

MICHAEL KOHN GALLERY

ROSA LOY

Born 1958, Zwickau, Germany

Lives and works in Leipzig, Germany

Rosa Loy's work is born of a worldview influenced by her upbringing in Leipzig, former East Germany, isolated by Communism and the Berlin Wall. As part of the post-reunification New Leipzig School, Loy's work deals with themes surrounding the mystery of women, femininity, and the new Romanticism. Recent exhibitions include *Herbarium*, Lyles & King, New York, NY (2023); *Lucky Days*, Gallery Baton, Seoul, South Korea (2022); *Flowers on the Border*, Space K, Seoul, South Korea (2021); *Rosa Loy*, Museum der Stadt Bensheim, Bensheim, Germany (2020); *Neo Rauch & Rosa Loy: La Torre*, Fondazione Coppola, Venice, Italy (2019). Loy's work is included in the permanent collections of the Museum of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles, CA; Museum of Modern Art, New York, NY; Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL; Pérez Art Museum, Miami, FL; Busan Museum of Art, Busan, South Korea; Art and Museum Centre Sinkka, Kerava, Finland; and Museum of Fine Arts, Leipzig, Germany, among others.

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EDUCATION

- 1993 Master studies in the class of Prof. Rolf Münzner
1990 Diploma (Prof. Felix Müller)
1990 Studies at the Academy of Visual Arts Leipzig, Germany
1985 Diploma in horticulture at the Humboldt University Berlin, Germany

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2023 *Herbarium*, Lyles & King, New York, NY
2022 *Lucky Days*, Gallery Baton, Seoul, South Korea
Flaneurin, Frauen Museum, Wiesbaden, Germany
Urstoff, Cross Reeding, Seoul, South Korea
2021 *Flowers on the Border*, Space K, Seoul, South Korea
2020 *Rosa Loy: In dieser Welt*, Museum Bensheim, Bensheim, Germany
Everything Stays Different, Lyles & King, New York, United States
Substanzen, Galerie Kleindienst, Leipzig, Germany
2019 *Der Tag*, Gutshaus Steglitz, Berlin, Germany
Anwesenheiten, Kunstverein Münsterland, Coesfeld, Germany
Rosa Loy & Neo Rauch - La Torre, Fondazione Coppola, Vicenza, Italy
Rosa Loy & Neo Rauch - Soli Deo Gloria, Gutshof Schulenburg, Bisdorf, Germany
Anwesenheiten, Gesellschaft der Freunde junger Kunst, Baden-Baden, Germany
Das trifft sich gut, Market Church St Cosmas and Damian, Goslar, Germany
Préservation du Temple, ACMCM Centre d'Art Contemporain, Perpignan, France
2018 *So Near And Yet So Far*, Kohn Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
Rosa Loy & Neo Rauch - Lohengrin, Villa Schöningen, Potsdam, Germany
Rosa Loy & Neo Rauch - Die Strickerin, Grafikstiftung, Aschersleben, Germany
2017 *Ratz Fatz*, Salon Käthe of Gallery Kleindienst, Leipzig, Germany
Die Praxis, Gallery De Martino, Munich, Germany
Spring, Gallery Baton, Seoul, South Korea
Lippische Gesellschaft, Schloss Detmold, Germany
Bilder Bergen, Drents Museum, Assen, Netherlands
2016 *Maifeier*, Galerie Kleindienst, Leipzig, Germany
Die Andere Seite (The Other Side), Kunstraum Innsbruck, Innsbruck, Austria
Summer Joy, Galerie Galerie im Herrenhaus, Dobis, Germany
2015 *My Loved Land*, Villa Katzorke, Essen, Germany
Glade, Gallery Noah, Augsburg, Germany
2014 *Aus Naher Ferne (From A Close Distance)*, Ornis Gallery, Amsterdam, Netherlands
Green Heart, Gallery Baton, Seoul, South Korea
Ornis A. Gallery, Amsterdam, Netherlands
Escort, Yusto/Giner Gallery, Marbella, Spain
2013 *Schirren*, Gallery Stötzel-Tied, Goslar, Germany
Souvenir, McClain Gallery, Houston, TX

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- 2012 *Mäander*, Galerie Kleindienst, Leipzig, Germany
Rosa Loy & Neo Rauch - Gravitation, Art Collections Chemnitz, Germany
SONDE, SpardaWelt, Stuttgart, Germany
Tautropfen, Pippy Houldsworth Gallery, London, UK
Convocation, Michael Kohn Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
Blütengrund, Galerie Noah, Augsburg, Germany
Mein Hain, Kunstverein Rosenheim, Rosenheim, Germany
- 2011 *Manna*, Kunsthalle Glessen, Glessen, Germany
Rosa Loy & Neo Rauch - Behind the Gardens, Essl Museum Klosterneuburg, Vienna, Austria
Wispering Leaves, Art Cercle Aichwald, Aichwald Aichshei, Germany
- 2010 *Jelaengerjelierer, Paintings*, Galerie Kleindienst, Leipzig, Germany
Das Auge sieht mit, Galerie Noah, Augsburg, Germany
- 2009 *The Secret Library*, Schlechtrium Brothers, Berlin, Germany
- 2008 *Close to Me*, Andr Schlechriem Contemporary, New York, NY
- 2007 *My Circles*, Andr Schlechriem Contemporary, New York, NY
- 2006 *Transformation*, Galerie Wilma Tolksdorf, Berlin, Germany
Almanac, Oldenburger Kunstverein, Oldenburg, Germany
9 Wege, David Zwirner Gallery, New York, NY
- 2005 Galerie Wilma Tolksdorf, Frankfurt am Main, Germany
Galerie der Stadt Sparkasse Gtersloh, Gtersloh, Germany
- 2004 Galerie Kleindienst, Leipzig, Germany
The Allied, Museum of the city of Zwickau, Zwickau, Germany
- 2003 Galerie Wilma Tolksdorf, Frankfurt am Main, Germany
The Allied, Kunstsammlung Gera, Gera, Germany
Gallery Entwistle, London, U.K.
- 2002 *Arts Award for Arts*, room B2, Leipzig, Germany
Art Association of the City, Backnang, Germany
Entwistle Gallery, London, UK
- 1999 *VEAG Award for Art*, VEAG, Berlin, Germany
- 1998 *The Cure Resource for Health and Beauty*, Bruehl 65, Leipzig, Germany
SPOT Number 5: A little bit of, Friends Current Art Association, Zwickau, Germany
- 1996 Hotel Leipziger Hof, Leipzig, Germany
- 1995 Bayerische Vereinsbank, Leipzig, Germany
- 1993 *Frauenlos*, Gallery Fiedler, Leipzig, Germany

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2023 *Rosa Loy | Neo Rauch: Das Alte Land*, Art and Museum Centre Sinkka, Kerava, Finland
Rosa Loy & Rose Wylie: Doubletten, Museum der Stadt Bensheim, Bensheim, Germany
- 2022 *Collection Collective*, ACMCM Centre d'Art Contemporain, Perpignan, France
Leipzig: A Universe of Images. 1905-2022, Museum of Fine Arts, Leipzig, Germany
Bang! Die Rckkehr der Malerei, Galerie Noah, Augsburg, Germany
Kick Line, The MalerinnenNetzWerk, Berlin, Germany, Thaler Originalgrafik, Leipzig,

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- Germany
Competere: An Exhibition of Artist Couples, The Bo Bartlett Center, Columbus, Georgia
- Breathing Water, Drinking Air*, Philara Collection, Düsseldorf, Germany
Girl Meets Girl, Vestfossen Kunstlaboratorium, Vestfossen, Norway
- 2021
2020
NEW, Gallery Kleindienst, Leipzig, Germany
I WANT TO FEEL ALIVE AGAIN, Lyles & King, New York, United States
We are open, Galerie Kleindienst, Leipzig
NEW II, Westside Galerie Kleindienst, Leipzig
- 2019
Das Kollegium, Grafikstiftung Neo Rauch, Aschersleben, Germany
VOIX. MalerinnenNetzWerk Berlin-Leipzig, Museum of Visual Arts, Leipzig, Germany
She Models for Her, curated by Phoebe D'Heurle and Maryam Hoseini, The Shed, New York, New York
Meisterstück!, Zentrum für Aktuelle Kunst, Berlin
That's good, Galerie Stoetzel-Tiedt Messum, Wiltshire, United Kingdom
Foreign Powers. Painting from Leipzig, Mmuseum Franz Gertsch, Burgdorf (Switzerland)
The Leipzig Connection, Croatian Association of Artists (HDLU), Zagred, Croatia
Feelings, Pinakothek der Moderne, Munich, Germany
Recent Donations and Long-Term Loans, Museum of Modern Art Grand Duc Jean, Luxembourg
- 2018
Zeigen und Sagen, Deutsche Bundesbank Geldmuseum, Frankfurt, Germany
Painting XXL. MalerinnenNetzWerk Berlin-Leipzig, Galerie Leuenroth, Frankfurt, Germany
Eros and Thanatos. SØR Rusche Collection Oelde/Berlin, Museum Abtei Liesborn, Liesborn, Germany
MdbK mets G2. Painting from Leipzig since 2000, Museum of Visual Arts, Leipzig, Germany
Nach dem Bild ist vor dem Bild, 75 Malerinnen aus Leipzig, Part 2, FAK, Zwickau, Germany
- 2017
Fleming Faloon, Office Baroque, Brussels, Belgium
Ladder to Heaven, Neuer Pfaffenhofener Kunstverein, Pfaffenhofen, Germany
Desperate Housewives? Künstlerinnen räumen auf, Staatliches Industrie- und Textilmuseum, Augsburg, Germany
The Present Order- Part 2, Museum of Contemporary Art, Leipzig, Germany
Under Influence, Gallery Dukan, Paris, France; Gallery Dukan, Leipzig, Germany
Painting XX, Sparkassenstiftung Lüneburg, Lüneburg, Germany
Figurativ: Malerinnen der Gegenwart, Schloss Achberg, Schberg, Germany
Jetzt Druck machen, Museum Angerlehner, Thalheim bei Wels, Austria
Black Sugar. 7 x contemporary printing, Städtisches Kunstmuseum Spendhaus, Reutlingen, Germany
- 2016
Tightrope Walk: Painted Images After Abstraction, White Cube, London, U.K.
Desperate Housewives? Künstlerinnen räumen auf, Kunstsammlungen Zwickau, Germany
Body & Soul, Essl Museum, Vienna, Austria
Storyteller: Zeitgenössische Kunst aus Leipzig, Nationales Kunstmuseum, Riga, Latvia

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& Goethe-Institut, Hanoi, Vietnam

- 2015
Der Flug der Königinnen. Women at Work, ROMPONE artspace, Cologne, Germany
Mir ist das Leben lieber, Weserburg Museum für Moderne Kunst, Bremen, Germany
The Present Order, Gallery for Contemporary Art, Leipzig, Germany
Empire of the Senseless, Friedman Benda, New York, NY
Beuys ohne Hut. Karin Szekessy fotografiert Künstler, Horst-Janssen-Museum, Oldenburg, Germany
Ein Zimmer für Alfred Flechtheim, Osthaus Museum Hagen, Germany
Personalities on Paper, Ornis A. Gallery, Amsterdam, Netherlands
Leipzig 2015. Sammlung Hildebrand, G2 Kunsthalle, Leipzig, Germany
Werkschau der Spinnereikünstler, Werkschauhalle, Leipzig, Germany
Die bessere Hälfte - Malerinnen aus Leipzig, Kunsthalle Sparkasse Leipzig, Germany
Desperate Housewives? Künstlerinnen räumen auf, Museum Kulturspeicher, Würzburg, Germany
Vertraute Gesellschaft, Thaler Originalgrafik, Leipzig, Germany
Gute Kunst? Wollen! SØR Rusche Sammlung Oelde/Berlin, Auf AEG, Nürnberg, Germany
Perlmutter, Kunstverein Freunde Aktueller Kunst, Zwickau, Germany
Wahrheiten, Museum Abtei Liesborn, Liesborn, Germany
- 2014
Ce qui je suis maintenant-Ein Zimmer für Alfred Flechtheim, Rompone Artspace, Köln, Germany
Wahrheiten - works of SOR Rusche collection Oelde/Berlin, Bayer Kulturhaus, Leverkusen, Germany
This side of paradise, Sotheby's Gallery S2, London, U.K.
Sechse gehen durch die ganze Welt, Stephan Schrör, Berlin, Germany
BGL#1, Kesselhaus, Bergisch Gladbach/Cologne, Cologne, Germany
I shall stay the way I am because I do not give a damn... - Dorothee Parker, Lombard Freid Gallery, New York, NY
- 2013
Art Karlsruhe, Haller 4 P 04, Karlsruhe, Germany
LUBOK: Graphic and Book Art from Leipzig, Museo de la Estampa del Instituto Mexiquense de Cultura, Toluca, Mexico
Hin und weg, Art association Freunde aktueller Kunst e.V., Zwickau, Germany
Gekauft: Acquisitions of the Graphic Collection, Museum of Visual Arts, Leipzig, Germany
Schöne Landschaft - Bedrohte Natur: Old Masters in Dialogue with Contemporary Art, Kunsthalle, Osnabrück, Germany
Oelde/Berlin, Kunsthalle Osnabrück, Osnabrück, Germany
LUBOK: Graphic and Book Art from Leipzig, Centro Cultural Clavijero, Morelio, Mexico
Der Himmel im Garten. Natur - Landschaften, Essl Museum, Vienna, Austria
Jetzt hier: Contemporary art of the Kunstfonds, Kunsthalle Lipsiusbau, Dresden, Germany
Tierstücke, Museum Abtei Lisborn, Wadersloh, Germany
LUBOK: Graphic and Book Art from Leipzig, Galería de Arte Contemporáneo del Teatro Isauro Martínez Torreón, Coahuila, Mexico
- 2012
Personalities on Paper, Ornis A. Gallery Utrecht, Netherlands
Gravitation (with Neo Rauch), Art Collections Chemnitz, König-Albert-Museum,

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Chemnitz, Germany

Sweethearts: Artist Couples, Pippy Houldsworth Gallery, London, U.K.
German Now – from Leipzig, Seongnam Art Center, Seongnam, Korea
Triangel, Galerie der Gegenwart, Karlsruhe, Germany
Woldemar-Winkler-Preisträger, 1995-2011, Galerie Sparkasse, Gütersloh, Germany
Eros und Thanatos, SØR Rusche Collection, Weksschauhalle, Leipzig, Germany
LUBOK: Graphic and book art from Leipzig, Museo Nacional de la Estampa, Mexico City, Mexico

- 2011 *Rosa Loy and Neo Rauch*, curated by Gunther Oberhollenzer Blätterrauschen Essl Museum, Vienna, Austria; Kunstkreis Aichwald e.V., Aichwald, Germany
Leipzig Painters, Gallery Baton, Seoul, South Korea
Mrs Darling's Kiss, Arch402 Gallery, London, U.K.
Convoy Leipzig, Biksady Gallery, Budapest, Hungary
Salon der Gegenwart, Elbhof Hamburg, Germany
- 2010 *Korso*, Philara e.V., Düsseldorf, Germany
The night, Städtische Galerie Delmenhorst, Germany
Die unsichtbare Hand. Contemporary drawing of the collection Städtische Galerie Delmenhorst, Städtische Galerie Delmenhorst, Germany
Korso, Werkschauhalle, Leipzig, Germany
Nicht ohne mein..., Museum of Fine Arts, Leipzig, Germany
Summer Exhibition, Royal Academy of Arts, London, U.K.
- 2009 *Collection VNG - Verbundnetz Gas AG*, Museum of Contemporary Art, Leipzig, Germany
Defiance and Melancholy, Museum Meilathi, Helsinki, Finland
- 2008 *Carte Blanche II*, Museum of Contemporary Art Leipzig, Leipzig, Germany
- 2007 *GERMAN STORIES*, Museum of Contemporary Art, Leipzig, Germany
Made in Leipzig - Pictures of a City, Sammlung Essl, Castle Hartenfels, Torgau, Germany
- 2006 *Artists from Leipzig*, Arario Gallery, Shanghai, China
Made in Leipzig - Pictures of a City, Sammlung Essl, Klosterneuburg, Austria
- 2005 *A Question of {} for the Gesture*, Leipzig Opera, Leipzig, Germany
The beauty of painting, City gallery Delmenhorst, Germany
- 2004 *Beauty of Painting*, Städtische Galerie, Delmenhorst, Germany
Cold Hearts - Artists from Leipzig, Arario, Choongchungnam-do, South Korea
New Leipzig School Painting, The Contemporary Museum, Baltimore, MD
East international 2004, Norwich Gallery, Norwich, U.K.
Happy Days are Here Again, David Zwirner Gallery, New York, NY
Lack Color, National art collection Dresden, Galerie Neue Meister, Albertinum, Dresden, Germany
- 2003 *In the middle of it. Works in dialogue*, Recent acquisitions of Saxony, Art collection Chemnitz, Germany
- 2002 *Desired images*, Museum of Fine Arts Leipzig, Leipzig, Germany
Cold Hearts - Artists from Leipzig, Arario Gallery, Choongchungnam-do, South Korea
- 2001 *New Leipzig School Painting*, The Contemporary Museum, Baltimore, MD
- 2000 *East International 2004*, Norwich Gallery, Norwich School of Art and Design, Norwich, U.K.
- 1999 *Happy Days are Here Again*, David Zwirner Gallery, New York, NY

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- 1998 *False Colors: State Art Collections Dresden*, Galerie Neue Meister, Albertinum, Germany
- 1996 *Art Price of Energy: The Winners 1992-2003*, Vattenfall Europe, Cottbus, Germany
- 1995 *Right in the Middle*, Staatliche Kunstsammlungen, Dresden, Germany
- 1993 *Ideals*, Museum of Fine Arts, Leipzig, Germany
- 1992 *The BIG ID*, James Cohan Gallery, New York, NY
- Intimate Expeditions, Gold Rush Project*, Haus am Waldsee, Berlin, Germany
- Visitez ma tente*, Karl-Hofer-Gesellschaft, Berlin, Germany
- Pictures to Pictures*, Arnolfini, Bristol, UK
- Vile*, Germanic National Museum, Nuremberg, Germany; Museum of Fine Arts, Leipzig, Germany
- Sake Bar*, Wilfriede Maass Gallery, Berlin, Germany
- Young Art*, Overbeck-Gesellschaft, Lübeck, Germany
- Winter Festival*, Juväskylä, Finland
- Master Student Exhibition*, HGB Leipzig, Leipzig, Germany; Kunstverein Wilhelmshaven, Germany
- Winners*, EXPO 2000, Hanover, Germany

PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

- Busan Museum of Art, Busan, South Korea
- Museum of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles, CA
- Museum of Modern Art, New York, NY
- Pinakothek der Moderne, München, Germany
- Gemäldegalerie Neue Meister, Albertinum, Dresden, Germany
- Museum der Bildenden Künste, Leipzig, Germany
- Kunstsammlungen Zwickau, Germany
- Galerie für Zeitgenössische Kunst, Leipzig, Germany
- Sammlung Essl, Klosterneuburg bei Wien, Austria
- Ministerium für Wissenschaft und Kunst des Freistaates Sachsen, Dresden, Germany
- Deutsche Nationalbibliothek Leipzig, Germany
- Sammlung Commerzbank Leipzig, Germany
- Sammlung Deutsche Bank, Germany
- Sammlung Sparkasse Leipzig, Germany
- Sammlung Städtische Galerie Delmenhorst, Germany
- Sammlung Vattenfall Europe AG, Berlin, Germany
- Collection Verbundnetz Gas AG, Leipzig, Germany
- Herzog August Bibliothek, Wolfenbüttel, Germany
- Stadt- und Universitätsbibliothek Frankfurt/Main, Germany