# SCOPEBasel June 15-19 11

# **International Contemporary Art Show**



Zeger Reyes- Rotating Kitchen (Eating the Universe, Kunsthalle Dusseldorf), 2009. Video Still Courtesy of Galerie Maurits van de Laar

Location: Kaserne, Basel | Klybeckstrasse 1b | CH-4057

#### For Immediate Release

# SCOPE Basel 2011 returns to its high profile venue at historic Kasern SCOPE Basel 2011 returns to its high profile venue at historic Kaserne

BASEL – SCOPE, the art show that has established its name by curating cutting edge contemporary art from around the world, proudly returns to Basel for the fifth year. Running concurrently with Art Basel, SCOPE returns to its high profile venue in historic Kaserne just blocks from Art Basel 42. Located in the heart of the city, SCOPE Basel's home, a pavilion offering over 5,000 m², provides the real opportunity for gallerists, collectors, curators, artists, critics and art lovers alike to experience a view of the contemporary art market available nowhere else. The fair opens to Press and VIP's on Wednesday, June 15 with the FirstView benefit

This year's edition of SCOPE Basel, June 15 -19, 2011, presents 75 international galleries upholding a unique tradition of solo and thematic group shows presented alongside museumquality programming, collector tours, screenings, and special events. Returning galleries include: SPINELLO Projects( Miami), Fabian and Claude Walter Galerie (Zurich), Jacob Karpio Galeria (San Jose), Primo Marella Gallery (Milan), Officine Dell'Immagine (Milan), Galerie Maurits van de Laar (The Hague), Analix Forever (Geneva), janinebeangallery (Berlin), The Drawing Room (Makati), x-ist (Istanbul), Wilde Gallery (Berlin) and newcomers: Aranapoveda (Madrid), Balloon (Chicago), Cross Gallery (Dublin), Contra Projects (Detroit), Da Xiang Art Space (Taichung City), Flo Peters Gallery (Hamburg), Guillochon Gallery (London), Hania Bailly Contemporary (Geneva) and Semarang Gallery (Semarang). Additionally, SCOPE is proud to welcome back the Galleries Association of Berlin (LVBG) for its third year featuring: Galerie Deschler, LEEgalerieBERLIN, MORGEN CONTEMPORARY, schultz contemporary, Swedish Photography, and WAGNER + PARTNER. The unique SCOPE Basel experience expands this year in partnership with Kaserne's cultural organizations, featuring: film, music, theatre and performance. "This season we want to highlight SCOPE's lead role as creative R+D for a wider audience of taste makers who make art their business" says SCOPE President & Founder Alexis Hubshman. "Introducing artists, curators, and cutting-edge galleries to new international audiences has made SCOPE the most comprehensive destination for the emerging art world."

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# **SCOPE Thinks Global, Works Local**



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#### **First View**

for VIPs and Press (or 100 CHF donation at the door) Wed | June 15 | 10am - 7pm

#### **General Admission Fair Hours**

Thurs	June 16	10am - 7pm
Fri	June 17	10am - 7pm
Sat	June 18	10am - 7pm
Sun	June 19	10am - 7pm

#### Admission

Free for VIP cardholders
FirstView | Wed | 100 CHF
General | Thurs – Sun | 20 CHF

Student | Thurs - Sun | 15 CHF

#### **Venue Location**

Kaserne Basel | Klybeckstr. 1b CH - 4057 Basel

#### First View Schedule | Wed | June 15 | 10am - 7pm

10:00 am SCOPE Basel opens to Press and VIP

6:00 pm Cocktail Hour Hosted by Basel Design School

6:30pm VIP Tour of Fair

7:30 pm Sallfort AG Dinner (Invitation Only) 9:00pm Opening Night Party at Kaserne



#### **First View Details**

#### 6:00 pm Cocktail Hour Hosted by Academy of Art and Design

SCOPE Basel and The Academy of Art and Design FHNW invite you to join us for a welcoming reception and discussion in the BLANK Lounge. Enjoy a glass of champagne while The Basel Design School students explain the concept and creativity behind their lounge "space"

#### 6:30pm VIP Tour of Fair

SCOPE invites you to participate in a VIP tour led by SCOPE staff and curitorial guests. The tour will highlight this years edition of SCOPE Basel Galleries.

#### 7:30 pm Sallfort AG Dinner (Invitation Only)

Exhibitors and selected guests are invited to dinner at the SCOPE Pavillion, hosted by Sallfort AG Your Personal Asset Manager.

For more information email information@scope-art.com

#### 9:00 pm Opening Night Party at Kaserne

SCOPE along with Basels historical Kaserne present President Bongo as the opening night musical entertainment.



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Alessandro Marena Project | Turin Luis Vidal | Pig's Monument | 2011 Installation



Guillochon Gallery | London Darren Coffield | Being Picasso | 2011 Work on Paper 203mm x 254 mm









X-ist | Istanbul Erkut Terliksiz | Till We Meet Again | 2010 Mixed Media on MDF 200 x 170



MORGEN CONTEMPORARY | Berlin Sabine Dehnel | Mona VI | 2008 C-print 3.97 x 4.59



Swedish Photography | Berlin Julis Peirone | Girl Behind Laundry | 2003 C-print, wooden frame and glass 80cm x 100 cm

# Alex Schweder | Counterweight Roommate

Counterweight Roommate is a self-contained living unit and will be continuously inhabited for the full five days of Scope Basel by performance-architecture artists Alex Schweder La and Ward Shelley.



Alex Schweder La and Ward Shelley Counterweight Roommate Premiering SCOPE Basel 2011 2 people, 5 days. Structure 2' x 32' x 6'

For More Information on SCOPE Artist Series Visit scope-art.com

# Academy of Art and Design FHNW | Masterstudio Design | BLANK

BLANK, a concept developed by an interdisciplinary team of nine students from the Basel School of Design, Master Studio use the concept of "space" to design the SCOPE Basel Lounge.

#### **SCOPE VIP Picnic Lounge**

SCOPE is proud to introduce our limited edition picnic blanket. Enjoy some champagne in the sun while relaxing on these creative keepsakes.





For More Information on the Basel School of Design Visit scope-art.com

# Hinterhof Bar | Official Restaurant Sponsor

Located in the BLANK Lounge, Hinterhof Bar in collaboration with The Basel School of Design, Masterstudio will bring their artistic, innovative cocktail-catering style to the SCOPE Basel venue offering only the finest drinks and service.





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# **SCOPE Kids Program | Moblie Jugendarbeit Basel**

(Streetwork Basel, MJAB) works with the youth in their general environments and their social spaces.

# Street Art Project | MJAB

"Streetwork Basel" along with Graffiti Artis David Kumin (Chromeo) Florian Wieland and Oliver Benz work together to turn trash into art. The streets from Art Basel to the Kaserne will be lined with thirty public trash cans designed by Basel youth and rennouned graffiti artists. Additionally, each receptacle will make different noises when trash is inserted into the bins. At night participants will decorate Basel with light graffiti.



Photographer Stefan Bohrer



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# **SCOPE Presents Kaserne Performance and Music Programming**

# ZAP Performancemarathon Saving The World | Gob Squad | June 14-15 | 8pm

In "Saving The World", Gob Squad squeezes the world into a handful of videotapes. Produced in 25 hours, a seven camera panoramic film portrays Basel's Claraplatz, as a microcosm of the entire world.



Saving the World | Gob Squad

## **Bodies In Urban Spaces | Von Cie Willi Dorner**

Wed | June 15 | 4pm Fri | June 17 | 4pm Sat | June 18 | 2pm

"Bodies in Urban Spaces" is a moving trail, choreographed for a group of dancers. The performers lead the audience through selected parts of public and semi public spaces.



Bodies in Urban Spaces | Cie Willi Dorner

## Music Program at Kaserne

SCOPE, partnering with Basel's historic Kaserne is excited to present President Bongo for the Opening Night Party Wednesday June 15th.





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# **SCOPE Special Projects**

## Invisible Heros | Frieden Freigeit Alles (Peace Liberty Everything)

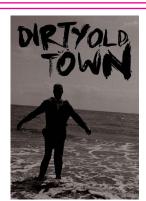
The new installation by Commenius Roethlisberger and Admir Jahic features an eloborate display of wooden hands all making a Corna hand gesture.

The Corna has a variety of meanings....For more information visit SCOPE Basel Programming



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### **SCOPE Off Site**



**Dirtyold Town** | Film by Jenner Furst, Daniel Levin, Julia Willoughby Nason The Bowery becomes a nexus of shattered dreams when a merchant has 72 hours to pay his rent.

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# Hinterhof | Bon melange presents SOUL CLAP

Wolf + Lamb, Doublestandard/ Boston

www.SOULCLAP.US
DJ Set - All Night Long
FACEBOOK.COM/BONVOYAGEBASEL
Hinterhof Bar/MUNCHENSTEINERSTR.81/4052 Basel



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Founded in 2002, Scope has grown extensively in both volume and stature. Alexis Hubshman, President of SCOPE explains "We've evolved from an industry nice to an influential global contributer, with ongoing events, educational programs and the SCOPE Foundation 501 (c)3. SCOPE is the dynamic presence in the expanding global art market." With fairs in Miami, Basel, New York, London and the Hamptons, SCOPE Art Show has garnered critical acclaim, with sales over \$150 million and attendance of over 400,000 visitors.

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