

Zita – Щapa

Chamber Piece by Katharina Fritsch and Alexej Koschkarow

12 June to 2 October 2016

Fact Sheet

The concept for this project was developed by the artists and realized in close collaboration with the team at Schaulager, led by Heidi Naef, Senior Curator.

Chamber Piece

The presentation “Zita – Щapa. Chamber Piece by Katharina Fritsch and Alexej Koschkarow” takes visitors through three concentrated spaces with works and images exploring social and cultural issues ranging from war and displacement to homelands and rituals. The names in the title—“Zita” (the last Empress of Austria) and “Щapa” (Shchara: a river in Belarus)—allude to developments in European history that fueled the complex political and social issues related to the causes and consequences of both World Wars.

Opening Hours

Thu	1–7 p.m.
Fri–Sun	11 a.m.–5 p.m.
Mon–Wed	closed

During Art Basel
Monday, 13 June to Saturday 18 June 2016, 10 a.m.–8 p.m.
Sunday, 19 June 2016, 10 a.m.–6 p.m.

Admission

Free

Public Guided Tours

German: Thursday at 6 p.m., Sunday at 11.30 a.m.
Friday at 12.30 p.m. (every second Friday)

English/French (alternately): Sunday at 4 p.m.
Friday at 12.30 p.m. (every second Friday)

Public guided tours are free of charge
Registration required at: www.schaulager.org
or tours@schaulager.org

Private Guided Tours

Details on request

Events for Schools and Colleges

Tours and workshops for local schools (Basel-Stadt and Basel-Landschaft) and FHNW Academy of Art and Design: free of charge

Schools and colleges outside Basel-Stadt and Basel-Landschaft and from abroad: CHF 30.- per group

Contact and registration at www.schaulager.org,
kunstvermittlung@schaulager.org.

Accompanying Events

An artists' conversation between Katharina Fritsch and Alexej Koschkarow will take place at Schaulager. A program of talks, lectures, and performances will focus both on historical themes raised by *Zita – Ціта* and on questions of artistic staging and creation arising from the presentation. The full program will be published online at www.schaulager.org.

Publication

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Chamber Piece by Katharina Fritsch and Alexej Koschkarow**

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Exhibition Guide

The exhibition guide contains background information on the exhibits in the show.

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