

PI ARTWORKS

Nezaket Ekici

1970, Lives and works in Germany

Education

- 2004 MFA-Degree, with Prof. Dr. Marina Abramovic, Hochschule für Bildende Künste Braunschweig, Germany
- 2001 – 2003 MFA, Braunschweig University of Art, (studied with Prof. Dr. Marina Abramović), Germany
- 2000 MA, Art Pedagogy and Art History, Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich, Germany
- 1996 – 2000 BA, Sculpture, Academy of Fine Arts, Munich, Germany
- 1990 – 1993 Degree in Layout Operator and Printing Plate training, Duisburg and München

Solo Exhibitions & Performances

- 2017 *Addis Video Art Festival (AVAF)* (with Shahar Marcus), Addis Ababa, Ethiopia
- Nezaket Ekici*, Villa Massimo, Rome, Italy
- Under Surveillance & Zeitgeist*, Goethe-Institut, Dublin, Ireland
- Einwand*, KAS Foundation, Berlin, Germany
- 2016 *Tooth for Tooth, in the frame of the Exhibition: Postideja IV*, Karas, Pamėnkalnio Galerijoje, Vilnius, Lithuania
- Nezaket Ekici and Shahar Marcus*, Galeria Labirynt, Lublin, Poland
- 2015 *Alles, Was Man Besitzt, Besitzt Auch Uns*, Haus Am Waldsee - Der Ort Internationaler Gegenwartskunst, Berlin, Germany
- 2014 *Einzelausstellung: Zwei Welten*, Kunstverein Augsburg, Germany
- 2013 *(After) Love At Last Sight*, Pi Artworks, London, UK
- In Relation*, Nezaket Ekici & Shahar Marcus, Siemens Sanat, Istanbul, Turkey

- Islamic Chapel*, Städtische Gallery Ostfildern, Germany
- Personal Map, To Be Continued... in Cooperation with Marta Herford*, De Bond, Cultuurcentrum Brugge, Germany
- 2012 *In Relation*, Nezaket Ekici & Shahar Marcus, Braverman Gallery, Tel Aviv, Israel
- Imagine: Selected works about food 2002-2012*, Pi Artworks, Istanbul, Turkey
- First Contact*, Galerie Am Körnerpark, Kreativraum, Berlin, Germany
- 2011 *Gravity*, Städtische Gallery, Bremen, Germany
- Personal Map, To Be Continued*, Marta Herford Museum, Herford, Germany
- 2010 *Zitate*, DNA Galerie, Berlin, Germany
- Alles Fließt*, Kunstverein Friedrichshafen, Germany
- 2009 *Kopfsonate*, Claire Oliver Gallery, New York, USA
- Umgestülpt*, Kunstmuseum, Heidenheim, Germany
- 2008 *Memories of Objects*, DNA Galerie, Berlin, Germany
- Nezaket Ekici*, Gallery TPW, Toronto, Canada
- 2007 *Blind*, Staatsgalerie, Stuttgart, Germany
- Life Extreme*, U2 Alexanderplatz, Berlin, Germany
- 2006 *Self-Diversity*, Kasa Gallery, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2005 *Orientación-Nezaket Ekici*, Goethe Institut, Madrid, Spain
- National Anthems*, Proje4L Artvarium, Elgiz Museum of Contemporary Art, Istanbul, Turkey
- Gozu Kara/ Fearless*, Karsi Art Works, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2002 *Emotion in Motion*, Gallery Valeria Belvedere, Milano, Italy

Group Exhibitions & Performances

- 2020 *Work in Progress–Personal Map*, FLUX: Marina Abramovic + MAI Exhibition, Sakıp Sabancı Museum, Turkey
- 2018 *The Migrant School of Bodies*, Museo delle Culture, Milan, Italy
- Dal non – finito al finito*, Kulturakademie Tarabya, Istanbul, Turkey
- Forum Migration*, Tiroler Landesmuseen Ferdinandeum, Innsbruck, Austria

- 2017 *Mother Tongue*, Oslo Museum, IKM, Oslo, Norway
- In the Sea for the Whole Family*, Tel Aviv Museum of Art, Israel
- Landscape of Loss*, Ministry of Environments, in cooperation with Momentum Worldwide, Berlin and Bonn, Germany
- Home*, (as a part of the 15th Istanbul Biennial's Neighbouring Events Programme), The Evliyagil Museum, Ankara, Turkey
- Mother Tongue*, Oslo Museum, IKM, Norway
- Mother Tongue*, A Visual Journey Inside Heritage, Gender Politics & War, Sandnes Kunstforening, Sandnes, Norway
- Performance nach Kunstwerken*, Kunstakademie Bad Reichenhall, Germany
- 3rd Artist's Biennial - Factor X - The Chromosome of Art*, Dual exhibition with Shahar Marcus, Haus der Kunst, Munich, Germany
- Heimat*, Deutscher Künstlerbund, Ausstellung Projektraum, Berlin, Germany
- Natur und Glauben*, Buchnerhof - Südtirol bei Bozen, Italy
- Kuss. Von Rodin Bis Bob Dylan*, Bröhan-Museum, Berlin, Germany
- Mother Tongue*, Bodø Kunstforening, Bodø, Norway
- Gabriele Münter Preis Shortlist Exhibition*, Women's Museum, Bonn, Germany
- Mother Tongue*, A Visual Journey Inside Heritage, Gender Politics & War, Bodø Kunstforening, Bodø, Norway
- Gabriele Münter Preis Shortlist Exhibition*, Academy of Arts, Berlin, Germany
- 2016 *Mental Maps And Decolonial Perspectives*, Steirischer Herbst Festival, Graz, Austria
- Mother, I have reached the land of my dreams*, ID Festival, Berlin, Germany
- Uncertain States*, Akademie Der Kunste, Berlin, Germany
- Yes, But Is It Performable?*, KM, Donnerstag, Germany
- The Surface As A Carrier Of Meaning In Sculpture*, Lehbruck Museum, Duisburg, Germany
- The Pleasure Of Love*, 56th OCTOBER SALON, Belgrade, Serbia
- On Surface*, Lehbruck Museum, Duisburg, Germany
- Künstlerhaus Schloss Wiepersdorf*, Kunsthau Potsdam, Potsdam, Germany

- FOTOGRAFIE*, Konrad Adenauer Stiftung Berlin, Germany
- This yearning is ours!*, Centre of Contemporary Art, Torun, Poland
- Beyond Balagan*, Hero Mother, Momentum – Berlin, Germany
- The Berlin Case*, President B. Yesltsin Center, Yakaterinburg, Russia
- Defilages – Gender & Ae'rt Textile Aujourd'hui*, Gallery 100 Titres, Brussels, Belgium
- Memory And Continuity*, Pera Museum, Istanbul, Turkey
- Strata*, Circle 1 Platform for Art & Culture, Berlin, Germany
- Forever*, Bubox, Kortrijk, Belgium
- 2015 *No Pork but Pig*, Museum Villa Rot, Burgrieden, Germany
- Solid And Soft*, DNA, Berlin, Germany
- Ich Bin Eine Pflanze, "Naturprozesse in der Kunst"*, Kunstmuseum Ravensburg, Ravensburg, Germany
- SHOOT: About Performance*, DNA, Berlin, Germany
- Fossils*, The Petach Tikva Museum Of Art, Petach Tikva, Isreal
- 2014 *In Relation*, Nezaket Ekici & Shahar Marcus, Stadtgalerie Saarbrücken Germany
- In Relation*, Siemens Sanat, Turkey
- Salt Dinner*, Nuit Blanche, Toronto, Canada
- White*, Kulturakademie Tarabya, Turkey
- Arts de la scene*, Batiment d'Art Contemporain / Bac, Geneve, Switzerland
- Daring to Ask*, Collisions with The Collection Marta Herford, Marta Herford Museum, Herford, Germany
- FULL HOUSE: 100 Artists*, Aeroplastics Contemporary, Brussels, Belgium
- Young Collectors*, Elgiz Museum of Contemporary Art, Istanbul, Turkey
- Neighbours - Contemporary Narratives from Turkey and Beyond*, Istanbul Modern, Istanbul, Turkey
- FACELESS Seduction, Surveillance, Privacy*, Mediamatic Fabriek, Amsterdam, The Netherland
- New Continent*, Shanghai Minsheng Art Museum, Shanghai, China
- Neighbours - Contemporary Narratives from Turkey and Beyond*, Istanbul Modern, Istanbul,

Turkey

The First International Biennial of Contemporary Art of Cartagena de Indias, Cartagena,
Colombia

Body That Remembers, 15th Winter Saloon, National Gallery of Macedonia, Mala Stanica,
Skopje, Macedonia

Festival Miradas de Mujeres, Performance Nezaket Ekici, Casal Solleric, Mallorca, Spain

A Desk of One's Own, Galeri Miz, Istanbul, Turkey

2013 *Sixth Tbilisi International Contemporary Art Exhibition and Art Events*, Tbilisi, Georgia

Momentum Collection, Making The Medium, Trafo, Center for Contemporary Art, Stettin,
Germany

Three Turkish Artists, Curatorial Research Lab, Winkleman Gallery, NYC, USA

Contemporary Istanbul'13, Pi Artworks Istanbul, Turkey

ArtInternational Istanbul, Pi Artworks Istanbul, Turkey

Expansion, Siemens Art Gallery Istanbul, Istanbul, Turkey

Videofestival: FUSO - Annual de Video Arte Internacional de Lisboa, Lisbon,
Portugal

VAIVEM: Project of Residency and Exhibition in SESC Pinheiros, Sao Paulo, Brazil

Thresholds-Exhibition, Collegium Hungaricum, Berlin, Germany

1,2,3,B4, Contemporary Art Center of Thessaloniki (Warehouse B1) – SMCA, Greece

Faceless Part 1, Museumquartier Wien, Vienna, Austria

Fata Morgana, The Zaritsky Artists' House, Tel Aviv, Israel

Perspektivwechse!, Stimmen der Religionen, Berlin, Germany

Re-Orientation, Mediterranean Biennale in Sakhnin, Israel

Hochzeiten!, Schloss Belvedere Auf Dem Pfingstberg, Potsdam, Germany

De Madonna A Madonna, DA2, Domus Artium 2002, Salamanca, Spain

47/12 Kunst Aus Duisburg, Wilhelm Lembruck, Duisburg, Germany

Reise Nach Jerusalem, 10 Künstlerische Positionen Zu Religion, Jerusalem, Israel

Skulpturale Handlung, White Box München, Germany

Women Redrawing The World Stage, Soho 20 Chelsea Gallery, NYC, USA
Arcomadrid, DNA Gallery, Madrid, Spain
Aciklik-Freiraum, Bürgerzentrum Schuhfabrik E.V., Ahlen Westphalen, Germany
Sublime Porte: Contemporary Art From Turkey, St. John University, NYC, USA
QUI AURAIT PU IMAGINER UNE CHOSE PAREILLE?, Maison del Catalanite, Perpignan,
France

2012 *Nezaket Ekici*, Pinakothek der Moderne, Munich, Germany
Istanbul Alphabet, Museum der Dinge, Berlin, Germany
Global Art Local View, Goethe Institut Ghana, Germany
The Global Contemporary, Kunstwelten Nach 1989, ZKM Karlsruhe, Germany
Contemporary Istanbul'12, Pi Artworks Istanbul, Turkey
Moving Image London, Pi Artworks London, UK
Encounters: Turkish Contemporary Art in Korea, Seoul, South Korea
Who Left? What Behind?, Center for Contemporary Arts Galleries B&C, Ankara, Turkey
Who Left? What Behind?, Art Gallery Ilya, Beshkov, Pleven, Bulgaria
Lifting A Secret, Matthews Acting Studio, Lewis Center for The Arts, Princeton
University, New Jersey, USA
The Fertile Crescent: Gender, Art, and Society, Arts Council of Princeton, Taplin Gallery, NYC,
USA
Gallery, Paul Robeson Center, Princeton, NJ, USA
Reise Nach Jerusalem, Kunstraum Kreuzberg, Berlin, Germany & Center for Contemporary Art
CCA, Tel Aviv, Israel
Theatre of Life, Center of Contemporary Art, Torun, Poland
Dalla Parte delle Donne, Galleria Parmeggiani, Emilia, Italy
Balance, Accion Dentro Del Ciclo, Centro Parraga, Murcia, Spain
Fiktion Okizent, Cer Modern, Ankara, Turkey
Zwolf Im Zwolften, Gallery Tanas, Berlin, Germany
Istanbul Modern Collection, Presented at Museum Boijmans Van Beuningen, Rotterdam,

Netherlands

5 Senses in Ghana, Documentary and Performance, Goethe Institute, Ghana

Istanbul Alphabet - Von Çokçok Bis Zikzak Sonderausstellung, Museum Der Dinge, Berlin, Germany

Catastrophes and Incidences, DNA Gallery Berlin, Germany

Humor, Esjberg Kunstmuseum, Copenhagen, Denmark

East Is West: Three Women Artists, Earl Lu Gallery, ICAS (Institute of Contemporary Arts Singapore), Singapore

2011 *Dream And Reality-Modern And Contemporary Women Artists from Turkey*, Istanbul Modern, Istanbul, Turkey

Selected Artists 2010, Stipendiatinnen und Stipendiaten des Arbeitstipendiums Für Bildende Kunst des Berliner Senate, Berlin, Germany

Veling and Reveiling, HAN University, Nijmegen, Netherlands

Shadows of the Bright, Fifth Anniversary of Berliner Kunstkontakter, Showroom Unter Den Linden 40, Berlin, Germany

Works from the Momentum Collection, Kunstquartier Bethanien Berlin, Germany

Spagat! Design Istanbul Tasarimi, Marta Herford, Germany

Alles Wandelt Sich, DNA Galerie Berlin, Germany

Patria O Libertad! On Patriotism, Immigration and Contemporary Populism, Cobra Museum Amsterdam, Netherlands

Of Women's Modesty And Anger, Villa Empain, Boghossian Foundation, Brussels, Belgium

Global Contemporary. Art Worlds After 1989, ZKM Karlsruhe, Germany

2010 *Reflection*, DNA Galerie Berlin, Germany

Das Fundament Der Kunst - Die Skulptur und Ihr Sockel Seit Alberto Giacometti, Städtisches Museum, Heilbronn, Germany

The Haifa Mediterranean Biennale, Haifa, Israel

Performance und Workshop, Macalester College, St Paul, MN, USA

Unpossessing Femininity: No More Bad Girls?, Kunsthalle Exnergasse, Vienna,

- Austria
- Glyptikes Afigisis - Sculptural Narration*, Museum Alex Mylona, Athens, Greece
- Abaracadabra*, Mardin Biennale, Mardin, Turkey
- 2009 *New Works, New Horizons*, Istanbul Modern, Istanbul, Turkey
- Heykelsi Eylemler/ Skulpturale Handlung*, BM Suma Contemporary Art Center, Istanbul, Turkey
- Fifth Latin American Biennial of Visual Arts*, Ventosul - Bienal De Curitiba, Brazil
- Die Berliner Istanbul Stipendiaten*, Kunstraum Kreuzberg, Berlin, Germany
- Palais Für Aktuelle Kunst*, Kunstverein Gluckstadt, Germany
- Ebent Festival*, Barcelona And Sabadell, Spain
- MARCO Museo de Arte Contemporánea de Vigo*, Spain
- The 10th Open International Performance Art Festival Beijing*, China
- Rebelle Art and Feminism*, Museum Voor Moderne Kunst Arnhem, Netherlands
- 2008 *Il Velo*, Cesac Centro Sperimentale Per Le Arti Contemporanee, Caraglio, Italy
- Turkisch Delight*, Galerie Der Stadt Backnang, Germany
- Arco Madrid*, DNA Gallery, Madrid, Spain
- Contenedores 8 Octava Muestra Internacional de Arte de Accion*, Seville, Spain
- Mahrem*, Kunsthalle Project Space, Vienna, Austria
- Temsilde Huzursuzluk*, Siemens Sanat, Istanbul, Turkey
- Meat After Meat Joy*, Pierre Menard Gallery, Cambridge, MA, USA, Daneyal Mahmood Galerie NY, USA
- Ceremonial Actions*, Image Festival, York Gallery, Toronto, Canada
- Mahrem*, Gallery Tanas, Berlin, Germany
- Save As...*, Triennale Bovisa Museum, Milan, Italy
- Sinopale*, Second Sinop Biennale, Sinop, Turkey
- 10th Asiatopia Performancefestival*, Bangkok, Thailand
- 2007 *Meltem of Istanbul*, Proje4L, Elgiz Museum of Contemporary Art, Istanbul, Turkey
- Into me out of me*, Kunst Werke Berlin, Germany
- Fashion Accidentally*, Museum of Contemporary Arts, Taipei, Taiwan

5th International Festival of Contemporary Dance Body & Eros, curated by Ismael Ivo, The Erotic Body (Curated by Marina Abramovic), 52nd Venice Biennale, Venice, Italy

Nezaket Ekici/ Alexander Schikowski, Kunststiftung Baden-Württemberg, Stuttgart

EX SIRI "LOVE IS TEMPORARY", Terni/ Italy

Into me out of me, MACRO - Museo d'Arte Contemporanea, Rome, Italy

Ausstellung "EHF 2010", Konrad Adenauerstiftung, Berlin, Germany

Inbetweeness, Ex Carceri del Complesso di San Michele a Ripa, Rome, Italy

Nezaket Ekici, Rebecca Horn, Barbara Steinman and Jana Sterbak, Projets 45, Montreal Canada

Skulturale Handlungen, Moncys House Museum, Palanga, Lithuania

Turkish Delight, 3. Generation, Städtische Galerie Nordhorn, Germany

So nah So fern, Schloß Agathenburg, Germany

Reality Crossings, 2. Foto Festival Mannheim, Ludwigshafen, Heidelberg, Germany

Water Please, Schaufenster der Fachhochschule Potsdam, Germany

Rare Essence, Aeroplastics Contemporary Brussels, Belgium

Mahrem, Santral Istanbul Gallery I, Istanbul, Turkey

2006 *Blessed are the Merciful*, Galerie Feigen, NYC, USA

International Performance Festival Singapore, Singapore

Satu Kali Festival, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

Into me out of me, PS1 NYC, USA

Sinopale, 1st Sinop Biennale, Sinop, Turkey

Depicting Action, 18th, Performance Series Festival, Santa Monica and Goethe Institute, LA, USA

All For One, One For All, Aeroplastics Contemporary, Brussels, Belgium

2005 *Persistent and Gradual Loss of Self-Control*, Van Gogh Museum, Amsterdam, Netherlands

Let Love Blossom with IPG, Galleria Civica di Arte Contemporanea, Trento, Italy

Orientacion, Reina Sofia Museum and Goethe Institute Madrid, Spain

IPG, Gallery Illy, NYC, USA

- 2004 *International Performance Festival*, Boston, MA, USA
Cleaning The House Project, NMAC Foundation Montenegro Arte Contemporáneo
 Cadiz, Spain
PS1 Contemporary Art Center, NYC, USA
Raumkonzepte, Marta Museum Herford, Germany
- 2003 *Rituale- In Der Zeitgenössischen Kunst*, Akademie der Künste, Berlin, Germany
Fifth International Women's Art Festival International, Aleppo, Syria
As Soon As Possible, PAC Milano, Milan, Italy
Recycling The Future, 50th Venice Biennale, Venice, Italy
Fourth International Performancefestival, Odense, Denmark
- 2002 *No Place*, Exhibition and Performance, Ifa Galerie Bonn, Germany
Clean The House, Museum Galego de Arte Contemporaneo, Santiago de Compostela, Spain
Body Power/ Power Play, Württembergisches Kunstverein Stuttgart, Germany

Residencies

- 2020 ISCP New York International Studio & Curatorial Program, New York, USA
- 2016 - 2017 Villa Massimo Residency, Villa Massimo, Rome, Italy
- 2014 Cultur Academie Istanbul - Tarabya Stipendium Istanbul, Turkey
- 2013 - 2014 Culture Academy Villa Tarabya, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2013 Vaivem Project of Residency and Exhibition in SESC Pinheiros, Sao Paulo, Brazil
- 2008 Fado International Artist in Residencies, Idea Series Toronto Canada
- 2007 Künstlerhaus Schloss Wiepersdorf, Aufenthaltstipendium des Landes Brandenburg,
 Germany
- 2005 Bursary for Artist in Residencies BM Contemporary Art Center Istanbul, Turkey
- 2004 Künstlerhäuser Worpswede, Aufenthaltstipendium des Landes
 Niedersachsen, Germany
- 2003 Künstlerdorf Schöppingen, Aufenthaltstipendium des Landes Nordrhein-Westfalen,
 Germany

Selected Public and Private Collections

Samdani Art Foundation, Bangladesh

Momentum Collection, Bangladesh

Montreal Museum of Fine Arts, Canada

GASAG Aktiengesellschaft Berlin, Germany

Kerber, Germany

Kunstmuseum Heidenheim Germany

Momentum, Berlin, Germany

Museum Marta Herford, Germany

The Foundation Frances, France

Culturale Pamplona, Spain

Proje4L Elgiz Museum of Contemporary Art, Turkey

Koç Foundation Contemporary Art Collection, Turkey