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Berlin Biennale Reveals Artist List for Postponed 2020 Edition

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Virginia de Medeiros, *Trem em Transe*, 2019, video still. COURTESY VIRGINIA DE MEDEIROS

Earlier this year, the Berlin Biennale (<u>https://www.artnews.com/t/berlin-biennale/</u>) became one of premier biennials to get postponed because of the ongoing pandemic. With its new dates set for September 5–November 1, the biennial has named the participants in its 11th edition. The event will take place across four venues in the German capital: the KW Institute for Contemporary Art, daadgalerie, the Gropius Bau, and the Biennale's temporary space ExRotaprint.

Curated by María Berríos, Renata Cervetto, Lisette Lagnado, and Agustín Pérez Rubio, the exhibition will explore "modes of articulating solidarity, vulnerability, and resistance, the contributions rise up to materialize the complicated beauty of life amidst the turbulent times we inhabit," according to a release. Among the participating artists are Cecilia Vicuña, Käthe Kollwitz, Mariela Scafati, Pacita Abad, Noor Abuarafeh, and Léo Corrêa.

The Berlin Biennale isn't the only major art event in Europe to move ahead with an edition this fall despite the ongoing pandemic. *The Art Newspaper* reported (https://www.theartnewspaper.com/news/fiac-organisers-pledge-47th-edition-will-open-in-october-despite-coronavirus-turmoil) on Tuesday that the FIAC art fair in Paris currently plans to stage its 2020 edition in October. And Manifesta (https://www.artnews.com/art-news/news/manifesta-13-artist-list-1202690332/), a roving biennial that this year will take place in Marseille, France, is due to open at the end of August.

The list of participants in the 2020 Berlin Biennale follows in full below.

Shuvinai Ashoona Marwa Arsanios Noor Abuarafeh Pacita Abad Deanna Bowen Virginia Borges, Gil DuOdé, and Virginia de Medeiros Aline Baiana Paula Baeza Pailamilla Felix Brüggemann Francisco Copello Colectivo de Serigrafía Instantánea Sara Sejin Chang (Sara van der Heide) Edgar Calel (in collaboration with Fernando Pereira dos Santos) Cansu Çakar Flávio de Carvalho Léo Corrêa Flávio de Carvalho (in collaboration with Raymond Frajmund) Zehra Doğan Cian Dayrit Kiri Dalena **Die Remise** El Palomar FCNN – Feminist Collective With No Name (Dina El Kaisy Friemuth/Anita Beikpour) with Neda Sanai Brenda V. Fajardo Feminist Health Care Research Group (Inga Zimprich/Julia Bonn) Andrés Fernández Pélagie Gbaguidi Sandra Gamarra Heshiki Galli Grupo Experimental de Cine Eiko Grimberg Mauricio Gatti **Till Gathmann** Francisco Huichaqueo Emma Howes and Justin Kennedy in collaboration with Balz Isler Sheroanawe Hakihiiwe Käthe Kollwitz Âlut Kangermio **Delaine Le Bas** La rara troupe Museu de Imagens do Inconsciente, Rio de Janeiro, BR Museu de Arte Osório Cesar, Franco da Rocha, BR Museo de la Solidaridad Salvador Allende (MSSA), CL Carlos Motta Óscar Morales Martínez Pedro Moraleida Bernardes Małgorzata Mirga-Tas Dana Michel and Tracy Maurice Meyer-Grohbrügge **Christine Meisner** Dorine Mokha Marcelo Moreschi Mapa Teatro – Laboratorio de Artistas Virginia de Medeiros Antonio Pichillá

Andrés Pereira Paz Florencia Rodriguez Giles Naomi Rincón Gallardo Miria Reuter and Florian Gass Solvognen (The Sun Chariot) Theater Group Mariela Scafati Aykan Safoğlu Elena Tejada-Herrera The Black Mamba - Natasha Mendonca & Suman Sridhar Teatro da Vertigem Young-jun Tak Тео Castiel Vitorino Brasileiro Azucena Vieites Sinthujan Varatharajah Cecilia Vicuña Bartolina Xixa Osías Yanov and Sirenes Errantes Katarina Zdjelar

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