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Food chain incl. prehistoric animals

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Galerie Buchholz, Neven-DuMont-Straße 17, Köln

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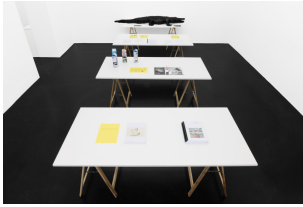
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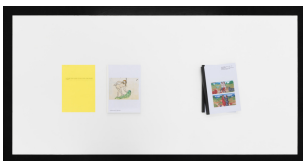
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detail:

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detail:

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inkjet print on yellow A4 paper

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Edition, publication: London, 2023,

28 x 24 cm, 16 pages

– Social organization and frequency of homosexual behavior among some species of animals, black swan and mute swan, 2025

collage on milk carton,

22 x 7.5 x 7.5 cm

– Social organization and frequency of homosexual behavior among some species of animals, bonobo or pygmy chimpanzee, 2025

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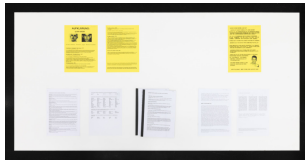
Art with information, 2025
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collage on milk carton,
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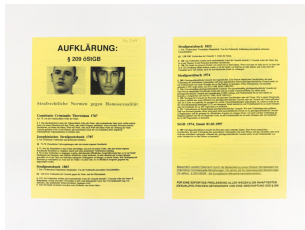
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detail:

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- A4 handouts: brochure, 16 pages
- 30 days of police operations and other forms of bashing, global view, (cruisingforsex.com), 2003
- inkjet print on A4 paper, 44 pages, bound
- Pre post: speaking backwards / SEX (IN PUBLIC), 2006
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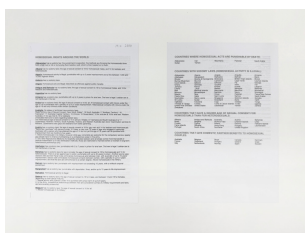
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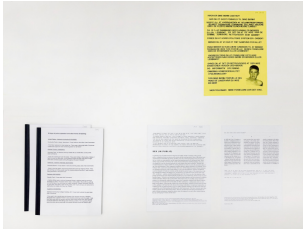
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detail:

- Pre-historic crocodile, 2025
wood, metal, rabbit wire, papier maché, acrylic paint, UV varnish, lacquer, inkjet, 21 x 80 x 222 cm

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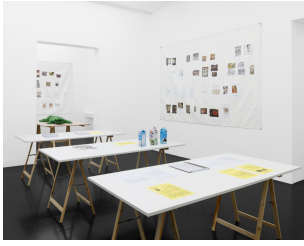
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Timeline of gay sex 1-3, 2025
3 parts, inkjet print on paper, mounted on HDPE, LDPE,
metal paint
each 195 x 298 cm
detail

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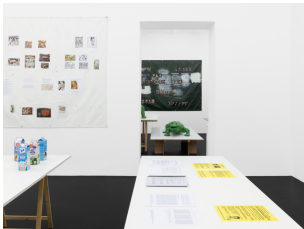
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detail

American alligator, 2024

alligator: plaster, wood, metal, rabbit wire, jute, acrylic paint, clear lacquer gloss, 47 x 78 x 229 cm

table: wood, acrylic,

86 x 125,5 x 250 cm

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Timeline of gay sex 4 / some faggy gestures, 2025

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195 x 298 cm

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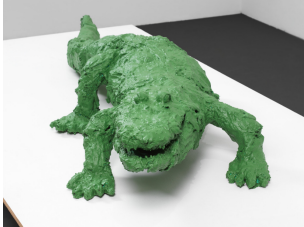
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American alligator, circa 83.5 million years ago, 2025

alligator: plaster, wood, metal, rabbit wire, jute, acrylic paint, lacquer: 34 x 70 x 223 cm

pedestal: wood, acrylic, 21 x 125 x 250

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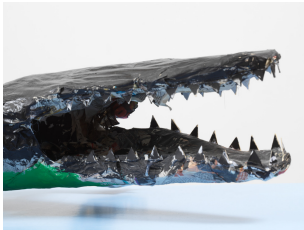
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crocodile: wood, metal, rabbit wire, papier maché (newspapers, glue), cardboard, acrylic paint, UV varnish, lacquer, 23 x 70 x 212 cm

table: wood, acrylic, lacquer, inkjet print, 76 x 87 x 244 cm detail

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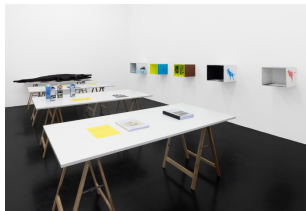
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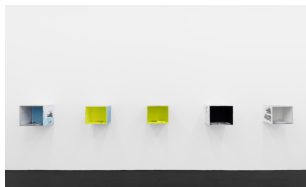
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Food chain incl. prehistoric animals: pyramids, tyrannosaurus rex, crocodile, 2025
silkscreen on wood, acrylic, lacquer, prints on paper, plexiglass
37 x 44 x 44 cm

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Food chain incl. prehistoric animals: pyramids, tyrannosaurus rex, crocodile, 2025
silkscreen on wood, acrylic, lacquer, prints on paper, plexiglass
37 x 44 x 44 cm

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silkscreen on wood, acrylic, lacquer, prints on paper, plexiglass
37 x 44 x 44 cm

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Food chain incl. prehistoric animals: zipper, screws, keyboard, pyramids, 2025
silkscreen on wood, acrylic, lacquer, prints on paper, plexiglass
32 x 39 x 39 cm

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silkscreen on wood, acrylic, lacquer, prints on paper, plexiglass
32 x 39 x 39 cm

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Food chain incl. prehistoric animals: Gai pied, Colgate, UHU stick, USB key, 2025
silkscreen on wood, acrylic, lacquer, prints on paper, plexiglass
32 x 39 x 39 cm

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silkscreen on wood, acrylic, lacquer, prints on paper, plexiglass
32 x 39 x 39 cm

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silkscreen on wood, acrylic, lacquer, prints on paper, plexiglass
32 x 39 x 39 cm

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Food chain incl. prehistoric animals: crocodiles, companion species, dinosaur, 2025
silkscreen on wood, acrylic, lacquer, prints on paper, plexiglass
35.5 x 43.3 x 43.3 cm

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Food chain incl. prehistoric animals: crocodiles, companion species, dinosaur, 2025
silkscreen on wood, acrylic, lacquer, prints on paper, plexiglass
35.5 x 43.3 x 43.3 cm

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silkscreen on wood, acrylic, lacquer, prints on paper, plexiglass
35.5 x 43.3 x 43.3 cm

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Food chain incl. prehistoric animals: crocodile, zipper, keyboard, stomach, 2025
silkscreen on wood, acrylic, lacquer, prints on paper, plexiglass
32 x 39 x 39 cm

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