

Notes on Contributors

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JEAN MARIE CAREY is an art historian specializing in Franz Marc and the representation of animals in German Modernist and contemporary art. She recently completed a U.S.-Norway Fulbright Scholar residency at the Arkeologisk Museum in Stavanger, Norway, where she organized and curated the exhibition *Eden and Everything After*. Her current research has been supported by a Marie Skłodowska-Curie Fellowship, culminating in a

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DOUGLAS CUSHING received his BFA from the Rhode Island School of Design and his MA and PhD from the University of Texas at Austin. He wrote his doctoral dissertation on the modernist periodical *transition* (1927-38). Cushing's research focuses on interwar modernism (especially Dada and Surrealism), on the small-circulation modernist periodicals known as "little magazines," and on the connections between Romanticism and the avant-garde. In 2016, Cushing curated *Goya: Mad Reason* for the Blanton Museum of Art. Currently, Cushing is a lecturer in Art History at the University of Texas at Austin.

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BARBARA DI NOI hat Germanistik und Anglistik in Florenz und Pisa studiert; in Pisa hat sie den PhD mit einer Dissertation über Hoffmann und die Musik erlangt. Mit Hoffmann hat sie sich intensiv auseinandergesetzt und wird in kurzem einen Aufsatz über *Die Abenteuer der Sylvester-Nacht* in Hoffmann-Jahrbuch publizieren. Weitere Schwerpunkte ihrer Forschung sind Walter Benjamin (*Die Wiederkehr des Mythos in Benjamins Pariser Passagen*), Franz Kafka und die Dekadenz. Sie hat über Trakl, Hofmannsthal und George veröffentlicht. Für Königshausen & Neumann ist ihre Monographie über Kafkas Erstling *Beschreibung eines Kampfes* erschienen (*In den Falten des Textes*, 2024).

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CECILIA NOVERO is Associate Professor of German, European and Global Studies at the University of Otago, NZ. She is the author of *Antidiets of the Avant-Garde: From Futurist Cooking to Eat Art* (University of Minnesota Press, 2010). Since the publication of her monograph, Cecilia has continued to publish on the Avant-Garde (e.g., Futurism, Fluxus), while at the same time joining the field of Animal Studies. Her publications in this area range from discussions of German classics (e.g. Kleist) through examinations of Daniel Spoerri's art, and contemporary German art, to films and photography featuring human-non-human encounters (e.g. Werner Herzog's *Grizzly Man*).

MANFRED MELITTA POPPE wurde 1983 im Trümmertunten-Ensemble Ladies Neid geboren, wo sie besonders eng mit Melitta Sundström wirkte. Bald gründete sie das Damen°-Gesangstrio Die Bermudaas. Während einer 15jährigen alkoholbedingten Bühnenabstinenz wandte sie sich der Malerei zu, es war jedoch eine einsame Kunst.

Durch eine glückliche Fügung holte sie Patsy l'Amour laLove auf die Bühne zurück, wo sie bald ihre zweite Girl°group Die Bahamaas installierte. Aktuell bastelt sie an einer dritten Formation, Die Malediven. Für Manfred Poppe blieb die Malerei bei alldem die wichtigste Ausdrucksform.

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,deutscher' Literatur zwischen Liber vagatorum und Früher Moderne. Als Fabienne du Neckar textet und singt sie im Berliner Tuntenensemble Die Bahamaas (<https://www.bahamaas.de>). Zu Max Mareks Arbeit *GEH DOCH* hat sie einen Text beigesteuert (<https://www.maxmarek.de/editionen.html>).