

Exhibition: 'Dance of Stillness'
Private view: Wednesday 15th May, 2019
Exhibition dates: 14th May - 18th May, 2019
Location: The Stash Gallery at Vout-O-Reenee's
Exhibiting artists: Siro Carraro
Dagmar Dost-Nolden
Michael Hutchison
Carolina Khouri
Melinda Matyas
Gary William Myatt
Gina Southgate
Annie Zamero

'Dance of Stillness' recognises an incongruence between the opposing states of motion and stillness. The apparent dichotomy between these states is explored on a number of levels in this exhibition.

At the micro level of existence any sub atomic particle of uncertain location can be simultaneously a moving wave and a particle in a chaotic world that defies how we understand everyday reality. At the macro level we can consider the movement of large masses of people contrasted against the unsettled stillness at their destination points.

The theme encompasses a consideration of the contrast between movement and stillness, or the transition between the two states. Some works will consider a moment of stillness whilst others will look at ways of portraying movement.

The Magma Group was founded in 2011 and is made up of artists from Germany, Italy, Poland, Romania, Russia and the UK, some of whom have shown at the Venice Biennale. The aims of the Magma Group are to form an alternative path for the current of conceptually expressive contemporary art.

Paul Carey-Kent says, '...the explicitness of the programme behind the Magma Group...to fuse expressive and conceptual qualities... is particularly unusual.'

Francis Lamb says, 'The Magma Group embody the contemporary mode of the pop-up... surfing a wave of enthusiasm, camaraderie and enthusiasm that has seen them invited to show at Griffin Gallery, Arthouse1 Gallery and The Other Art Fair within the last couple of years.'

Images of all artists can be seen at www.themagmagroup.co.uk

Notes to Editors:

Private view: Wednesday 15th May, 6.00 – 9.00 pm
Dates of exhibition: Tuesday 14th – Saturday 18th May, 2019
Opening hours: 5.00 – 10.00 pm, or by appointment. Phone 07498 048838.
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