

LARS BOHMAN GALLERY

Stephan Balkenhol

Born 1957 in Germany

Lives and works in Meisenthal, France

Stephan Balkenhol attracted attention in 1987 with his contribution to Skulptur Projekte in Münster. He placed a sculpture of a male figure in a green shirt and white trousers on an exterior wall over a tobacconist's shop. In the art scene of the 1980s, conditioned by the influence of minimal art and conceptual art, this switch to the figurative came as a surprise. Balkenhol's wooden sculptures re-evaluate human representation on the basis of Modernism, and at the same time they are differentiated from its self-imposed limitations. In contradistinction to classical, neo-expressionist or abstract sculpture with its typical idealisation, emotionalism and fragmentation, Balkenhol's colourfully painted wood sculptures and reliefs show people in mundane everyday guise - young men and women in stereotyped dress, with relaxed and somewhat bored expressions, without any explicit reference to profession, function or social status. The attempt to avoid narrative references is emphasized through descriptive titles and the seemingly casual display of the sculptures in architectural niches or in crudely carved pedestals. In spite of individual characteristics, his figures become types through repetition. Balkenhol's unconcern with meticulous realism is corroborated by his emphasis on the production process, which can be perceived in the evidence of a usually hasty handling of the surface. Moreover, since 1990 a surrealistic element has been introduced in his juxtapositions of a small male figure with animals of approximately the same size. In spite of these fanciful encounters, the human figure retains its composed facial expression, thereby presumably exciting from many viewers precisely that mixture of matter-of-factness and irritation which Balkenhol is aiming at.

Since 1992 Professor at Akademie für Bildende Künste, Karlsruhe, Germany

EDUCATION

1976-1982 Hochschule für Bildende Künste, Hamburg

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2015

Lars Bohman Gallery, Stockholm, Sweden
Moscow Museum of Modern Art, Palais Gogolevski
New Sculptures, Akinci, Amsterdam, The Netherlands

2014-2015

Stephan Balkenhol, Landes Museum, Linz, Austria

2014

Stephan Balkenhol, Nosbaum & Reding, Luxembourg, Luxembourg
Stephan Balkenhol, Deweer Gallery, Otegem, Belgium
Stephan Balkenhol, Kunstmuseum Ravensburg, Germany
Stephan Balkenhol - Skulpturen, Skulpturenpark Waldfrieden, Wuppertal, Germany

2013

Universe - Galerie Thaddaeus Ropac, Salzburg
alles gut!, Holger Priess Galerie, Hamburg, Germany
Galleria Monica De Cardenas, Milan, Italy
Galerie Jochen Hempel, Leipzig, Germany
Galerie Rüdiger Schöttle, Munich, Germany
Galerie Thaddaeus Ropac, Salzburg, Austria
Stephen Friedman Gallery, London, England
Johnen Galerie, Berlin, Germany
Mai 36 Galerie, Zurich, Switzerland

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Inauguration of the Wagner Memorial Sculpture, Leipzig, Germany
Big Head Column, Peggy Guggenheim Collection, Venice, Italy
Galerie des Wetzlarer Kunstvereins, Wetzlarer, Germany
Sotheby's, Beyond Limits: A Selling Exhibition, Chatsworth, Derbyshire, England

2012

New Works, Galerie Forsblom, Helsinki, Finland
Stephan Balkenhol, Deweer Gallery, Otegem, Belgium
Stephan Balkenhol in St. Elizabeth, St. Elizabeth Church, Kassel, Germany
A Sign in the Forum of Caesar - Stephan Balkenhol more and more, Valentina Bonomo Gallery, Rome, Italy
Unlimited Bodies - Corps Sans Limite, Palais d'Iéna, Paris, France

2011- 2012

Stephan Balkenhol, Art Statements Gallery, Hong Kong, China

2011

Johnen Galerie, Berlin, Germany
Galleria Monica De Cardenas, Milan, Italy
Stephen Friedman Gallery, London, England
Tomio Koyama Gallery, Kyoto, Japan
Kunstforum Würth, Turnhout, Belgium
Luce Gallery, Turin, Italy
Chateau de Malbrouck, Lorraine, France
La Halle Verrière, Meisenthal, France
Galerie Akinci, Amsterdam, The Netherlands

2010

Gary Tatintsian Gallery Inc., Moscow, Russia
Gary Tatintsian Gallery, New York City, USA
Stephan Balkenhol: New Works - Lars Bohman Gallery, Stockholm
L'Art et la Maniere Musée de Grenoble, Grenoble, France
Nosbaum & Reding Art Contemporain, Luxembourg, Luxembourg
New Works, Galerie Forsblom, Helsinki, Finland
Galleria Monica De Cardenas, Milan, Italy
Mai 36 Galerie, Zurich, Germany
Neue Skulpturen und Reliefs, Galerie Löhrl, Mönchengladbach, Germany
Dörrie Preiss, Hamburg, Germany
DEWEER gallery, Otegem, Belgium

2009

Galerie Thaddaeus Ropac, Paris, France
On Paper, Galleria Monica de Cardenas, Zuoz, Switzerland
Dogenhaus Galerie, Leipzig, Germany
Druckgrafik 1992-2008, Kunstverein Augsburg e.V., Augsburg, Germany
Galerie de l' Erban, Nantes, France
Galerie Rüdiger Schöttle, Munich, Germany

2008-2009

Deichtorhallen, Hamburg, Germany

2008

This is Not to be Looked At: Highlights from the Permanent Collection of the Museum of Contemporary Art, Museum of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles, USA
Akinci Galerie, Amsterdam
New Works, Galerie Löhrl, Mönchengladbach, Germany
Mai 36 Galerie, Zurich, Switzerland
Valentina Bonomo Roma, Rome, Italy

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Paixóns Privadas, Visións Públicas, Collections D.O. Galicia, Museo de Arte Contemporánea de Vigo, Vigo, Spain

Stephen Friedman Gallery, London, England

2007

Dörrie Priess, Hamburg, Germany

Monica de Cardenas Galleria, Milan, Italy

Deweert Art Gallery, Otegem, Belgium

MKM Museum Küppersmühle für moderne Kunst, Duisburg, Germany

Tomio Koyama Gallery, Tokyo, Japan

Galerie Rüdiger Schöttle, Munich, Germany

Art Statements Gallery, Hong Kong, China

Johnen Galerie, Berlin, Germany

Kabinett Für Aktuelle Kunst, Bremerhaven, Germany

Galerie Thaddaeus Ropac, Paris, France

Sculptures and Drawings, Galleri Lars Bohman, Stockholm, Sweden

Padiglione d'Arte Contemporanea, Milan, Italy

Wenzel Hablik Museum, Itzehoe, Germany

Galerie Forsblom, Helsinki, Finland

Museum der Moderne, Salzburg, Austria

Galleri Lars Bohman, Stockholm, Sweden

UMRAUM, Architektur und Objekt, Wenzel-Hablik-Museum, Itzehoe, Germany

2006

New Work, Galerie Löhrl, Mönchengladbach, Germany

New Work, Galleri Bo Bjerggaard, Copenhagen, Denmark

Museum der Moderne Salzburg Mönchsberg, Salzburg, Austria

Regen Projects, Los Angeles, USA

Homme-girafe, CEAAC, Strasbourg, France

Mai 36 Galerie, Zürich, Switzerland

Staatliche Kunsthalle, Baden-Baden, Germany; toured to Museum der Moderne Salzburg,

Austria and MKM Museum Küppersmühle für Moderne Kunst, Duisburg, Germany

2005

CRG, Los Angeles, USA

Stephen Friedman Gallery, London, England

National Museum of Contemporary Art, Osaka, Japan

Tokyo Opera City, Tokyo, Japan

Tel Aviv Museum of Art, Tel-Aviv, Israel

Galería Pepe Cobo, Madrid, Spain

Galerie Akinci, Amsterdam, The Netherlands

Galerie Thaddaeus Ropac, Salzburg, Austria

Galerie Johnin & Schöttle, Köln, Germany

Deweert Art Gallery, Otegem, Belgium

2004

Monica de Cardenas, Milan, Italy

Galerie Lohrl, Mönchengladbach, Germany

Dorrie & Priess, Hamburg, Germany

Galerie Rüdiger Schöttle, Munich, Germany

Galeria OMR, Mexico City, Mexico

Galerie Mal 36, Zürich, Switzerland

Dogenhaus Galerie, Leipzig, Germany

2003

Galleri Lars Bohman, Stockholm, Sweden

Stephen Friedman Gallery, London, England

Sprengel Museum, Hannover, Germany

Le Rectangle and Goethe Institute, Lyon, France

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Barbara Gladstone Gallery, New York, USA
Stephan Balkenhol und. . . , Stadtische Galerie Fellbach, Germany
Galerie Ropac, Paris, France

2002

Mai 36 Galerie, Zürich, Switzerland
Stephan Balkenhol: Installation, Landeshauptstadt Erfurt, Germany
Stadtverwaltung, Erfurt, Germany
Gallery Pepe Cobo, Sevilla, Spain
Deweert Art Gallery, Otegem, Belgium
Begegnungsstätte Kleine Synagoge Erfurt, Germany
Regen Projects, Los Angeles, USA
Galerie Rüdiger Schöttle, München, Germany
Galerie Löhrl, Mönchengladbach, Germany
Galleria Monica De Cardenas, Milan, Italy
Galerie Akinci, Amsterdam, The Netherlands

2001

Dogenhaus Galerie, Leipzig, Germany
Galerie Monica DeCardenas, Milan, Italy
Kunstforum Baloise, Basel, Switzerland
C.G.A.C (Centre Galego de Arte Contemporaneo), Santiago de Compostela, Spain
Galerie Thaddaeus Ropac, Salzburg, Austria
OMR Gallery, Mexico-City, Mexico
Dorrie Priess Galerie. Hamburg, Germany
Barbara Wein Verlag/Galerie Berlin: S.B-Photographien, Germany
Fries Museum, Leeuwaarden, The Netherlands
Museum de bildenden Kunste Leipzig, Germany

2000

Barbara Gladstone Gallery, New York, USA
Galerie Johnen & Schöttle, Köln, Germany
Kunstverein Oldenburg, Oldenburg, Germany
The Contemporary Arts Centre, Cincinnati, Ohio, USA
Bell Gallery, Brown University Providence, Rhode Island, USA
St Louis Arts Center, St Louis, Missouri, USA
Monica de Cardenas, Milan, Italy
Centro Galego de Arte Contemporánea, Santiago de Compostela, Spain
Galerie Thaddaeus Ropac, Salzburg, Austria
Galeria OMR, Mexico City, Mexico
Galerie Mai 36, Zürich, Switzerland
Centre for Contemporary Art, Cincinnati, USA
Stephen Friedman Gallery, London, England
Galerie Löhrl, Mönchengladbach, Germany
John Berggruen Gallery, San Francisco, California, USA
Galerie Dörrie & Priess, Hamburg, Germany

1999

Galerie Akinci, Amsterdam, The Netherlands
BAWAG Foundation, Vienna, Austria
Galerie Thaddaeus Ropac, Paris, France
Galleria Civica Di Arte Contemporanea, Trento, Italy
European Foundation for Sculpture, Parque Tournay Solvay, Brussels, Belgium
Galerie Löhrl, Berlin, Germany
Regen Projects, Los Angeles, USA
Sadler's Wells Theatre, London, England

1998

The Arts Club, Chicago, USA

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Kunstmuseum Wolfsburg, Germany
Monica De Cardenas, Milan, Italy
Skulpturen, Museum Kurhaus, Kleve, Germany
Skulpturen, Gerhard Marcks-Haus, Bremen, Germany
Skulpturen, Von der Heydt Museum, Wuppertal, Germany

1997

Stephen Friedman Gallery, London, England
Barbara Gladstone Gallery, New York, USA
Galerie Johnen & Schöttle, Cologne, Germany

1996

Montreal Museum of Fine Arts, Montreal, Canada
Strassbourg, C.E.A.A.C., France
Regen Projects, Los Angeles, California, USA
Stephan Balkenhol, Saatchi Gallery, London, England

1995

The Hirshhorn Museum, Washington, D.C., USA
Barbara Gladstone Gallery, New York, USA
Stephen Friedman Gallery, London, England
Smithsonian Institute, Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture Garden, Washington, D.C., USA

1994

Stephan Balkenhol: Skulpturen und Zeichnungen, Galerie Löhrl, Mönchengladbach, Germany
Travelled to Kunstverein Wolfsburg, Germany
Stephan Balkenhol: Skulpturen, Kunstraum Neue Kunst, Hannover, Germany
Galerie Akinci, Amsterdam, The Netherlands
Musée Departmental d'Art Contemporain de Rochechoouart, France; toured to Musée des Beaux Arts, Haute-Normandie, France
Neue Nationalgalerie, Berlin, Germany
Dörrie Priess, Hamburg, Germany

1993

Stephan Balkenhol: Vier Männer auf Bojen; toured to Elbe, Hamburg-Altona; Suderelbe, Hamburg-Harburg; Serrahn, Hamburg-Bergdorf; Aussenalster, Hamburg-Mitte Kabinett für aktuelle Kunst, Bremerhaven, Germany
Deweert Art Gallery, Otegem, Belgium
Outdoor installation in Amiens, France
Galerie Johnen & Schöttle, Cologne, Germany
Regen Projects, Los Angeles, USA

1992

Galerie Roger Pailhas, Paris and Marseille, France
Stephan Balkenhol: About Men and Sculpture, Witte de With Centre for Contemporary Art, Rotterdam, The Netherlands

1991

Six ours pour Paris, Galerie Rüdiger Schöttle, Paris, France
Stephan Balkenhol: Skulpturen im Stadelgarten, Städtische Galerie im Städel, Frankfurt, Germany
Galerie Johnen & Schöttle, Germany and Kunstverein Ulm, Germany
Stephan Balkenhol: Köpfe, Galerie Löhrl, Mönchengladbach. Travelled to Mai 36 Galerie, Lucerne, Switzerland; Kunsthalle Hamburg, Germany; Mannheim Kunstverein, Germany
The Irish Museum of Modern Art, Dublin, Ireland

1990

Stephan Balkenhol: Zeichnungen 1990 und Entwürfe für Skulpturen, Deweert Art Gallery,

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Otegem, Belgium
Skulpturen und Zeichnungen, Westwerk, Hamburg, Germany

1989
Galerie Rüdiger Schöttle, Munich, Germany
Mai 36 Galerie, Lucerne, Switzerland
Staatliche Kunsthalle Baden-Baden, Germany

1988
Galerie Johnen & Schöttle, Cologne, Germany
Stephan Balkenhol: Neue Skulpturen, Galerie Löhrl, Mönchengladbach, Germany
Stephan Balkenhol, Kunsthalle Basel. Travelled to Portikus, Frankfurt and Kunsthalle Nürnberg
Germany

1987
Stephan Balkenhol: Skulpturen und Zeichnungen, Braunschweig, Germany
Deweert Art Gallery, Otegem, Belgium

1985
Stephan Balkenhol Skulpturen, A.O. Kunstraum, Hamburg, Germany
Skulpturen Stephan Balkenhol, Kunstverein Bochum, Bochum, Germany

1984
Stephan Balkenhol: Neue Arbeiten, Galerie Löhrl, Mönchengladbach, Germany

GROUP EXHIBITIONS (SELECTED)

2015
Twentieth Anniversary Exhibition, Stephen Friedman Gallery, London, England
Leopold-Hoesch-Museum, Düren, Germany

2014
Collector's Room #5 - Pleasure, Deweer Gallery, Otegem, Belgium
Study from the Human Body, Stephen Friedman Gallery, London, England

2013
The Art of the Present, Helga de Alevear Collection, Centro Centro, Madrid, Spain
Truth, ESMoA, LA, California, USA
Je t'aime... moi non plus, Musée des Beaux-Arts Eugène Leroy, Tourcoing, France

2012-2013
Lost in LA, Los Angeles Municipal Art Gallery, Los Angeles, USA
Art is beautiful but hard work too, Kunstbau, Munich, Germany

2012
Unlimited Bodies, Palais Dena, Paris, France
Re-opening, DEWEER gallery, Otegem, Belgium
The Drawing Room, DEWEER gallery, Otegem, Belgium
The Bear Necessities, John Berggruen Gallery, San Francisco, California, USA

2011
Twenty Years of Presence, MMK Museum für Moderne Kunst, Frankfurt, Germany
Art Set Free, Museum Kunstpalast, Dusseldorf, Germany
Melting Point, Akinci, Amsterdam, the Netherlands
Invisibleness is Visibleness, Museum of Contemporary Art Taipei, Taipei, Taiwan
Stephan Balkenhol and The Object of Observation (Changes by Being Observed), Johnen

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Galerie, Berlin, Germany, curated by Tim Lee
Zettels Traum, Von der Heydt Museum, Wuppertal, Germany

2010

Stephan Balkenhol - Alberto Giacometti, Lehbruck Museum, Duisburg, Germany
Idea and Object, Galerie Thaddaeus Ropac, Salzburg, Austria
Wings, Galerie Thaddaeus Ropac, Salzburg, Austria
The Secret Lives of Trees, Galleria Monica De Cardenas, Zuoz, Switzerland

2009

The Core Marrow of Art, Art Statements Gallery, Hong Kong
Eva Penny & Stephan Balkenhol, Trepanierbaer Gallery, Calgary, Canada
Fuentes, Galerie Thaddaeus Ropac, Salzburg Austria
PastPresentFuture: Works from the UniCredit Art Collection, Bank Austria Kunstforum, Vienna, Austria; toured to Palazzo della Regione, Verona, Italy and Yapi Credi Cultural Center, Istanbul, Turkey
Securities, DEWEER gallery, Otegem, Belgium
Sixty Years. Sixty Works. Art from the Federal Republic of Germany, Martin Gropius Bau, Berlin, Germany
Seeing the Figure Anew: Selections from the Darrel and Marsha Anderson Collection, Orange Coast College Arts Pavilion, Costa Mesa, California, USA

2008

Listen Darling The World Is Yours, Ellipse Foundation Contemporary Art Center, Lisbon, Portugal
This is Not to be Looked At: Highlights from the Permanent Collection of the Museum of the Museum of Contemporary Art, Museum of the Museum of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles, USA
UPDATE, DEWEER Gallery, Otegem, Belgium
Mai 36, Zurich, Switzerland

2007

Summer Exhibition, Royal Academy of Art, London, England
Galerie Thaddeus Ropac, Paris, France
New Dimensions, John Berggruen Gallery, San Francisco, California, USA
Intersections 3: Balkenhol, Delwoye, Quinn al Parco Archeologico di Scolacium, Catanzaro, Padiglione d'Arte Contemporanea, Milan, Italy
Museum der Moderne, Salzburg, Mönchsberg, Austria
Monica De Cardenas, Milano, Milan, Italy
New Work, Deweer Art Gallery, Otegem, Belgium
Tomio Koyama Gallery, Tokyo, Japan
New Work, Art Statements Gallery, Hong Kong, China
UMRAUM , Architektur und Objekt , Wenzel-Hablik-Museum, Itzehoe, Germany
Galerie Forsblom, Helsinki, Finland
Johnen Galerie, Berlin, Germany
Lars Bohman Gallery, Stockholm, Sweden
Passion Complex: Selected Works from the Albrigh-Knox Art Gallery, 21st Century Museum of Contemporary Art, Kanzawa, Japan

2006

Figures in the Field: Figurative Sculpture and Abstract Painting from Chicago Collections, MCA Chicago, Illinois, USA
Mai 36, Zurich, Switzerland
Museum der Moderne Salzburg Mönchsberg, Salzburg, Austria
New work, Galleri Bo Bjerggaard, Copenhagen
Regen Projects, Los Angeles, CA, USA
Der erste Blick-Die Sammlung GAG, Neues Museum Weimar, Weimar, Germany

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2005

Ten Year Anniversary Exhibition, Stephen Friedman Gallery, London, England
Figur/Skulptur, Sammlung Essl-Kunst der Gegenwart Klosterneugeurg, Vienna, Austria
Faces in the Crowd, Whitechapel Gallery, London, England
Large Drawings, Galerie Bernd Klüser, Germany
The Blake Byrne Collection, Museum of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles, USA
My Favorite Things!: Painting in France, Museum of Contemporary Art, Lyon, France
21, Dogenahaus Galerie, Leipzig, Germany
We can do it!, Gary Tatintsian Gallery Inc., Moscow, Russia
New Sculptures, Galerie Thaddeus Ropac, Salzburg, Austria

2004

Albright Knox Art Gallery, Buffalo, USA
Galerie Rüdiger Schöttle, München, Germany
MIEDO-FEAR, Galeria Pepe Cobo, Sevilla, Spain
Miedo, Galeria Pepe Cobo, Sevilla, Spain
Mai 36, Zurich, Switzerland

2003

Jetzt und hier-Die Sammlung Zeitgenössischer Kunst, Museum Kurhaus Kleve -Ewald Mataré-Sammlung, Kleve, Germany
Inaugural Show, Regen Projects, Los Angeles, USA
Sculpture, Michael Kohn Gallery, Los Angeles, USA
Rhons Hoffman Gallery, Chicago, USA
Sculpture project with Fiona Banner and David Batchelor, More London, London, England
Durchgehend geöffnet, Kunsthalle Baden-Baden and Sammlung Frieder Burda, Baden-Baden, Germany
Galerie Thaddeus Ropac, Salzburg, Austria

2002

Avant que la mer fut au monde, Rochechouart portoit les Ondes, Musée Départemental d'Art Contemporain de Rochechouart, France
Das Tier in mir, Staatliche Kunsthalle, Baden-Baden, Germany
Photogenic, Institute of Contemporary Art, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, USA
Grünzeug, Museum der Stadt Ratingen, Germany
Pop Art und die zeitgenössische Bildhauerkunst, Gerhard Marcks-Haus Bremen, Germany
Time-Space-Motion, Galerie Ropac, Salzburg, Austria
Mai 36, Zurich, Switzerland

2001

De wereld volgens Duitsland, Odapark, The Netherlands
Fotografierte Bilder, Museum Bochum, Bochum, Germany
Geometrie & Gestus, Galerie Thaddeus Ropac, Salzburg, Austria
Dogenhaus Galerie Leipzig, Germany

2000

and if there were no stories, Stephen Friedman Gallery, London, England
Mai 36, Zurich, Switzerland
Essensbilder, Dorrie Priess Galerie, Hamburg, Germany
Back to Kassel, Kasseler-Kunstverein, Kassel, Germany

1999

Skulpturen und Zeichnungen, Bawag Contemporary, Bawag Foundation, Vienna, Austria
Galleria Civica di Arte Contemporanea di Trento, Trento, Italy
Galerie Thaddeus Ropac, Paris, France
Reality and Desire, Fundación Joan Miró, Barcelona, Spain

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1998

Women, Galerie Rodolphe Janssen, Brussels, Belgium
Skulpturen, Museum Kurhaus Kleve, Kleve, Germany
Kunstmuseum Wolfsburg, Wolfsburg, Germany
Arts Club of Chicago, Chicago, IL, USA
Galerie Thaddeus Ropac, Salzburg, Austria
Mai 36, Zurich, Switzerland

1997

FRAC Haute-Normandie, Rouen, France

1996

Conversation, Milton Keynes Gallery, Buckinghamshire, UK
Mai 36, Zurich, Switzerland
Group Show, Regen Projects, Los Angeles, USA

1995

Philip Akerman/Stephan Balkenhol, Galerie Johnen & Schöttle, Cologne, Germany
Africus: Johannesburg Biennale, Johannesburg, South Africa
1995 Carnegie International, The Carnegie Museum of Art, Pittsburgh, USA

1994

Summer Group Show, Baumgartner Galleries, Washington, D.C., USA
Das Jahrhundert der Multiple, Deichtorhallen Hamburg, Germany
The Day after Tomorrow: Lisbon, Cultural Capitol of Europe '94, Centro Cultural de Belem, Lisbon, Portugal
Still Life, Barbara Gladstone Gallery, New York, USA
Ludwig's Lust: Die Sammlung Irene und Peter Ludwig, Germanisches Nationalmuseum Nürnberg, Germany
Gegenbilder, Installation at Lamberti Kirche, Münster, Germany
NL Dordrecht: 51° 48-04° 40°, Dordrecht Kalkhaven, The Netherlands
Karl Schmidt-Rottluff Stipendium, Städtische Kunsthalle Düsseldorf, Düsseldorf, Germany
Mai 36, Zurich, Switzerland

1992

Doubletake, Hayward Gallery, London, travelled to Kunsthalle Wien, Vienna
Die 29. Ausstellung, Mai 36 Galerie, Zurich, Switzerland
Current Art in Public Spaces, Expo '92, Seville, Spain
Tiere, Galerie Dörrie & Priess, Hamburg, Germany; toured to Galerie Tröster & Schlüter Frankfurt, Germany
Double Identity, Galerie Johnen & Schöttle, Cologne, Germany, Lausanne, Switzerland
Post Human, FAE Musée d'Art Contemporain; toured to Castello di Rivoli, Turin, Italy; Deste Foundation for Contemporary Art, Athens, Greece and Deichtorhallen, Hamburg, Germany
Der gefrorene Leopard, Galerie Bernd Kluser, Munich, Germany
Qui, Qui Ou?; Un regard sur l'art en Allemagne en 1992, Musée d'Art Moderne de la Ville de Paris, France
Castello di Rivoli, Turin, Italy
Musée d'Art Moderne de la Ville de Paris, France

1991

Tio ars ing konst I Hamburg 80/90, Malmö, Konstmuseet Malmö, Sweden
Ansichten von Figur in der Moderne Heilbronn, Deutschhof, Städtische Museen Heilbronn, Germany
Seven Women, Andrea Rosen Gallery, New York, USA
Zeitgenössische Kunst aus der Deutschen Bank: Skulptur, Zeichnung, Photographie' Erholungshaus der Bayer, AG, Leverkusen, Germany; toured to Bozen Museum für Moderne Kunst and Hoechst, Galerie Jahrhunderthalle, Germany
Hamburg Abroad, European Visual Arts Centre, Ipswich, UK

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1990

A New Necessity, First Tyne International, Newcastle, UK
Possible Worlds: Sculpture from Europe, ICA and Serpentine Gallery, London, England
Prospekt 89, Frankfurter Kunstverein und Schirn Kunsthalle, Frankfurt, Germany
4. Triennale der Kleinplastik, Fellbach, Germany
Sei Artisti Tedeschi, Castello di Rivara, Turin, Italy
Das goldene Zimmer, Nymphenburger Schlosspark, Munich, Germany
Bremen Kunstpreis 1989, Kunsthalle Bremen, Bremen, Germany
Dorothea von Stetten-Kunstpreis, Städtisches Kunstmuseum Bonn, Bonn, Germany
Binationale: German Art of the Late 80s and American Art of the Late 80s, Städtische
Kunsthalle Düsseldorf, Düsseldorf, Germany; toured to Boston, MA, US and ICA and Museum
of Fine Art Hamburg, Germany

1987

Neue Kunst in Hamburg, Kampangelfabrik, Münster, Germany
Landesmuseum für Kunst und Kulturgeschichte, Skulptur Projekt in Münster, Germany
A Choice: Contemporary Art from Europe, Kunstrai, The Netherlands
Et de la Sculpture, Park de la Pépinière, Nancy, France
Exotische Welten-Europäische Phantasien, Württembergischer Kunstverein, Stuttgart, Germany
Stephan Balkenhol, Werner Kutz, Jan Vercryse, Galerie Johnen & Schöttle Cologne, Germany
Theatergarten-Bestiarius, Künstlerwerkstatt Lothringerstrasse, Munich, Germany

1986

Jenisch-Park Skulptur, Jenisch Park, Kulturbehörde Hamburg, Hamburg, Germany
Momente-zum Thema Urbanität, Kunstverein Braunschweig, Braunschweig, Germany
Stephan Balkenhol, L.Gerdes, E.Karnauke, Kasseler Kunstverein, Kassel, Germany
Neue Deutsche Skulptur, Deweer Art Gallery and International Cultureel Centrum, Antwerpen
Otegem, Belgium
Die Karl-Schmidt-Rottluff Stipendiaten, 15 junge Künstler, Darmstadt, Germany

1985

Die Stipendiaten der Karl-Schmidt-Rottluff Förderrungsstiftung, Brücke-Museum, Berlin,
Germany
Skulptur in Hamburg, Landesvertretung der freien und Hansestadt Hamburg, Bonn, Germany
Jenis Park Skulptur, Jenish Park, Kulterbehörde Hamburg, Düsseldorf, Germany

1983

Impulse I, Galerie Löhrl, Mönchengladbach, Germany

CATALOGUES AND PUBLICATIONS (SELECTED)

2015

20 Years, essays by Stephen Friedman and Sarah Thornton, Stephen Friedman Gallery, London,
England (catalogue)

2012

Stephan Balkenhol in Sankt Elisabeth, Snoeck Verlagsgesellschaft, Köln, Germany

2011

Stephan Balkenhol: Public, The Sculptures in Public Space 1984-2008, Hatje Cantz, Ostfildern,
Germany

2010

Stephan Balkenhol, Musée de Grenoble, Grenoble, France
Stephan Balkenhol, Actes Sud, Paris, France

2009

Stephan Balkenhol, Sempre più..., Walther König, Cologne, Germany

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Fuentes, Galerie Thaddaeus Ropac, Paris; Le Rectangle, Centre D'Art De La Ville De Lyon;
Goethe-Institut, Lyon, France

2008

Stephan Balkenhol, Deichtorhallen, Snoek Pub, Hamburg, Germany

2007

Stephan Balkenhol, Staatliche Kunsthalle, Baden-Baden, Germany

2006

Skulptur 06, Galerie Thaddaeus Ropac, Paris; Le Rectangle, Centre D'Art De La Ville De Lyon;
Goethe-Institut, Lyon, France

Stephan Balkenhol, Snoeck, Köln, Germany

2005

Stephan Balkenhol, Skulpturen und Reliefs, The National Museum of Art, Osaka & Tokyo Opera
City Art Gallery, Japan

Stephan Balkenhol, Skulpturen, Von der Heydt-Museum Wuppertal, Germany

Stephan Balkenhol, The Arts Club of Chicago, USA

2004-2005

54th Carnegie International, Carnegie Museum of Art, Pittsburgh, USA

2004

More London Sculpture, More London Development Ltd.

2003

Stephan Balkenhol Photographien, Sprengel Museum, Hannover, Germany

Stephan Balkenhol, Galerie Thaddaeus Ropac, Paris; Le Rectangle, Centre D'Art De La Ville De
Lyon; Goethe-Institut, Lyon, France

2002

The Photogenic: Photography through its Metaphors in Contemporary Art, Institute of
Contemporary Art, University of Pennsylvania, Pennsylvania, USA

2001

Stephan Balkenhol, Hans Werner Schmidt, Museum der bildenden Künste Leipzig, Germany

Stephan Balkenhol, Vor Ort, Andreas Franzke, Hatje Cantz Verlag, Germany

Stephan Balkenhol, Fries Museum, Leuwarden, The Netherlands

2000

Stephan Balkenhol and Stephan Balkenhol Archives, CGAC

1999

Stephan Balkenhol, Bawag Foundation, Vienna, Austria

Stephan Balkenhol, Johnen & Schöttle, Köln, Germany
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