Andreas Hochuli INFORMATION AND DRINKS 17.06-26.06 2022 Guts

The exhibition INFORMATION AND DRINKS presents a series of words materialized through carefully sewn textile pieces. What might look as empty slogans could be the preparatory structure on which a narration could grow.

As most people in the art-world I often think about projects that could be both conceptually interesting and financially rewarding. For the last 5 years I have been fantasizing about writing a romance novel that could be hugely popular and still summon themes that would deeply question our conceptions of life. Of course, such attempts have already be made. The main ingredients would have to be work, love, money, and power, the domains through which we seek salvation and transcendence. All these aspects would have to be reconciled after an initial period of antagonism through some sort of « Aufhebung », an unexpected resolution, to climax in EXORBITANT BLISS.

Andreas Hochuli is a Swiss-German, who grew up in France and studied in the French part of Switzerland. After living in Leipzig and Berlin for a few years, he returned to Switzerland in Geneva, which he is now leaving to live in Genoa, in a flat worthy of the novel he dreams of writing, with a panoramic view of the port. His works are anchored in pictograms and words.

The opening takes place on Friday June 27 from 6 to 9 p.m. The show is open by appointment until June 26.