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STUDIES

2002 DNAP, National Degree in Visual Arts, Nancy Academy of fine Arts (F),
2004 DNSEP, Post Graduate degree, Nancy Academy of fine Arts (F)

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2012 Projektwerkstatt, Leipzig (D)
2011 Endless Jet Lag, Able Kulturverein, Berlin (D)
2011 As Long As You Stay With Me You Are Safe, Styx Projects, Berlin (D) *
2011 The Baltic Room, Projektwerkstatt, Leipzig (D)
2010 Symmetric Islands, Projektwerkstatt, Leipzig (D)
2007 Wandering Canal with Mounts, Hydrolux, Luxembourg (L)
2004 Amusement Park of Unrest, Ensa, Nancy (F)

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2011 Totalité vécue, Conservatoire, Thionville (F)
2011 Uniques, 9 Gallery, Nancy (F)
2011 Augmented window, Centre Georges Pompidou, curated by Thierry Fournier, Paris (F)
2011 Hangover, Orange Sucked Gallery, Berlin (D)
2011 Sleep disorders, Centre d'Art Contemporain (CAC) Neii Licht & Dominique Lang, Luxembourg (L) *
2011 Loop Islands, 9 Gallery, curated by Ergastule, Nancy (F)
2011 Preview 2011, Kunstraum Richard Sorge, Berlin (D)
2011 MMM, Le pays où le ciel est toujours bleu, Orleans (F)
2011 Rubbing Glances, Poirel Gallery, Nancy (F) *

2010 Sleep Disorders, Galerie im Regierung Viertel, Berlin (D)
2010 The Loss of the Real, Selasar Sunaryo Museum, curated by Agung Hujatnikajennong, Bandung (Indonesia)
2010 Summer mix, Forgotten Bar, curated by Tjorg Douglas Beer, Berlin (D)
2010 Rubbing Glances, ARTEM, curated by Simon Hitziger, Nancy (F) *
2010 Floating Horizon, Nu Substance Festival, Bandung (Ind)
2010 Get the Balance Right / La Part des Choses, RDV Gallery, curated by In Extenso, Nantes (F) *
2010 (= p) ong (pong) Ba fime, Fabs Gallery, Warsaw (P)

2009 Black Box, Styx Projects, Berlin (D)
2009 SDF, Show room curated by Jérôme Knebusch, Metz (F)
2009 Bandits-Mages festival, Bourges (F)
2009 Dessins, Transit Gallery, Uckange (F)

2008 Les Nuits Blanches, Night Zone, Metz (F)
2008 What Else ?, New Greenstreet, Berlin (D)
2008 Dessins, Oeil Gallery, Forbach (F) *

2007 Mais Oui, Hydrolux Space, Luxembourg
2007 Camouflage, Künstlerhaus Sarrebrück
2007 Je me suis toujours dit que j'avais de grandes choses à accomplir et je crois que vous m'en donnez l'occasion,
Aperto Gallery, Montpellier

2006 Biennale de la jeune création, Bourges *
2006 Jeune Création, La Belvilloise, Paris *
2006 Les sentiers rouges, Luxembourg
2006 Urban Gallery, Astérides, Fiche Belle de Mai, Marseille, Multiples
2006 l'Histoire de l'oeil Gallery, Marseille, Multiples

2005 Nouvelles littéraires, O d'U, Paris, curated by Anthony Freestone
2005 A l'ombre du Castel-Coucou, Carreau Wendel space, Petite Rosselle *
2005 Mulhouse 05 *
2005 Quelques degrés de plus à L'Est, Castel Coucou gallery, Forbach

2004 Parc de St Cloud, Paris, Mémoire de racines
2004 Catapult Cowboy, Uzine Autre Sens, Toulouse
2004 Territoires, Le vent des Forêts, Dompcevrin*

2003 Cipac, Metz, curated by Castel Coucou
2003 E.C, Nancy

* cat = catalogue

PERFORMANCES (selection)

2012 - Mex Series, Dortmund (D)
2012 - 64, Paris (F)
2011 - Kunst(shot), SKR, Berlin (D)
2011 - PLAY, CTM Berlin, curated by Oral Records, Monarch
2011 - 11 series, Ausland, Berlin (D)
2011 - Able Kulturverein, Berlin (D)
2011 - Transmediale XI, Response-ability / As long as Styx Projects, curated by Michaël Rade, Berlin (D)
2011 - Dal Verme, Roma (IT)
2011 - Culturale Nub, Pistoia (IT)
2011 - Staalplaat, Berlin (D)
2011 - Poirel Gallery, Nancy (F)
2011 - Taktfrei festival, Berlin (D)
2010 - Transmédiale X, curated by Honor Harger, Futurity Now !, Berlin (D)
2010 - Powiekszenie, Varsovie (P)
2010 - Projektwerkstatt, Leipzig (D)
2010 - The Living Currency, curated by CAC Bretigny, VI Berlin Biennale, HAU 2, Berlin (D)
2010 - Radio Aporee, Quasi Stellar Radio Sources, Berlin (F)
2010 - Selasar Sunaryo Museum, Bandung (IND)
2010 - Centre Culturel Français, Bandung (Indonesia)
2010 - Cells Button festival, House of Natural Fiber, Yogyakarta (IND)
2010 - 64, Paris (F)
2010 - Rubbing Glances, Artem, Nancy (F)
2010 - The Wire on Air, by Derek Walmsley / Resonance 104.4 FM / London (UK)
2010 - Kobe, le Non_jazz, Paris
2009 - Gergesehen, curated by Georg Dietzler, Köln (D)
2009 - Radio Aporee, Berlin (D)
2009 - Breakthrough, curated by micro research Berlin, Berlin (D)
2009 - Black Box, Styx Projects, Berlin (D)
2009 - Das Kleine Field Recording Festival, Staalplaat, Berlin (D)
2009 - Echolalia (w/ Preslav Literary School, Jazzfinger, Posset, Machinefabriek) - Newcastle (UK)
2008 - Art & Sound, Les Trinitaires, Metz (F)
2008 - Electronic Church, berlin (D)

DISCOGRAPHY (selection)

2012 Benjamin L. Aman / Michaël Barthel (5" lathe cut + CD)
2012 Shots (3" vinyl, box, O Editions)
2011 Frozen in Stone (CDr, Razzle Dazzle)
2011 Taktfrei, compilation (Able Gallery)
2010 The Christmas Shots, CD (Razzle Dazzle, F)
2010 Telepathic Shots, LP (Razzle Dazzle, F)
2010 Echolalia, LP (No-Fi, UK)
2010 Symmetric Islands (Recordings for the summer, D)
2009 Inner Ends of The Coils, 2 x CD (Nothing Out There)

RESIDENCIES / GRANTS

2010 AIC, Drac Lorraine (F)
2010 Common Room, Bandung (Ind)
2008 Défi Jeune, Lorraine (F)
2005 AIC, Drac Lorraine (F)
2004 Le vent des Forêts (F)

RADIO SHOWS

2012 Le Tétraèdre, Bruxelles (B)
2011 Epsilonia, curated by J.J. Palix, Paris (F)
2011 L'étranger, curated by Kosten Koper, Radio Panik, Bruxelles (B)
2010 The Wire on Air, curated by Derek Walmsley, Resonance FM, London (UK)
2010 DIY Church, curated by Markus Stein, Radio 23, Berlin (D)
2010 A propos de Minos, RNC, Nancy (F)
2010 Resonance 104.4FM, London (UK)
2009 La Pointe de l'Iceberg, curated by Felicity Mangan, Paris (F)
2009 Bandits Mages, Radio sans fuites, Bourges (F)
2008 free109point3, Brooklyn (US)

PRESS / BIBLIOGRAPHY

2011 Nuits inquiétantes et agitées, Thi Chi Nguyen (09/11)
2011 Angoisse(s), Marie-Anne Lorgé (10/11)
2011 Nuits Blanches, Marianne Bausch (d'Land Kultur, 23/09/11)
2011 Rubbing Glances, catalogue of the exhibition, text by Céline Flécheux (Edition du Parc)
2011 Get the Balance Right, catalogue - text by Martial Deflacieux (In Extenso Edition)
2011 As long as you stay with me you are safe, catalogue (Styx Press)
2011 As long as you stay with me you are safe text by Josh J. Weiner (Styx Press)
2010 Art as an intermediary between art and reality, (01/08/10), Fitriya Sofyani (Jakarta Post)
2010 Mirages, shimmering through graphite dust. on Benjamin L. Aman's recent works - text by Magnus Schäfer.
2010 Testcard n°19 - text by Magnus Schäfer
2009 Black Box, text by Constantin Dubois
2008 All about the mirror - text by Constantin Dubois
2005 Territoires - text by Alexandre Bohn
2004 Poussières et digitales, ENSA publication, Nancy

WRITINGS

From 2009 - Regular contributor for *Revue et Corrigée*, french quarterly paper magazine dedicated to sound art, music, improvisation, cinema, radiophony.

WORKSHOPS, LECTURES

2010 Symmetric Islands, lecture - Projektwerkstatt, Leipzig (D)
2010 Floating Horizons, Centre Culturel Français, Bandung (IND)
2010 The Loss of the Real, Selasar Sunaryo Museum, Bandung (IND)
2009 Echolalia, Live investigation into cassette culture, curated by Adam Thomas, Soundcurious, Brighton (UK)
2009 Echolalia, Live investigation into cassette culture, curated by Adam Thomas, Culture Lab, Newcastle (UK)
2009 Breakthrough / curated by Martin Howse & Microresearch_Berlin

CURATED PROJECTS

Sleep Disorders is an exhibitions serie initiated with french artist Marion Auburtin in 2010. No medias restrictions in this serie, but a selection of international artists with works dealing with a sense of instability.

2010 Sleep Disorders (I) at Galerie im Regierung Viertel (Forgotten Bar, Berlin) / with Steven Lavender - Marion Auburtin - Jason Honea - Benjamin Laurent Aman - Eric bauer - Paz Boïra - Melissa Steckbauer - Sébastien Gouju - Wolf Von Kries - Sébastien Maloberti

2011 Sleep Disorders (II) at CAC Nei Liicht & Dominique Lang, Dudelange, Luxembourg (L) / with Marion Auburtin - Leonora Bisagno - Sneja D. - Claire Decet - Leif Elggren - Elisabeth Flunger - Samuel François - Gran Horno - Benjamin L.Aman - Sébastien Maloberti - Christoph Meier - Claudia Passeri - The Sons of God - Brigitte Zieger

RAZZLE DAZZLE (label)

Created in 2007, Razzle Dazzle is a label releasing sound items in very limited series on different formats in the field of fine arts, music, sound. (details & catalogue at <http://www.razzle-d.com>)

LINKS

website : <http://www.benjaminlaurentaman.com>

Razzle Dazzle label : <http://www.razzle-d.com>