



THE PARKETT SERIES WITH CONTEMPORARY ARTISTS

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PARKETT SPACE

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PEOPLE

Selected Parkett Artists' Editions from 1984–2013

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The new exhibition at Parkett's space in Zurich presents for the first time a look at works made by artists related to the topic of people. Over sixty works illustrate the exhibition theme as well as the innovation, diversity and quality that artists bring to their projects for Parkett since 1984.

On view are among others autoportraits in various media by *Mariko Mori*, *Pipilotti Rist*, *Chuck Close*, *Gilbert&George*, *Jeff Koons*, und *Gillian Wearing*. *Rachel Harrison* overpainted an image of the musician Prince, *Dana Schutz* made a print of Timothy Leary, and *Yang Fudong* photographed a night-life scene in Shanghai. *Mai-Thu Perret* shows a sculpture of a dancer holding a shining red neon ring and *Pawel Althamer* has cast twelve lead figures in a small suitcase, a miniature retrospective of his entire work. Also on display are *Marilyn Minter's* photograph of Pamela Anderson and one of the last works by *Andy Warhol*, his photograph of human skeletons for Parkett from 1987.

As Iwona Blazwick, Director, Whitechapel Art Gallery, London, noted, "*Commissioned by PARKETT, the most important artists of our time have created editions that represent the essence of their art or reveal an unexpected dimension. The works cover every possible medium including painting, photographs, drawings, prints, sculptures, et al.*" None of the previous museum exhibitions on Parkett has presented the works from this show's thematic angle.

The program at Parkett's Space in Zurich includes rotating, themed exhibitions, as well as projects, events, and talks with artists and curators. A permanent reading room features all available sixty Parkett volumes and special titles with over 140 in-depth artists collaborations and portraits.

Works by *Pawel Althamer* – *John Baldessari* – *Georg Baselitz* – *Alighiero Boetti* – *Christian Boltanski* – *Louise Bourgeois* – *Glenn Brown* – *Maurizio Cattelan* – *Francesco Clemente* – *Chuck Close* – *John Currin* – *Marlene Dumas* – *Nicole Eisenman* – *Tracey Emin* – *Eric Fischl* – *Katharina Fritsch* – *Ellen Gallagher* – *Gilbert&George* – *Dominique Gonzalez-Foerster* – *Douglas Gordon* – *Dan Graham* – *Rodney Graham* – *Mark Grotjahn* – *Rachel Harrison* – *Christian Jankowski* – *Mike Kelley* – *William Kentridge* – *Jon Kessler* – *Jeff Koons* – *Maria Lassnig* – *Liu Xiaodong* – *Sarah Lucas* – *Christian Marclay* – *Paul McCarthy* – *Lucy McKenzie* – *Marilyn Minter* – *Tracey Moffatt* – *Mariko Mori* – *Juan Munoz* – *Bruce Nauman* – *Ernesto Neto* – *Cady Noland* – *Albert Oehlen* – *Mai-Thu Perret* – *Richard Phillips* – *Richard Prince* – *R.H. Quaytman* – *Charles Ray* – *Pipilotti Rist* – *Dana Schutz* – *Cindy Sherman* – *Beat Streuli* – *Sam Taylor-Wood* – *Fred Tomaselli* – *Rosemarie Trockel* – *Luc Tuymans* – *Charline von Heyl* – *Jeff Wall* – *Andy Warhol* – *Gillian Wearing* – *John Wesley* – *Sue Williams* – *Yang Fudong* u.a. .

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