

DAVID MUTH

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## SHORT BIOGRAPHY

David Muth is an artist, musician and programmer. Having grown up in Salzburg, Austria, he relocated to the UK to study at Middlesex University, where he received an MA in Digital Arts. He currently lives and works in London, Salzburg and Turku.

His artistic practice combines conceptual and experimental approaches and is informed by his background in architecture. His projects range from installations and responsive environments, through video and experimental documentary, to composition and performance of music.

Muth's work has been shown on numerous occasions internationally, with venues and events including the Musée d'Art Contemporain in Montreal, the Kiasma Museum of Modern Art in Helsinki, Ars Electronica in Linz, ISEA2006 in San Jose, Le Cube in Paris, Montevideo in Amsterdam, Laboral in Gijón, SIGGRAPH2009 in New Orleans and the Museo Reina Sofia in Madrid. He also teaches at Goldsmiths and the Royal College of Art.

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## LONG-TERM ACTIVITIES

- since 2007 Visiting Lecturer at Goldsmiths University of London, Department of Design  
<http://www.goldsmiths.ac.uk/>
- since 2005 Tutor at the Royal College of Art, MA Design Interactions  
<http://www.rca.ac.uk/>
- 2008-2009 Academic Consultant at FH Salzburg, Austria  
<http://www.fh-salzburg.at/>
- 2001-2007 Visiting Lecturer at Ravensbourne College of Design and Communication  
MA Interactive Digital Media  
<http://www.rave.ac.uk/>
- 2000-2003 Design, Programming & Concepts at Soda Creative Ltd  
<http://www.soda.co.uk/>
- Soda awards:  
Sodaplay wins the "Interactive Arts" award in the 2001 BAFTA (British Academy of Film and Television Arts) Interactive Entertainment ceremony in London  
<http://www.sodaplay.com/>
- 1999-2002 Member of band Karamasov (Satellite Records, UK)  
<http://www.karamasov.org/>

## GRANTS

- 2012 Arts Council of Finland
- 2011 BMUKK, Austrian Federal Ministry for Education, Arts and Culture  
Goethe-Institut Finnland, Helsinki, Finland
- 2010 BMUKK, Austrian Federal Ministry for Education, Arts and Culture
- 2008 BMUKK, Austrian Federal Ministry for Education, Arts and Culture  
The Joan Mitchell Foundation, New York, USA
- 2007 Stroom, The Hague, Netherlands  
Gemeente Den Haag, The Hague, Netherlands  
Heden, The Hague, Netherlands

## RESIDENCIES

- 2012 Skaftfell Center for Visual Art, Seydisfjördur, Iceland
- 2010 Arte Association's Artists' Residency Sumu, Turku, Finland
- 2008 Atlantic Center for the Arts, New Smyrna Beach, Florida, USA
- 2007 Nest, DCR, The Hague, Netherlands

## PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

Museum of Modern Art Salzburg, Austria  
ZKM, Center for Art and Media Karlsruhe, Germany

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## EXHIBITIONS & FESTIVALS (Selected)

- 2012  
 Photographic Gallery Hippolyte, Helsinki, Finland (solo)  
 Photographic Centre Peri, Turku, Finland (solo)  
 Galleria Rajatila, Tampere, Finland (solo)  
 Galleria Jangva, Helsinki, Finland (solo, as part of the Helsinki Photography Biennial)  
 FILE, Oi Futuro, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
- 2011  
 dieschönestadt, Halle, Germany (curated by Katrin Hanusch)  
 Punto y Raya Festival, Museo Reina Sofía, Madrid, Spain  
 STRP Festival, Eindhoven, Netherlands  
 Ars Electronica, Linz, Austria  
 FILE, SESI Gallery, Sao Paulo, Brazil  
 Summer Camp, Exile, Berlin, Germany (curated by Christian Siekmeier & Robin John Berwing)  
 Optofonica at Biorhythm, Eyebeam, New York, USA  
 Kuulopuheita/Through The Grapevine, Titanik Gallery, Turku, Finland (curated by Kimmo Modig)  
 Viennafair (Edition Medienturm), Vienna, Austria  
 Stuttgart Festival of Animated Film, Stuttgart, Germany (curated by Cornelia and Holger Lund)  
 Kutomo, Turku, Finland  
 Imagetanz, Brut im Künstlerhaus, Vienna, Austria
- 2010  
 Simultan, Timisoara, Romania  
 Kuala Lumpur Design Week, Malaysia  
 Titanik Gallery, Turku, Finland  
 Espacio Fundación Telefónica, Buenos Aires, Argentina  
 Centro Fundación Telefónica, Lima, Peru  
 CCC, Shizuoka, Japan
- 2009  
 Arte.mov, Bello Horizonte, Brazil  
 KOBE Biennale 2009, Kobe Design University, Japan  
 Konya 2023, Fukuoka, Japan  
 Punto y Raya Festival, Arts Santa Mònica, Barcelona, Spain  
 Dotmov at CREAM International Festival for Arts and Media Yokohama, Japan  
 Ars Electronica, Linz, Austria  
 On Escape Salzburg, Koje 38, Salzburg, Austria (curated by Amer Abbas)  
 SIGGRAPH, Ernest N. Morial Convention Center, New Orleans, USA  
 FILE, SESI Gallery, Sao Paulo, Brazil  
 Simultan, Timisoara, Romania  
 WRO Media Art Biennale, Wroclaw, Poland  
 Vous N'êtes Pas Devant La Télévision, Centre de Création Contemporaine, Tours, France  
 FILE, Oi Futuro, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
- 2008  
 Multiplexed, E:vent, London, UK (curator)  
 Optica, Gijón, Spain  
 Canariasmediafest, Las Palmas, Gran Canaria  
 Optica, Madrid, Spain  
 Nowhere/Now/Here, LABoral Centro de Arte y Creación Industrial, Gijón, Spain  
 Crossing Over, Royal Institution of Great Britain, London, UK  
 Processing Exhibition, Online  
 LA Freewaves, Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles, USA  
 Optica, La Nuit Blanche, Institut Cervantès, Paris, France  
 MFRU, Maribor, Slovenia  
 FILE, SESI Gallery, Sao Paulo, Brazil  
 Optofonica, Montevideo, Amsterdam, Netherlands  
 Elektra, Montreal, Canada  
 San Francisco International Film Festival, Sundance Cinema Kabuki, USA  
 FILE, Oi Futuro, Rio De Janeiro, Brazil  
 Optronica, Le Cube, Paris, France (curated by Françoise Lamy)

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- 2007 1.3, City Art Museum, Ljubljana, Slovenia (curated by Dietmar Offenhuber)  
Videomedija, Museum of Vojvodina, Novi Sad, Serbia  
A Matter Of Fact, Nest, DCR, The Hague, Netherlands (curator)  
Playgrounds Audiovisual Arts Festival, Tilburg, Netherlands  
Electrofringe, Newcastle, Australia  
FILE, SESI Gallery, Sao Paulo, Brazil  
WRO Media Art Biennale, Wroclaw, Poland  
Watermans, London, UK (with Music For Bodies)
- 2006 Aura Spurt, Zhongshan Hall, Taipei, Taiwan (with Music For Bodies)  
Lille 3000, Maison Folie de Wazemme, Lille, France (with Music For Bodies)  
Ars Electronica, O.K Centrum für Gegenwartskunst, Linz, Austria  
Ars Electronica, Stift St. Florian, Austria  
ISEA, San Jose, USA  
Xuhui Art Museum, Shanghai, China (with Music For Bodies)  
Darklight, Dublin, Ireland  
S1 Artspace, Sheffield, UK
- 2005 Atelier Sternhofweg, Salzburg, Austria  
Videomedija, Museum of Vojvodina, Novi Sad, Serbia  
WRO Media Art Biennale, Wroclaw, Poland
- 2004 PixelACHE, Kiasma Museum of Contemporary Art, Helsinki, Finland
- 2003 DMZ, Limehouse Town Hall, London, UK  
291 Gallery, London, UK
- 2001 FCMM, Musée d'Art Contemporain, Montreal, Canada

## CURATORIAL PROJECTS

- 2010 Multiplexed, Titanik Gallery, Turku, Finland
- 2008 Multiplexed, E:vent Gallery, London, UK  
Digital Auteurs, Node.London Spring '08, The Fleapit, London, UK
- 2007 A Matter Of Fact, Nest, DCR, The Hague, Netherlands

## TALKS & PRESENTATIONS

- 2010 Media Lab Helsinki, Aalto University, Helsinki, Finland  
Royal College of Art, Department of Architecture, London, UK  
Kitchen Budapest, Hungary  
University of Applied Arts, Vienna, Austria (class: Virgil Widrich)  
Pixelache, Kerava Art Museum, Helsinki, Finland
- 2009 Computer Space, Czech Center, Sofia, Bulgaria
- 2008 Atlantic Center For The Arts, New Smyrna Beach, Florida, USA
- 2007 Playgrounds Audiovisual Arts Festival, Tilburg, Netherlands  
Lovebytes, Sheffield, UK  
Takeaway, Science Museum's Dana Centre, London, UK
- 2006 Resonance FM, London, UK  
Dorkbot, London, UK  
ICA, London, UK  
Spark Festival of Electronic Music & Art, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, USA
- 2005 LAM, Goldsmiths College, London, UK  
WRO Media Arts Biennale, Wroclaw, Poland
- 2004 Camberwell College of Arts, London, UK  
NIFCA (Nordic Institute For Contemporary Arts), Suomenlinna, Finland
- 2003 NIME03, McGill University, Montreal, Canada
- 2001 FCMM, Ex-Centris, Montreal, Canada

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## RELEASES

- 2011 Prix Ars Electronica 2011: Animation Showcase, DVD Compilation, Linz, Austria  
MUU FOR EARS 8, Compilation, published by MUU Gallery, Helsinki, Finland
- 2010 Five Patterns, Edition Medienturm, Graz, Austria
- 2009 Omo: Sounds in Search for Ear, Compilation, Label: Lo & Loaf Recordings  
Optofonica, DVD Compilation, Label: LINE / 12K (USA)  
Omo: Domestic Pop, Compilation, Label: Loaf Recordings (UK)  
Omo: The White Album, Album, Label: Loaf Recordings (UK)  
Omo: Oversized, 7" Split Single (with "The Chap"), Label: Loaf Recordings (UK)
- 2008 Omo: Kalk Seeds 2, Compilation, Label: Karaoke Kalk (DE)
- 2007 Omo: OMSKBOOK Sound, Compilation, funded by Arts Council England (UK)
- 2001 Karamasov: Divorce Your Loved Ones With Dignity, Album, Label: Satellite Records (UK)

## PUBLICATIONS & ARTICLES (Selected)

- 2011 Kuulopuheita/Through The Grapevine, Exhibition Review, Turun Sanomat, Turku, Finland  
Catalogue: Performanssi 2011, Turku, Finland
- 2009 Omo: Review, The White Album, Der Standard, Austria  
Omo: Review, The White Album, The Wire, UK  
Omo: Review, The White Album, Spex, Germany  
Omo: Review, The White Album, Groove Magazine, Germany  
Omo: Review, The White Album, De:Bug, Germany  
Omo: Review, The White Album, Cyclic Defrost, Australia  
Material Beliefs, Goldsmiths, London, UK  
Catalogue: SIGGRAPH 2009, New Orleans, USA
- 2008 Nowhere/Now/Here, LABoral Centro de Arte, Gijón, Spain  
Crossing Over, Royal Institution of Great Britain, London, UK  
Catalogue: Canariasmediafest, Las Palmas, Gran Canaria  
Flak Photo, online photography magazine (edited by Andy Adams)
- 2007 Catalogue: 1.3, City Art Museum, Ljubljana, Slovenia  
Interview, Intersection Magazine, Spring Issue, London, UK  
A Matter Of Fact, Article, Den Haag Centraal, The Hague, Netherlands
- 2006 Catalogue: ISEA, San Jose, USA
- 2005 SeeSaw, online photography magazine (edited by Aaron Schuman)
- 2003 NIME Proceedings 03, McGill University, Montreal, Canada
- 2001 Catalogue: FCMM, Musée d'Art Contemporain, Montreal, Canada

## LECTURES & WORKSHOPS

- 2011 FH Salzburg, Austria  
Royal College of Art, MA Architecture, London, UK
- 2010 FH Salzburg, Austria
- 2007 Kinetica Museum, London, UK  
Lovebytes, Sheffield, UK  
Science Museum's Dana Centre, London, UK  
University of Plymouth, UK
- 2006 Science Museum's Dana Centre, London, UK  
Access Space, Sheffield, UK
- 2004 Camberwell College of Arts, London, UK