CV

WALTER "WBOT" GÖTSCH

MULTIDISCIPLINARY VISUAL ARTIST

Born in Finland

Lives and works in Helsinki and the village of Mallusjoki. Studio at Harakka Artist House.

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS & PROJECTS

- Meandering, Drifting and Wandering, Galleria Myymälä2, Helsinki, 2024
- FILUM RUBRUM Performance with Verena Götsch and Aoi Yoshizawa, Maunula-talo, Helsinki, 2024
- The Open Art Platform (OAP), Museum of Technology, Helsinki, 2024
- Drinking from the Fire Hose, Galleria Myymälä2, Helsinki, 2023
- ORGANIC Group exhibition, Galleria Longassa, Kalasatama, Helsinki, 2023
- Pillars of Autumn presents: RETREAT –
 Installation, Raum Vollreinigung Gallery, Berlin,
 2022
- some functions seem unfamiliar Installation, Asbestos Gallery, Helsinki, 2022
- Hermitage Sykaminea Gathering A week-long program in Athens, Greece, including workshops, performances, and an exhibition. Organized by Onassis AiR & ERGO Collective, Athens, 2022
- Art or Liquid Assets? Ethics of NFTs Workshop at Oodi Library, Helsinki, 2022
- Järven Henki1 Floating installation on Mallusjärvi lake, Mallusjoki, 2021
- A Funeral for Street Culture Installation with Wes Mapes, Tobi Balogun, and Dior Rosina, Framer Framed, Amsterdam, 2021
- Huomenta Suomi Installation with Lucas Vogt, Galleria Kalleria, Helsinki, 2021
- M.A.R.P.S. Initiation of the project series, 2021–
- The Secret Garden Group exhibition with Marcel van den Berg and Wes Mapes, Gallery De Bouwput, Amsterdam, 2020
- Pillars of Autumn Group exhibition with Wes Mapes and Terrell Tate, Gallery De Bouwput, Amsterdam, 2019
- Naive enough to have concerns about one's own happiness when others have no seals to pet – Performance with Natalia Jordanova, See-Me-On-29 Gallery, Sofia, 2019



RESIDENCIES

- Hermitage Sykaminea, Lesbos, Greece, 2021
- AqTushetii, Georgia, 2024

MEMBERSHIPS

- Artists' Association MUU ry
- Globe Art Point
- Finnish Artists' Association
- Walking Artists Network
- Kiila ry
- Dirty Art Foundation

ART EDUCATION

- MA Sandberg Instituut, Dirty Art Department, Amsterdam, 2019
- BA Aalto University, Fashion and Costume Design Program, Helsinki, 2016

GRANTS & FUNDING

- Finnish Cultural Foundation, Mobility Grant, 2024
- City of Helsinki, Art and Culture Grant (for a group project), 2024
- Onassis Foundation, Project Grant (for a group project), 2022
- Goethe-Institut, Project Grant (for a group project), 2022
- Finnish Institute at Athens, TelepART Grant, 2021
- Taike (Arts Promotion Centre Finland), COVID-19 Grant, 2021
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MEDIA & PRESS

- Onassis Future: Hermitage Sykaminea
- Interview TelepART Artists: Walter Götsch & Eirini Tiniakou
- Framer Framed: A Funeral for Street Culture

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