

# STEFAN SZCZESNY



*"Pleasure seems to pervade Stefan Szczesny's paintings, even more, a sense of crescendo and abundance, that is, orgasmic urgency and overflow. [...] Szczesny's paintings are remarkably fresh. They have the bloom of youth on them."*

Donald KUSPIT, "Eros Redivivus : Stefan Szczesny's Paintings".

Stefan Szczesny (born on the 9th of April 1951 in Munich) is an European and international painter, draughtsman and sculptor. After studying successively in Paris and at the Villa Romana in Florence, he came back to Germany where he organized the first exhibition "Rundschau Deutschland" in Munich and Cologne in 1981 and founded, with other figurative artists, the "Neue Wilde" movement which marks the return of figurative art inspired mostly by "The Fauves". In 1994, Szczesny moved to New York and then founded the Szczesny Factory in 1996. In the middle of the 1990's, he relocated his Studio on the Mustique Island. The Caribbean and tropical environment (especially Florida) incarnates for the artist the continuity of the Mediterranean spirit and "way of life" and inspires his work which becomes even more opulent, sensual, colorful and radiant. Travelling all around the world, taking part to numerous and famous exhibitions, Stefan Szczesny moved in 2001 to Saint-Tropez where he lives and works in his Atelier.

## Solo exhibitions

**1974**

Wicke Gallery, Munich

Contemporary Art Gallery, Munich

**1975**

Contemporary Art Gallery, Munich

**1976**

Goethe-Institut, Paris

**1979**

7 Paintings, Städtische Galerie im Lenbachhaus, Kunstforum München,  
Munich

**1980**

Perspectives '80, Art II, Basel

**1981**

Works on Paper 1977- 81, Gallery Friedrich and Knust, Munich

Gugu Ernesto Gallery, Cologne

**1982**

A Gallery, Amsterdam

Brusberg Gallery, Hanover

Jamileh Weber Gallery, Zurich

New Paintings, Gmyrek Gallery, Dusseldorf

Gallery Gugu Ernesto at the IKI, Dusseldorf

## **1983**

Immagini Romane 1982/83, Villa Massimo, Rome

Roman Paintings 1982/83, Arte Viva, Ch. Wenger Gallery, Basel

Pfefferle Gallery, Munich

Gugu Ernesto Gallery, Cologne

Second part of the exhibition, Small Sizes, Karl Pfefferle Gallery, Munich

## **1984**

Metamorphoses, Glyptothek and Staatliche Antikensammlung, Munich

Immagini Romane, Paintings Gouaches Sculptures, Jamileh Weber Gallery, Zurich

## **1985**

Works from 1978 to 1985, Holtmann Gallery, Cologne

Bathers, Farbbad - Gallery and Hans Barlach Gallery, Hamburg

Paintings and Works on Paper, Kunstverein Pforzheim, Reuchlinhaus, Pforzheim

Pfefferle Gallery, Munich

## **1985**

Wanda Reiff Gallery, Maastricht

## **1986**

Paintings on Hand Made Paper, Jamileh Weber Gallery, Zurich

Works on Paper, Birgit Terbrüggen Gallery, Sinsheim/Heidelberg

Paintings and Works on Paper, Silvia Menzel Gallery, Berlin

Stilleben Still Life Nature Morte, Pfefferle Gallery, Munich

Stilleben Still Life Nature Morte, Holtmann Gallery, Cologne

Stilleben Still Life Nature Morte, Hans Barlach Gallery, Hamburg

## **1988**

Portraits Faces Heads, Heinz Holtmann Gallery, Cologne

Paintings 1978-1987, Rheinisches Landesmuseum, Bonn

Paintings and Works on Paper 1983-1988, Jamileh Weber Gallery, Zurich

Fahlbusch Gallery, Mannheim

Ceramic Works, Hiltrud Jordan Gallery, Cologne

Paintings of a Summer, Karl Pfefferle Gallery, Munich

## **1989**

Ceramic (with Elvira Bach and Clemens Kaletsch)

Karl Pfefferle Gallery, Munich

Hans Barlach Gallery, Hamburg

Côtes d'Azur & Nudes, Holtmann Gallery, Cologne

Trabajos sobre papel, Instituto Aleman de Madrid, Madrid

## **1990**

Kunstverein Augsburg, Augsburg

Paintings and Works on Paper 1969-1989, Kunstverein Mannheim,  
Mannheim

Stefan Szczesny, Pfefferle Gallery, Munich

Works on Paper, Elke Zink Gallery, Baden-Baden

Kunstverein Uelzen, Castle Holdenstedt

Works on Paper, Hilger Gallery, Vienna

Works on Paper, Heinz Holtmann Gallery, Cologne

Tropical Dreams, Ernst Hilger Gallery, Frankfurt

Works on Paper, Heinz Wenk Gallery, Dortmund

Stadttheater Schweinfurt, Schweinfurt

## **1991**

Die befleckte Empfängnis, Stefan Szczesny and Harald Vogl,

Karl Pfefferle Gallery, Munich

Versunkene Gärten, paintings und aquarelles, Fahlbusch Gallery,  
Mannheim

Karl Pfefferle Gallery, Munich

Aquarelles, Acrylic Paintings und Graphics, Kley Gallery, Hamm

Nude, Birgit Terbrüggen Gallery, Heidelberg

Portraits (Idols, Myths and Models), Kunstverein Heidelberg, Heidelberg

Works on Paper, AGR Gallery, Goslar

Aquarells: St. Lucia – Barbados, Heinz Holtmann Gallery, Cologne

## **1992**

Haute Couture, Pfefferle Gallery, Munich

L' Annunziazione della Pittura, Arte Contemporanea Hirmer, Greve in Chianti

Museo Comunale, Greve in Chianti

Dark House - gouaches, drawings und graphics for stage design, Lilli Bock Gallery, Hamburg

Work Selection 1978-1992, Heinz Holtmann Gallery, Cologne

Portraits (Portraits/Relationships/Meetings), Kunstverein Bremen at Kunsthalle Bremen, Bremen

Paintings of Women, Hilger Gallery (at Klavierfabrik), Vienna

Nieuwe Schilderijen, Brinkmann Gallery, Amsterdam

## **1993**

Tropical Interieurs, Fahlbusch Gallery, Mannheim

Caribbean Style, Neue Galerie Linz, Linz

Portraits, Pfefferle Gallery, Munich

## **1994**

Caribbean Style, Frankfurter Kunstkabinett Hanna Bekker vom Rath, Frankfurt am Main

Caribbean Style, Lok Gallery, New York

Portraits of Musicians, Kölner Philharmonie, Cologne

Rain Forest, Holtmann Gallery, Cologne

12 Paraphrasen zu Manets Frühstück im Freien, Fahlbusch Gallery, Mannheim

Portraits, Nikki Diana Marquardt Gallery, Paris

Caribbean Style, Fassbender Fine Art, Chicago

## **1995**

Exhibition on the occasion of the Artists Book: Donald Kuspit, Stefan Szczesny, Holtmann Gallery, Cologne

Kabale und Liebe – ein Bilderzyklus, Karl Pfefferle Gallery, Munich

Frankfurter Kunstkabinett, Hanna Bekker vom Rath, Frankfurt am Main

Aquarells and Ceramic, Gallery Hartmann & Noé, Berlin

## **1996**

Eva-Cycle, Frankfurter Kunstkabinett Hanna Bekker vom Rath, Frankfurt am Main Eva dancing with the mirror, Fassbender Fine Art, Chicago

Opening Exhibition Kasten Gallery, Dresden

## **1997**

Szczesny – Works 1975 – 1996, Haus am Lützowplatz (Night of Museums), Berlin

Photography on Paintings, Hartmann & Noé Gallery, Berlin

Travel Pictures, Fahlbusch Gallery, Mannheim

Fischerplatz Gallery, Ulm

Ceramic Vases and Hollow-Ware, Badisches Landesmuseum (Museum at the Majolika-Manufactory), Karlsruhe

Figurative Ceramics, Paintings and Vases, Gerhard-Marcks-House, Bremen

Paintings and Ceramics, Mönch Gallery, Bremen

Sculptures and Paintings, Molitor Gallery, Munich Grünwald

Paintings and Works on Paper of the Caribbean, Von Looper Gallery, Hamburg

Works 1996 – 1997, Peters-Barenbrock Gallery, Berlin

## **1998**

Paintings, Graphics, Ceramics, Kunstkabinett Regensburg, Regensburg

Theater Pictures, Theater Gallery, Trier

Kasten Gallery, Mannheim

Paintings of the Côte d'Azur, Kunsthalle Emden, Stiftung Henri und Eske Nannen,

Emden

Pictures of the Caribbean, Aquarelles and Graphic, Kunstpunkt Gallery, Emden

Works on Paper, Galleria Daniele Luchetta, Venice

Photoworks, Fassbender Fine Arts, Chicago

La joie de vivre, Museo del Grabado Español Contemporáneo, Marbella

Fabien Fryns Gallery, Marbella

Picasso – Szczesny. Ceramic Works, Beck & Eggeling Gallery, Dusseldorf

Szczesny, Frankfurter Hypothekenbank Centralboden AG, Bremen

Scenes of Mustique, Cotton House, Mustique, West Indies

## **1999**

Painting on Photography, Beck & Eggeling Gallery, Dusseldorf

Paintings and Ceramic Hollow-Ware, Kokerbeeck Gallery, Bielefeld

Côte d'Azur, Museum Moderner Kunst Stiftung Wörlen, Passau

Szczesny – Glas and Ceramic, Castle Ziegelberg

Keramikmuseum Mettlach, Mettlach

Paintings of the Côte d'Azur, Villa Borgnis – Kurhaus at the Park, Königstein/Taunus

Painting meets Photography, Fondazione Levi, Venice

Graphics, Bronze, Ceramic, Glas, Kunsthaus Köln, Cologne

Paintings of the Côte d'Azur, Espace Bonnard, Le Cannet/Cannes

Painting meets Photography, Beck & Eggeling Gallery, L'Ambassade, Saint-Tropez

Mustique, Thamm Gallery, Küsnacht/Zurich

Summerpaintings and Ceramics, Frankfurter Kunstkabinett Hanna Bekker vom Rath, Frankfurt am Main

Art and Architecture, Architekturgalerie München, Munich

Works on Paper, Canvas and Ceramic, Duo Bilder & Rahmen, Bonn

Mustique Diary, Cotton House, Mustique, St.Vincent, the Grenadines

## **2000**

anders Gallery at stilwerk, Dusseldorf

Trost Gallery, Lippstadt

Leupi's Art Place, Zofingen/Ascona

World Map of Life, 12 large-sized (3 x 8 m) Ceramic murals by order of WWF for EXPO 2000, Hanover

The Living Planet, Kasten Gallery, Mannheim

The Living Planet, Sketches und Graphics for the Expo 2000-Project World Map of Life, Anne Moerchen Gallery, Hamburg

Szczesny – presented by Holger Stewen (Interior Design), Santanyi, Mallorca

The Living Planet Project, Kunsthaus Köln, Cologne

The Living Planet Project, Kasten Gallery, Mannheim

The Living Planet Project, art gallery und CSC PLOENZKE, Wiesbaden

Mediterranean Stillife, Fischerplatzgalerie, Ulm

The Kempinski Art Project, Kempinski Resort Hotel Estepona, Marbella

Fabien Fryns Gallery, Marbella

The Living Planet, Kunsthalle Koblenz, Koblenz

Szczesny, Plak-ART Gallery/ Witzel Gallery, Frankfurt am Main

Desire, Terminus Gallery, Munich

## **2001**

Painting meets Photography, Museum Villa Dessauer, Bamberg

Fabien Fryns Gallery, Marbella

Moments of Sensuality, Vetter Gallery, Düren

Paintings, Aquarelles, Ceramics et Lithographs, Guy Beddington Gallery, Bargemon

Paintings and Ceramics of the Cote d'Azur, Mönch Gallery, Bremen

Luxe, calme et volupté ... ou la joie de vivre, Musée La Malmaison, Cannes

## **2002**

atrium, Geneva

Painting meets Photography - New Painting on Photography, Kasten Gallery, Mannheim

Una fiesta para los ojos, Galería Casa de la Provincia, Sevilla, (Parallel Painting meets Photography im IMAX/Cinecitta), Voigt Gallery, Nuremberg

Kohle für Kohle, Haus Hartmann, Grevenbroich

Exhibition of Ceramics on roof terrace of Hotel Noga Hilton Cannes for the premiere of Szczesny – the Film, Guy Beddington Gallery, Cannes

Contraste, Galerie du Château Suffren, Saint-Tropez

Fischer Fine Art Gallery, Mougins

Presentation of Szczesny – Mustique, Collectors Edition and Limited Edition at Christies, London und Terminus Gallery, Munich

Ludorff Gallery, Dusseldorf

## **2003**

Rendez-vous au Paradis, Terminus Gallery, Munich

Mustique, Frankfurter Kunstkabinett Hanna Bekker vom Rath, Frankfurt am Main

Works of Mustique, Brigitte Wagner Gallery, Bonn

Ein Fest für die Augen, Gustav-Lübcke-Museum, Hamm

Power your life, Mustique, Heidelberger Druckzentrum, Heidelberg

Méditerranée, Thamm Gallery, Zurich

Méditerranée – L'Esthétique du Sud, Salle Jean Despas, Saint-Tropez

Caribbean Style, Schubert Gallery, Neuß

## **2004**

Mustique, Aquarelles and Paintings on Photography, Guy Beddington Gallery, Bargemon

Mediterráneo – La Estética del Sur, Ses Voltes–Centre d'Exposicions, Palma de Mallorca

Paintings, Ceramics and Works on Paper, Frankfurter Kunstkabinett Hanna Bekker vom Rath, Frankfurt am Main

## **2005**

Images érotiques, Kunsthalle Mannheim, Mannheim

Kasten Gallery, Mannheim

Images érotiques, Terminus Gallery, Munich

Photowork, Camerawork, Berlin

Graphics, Ehrhardt & Goebel lawyers, Andreas Lück, Agency, Therapy- & Prevention Centre Munich South, Munich

Saint-Tropez Recontre Mustique, l'Ambassade, Saint-Tropez

Painting on Photo, Contemporary Fine Art, Saint-Tropez

## **2006**

Ludorff Gallery, Dusseldorf

Club 55, Contemporary Fine Art Gallery, Saint-Tropez

Anne Moerchen Gallery, Hamburg

The Complete Graphics, Szczesny Factory, Berlin

Art and Architecture, Szczesny Factory, Berlin

Im Licht des Südens, NZB Bank Neue Züricher Bank Schweiz , Zurich

Shadow sculptures, Saint-Tropez

## **2007**

Ceramic, Szczesny Factory, Berlin

Mainau Island – an earthly paradise, Insel Mainau

Painting on Photography, Villa Aurelien, Frejus

Mainau Island, an earthly Paradise, Szczesny Factory, Berlin

Premiere des Films, Kino Arsenal 1, Berlin

An earthly Paradise, Heidelberg Erleben (Raum für Kunst und Kultur), Heidelberg

Le Jardin d'Eden, Les Jardins du Grand Hotel, Cannes

Joie de Vivre, Fine & Contemporary, Andreas Lück, Munich

Shadow Sculptures, City of Cannes, Cannes

Springmann Gallery, Freiburg

Museum Freiburg, Freiburg

In the Light of the South, Paintings and Sculptures from Saint-Tropez),  
Mönch Gallery, Bremen

## **2008**

Sculptures Récentes en Céramique, (with Jean - Gabriel Domergue),  
Cannes

Shadow Sculptures, Airport Stuttgart: Trip to Sensuality, Stuttgart

Paintings and Graphics, Juraschek Gallery, Winsen/Luhe

Castle, Winsen/Luhe,

The Graphic Work, Paper, Canvas, Metal, 1991-2008, Fleurs, Fruits,  
Femmes, anders Gallery, Gallery Ludorff,

Fils-Schumacher, Graphic, Stilwerk, Düsseldorf

Sculptures d'Ombre à Grimaud, Grimaud

Paintings from the Sternberg-Lounge, Szczesny Factory, Berlin

Painting 1978-1990, Shadow Sculptures 2007, Noah Gallery, Augsburg

Schaltwerk, Rottach-Egern

Shadow Sculptures, Rottach-Egern

Hyna Gallery, Rottach-Egern

Hotel Egerner Höfe, Rottach-Egern

New Paintings from Saint-Tropez, Szczesny Factory, Berlin

Night Schadows, Szczesny Factory, Berlin

Shadow sculptures, Sternberg Lounge, Düsseldorf

## **2009**

Caribbean Style, Szczesny Factory, Berlin

Portraits, Szczesny Factory, Berlin

Garden show, Rechberghausen

Shadow sculptures during the Art Basel Miami in the park of the Biltmore Hotel, Coral Gables

Charity Shadows on the Biltmore, Wolfgang Roth & Partners Fineart

Painting meets photography, Gallery Kasten, Mannheim

New Works, Galerie Espace des Lices, Saint-Tropez

The »Saint-Tropez« book, first presentation at the Club 55, Ramatuelle

Portraits in Paintings and Drawings, Szczesny Factory & Publishing GmbH, Berlin

The Szczesny Factory on the art fair Berliner Liste, Berlin

## **2010**

La joie de vivre, Beddington Fine Art Gallery, Bargemon

Caribbean Dreams, KunstRaum Bernusstraße, Frankfurt

Szczesny Dairy - St. Tropez - New York - Mustique, 532 Gallery Thomas Jaeckel, New York

A summer in Saint-Tropez, Mediengruppe Pressedruck, Augsburg

Saint-Tropez in Berlin, Bocca di Bacco, Berlin

La joie de vivre, Klosterhof Besseslich, Kunsthalle Koblenz, Koblenz

"Vis-à-vis", KunstRaum Bernusstrasse, Frankfurt am Main

New works, Galerie Espace des Lices, Saint-Tropez

Shadows on the Biltmore Benefit Cocktail Reception, Biltmore Hotel, Coral Gables, Miami

Special Sales Exhibition, Szczesny Factory & Publishing GmbH, Berlin

Méditerranée, Galerie Espace des Lices, Saint-Tropez

Or et bleu, Frankfurter Kunstkabinett, Frankfurt

Les Voiles de Saint-Tropez 2010, Galerie Espace des Lices, Saint-Tropez

Szczesny's world, Peter's friends Gallery, Palais-Royal, Paris

## **2011**

Golden sculptures, Plaza Athénée, Paris

Shadows on the snow, Kulmpark, St. Moritz

Shadows on the sand, Sylt, Sylt Art Festival

Shadows on the water, Saint-Tropez

## **2012**

Schatten im Park, Schloss Bensberg/Schloss Lerbach

Szczesny at the Adlon, Hotel Adlon, Berlin

Szczesny in Frankfurt, with main exhibition "Kunstgarten Palmengarten" at the Palmengarten, Frankfurt

Szczesny: Neue Wilden works from the 80s, 532 Gallery Thomas Jaeckel

## **2013**

"Golden paintings and sculptures", Novotel Monte Carlo

"Paintings and sculptures", Kempinski Hotel Bahía Estepona

"Blühende Welten", Sigmaringen Castle, Sigmaringen

Opening of Szczesny Sculpture Park, Sapporobogen, Munich, with exhibition

"Saint-Tropez meets Miami", Addison House, Aventura, FL

## **2014**

"Saint-Tropez meets Miami", CU1 Gallery, Miami

"Lithographs", Kempinski Hotel Bahía Estepona

"Paintings on photography" (permanent exhibition), Schmelzwerk, Sarotti Höfe, Berlin

"Métamorphoses méditerranéennes", Palais des Papes, Avignon

"Paintings and ceramics", Galerie Sassi Milici, Vallauris

## **2015**

Szczesny at the Jigsaw flagship store, London

Galerie Kronsbein, Munich

Galerie Noah, Augsburg

Exhibition of sculptures, Domaine de la Croix, La Croix Valmer

Galerie Schimming, Hamburg

## **2016**

"Welcome to Saint-Tropez", redbox gallery, Zurich

Glatzel/Szczesny "New York & Saint-Tropez meet Berlin" at Sankthorst Department Berlin

Sculpture exhibition at Golf Club Saint-Tropez, Gassin

Kellermann Gallery, Dusseldorf

## **2017**

Szczesny Besuch im Paradies, Viernheim

Ausstellung in Schmelzwerk, Berlin

Sculpture retrospective "Szczesny Sculptures 2005-2017" at the Citadelle of Saint-Tropez

Stefan Szczesny, Florian Kappe Fine Arts, Porto Cervo, Italien

"Tour de l'Art", Steigenberger Parkhotel & Galerie Kellermann, Düsseldorf

"Un monde la lumière" Gerald Hartinger Fine Arts, Wien

Althoff Grand Hotel Schloss Bensberg, Bergisch-Gladbach, Köln

Szczesny's "Reflexion" at the Kunskontor Gallery in Wiesbaden Germany

## **2018**

Art Karlsruhe with the Galerie Reitz, Karlsruhe

New works at the Schmelzwerk Restaurant in Berlin

Stefan Szczesny " Die andere Eva" at the Galerie Reitz, Cologne

Ceramics Week-end at the Villa Belrose Althoff Hotel in Gassin

Persterer Fine Arts, Zürich

"Feedback", Heitsch Gallery Munich

## **2019**

Art Karlsruhe with the Galerie Reitz, Karlsruhe

"Stefan Szczesny - Caribbean Mood", March 15th - April 20th 2019, Galerie Asie, Saint-Barthélemy

"Nouvelles Peintures", Galerie Espace des Lices, Saint-Tropez

"Szczesny - Céramiques", May 4th-14th 2019, Lavoir Vasserot, Saint-Tropez

Exhibition with the Gallery Persterer Contemporary Fine Art, Zürich, May 2019

"Szczesny-Les Baigneuses, July 2019, Galerie Espace des Lices, Saint-Tropez

"Szczesny-Malerei & Skulpturen", July 15th-October 24th 2019, Sino German Hi-Tech Park, Heidelberg

"Szczesny-Aquarelles", September 2019-April 2020, Galerie Espace des Lices, Saint-Tropez

Les Voiles de Saint-Tropez, September 28th-October 6th 2019, Village des Voiles, Saint-Tropez

"Szczesny-The Dance", Context Art Miami, December 3rd-8th 2019, Miami

"Szczesny-Les Baux-de-Provence", June 1st 2020 - February 28th, 2020, Cité des Baux-de-Provence

## **2020**

Stefan Szczesny, « Caribbean Mood II », January 16th-February 6th 2020, Galerie Asie, Saint-Barthélémy

Stefan Szczesny, « Selected prints », Anse Chastanet Gallery, from February 13th 2020, Santa Lucia

« Szczesny : Surfin' Saint-Tropez », 2-8 July & 13-19 August 2020, Lavoir Vasserot, Saint-Tropez, France

"Stefan Szczesny - Neue Bilder/Recent Paintings", October 23rd 2020- January 17th 2021, Geuer & Geuer Art Gallery, Düsseldorf, Germany

## **2021**

« Stefan Szczesny – Hommage à Max Ernst – Peintures », Beddington Fine Art Gallery (Bargemon), Seillans, Salle du Cercle, 20. March – 27. June 2021

« Stefan Szczesny : Sculptures », Villa Belrose, Saint-Tropez, May-October 2021

« Stefan Szczesny : Mediterane Leichtigkeit / Mediterranean Lightness », Galerie Terminus, Munich, 30. July – 15. September 2021

« Stefan Szczesny : Peintures et sculptures », Studio Paon, Grimaud, July – November 2021

« Szczesny : Sculptures monumentales au Parc du Château de la Moutte », Saint-Tropez, Fonds de dotation Szczesny Art Foundation, 1. August – 17. October 2021

"Stefan Szczesny – Gemälde. Aquarelle. Skulpturen", 20. August 2021- , Geuer & Geuer Art Gallery, Düsseldorf, Germany

« Stefan Szczesny : Sailing #Art4GlobalGoals », Monheim, 22. August 2021

« Stefan Szczesny : Global Goals Project », Ludwig Museum Koblenz, 25. September – 31. September 2021

« Stefan Szczesny : Sailing #Art4GlobalGoals », Koblenz - Köln, 25. – 26. September 2021

« Szczesny : Sailing #Art4GlobalGoals Project », Les Voiles de Saint-Tropez, Saint-Tropez, 25. September – 9. October 2021

« Szczesny : Peintures et sculptures sous le soleil de Saint-Tropez », Salle Jean Despas, Saint-Tropez, 1. -17. October 2021

## 2022

« Szczesny : Peintures et sculptures », Guy Pieters Gallery, Albertplein, Knokke, 2.-18. April 2022

« Szczesny – Sailing Art#4GlobalGoals”, Paris, UNESCO, 8.-9. & 10. June

“Szczesny Art Project – Grimaud”, Grimaud, 27. May – 15. October 2022

“Szczesny – Kitz Art Project », Kitzbühel, 17. December 2022 – 31. April 2023

## 2023

“Szczesny : Céramiques & Oeuvre graphique », Lavoir Vasserot, Saint-Tropez, 4 – 10. May 2023

« Szczesny Sail #Art4GlobalGoals », Geneva, Switzerland, 9 – 12. June 2023

« Stefan Szczesny –Painting Paradise », Kunsthause Artes, Berlin, Germany, 01. July – 2. September 2023

## Group exhibitions

### **1968-1970**

Herbstsalon, Haus der Kunst, Munich

### **1971**

International Graphic-Biennale Ibizagraphic, Ibiza

Group Works, Kunsthalle Baden-Baden, Baden-Baden

### **1971-1973**

Große Kunstausstellung, Haus der Kunst, Munich

### **1974**

Borislav von Wenzel Gallery, Hamburg

### **1976**

Les Grandes et les Jeunes, Petit Palais, Paris

### **1979**

Tanit Gallery, Munich

### **1980**

Jürgen-Ponto-Stiftung, Frankfurt am Main

XII. Festival Internationale de la Peinture, Cagnes-sur-Mer

Münchner Kultur, 1. Exhibition of Artists Factory Lothringer Str. 13,  
Munich

Künstlerbundausstellung, Kunstverein Hannover, Hanover

Art and Critics, Kunstverein Munich, Munich

## **1981**

Rundschau Deutschland I

(et al. mit Schulze, Oehlen, Dahn, Kippenberger, Fetting, Salome,  
Wörsel), Munich

Rundschau Deutschland II, Cologne

Gillespie / de Laage / Salomon Gallery, Paris

LIS'81 – Bienal de Desenho, Lisbon

Friedrich und Knust Gallery, Art12, Basel

Brusberg Gallery, Hanover

Gugu Ernesto Gallery, Cologne

Laßt tausend Bilder blühen, Karl Pfefferle Gallery, Munich

## **1982**

5 from Cologne (with Walter Dahn, Jiri Georg Dokoupil, Gerard Kever,  
Andreas Schulze), Six Friedrich Gallery, Munich

The New Artists Group: Wild Painting (et al. with Anzinger, Dahn,  
Dokoupil), Im Klapperhof, Cologne

Variations and Sequences, Kunstmuseum Düsseldorf, Düsseldorf

Premierentage Cologne (with Bauch, Buthe, Deisler, Lüthi, Polke,  
Schifferle),

Gugu Ernesto, Gallery Cologne

Torso, Kunstverein Kassel, Kassel

Eyewitness, Gmyrek Gallery, Dusseldorf

Querschnitte II, Brusberg Gallery, Berlin

Villa Massimo, Rome

## **1983**

Opening of Pfefferle Gallery (with Adamski, Anzinger, Bach, Disler, Dokoupil, Sandoz, Schulze, Tannert, Zimmer), Munich

At Capri, Villa Massimo, Rome und Anacapri / Capri

Drawings and Gouaches ( with Anzinger Buthe, Herold Klauke, Polke et al.)

Gugu Ernesto Gallery, Cologne

Trigon 83, steirischer Herbst, Graz

25 German Painters, Moderna Galerija, Ljubljana

## **1984**

Interim Result: New German Painting, Neue Galerie am Landesmuseum Joanneum Graz

Interim Result, Villa Stuck, Munich

Rheinisches Landesmuseum Bonn, Bonn

25 Jovens Pintores Alemães, Sociedade Nacional de Belas Artes, Lisbon

Position to Interim Result , Karl Pfefferle Gallery, Munich

Kunstlandschaft Deutschland, Gesellschaft für aktuelle Kunst Bremen, Bremen

Kunstverein Flensburg, Flensburg

Sculptures, Pfefferle Gallery, Munich

All right, Kunstverein Mannheim, Mannheim

Forum Zürich, Jamileh Weber Gallery, Zurich

German Contemporary Art, Brusberg Gallery, Hanover

Young Art from North Rhine -Westphalia, Westfälischer Kunstverein, Münster

Stairs, Gugu Ernesto Gallery, Cologne

New expressive Painting, Kunstverein Wiesbaden, Wiesbaden

## **1985**

Stairs II, Gugu Ernesto Gallery, Cologne

The Idea of Men, Karl Pfefferle Gallery, Munich

Villa Massimo Retrospective 1982-88, Orangerie Kassel, Kassel

Hommages aux Femmes, ICC Berlin, Berlin

Stairs, Gesellschaft für aktuelle Kunst, Bremen

Städtische Galerie, Lüdenscheid

Without Rectangle and Plinth, Kunstverein Hannover, Hanover

Cologne black-white, Heinz Holtmann Gallery, Cologne

Bömmels, Chia, Disler, Fetting, Mosbacher, Szczesny, Zimmer

Malerei – Painting – Peinture, Karl Pfefferle Gallery, Munich

## **1986**

3. Triennale of Kleinplastik, Fellbach

Opening of the Restaurant Bongout (with et al. Adamski, Anzinger, Bach, Buthe, Hödicke, Oehlen, Penck, Schulze, Wörsel, Zimmer), Cologne

Young Wilds – Works on Paper, with Adamski, Anziger, Bach, Fetting, Hornemann, Middendorfs, Mosbacher, Sandoz, Salomé, Schmalix, Zimmer, 10. August - 28. September, Nassauischer Kunstverein e.V., Wiesbaden

## **1987**

Barlach Gallery, Cologne

Materialisation, Kunstverein Mannheim, Mannheim

Painting in Europe, Karl Pfefferle Gallery, Munich

Sculptures of Painters, Kunstverein Mannheim, Mannheim

Beelden van Schilders, Museum van Bommel van Dam, Venlo, Netherlands

Columns Exhibition, Silvia Menzel Gallery, Berlin

10 Years of Art, Gallery am Moritzplatz, Berlin

Drawings, Wanda Reiff Gallery, Maastricht

Death and Resurrection, Rieder Gallery, Munich

Painting / Sculpture, Pfefferle Gallery, Munich

Stillife, Biedermann Gallery, Munich

## **1988**

Gran Pavese. The Flag-Project, Museumsufer Frankfurt am Main and Museum van Hedendaagse Kunst, Antwerp

Museum Museumsufer, Berlin

Museum van Hoendaage Kunst, Antwerp

Made in Cologne, DuMont Kunsthalle, Cologne

Paintings 1977-82, Karl Pfefferle Gallery, Munich

Art against Aids, Auction exhibition ART COLOGNE, Cologne

5. Biennale of European Graphic, Heidelberg  
A Propos Dessin (with et al. Allington, Fletcher, Kounellis),  
Adrien Maeght Gallery, Paris

## **1989**

Landscape, Fahlbusch Gallery, Mannheim  
Abstraction and Figuration, Neher Gallery, Essen  
History of Art-dealing, Art Frankfurt, Frankfurt am Main  
Akte, Koch Gallery, Hanover  
Elvira Bach, Stefan Szczesny, Bernd Zimmer, Works on Paper,  
Heinz Wenk Gallery, Dortmund

## **1990**

Colour Blue, Kunstverein Heidelberg, Heidelberg  
Works on Paper, Heinz Holtmann Gallery, Cologne  
New Graphics, Karl Pfefferle Gallery, Munich  
Opening Exhibition Terbrüggen Gallery, Heidelberg  
The Portrait, Müller Gallery, Stuttgart  
Erotic, Karl Pefferle Gallery, Munich

## **1991**

Theater and Painting, Karl Pfefferle Gallery, Munich  
Animals, Karl Pfefferle Gallery, Munich  
An Exhibition for Peace , Schulze Gallery, Cologne

Artists for Ethiopia, Hotel Intercontinental, Frankfurt am Main

Gallery Artists, Elke Zink Gallery, Baden-Baden

A Dialogue of Images., Contemporary American and German Painting,

Karl Pfefferle Gallery, Munich

Music and Painting at Prinzregententheater, Munich

The Gran Pavese Exhibition in The Baarnse Wintertuin

Artists support Roma, Anzinger, Dahn, Dokoupil, Kasseböhmer, Szczesny, Trockel, Kunststation St. Peter, Cologne

## **1992**

Arte Contemporanea Hirmer, Greve in Chianti

Adamski, Bloom, Nicolaus, Szczesny, Vogl, Fahlbusch Gallery, Mannheim

painted prints, Kunstraum at PCC (Kunstraum im Politischen Club Colonia ), Cologne

Arman, Elvira Bach, Charly Banana, Dario Basso, Michael Buthe, Bruno Ceccobelli, Anton Henning, Jürgen Klauke, Stefan Szczesny, Bernd Zimmer, Holtmann Gallery in cooperation with WDR, Cologne

## **1993**

Room with a view, Brinkmann Gallery, Amsterdam

10 Years Pfefferle Gallery, Pfefferle Gallery, Munich

Sculpture today, Holtmann Gallery, Cologne

meacenas, Mannheimer Kunstverein, Mannheim

Form und Gestalt, Kasten and Steinmetz Gallery, Mannheim

Fiumara d'Arte, Museo domestico di Pettineo, Pettineo, Sicily

Summer Exhibition, Fahlbusch Gallery, Mannheim

## **1994**

At the beginning was the apple, Dr. Rainer Wild Stiftung, Heidelberg

## **1995**

Flowers, Paintings and Sculptures, Fahlbusch Gallery, Mannheim

The Collage, Hartmann & Noé Gallery, Berlin

Hyatt Regency Cologne, Exhibition and Auction of PCC Cologne in favour of the Lakota Native Americans, Cologne

Gran Pavese, Carla Stützer Gallery, Cologne

Artists for Protection of Species, Haus der Kunst, Munich

## **1996**

Gallery of Artists,

Benefit Auction in favour of Überlebenszeichen e.V., Munich

Examples: Heidelberg private property art of the 20th century , Heidelberger Kunstverein, Heidelberg

The Lindencorso - Project in Frankfurt Central Station, et al. mit Adamski, Bach, Combas, Dahn, Fetting, Garouste, Hacker, Vautier Zimmer, Frankfurt am Main

77. Institut Francais de Cologne, Lindencorso-Flags, Cologne

Heart - Exhibition, Friedrich Kasten Gallery, Mannheim / Dresden

Pictures of the Night, et al. with Bach, Chevalier, Dahn, Näher, Zimmer, Schumann,

Haus am Lützowplatz, Berlin

Sehstücke, Frankfurter Kunstkabinett, Frankfurt am Main

Around the Water, Dominikaner Museum, Rottweil

Art Concept Voltaire (with Bach, Hacker), Hotel Voltaire, Potsdam

## 1997

Tuchfühlung, et al. with Adamski, Anderson, Bach, Bömmels, Dahn, Dokoupil, Hüppi, Tannert, art project in the old city centre, Velbert-Langenberg

Collection Artist-Postcards, Köhler Gallery, Kassel

New Editions, Single Sheets, Portfolio Works, Multiples, et al. with Kasseböhmer, Turek, Zimmer D.P. Druck- und Publikations GmbH, 4. December, Munich

## 1998

Rot, Red, Rouge, Rosso. Zeitgenössische Kunst Leyerseder, Hauzenberg

Exhibition with Elvira Bach, L'Ambassade, 5.August, Saint-Tropez

Venezia Aperto Vetro – International New Glass, 16. Oktober, Venice

Elvira Bach & Stefan Szczesny, Vetri e Dipinti - Paintings und Glas Sculptures, Galeria Luchetta, Murano / Venice

Graphics & Editions, Fischerplatz Gallery, Ulm and Edition Copenhagen at Ars multiple, Dusseldorf

CologneKunst, Kunsthalle Köln, Cologne

Tuchfühlung, Meteorit, Essen

Accrochage, Zeitgenössische Kunst Leyerseder, Hauzenberg

Herbst '98, Altstadt - Gallery, Remscheid

Prints and Unique copies on Paper, with Fetting, Dokoupil, Immendorf, Lemmerz, Lüpertz, Sonderborg, Szczesny, Zimmer, Kunsthalle Koblenz, Koblenz

Angel, Stuben Gallery, Goslar

## **1999**

Original-Lithographs from the Carl and Rasmus Urwald Factory, Kunsthaus Lübeck, Lübeck

La Joie de Vivre, Beck & Eggeling Gallery, L'Ambassade, Saint-Tropez

8 Artists – 6 Rooms, House Elisabeth von Eicken, Ahrenshoop

You should have a look at this, et al. with Bach, Heckl, Pechstein, Rottluff, Zimmer, Frankfurter Kunstkabinett Hanna Bekker von Rath, Frankfurt am Main

## **2000**

Il Paradiso, Neue Galerie der Stadt Linz, Linz

Art Frankfurt, Peters-Bahrenbrock Gallery, Berlin

De la couleur et du feu. Céramiques d'artistes de 1885 à nos jours, Musée de la Faïence, Château Pastré, Marseille

Exhibition with Elvira Bach and A. R. Penck, Majolica, Karlsruhe

Grafiek/Graphik Art/Graphique Contemporary Graphics from the Netherlands, Belgium and Germany, Brussum

## **2001**

You'll become 50 , with Elvira Bach, Clemens Gröszer and Rainer Gross, Frankfurter Kunstkabinett Hanna Bekker vom Rath, Frankfurt am Main

Summer Salon 2001, with Polke, Rauschenberg, Lichtenstein, Baselitz, A. R. Penck, Warhol et al., Terminus Gallery, Munich

Desire for Landscape, with Elvira Bach, Bernd Zimmer u.a., Frankfurter Kunstkabinett, Hanna Bekker vom Rath, Frankfurt am Main

Bodies – Faces, with Bach, Braque, Liebermann, Matisse, Nay et al., Frankfurter Kunstkabinett Hanna Bekker vom Rath, Frankfurt am Main

## **2002**

Stillife, with Battke, Giebe, Strassner et al., Frankfurter Kunstkabinett  
Hanna Bekker vom Rath, Frankfurt am Main

Supernova at the Art Heaven: The New Wilds, with Bömmels, Bach,  
Dokoupil, Lüpertz, Immendorf et al., Kunstverein Weiden, Weiden

Summer colours, with Bach, Baselitz, Castelli, Polke, Warhol et al.,  
Terminus Gallery, Munich

paper art 8: Turbulences in Paper, Leopold Hoesch Museum, Düren

## **2003**

Group exhibition with Bach, Hoenerloh, Katz u.a., Frankfurter  
Kunstkabinett Hannah Bekker vom Rath, Frankfurt am Main

## **2004**

Group exhibition with Bach, Hoenerloh, Katz, Pratschke, Steinbrenner,  
Hanna Bekker vom Rath, Frankfurt am Main

Crossover, Painting, Graphic, Plastic, Photos of Slavin, Reitz, Roth,  
Vontron, Bellmer, Klein, Janssen, Bach, Szczesny, Picasso, Wunderlich et  
al., Anne Moerchen Gallery, Hamburg

Thomapyrin Art Edition for UNICEF: Schmerztransformationen, with  
Salomé, Corneille, Christo und Jeanne-Claude, Förg, Uhlig, Bogart,  
Balkenhol, Hrdlicka, Schultze, Antes, Droese, Bach, Presentation at the  
Orangerie, Castle of Nymphenburg, 13. May, Munich

## **2005**

Group Exhibition with Bach, Berts, Beard, Bisang, Brandt, Comte,  
Lindbergh, Warhol, Wesselmann, Contemporary Fine Art, Saint-Tropez

The Power of Colours, with Bach, Gross, Katz, Kneffel, Schleime, Metzkes,

Kunstkabinett Hanna Bekker vom Rath, Frankfurt am Main

Creatures, Saint-Tropez

## **2007**

Art Seasons Cape Town, 4.2 -4.3, Cape Town, South Africa

## **2009**

Kratzen, Ätzen - Pressen, Prints from the collection of Mannheim

Versicherung, XYLON-Museum, 18.04.-21.06, Schwetzingen

## **2010**

Still lifes, Stefan Szczesny and Elvira Bach, Gallery Voigt, Nürnberg

## **2011**

"Night Views", Paintings and Photographies from Stefan Szczesny, Jan Leonardo Wöllert, Cubri & Paul Ching-Bor, Art Room9 Galerie, Munich, October 2011

"Les sentiers de la Sculpture", Polo Club of Saint-Tropez, Gassin, June 24th - October 3rd, 2011

## **2012**

"HinterzARTen", Hinterzarten, Germany, Mai 10th-June 10th, 2012

## **2013**

Jean-Gabriel Domergue & Stefan Szczesny, Villa Domergue, Cannes, July 11-September 28, 2013

## **2014**

"De l'expressivité primitive au regard inspiré", Centre d'art La Malmaison, Cannes

## **2015**

Exhibition of sculptures and ceramics, Villa Domergue, Cannes

## **2016**

Sassi Milici Gallery, Vallauris

Art Karlsruhe und Art Cologne with the Kellermann Galerie

## **2017**

Agnès Sandahl Gallery, Ramatuelle

Stefan Szczesny's "Spirit of colours" at the Aaart Fundation in Kirchberg,  
Kitzbühl area

## **2018**

Skulpturale in Krefeld at the Rather Mühle Golf Klub

Galerie Agnès Sandahl in Vallauris

## **2019**

Heitsch Gallery, Munich 25th Anniversary of the Gallery, January 26-March  
09, 2019

Summer Group Show, Octavia Art Gallery, New Orleans, July 6-27, 2019

Stefan Szczesny and Markus Herbicht : "Art & Food", Berlin Art Week,  
Schmelzwerk (Sarotti-Höffgen), September 2019

## **2020**

Stefan Szczesny, Sculptures exhibition, Beddington Fine Art, Bargemon, April 2020 – November 2021

Stefan Szczesny, « Sylt Art Fair », Geuer & Geuer, Düsseldorf – Sylt, Germany, June 24th – October 18th 2020

## **2021**

Stefan Szczesny, « Sylt Art Fair », Geuer & Geuer, Düsseldorf – Sylt, Germany, May – September 2021

## **2022**

Stefan Szczesny, « Sylt Art Fair », Geuer & Geuer, Düsseldorf – Sylt, Germany, May – October 2022

## **2023**

Stefan Szczesny, « Sylt Art Fair », Geuer & Geuer, Düsseldorf – Sylt, Germany, May-September 2023

“Stefan Szczesny & Elvira Bach”, Galerie Noah, Augsburg, Germany, 27. July – 24. September 2023

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York, as well as numerous art and building projects (amongst others: Lindencorso Berlin; Kempinski Marbella, Expo Hannover, Terre Blanche, Côte d'Azur).

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