



Gundula Schulze Eldowy

Biography

1954	Born in Erfurt, GDR
1979-1984	Studied photography at the Academy of Visual Arts Leipzig
1984	Admitted to the Association of Visual Artists of the GDR and licensed to work as a freelancer. Freelance photographer in Berlin since 1984.
1990-1993	Travels to the USA (at the invitation of Robert Frank).
1991	Travels to Italy.
1993-2000	Travels to Egypt.
1996/97	Travels to Japan.
1997	Travels to Moscow and Turkey.
2000-2020	Travels to Peru and Bolivia.
2004	Co-founder of the Casa del Arte „El rostro inconcebible“ in Peru (with Javier A. Garcia Vásquez).
since 2000	lives in Trujillo, Peru and Berlin, Germany

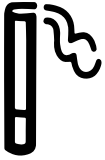
Member of the Academy of Arts, Berlin and Saxon Academy of Arts, Dresden. In addition to her photographic work, she writes stories, poems, films, essays, sound collages and songs.

Her works a part of the following Collections (selection):

Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York
Museum of Modern Art, New York
Museum of Modern Art, San Francisco
LACMA, Los Angeles
Museum of Fine Arts, Houston
Bibliothèque Nationale De France, Paris
FRAC, Bordeaux
Musée des Beaux-Arts, Strasbourg
Musée Nicephore Niépce, Chalon-sur-Saone
Museum für Gestaltung, Zürich
Photo Elyssée – Musée cantonal pour la photographie, Lausanne
Berlinische Galerie, Berlin
Stiftung Haus der Geschichte der Bundesrepublik Deutschland, Bonn
Museum Ludwig, Köln
Museum Folkwang, Essen
Sprengel Museum, Hannover
Deutscher Bundestag, Berlin
Kupferstichkabinett, Staatliche Museen zu Berlin

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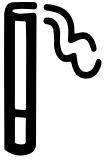


Collections (cont.):

Deutsches Historisches Museum, Berlin
IFA-Kunstsammlungen, Stuttgart
Bauhaus-Stiftung, Weimar
IBM Collection, Stuttgart
DZ BANK AG, Frankfurt am Main
Collection of Rolf and Erika Hoffmann, Berlin
Teutloff Collection, (Clervaux - Cité de l'image), Luxembourg
Kupferstichkabinett, Dresden
F. C. Gundlach, Hamburg
MAST Collection, Bologna

Solo Exhibitions (selection):

1988 Les Rencontres d'Arles, France
1989 Fondation Nationale de la Photographie, Lyon, France
1990 Jo Tarrt Gallery, Washington D.C.
1991 *Waldo's Shadow*, Neue National Galerie, Berlin
1996 *The Mummies of the Pharaohs*, Olympus-Photo-Plaza-Gallery, Tokyo
2000 *Berlin on a Dog's Night*, Postfuhramt, Berlin and Galerie nächst St. Stephan
Rosemarie Schwarzwälder, Vienna
2011 *Gundula Schulze Eldowy. The early years. Photographs 1977 to 1990*, C/O Berlin
2011 *Transformations. Photographic series after 1990*, Bundestag, Berlin
2016 *Home is a distant land. Photographs by Gundula Schulze Eldowy*,
Zeitgeschichtliches Forum Leipzig and Haus der Geschichte Bonn (2016/17)
2018 *Keep A Stiff Upper Lip! Robert Frank and Gundula Schulze Eldowy in New York*,
Kunsthalle Erfurt
2019 *Keep A Stiff Upper Lip! Robert Frank and Gundula Schulze Eldowy in New York*,
Photobastei, Zurich
2023 *Gundula Schulze Eldowy. Schattenwinde*, Foto Arsenal Wien, Vienna
2024 *Berlin on a Dog's Night*, Bröhan Museum, Berlin
2024 *Keep A Stiff Upper Lip! Gundula Schulze Eldowy and Robert Frank*,
Akademie der Künste, Berlin



Group Exhibitions (selection):

- 1988 Rencontres Internationales de la Photographie, Arles, France
- 1992 Permanent exhibition, Museum of Modern Art, New York
- 1992 *Getrennte Welten/Separate Worlds*, together with Nan Goldin, KW Institute for Contemporary Art, Berlin
- 1992 *New Photography 8*, Museum of Modern Art, New York
Pace/McGill Gallery, New York
- 1993 *WHITE*, Laurence Miller Gallery, New York
- 1996 *Private View. Contemporary British and German Artists*, The Bowes Museum, Barnard Castle, County Durham, Great Britain
- 1997 *Hope*, The National Arts Club, New York
- 2007 *Do Not Refreeze - Photography Behind The Berlin Wall*, Cornerhouse Gallery, Manchester, Great Britain
- 2009 *Übergangsgesellschaft/Transitional Society. Portraits and Scenes 1980-1990*, Akademie der Künste, Berlin
- 2009 *Art of Two Germanys/Cold War Cultures*, LACMA, Los Angeles, USA
- 2009 *Art and the Cold War*, Germanisches Nationalmuseum, Nuremberg
- 2010 *Art and the Cold War*, German Historical Museum, Berlin
- 2010 *Pictures by Women: A History of Modern Photography*, Museum of Modern Art, New York
- 2012 *GOLD*, Belvedere Museum Vienna
- 2015 *Sleepless - The Bed in History and Contemporary Art*, 21er Haus, Belvedere Museum Vienna
- 2016 *Kreuzberg-America*, C/O Berlin
- 2018 *The last picture. Photography and Death*, C/O Berlin
- 2018 *RESIST! The 1960s protests, photography and visual legacy*, BOZAR Centre for Fine Arts, Palais des Beaux-Arts, Brussels
- 2018 *Medea rebels. Radical women artists behind the Iron Curtain*, Kunsthalle im Lipsiusbau, Dresden and The Wende Museum, Los Angeles, USA
- 2019 *Corps impatientes*, Rencontres Internationales de la Photographie, Arles, France
- 2020 *Berlin, 1945-2000: A Photographic Subject*, Reinbeckhallen Berlin

Awards and prizes

- 1990 Scholarship of the Kunstring Folkwang, Essen
- 1996 Winner of The 12th Prize for Overseas Photographers of Higashikawa Photo Fiesta, Japan
- 2000 New Zealand Photography Prize M.I.L.K.
- 2001 Artist grant from the Else-Heiliger-Fonds, Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung, Bonn