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Vorlesungsverzeichnis 20F

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Zürcher Hochschule der Künste Zürcher Fachhochschule

Context: Art & Digitalization

Angebot für

Bisheriges Studienmodell > Fine Arts > Bachelor Fine Arts > Kontext

Nummer und Typ BFA-BFA-Ko.20F.010 / Moduldurchführung

Modul Kontext

Veranstalter Departement Fine Arts
Leitung Cory Michael Arcangel

Anzahl Teilnehmende maximal 17
ECTS 3 Credits

Voraussetzungen Course language: English

Familiarity with personal computing devices

The course is not open for students who attended it last semester

Lehrform Workshop

Zielgruppen Open for exchange students.

Lernziele / Kompetenzen Our goals will be to understand contemporary art's reliance on context, and how this reliance can be confused, warped, or rendered null by the nearly limitless

contexts of today's digital world.

Inhalte Since the 1980's artist's have been making art which is meant to be experienced

over networks. This expanding field is called net art.

The great thing about this type of art is many works can be experienced through a web browser at home, or on a cell phone, or in a class room. Taking advantage of this accessibility, we will be looking at seminal examples of net art from the last 30 years. And again, as a reminder, we will not be looking at photocopies, or slides, or installation shots, but the actual works themselves live and in our browsers!

Example works we will examine are One Terabyte of Kilobyte age, by Olia Lialina & Dragan Espenschied, Documenta Done, by Vuk ?osi?, VVEBCAM by Petra Cortright, and Art Thoughtz, by Jayson Musson.

At the same time we will be discussing and thinking about two parellel lines of thought. One is contemporary art and its definition: What is contemporary art? What makes something contemporary art? Is contemporary art a form of showbusiness? And the other line of thought is our daily digital lives: How do we spend our digital lives? What is something like Youtube, or Facebook? Where are the edges and points of friction in different online systems?

For the last part of the workshop we will work to combine our knowledge of net art, contemporary art, and the new contexts available to us in todays online world to create something of our own.

Cory Arcangel (*1978, Buffalo) is a composer, artist, and entrepreneur. After having lived in New York for 15 years, Arcangel recently moved to Stavanger, Norway where he lives and works by telecommuting to his studio in Brooklyn - which he still maintains. His work is included in many public collections, including the MoMA in New York, the Tate in London, Berlin's Neue Nationalgalerie, and the Migros Museum für Gegenwartskunst in Zürich.

Leistungsnachweis / Testatanforderung

Mandatory attendance (minimum 80%); active participation

Termine

Time: 09:15 - 17:00 c'clock

CW 22: 25 / 26 / 27 / 28 / 29 May

Bewertungsform

bestanden / nicht bestanden