (Taiwan), Arjan Brentjes (Netherlands), Wrik Mead (Canada), Kaspars Groshevs (Latvia), Karolien Soete (Belgium), Sergio Sotomayor (Spain), Caro Estrada (Austria), Pablo Fernandez-Pujol (España), Lee Welch (Ireland), Jen Ross (UK), Cyane Tornatzky (USA), Cynthia Whelan (UK), Barry Morse (USA), Shiftwork (UK), Jonas Nilsson (Sweden), Luc Gut (CH), Sally & Mo (Iceland), Andre Rangel (Brazil), Angela Washko (USA), Sibylle Trickes (Germany), Agricola de Cologne (Germany), Lara Salinas (Spain), Virginie Foloppe (France), Sonja Vuk (Croatia), Doug Williams (USA), Owen Eric Wood (Canada), Yiotis Vrantzas (Greece), Guli Silberstein (UK/Israel), Alexandra Mitlyanskaya (Russia), Jacob Tonsky (USA), Jean Paul Zelada (Peru), Tiberiu Fekete (Romania), Juan Pablo Zaramella (Argentina), Arab Media Lab Project, (Morocco/NL), Khanyisile Mbongwa, James Taylor (RSA), Shahar Marcus (Israel)