

THILO WESTERMANN

Born 1980

Lives and works in Berlin, Germany

EDUCATION

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| 2012-2013 | Nanyang Academy of Fine Arts Singapore (Chinese Ink Painting) and Lasalle College of the Arts Singapore (Asian Art Histories) |
| Since 2008 | Work and study stays in America (primarily in New York and Virginia) |
| 2008-2009 | University of Arts and Design Karlsruhe (Art Research and Media Philosophy) |
| 2004-2008 | Friedrich-Alexander-University Erlangen and Ludwig-Maximilians-University Munich (Art History and Philosophy) |
| 2001-2007 | Academy of Fine Arts Nuremberg (Master Class Student) |

RESIDENCIES

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| 2023 | Artist in Residence, Thorwart-Jeska-Foundation, Hikkaduwa (Sri Lanka) |
| 2019 | Artist in Residence, Cité internationale des arts, Paris (France) |
| 2018 | Artist in Residence, Virginia Center for the Creative Arts (VCCA), Virginia (USA) |
| 2017 | Artist in Residence, China Academy of Art, Shanghai (China) |
| 2015 | Artist in Residence, Himalayas Art Museum, Shanghai (China) |

AWARDS AND GRANTS (selected)

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| 2023 | Scholarship of the Thorwart-Jeska-Stiftung |
| 2020 | Scholarship of the zumikon-Kulturstiftung Nuremberg
Baldreit Fellowship of the City of Baden-Baden |
| 2019 | Artist Travel Fellowship, Cité internationale des arts Paris of the Cultural Foundation of the German Federal States |
| 2017-2018 | Scholarship of the Else-Heiliger-Foundation, Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung Berlin |
| 2017 | Artist Travel Fellowship, Goethe-Institut, Department of Culture and Education at the Consulate General of the Federal Republic of Germany Shanghai (2017) |
| 2015 | Nürnberg Scholarship of the City of Nuremberg |
| 2013 | Scholarship for Academic and Advanced Training of the German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) |
| 2011 | C/O Berlin Talents Award |
| 2008-2010 | Studio Grant of the Free State of Bavaria |
| 2007 | Annual Award of Nürnberg Academy of Fine Arts |

PUBLIC COLLECTIONS (selected)

Baden-Baden, Stadtmuseum-/archiv
Berlin, Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung e. V.
Berlin, Wemhöner Collection
Hamburg, Museum für Kunst und Gewerbe
Hikkaduwa, Thorwart-Jeska-Foundation
Klagenfurt, MMKK Museum Moderner Kunst Kärnten
Munich, Bayerisches Nationalmuseum München
Munich, Erwin und Gisela von Steiner-Stiftung
Munich, Stadtmuseum München
Nuremberg, Marianne and Hansfried Defet Collection
Nuremberg, Rotary-Collection Nürnberg-Sigena
Schwandorf, County Collection of the Upper Palatinate
Shanghai, Himalayas Art Museum

SOLO EXHIBITIONS (selected)

2026 *Roses et pivoines. Pierre-Joseph Redouté* | Thilo Westermann, Musée national des châteaux de Malmaison et Bois-Préau, Rueil-Malmaison (cat.) (upcoming)

2025 *Thilo Westermann* | *Alexander Zakharov*, Adelson Galleries Palm Beach

2024 *Zur Kunst der Fuge. Karin Pliem* | Thilo Westermann, Galerie Walker, Schloss Ebenau, Feistritz im Rosental
Studioausstellung, Oechsner Galerie Nürnberg

2022 *Thilo Westermann et l'art de dessiner sous verre*, Vitromusée Romont (cat.)
Widerhall, Fruchthalle Kaiserslautern
Souvenirs, Oechsner Galerie Nuremberg

2021 *Souvenir de Baden-Baden*, Stadtmuseum Baden-Baden (cat.)

2018 *Ying sheng (reaction, echo)*, Oechsner Galerie Nuremberg
Thilo Westermann, EIGEN + ART Lab Berlin
Vanitas – Kunstwerk des Monats, Bayerisches Nationalmuseum Munich

2016 *Vanitas Vanitatum, Omnia Vanitas*, Galerie Tristan Lorenz Frankfurt
HIGH & SLOW. Hana Usui | Thilo Westermann, Kunsthau Kaufbeuren (cat.)

2015 *The Open Studio Show*, Zendai Zhujiajiao Art Museum Shanghai
Stilblüten, Institut für moderne Kunst Nuremberg

2014 *Thilo Westermann*, Adelson Galleries New York

GROUP EXHIBITIONS (selected)

2026 *Roses et pivoines. Pierre-Joseph Redouté* | Thilo Westermann, Musée national des châteaux de Malmaison et Bois-Préau, Rueil-Malmaison (cat.) (upcoming)
Flowers Forever, Kunsthall Rotterdam (upcoming)

- Homage*, Adelson Galleries Palm Beach, Florida (upcoming)
- 2025 *Freundschaft & Verherrlichung. Kunst und Politik unter Friedrich II.*, Schloss Britz, Berlin (upcoming)
- Summer Selection in Palm Beach*, Adelson Galleries Palm Beach, Florida
- Miniatures. Thilo Westermann | Alexander Zakharov*, Adelson Galleries Palm Beach, Florida
- Gläsern. Von Formen unkontrollierter Kontrolle*, Schloss Biesdorf, Berlin
- Flowers Forever*, Chiostro del Bramante, Rome (cat.)
- 2024 *Brillanz & Transparenz. Hinterglaskunst der Moderne bis heute*, Museum Werdenfels, Garmisch-Partenkirchen
- Zur Kunst der Fuge. Karin Pliem | Thilo Westermann*, Galerie Walker, Schloss Ebenau, Feistritz im Rosental
- 2023 *Who's Afraid of Stardust*, Kunsthalle | Kunsthaus Nuremberg (cat.)
- Natur als zweite Kunst*, Stadtmuseum Erlangen
- Flowers Forever*, Kunsthalle Munich (cat.)
- 2022 *Erinnerungen an Baden-Baden, Wochenende der Grafik*, Stadtmuseum Baden-Baden
- In neuem Licht. Sammlung Bezirk Oberpfalz*, Kebbel-Villa | Oberpfälzer Künstlerhaus
- 2020 *Hinter Glas gemalt*, Museum Penzberg (cat.)
- Do you believe in happy endings?*, Oechsner Galerie Nuremberg
- Crystal Flora*, Felix Ringel Galerie Düsseldorf
- Made in China. Porcelain*, Museum für Kunst und Gewerbe Hamburg
- Studio Ost*, Kunsthalle Darmstadt
- peu à peu*, Oechsner Galerie Nuremberg
- 2019 *Benefitausstellung 20 × 2010*, Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung Berlin
- Natur als Argument*, Villa Dessauer Bamberg
- New Acquisitions: Collection of the Bezirk Oberpfalz*, Oberpfälzer Künstlerhaus, Schwandorf
- 2018 *CHEERS, EIGEN + ART Lab Berlin*
- Mixed Media 10 × 5*, Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung Berlin
- Open Studio*, Virginia Center for the Creative Arts, Amherst, Virginia (USA)
- 2017 *TIEFENLICHT. Malerei hinter Glas von August Macke bis Gerhard Richter*, Museum Penzberg
- fokus sammlung 05. STILLEBEN*, MMKK Museum Moderner Kunst Kärnten, Klagenfurt (cat.)
- Artists' Books for Everything*, Weserburg | Museum of Modern Art Bremen (cat.)
- Unheimlich schön – Stilleben heute*, MMKK Museum Moderner Kunst Kärnten, Klagenfurt (cat.)
- Die neue Präzision III*, Galerie Rainer Wehr Stuttgart
- 2016 *Statement X*, Oechsner Galerie Nuremberg
- HIGH & SLOW. Hana Usui | Thilo Westermann*, Kunsthaus Kaufbeuren (cat.)
- 2015 *Schwarz ist meine Farbe*, Oechsner Galerie Nuremberg
- 2014 *Magis Autumn*, Drawing Room Gallery Singapore
- Was bedeutet denn für immer*, Oechsner Galerie Nuremberg

LINKS

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