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## **Berlin Glas e.V. 5th Anniversary**

### **3. Berlin Becher Triennale**

Berlin Glas e.V. is delighted to invite you to its **5th Anniversary! 3. Berlin Becher Triennale**, a collective exhibition curated by Julius Weiland, will open on **Friday, 9 December 2017** with a **glassblowing demonstration** by Berlin Glas studio team.

#### 3. BERLIN BECHER TRIENNALE



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## **5TH ANNIVERSARY**

It has been an incredible five years since the studio opened, when the very first gather came out of our brand new electric furnace. In the years that passed, we have grown tremendously into an institution with strong local and international ties. We began teaching glassblowing and painting classes expanding our classes quickly to include the myriad of methods that exist using this wonderful material. We started a youth programme for teens – Kids Blow Glas – that has also expanded into fusing and mosaic making workshops for a younger audience. Our journey to bring glass to Berlin would not have been possible without the support from industries – both near and far – universities that send us their graduates for an experience in a small start-up non-profit, artists who turn to us to help them with their projects, and the public, who are thirsty to play with glass.

We have taught and we have learned; we have grown and we still have a long road ahead. Our gratitude for our supporters is immense. Please come celebrate our 5th Anniversary with us, and let's keep the glass melting in Berlin!

### **3. BERLIN BECHER TRIENNALE**, curated by [Julius Weiland](#)

The 3. Berlin Becher Triennale (3.BBT), curated by artist Julius Weiland, presents 20 International artists: Andreas Amrhein · Angelika Arendt · Peter Böhnisch · Jessica Buhlmann · Margret Eicher · Claas Gutsche · Bretz / Holliger · John Isaacs · Isabel Kerkermeier · Silvia Levenson · Kate Nixon · Tanja Rochelmeyer · Stefan Sehler · Caro Suerkemper / Livia Polidoro · Dino Steinhof · Roberto Uribe Castro · Johannes Vogl · Susanne Wehr · Peter Young · Stephen and Andrea Wilks - who have been invited to interpret the cup.

The 3.BBT is sequel to the 1. Berlin Becher Biennial, curated in 2010 by artist Scott Chaseling and the 2.BBT curated by artist Justin Ginsberg in 2013. Originally meant to be a biennial exhibition, Chaseling proposed the idea of a show centered on a cup after seeing the Small Sculpture Biennial in Bavaria in 2010. Rather than an open sculpture exhibition, he wanted it based around the vessel but not restrict the material to glass. The establishment of Berlin Glas e.V. took priority during the last 3 years, and as a result, the Becher Biennial was put on hold. In May 2013, Chaseling and Idriss came up with the idea to reprise the show and invited Ginsberg to curate it. Ginsberg changed the title to Berlin Becher Triennale. We are honoured to have Julius Weiland curate the 3rd Becher Triennial.

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## **Date:**

9 December 2017

19:00: Vernissage 3. Berlin Becher Triennale (curated by Julius Weiland)

20:00: Glassblowing Demonstration (studio team: Jesse Günther, Sadhbh Mowlds & Rudy Faulkner)

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