



Exhibition view, *This Is Us*, Z33, Belgium, photo: Selma Gurbuz

This Is Us

1 October 2023 to 18 February 2024

This Is Us combines works from the four largest museums for contemporary art in Flanders: M HKA, S.M.A.K., Mu.ZEE and M Leuven. Guest curator Fabian Flückiger sees these art collections as seismographs of the times, re-evaluated with each presentation.

In *This Is Us*, Flückiger spread the work of fifty artists over three chapters: *The Art Institution*, *Living Spaces*, and *Telling Stories*. These chapters explore the art institution from various perspectives, questioning the power dynamics at play and the issue of representation in art. They also address our current organic and social living environments and inspire us to think about how history influences our perception of art and the world as a whole. New works created specifically for this exhibition deepen the dialogue between the present and the past. This transforms the exhibition into an 'artistic learning environment' in which perspectives are questioned and shifted, sharpened and aligned.

The exhibition emerged from a unique collaboration between Flanders' leading museums for contemporary art, Z33, and the commissioned artists.

The exhibition includes works by Richard Artschwager, John Baldessari, Sammy Baloji, Dara Birnbaum, Audrey Cottin, Anne Daems, N. Dash, Robert Devriendt, Marlene Dumas, Mona Filleul, Andrea Fraser, Joris Ghekiere, Karin Hanssen, Ann Veronica Janssens, Jean Katambayi Mukendi, Felix Kindermann, Aglaia Konrad, Wolfgang Laib, Konrad Lueg, Natasja Mabesoone, Dyan Marie, Kerry James Marshall, Hana Miletić, Bruce Nauman, Otobong Nkanga, Cady Noland, Clare Noonan, Sophie Nys, Willem Oorebeek, Meret Oppenheim, Ria Pacquée, Marina Pinsky, Avery Preesman, Emmanuelle Quertain, Peter Rogiers, Jura Shust, Monika Stricker, Ana Torfs, Keith Tyson, Anne-Mie Van Kerckhoven, Michael Van den Abeele, Emmanuel Van der Auwera, Jan Van de Kerckhove, Maarten Vanden Eynde, Anna Zacharoff and Heimo Zobernig.

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