

Robert Freund

born 1981 in St. Johann in Tyrol, lives and works in Tyrol.

1996 - 2000 school for glass art in Kramsach/Tyrol
2000 - 2002 advanced training course for handcraft and design in Kramsach/Tyrol
2001 International Summer Academy of Fine Arts in Salzburg
Prof. Xenia Hausner
2002 - 2006 Academy of Fine Arts Vienna
master class Prof. Hubert Schmalix and Prof. Peter Dressler
2006 - 2007 Academy of Fine Arts Vienna
master class Prof. Amelie von Wulffen and Prof. Peter Dressler
2007 diploma at the Academy of Fine Arts Vienna
since 2007 Robert Freund works as a visual artist

Exhibitions (Selection)

2003 Young Arts Gallery, Vienna
with Aurelia Gratzner, Christoph Schirmer, Birgit Scholz et al.
Arbeiten auf Papier

2003 **Державний літературний музей** (State Literature Museum), Odessa
with Christoph Rodler, Robert Muntean, Birgit Scholz et al.
Die blaue Donau und das schwarze Meer

2004 Black Dragon Society, Vienna
with Kamen Stoyanov, Daniel Domig, Jose Luis Garcia Pozo et al.
line/spot

2004 Semperdepot Vienna
with Christoph Holzeis, Ádám Fitz, Oliver Kropf et al.
EXCHANGE

2005 Gerberhaus, Fehring
with Markus Dressler, Vasilena Gankovska, Robert Muntean et al.
Die Meisterklasse Schmalix

2005 Academy of Fine Arts Vienna
with Robert Muntean und Bianca Regl
Robert Freund | Robert Muntean | Bianca Regl

2005 Galerie Wolfgang Exner, Vienna
with Tillman Kaiser, Oliver Kropf, Christian Otto et al.
Junger Sommer 2005

2005 Kunsthalle Krems | curated by Tayfun Belgin and Hartwig Knack
with Amina Broggi, Caroline Heider, Bianca Regl et al.
REAL. Junges Österreich

2005 New Town Hall Linz
with Daniel Domig, Robert Muntean, Bianca Regl et al.
Malerei der Malerei willen meinetwegen

2006 on the occasion of the 85. Birthday of Erwin Ringel, Fortress Kufstein | curated by
Gabriela Koschatzky-Elias
with Arik Brauer, Christian Ludwig Attersee, Georg Eisler et al.
Zur österreichischen Seele

2006 Kunsthaus Graz | curated by Peter Pakesch, Katrin Bucher Trantow and Katia Huemer
with VALIE EXPORT, Ákos Birkás, Heinz Gappmayr, Luisa Kasalicky et al.
Erzählungen -35/65+ | Zwei Generationen

2007 Gasometer, Triesen
with Christoph Schirmer, Aurelia Gratzner et al.
Im Tiergarten der Kunst

2007 Semperdepot, Vienna

- with Maria Stimm, Gerd Löffler, Claudia Charlotte Linder et al.
Diplomausstellung
- 2007 Galerie422, Gmunden
with Siegfried Anzinger, Arnulf Rainer, Maria Lassnig et al.
Menschenbilder
- 2007 mumok – Museum of Modern Art, Vienna Hofstallungen
with Margret Weber-Unger, Stylianos Schicho, Laura Gebetsroither et al.
Ausstellung der nominierten Künstler des Walter Koschatzky Kunst-Preises
- 2008 Kunstraum Wohlleb, Vienna
with Gunter Damisch, Xenia Hausner, Valentin Hirsch, Ekaterina Obermaier et al.
Preview 8. neunerHAUS Auction
- 2008 SWINGR-Raumaufzeit, Vienna
with Mathias Pöschl, Elisabeth Wedenig et al.
Hokus Pokus
- 2008 Galerie Bäckerstraße 4, Vienna | curated by Stephan Schmidt-Wulffen
with Thomas Gänszler, Maximilian Pramatarov, Iris Dostal et al.
Opening
- 2009 Kunstraum Wohlleb, Vienna
with Herbert Brandl, Günther Brus, Oswald Oberhuber et al.
Preview 9. neunerHAUS Auction
- 2009 Stand Galerie Bäckerstraße 4, Vienna
with Christina Starzer, Thomas Gänszler, Zoe Byland et al.
as part of the artaustria
- 2009 mumok – Museum of Modern Art, Vienna Hofstallungen
with Mathias Kloser, Jelena Sredanovic, Birgit Knoechl et al.
Ausstellung der nominierten Künstler des Walter Koschatzky Kunst-Preises
- 2011 MUSA, Museum of the City Vienna
Solo Exhibition
Everything counts in large amounts
- 2012 Kunstraum Wohlleb, Vienna
with Christian Eisenberger, Thomas Feuerstein, Peter Pongratz et al.
Preview 12. neunerHAUS Auction
- 2012 Purchases of the Kupferstichkabinett, xhibit Academy of Fine Arts Vienna
with Philip Patkowsitch, Christian Macketanz, Jack Bauer et al.
Montag ist erst übermorgen | Junge Kunst auf Papier
- 2013 mumok – Museum of Modern Art, Wien Hofstallungen
with Achim Riethmann, Jaroslaw Grulkowsky, Janine Pölzl et al.
Ausstellung der nominierten Künstler des Walter Koschatzky Kunst-Preises
- 2013 Galerie Goldener Engl with support of the Klocker Stiftung, Hall in Tirol
with Matthias Bernhard, Anna Maria Bogner, Bernd Oppl et al.
Coming Up
- 2015 Stand Galerie Schmidt Reith i.A.
with Markus Bacher, Matthias Bernhard, Kevin A. Rausch et al.
as part of the *viennacontemporary*
- 2016 Osthaus Museum, Hagen
with Martin Schnur, Benedikt Richert and Andrea Lehmann
Von geheimnisvoller Schönheit | Zeitgenössische figurative Positionen
- 2017 Galerie Goldener Engl, Hall in Tirol
Robert Freund | Solo Exhibition
- 2017 Galerie Schmidt, Reith im Alpbachtal
with Gunter Damisch, Arnulf Rainer, Matthias Bernhard, Ina Hsu et al.
Winterreigen
- 2018 parallel vienna
with Naomi Devil and Ina Hsu
Voyage à contre-courant
- 2018 Galerie Schmidt, Reith im Alpbachtal

- with Adolf Frohner, Anton Christian, Alois Mosbracher, Christian L. Attersee, Paul Flora, Markus Lüpertz, Matthias Bernhard, Ina Hsu et al.
25 Jahre Galerie Schmidt
 2019 Troadkastn, Kramsach
 with Richard Weber
Das Wachstum der Regenwürmer
 2019 Plattform 6020, Innsbruck
Untold Stories | Solo Exhibition
 2020 Stadtgalerie Wetzlar (D)
Ausblick in die Tiefe | Solo Exhibition

Awards and Nominations

- 2005 Master Class Prize for figurative painting, Academy of Fine Arts Vienna
 2006 Georg Eisler Prize – Contest for young painters
 Nomination, Tresor | Bank Austria Kunstforum Wien
 2007 Walter Koschatzky Kunst-Preis – International Art Award
 Nomination, Vienna (jury purchase)
 2009 Walter Koschatzky Kunst-Preis – International Art Award
 Nomination, Vienna (jury purchase)
 2013 Walter Koschatzky Kunst-Preis – International Art Award
 Nomination, Vienna

Public Collections

Kupferstichkabinett, Academy of Fine Arts Vienna
 MUSA, Museum of the City Vienna
 Land Tirol

Social Commitment

- 2008 Casa de los Tres Mundos
 The Foundation is an Institution created to initiate, support and promote cultural projects in Nicaragua and Central America
 Bäckerstrasse 4 - Plattform für junge Kunst, Vienna
 2008 Verein neunerHaus
 help for homeless people, 8. art auction, MAK Vienna
 2009 Verein neunerHaus
 help for homeless people, 9. art auction, MAK Vienna
 2012 Verein neunerHaus
 help for homeless people, 12. art auction, MAK Vienna
 2013 Mobiles Caritas Hospiz der Erzdiözese Wien
 charity auction, Dorotheum Vienna
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 charity auction, Dorotheum Vienna
 2016 Licht ins Dunkel
 charity auction, ORF Landesstudio Tirol
 2017 Mobiles Hospiz der Caritas der Erzdiözese Wien
 charity auction, Dorotheum Vienna
 2018 Artists 4 more Anti-Racism
 charity auction, Bezirksvorstehung Margareten, Vienna
 2018 Verein Emmaus
 charity auction, Kaiserliche Hofburg Innsbruck

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