

seltsame geschichten / strange tales / histoires étranges

From 10 December to 12 December 2021, the exhibition *seltsame geschichten / strange tales / histoires étranges* will take place as part of the project series *Walk Their Path* by the artist network *somebody*ies x Miss_Platziert* in relation to the anniversary of Swiss women's suffrage. The artists Hannah Kindler and Christina Huber show videos, organise workshops and invite to talk about the position of LGBTQIA+ (lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, intersex, and asexual people) and women in society. In doing so, they build bridges between the literary work of Cécile Ines Loos and the site named after her.

Opening: Friday, 10.12.2021, 7 - 9 pm

Cécile Ines Loos Anlage / *Treffpunkt Breite*, Basel

further screenings, workshops and talks on 11.12.21 / 12.12.21



Christina Huber, Video still, Courtesy the artist.



Hannah Kindler, Video still, Courtesy the artist.

Programme

10. December 2021, 7 - 9 pm

7 pm: Opening and video screening

11. December 2021, 2 - 9 pm

2 pm: Participatory workshop

4 pm: Insights into the biography and literary work of Cécile Ines Loos by cultural mediator Sabine Kubli

7 pm: Video screening

12. December 2021, 2 - 8 pm

2 pm: Participatory workshop

4 pm: Talk with Dominique Grisard, lecturer at the Centre for Gender Studies Basel and Director of the Swiss Center for Social Research; Theres Hammel, Co-organiser of the ,98 Neighbourhood *Walks Women's Places? Places for Women!*; Birgit Heidtke, historian; Alexandra Stäheli, director of Atelier Mondial Basel

6 pm: Video screening

The number of places for the workshops and the talks is limited. Registration at mail@hannahkindler.com is therefore recommended.

With video screenings and workshops, the artists Christina Huber and Hannah Kindler are inviting to use (childlike) imagination to question the limits of what exists or can exist. The cultural mediator Sabine Kubli, who has already published articles on Cécile Ines Loos in the past, will provide insights into her biography and literary work on Saturday, 11.12.21 at 4 pm. On Sunday, 12.12.21 at 4 p.m., the artists together with Dominique Grisard, Theres Hammel, Brigit Heidtke and Alexandra Stäheli will talk about the position of LGBTQIA+ and women in contemporary art and literature, changes between 1998 and today, as well as future perspectives and networking possibilities of queer-feminist projects in the districts.

As part of the project *Walk Their Path, Somebody*ies x Miss_Platziert* is committed to making the biographies of important LGBTQIA+ and women after whom streets are named more visible in urban space and online. Due to historically developed power structures and the resulting economic discrimination of women and all groups of women, lesbians, inter, non-binary, trans and agender and queer people, they are often pushed into the background in public. The project series *Walk Their Path* aims to contribute to stimulating the discourse about positions in society.

Workshops:

Within the workshops led by Hannah Kindler and Christina Huber, alternative spaces of action and imagination are designed with a focus on interactions between human and non-human actors, such as plants and animals. In this performative exploration of the (child's) imagination, the limit of what exists is merely that of the imaginable. Similar to string figures, new connections are sought between public space, the environment, others and the self.

More information via: <https://www.miss-platziert.com/walk-their-path-strange-tales/>

Hygiene rules are applied in accordance with the current regulations of the Canton of Basel and communicated on the website.

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