

## IN THE ECHO ZONE

In her previous exhibition „Château One's Heart“ (2013 / Tallinn, London) Maria Ader tossed around with sentiments about hurting and the inevitability of suffering of the human soul, staging an epicenter of an emotional meltdown. “In The Echo Zone” reflects those feelings out of that room, to let them escape into the wilderness, where space disappears and all that is left, is the infinite echo of what has ever been. This tropical noise of the echoes envelopes dangers, unease and paranoia, but its perpetual rhythm creates a state of jazzy trance instead: the screams become wild trumpet solos and the pain of silence turns into a magic play of sound and colours.

Both the quiet spell and the deafening discords disappear in this bittersweet swirl, to reveal that everything is mortal.

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# Maria Ader

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## Education

2008 – 2011 Estonian Academy of Arts, MA, painting

2009 – 2010 University of East London, MA, painting

2005 – 2008 Tartu University, BA, painting

## Additional education

2015 Residency at Agora, Berlin

2014 Residency at PointB Worklodge, NY

2011 Assistant for Mat Collishaw

2010 Assistant at October Gallery, London

2008 Workshop “Water Color Woodblock Printmaking”, The Royal University College of Fine Arts, Stockholm

2004 – 2005 Estonian Academy of Arts preparation courses

## Solo exhibitions

- 2015 In the Echo Zone, Sur la Montagne, Berlin
- 2015 In the Echo Zone, Draakoni gallery, Tallinn
- 2013 Château One's Heart, Vyner Street Gallery, London
- 2013 Château One's Heart, City Gallery, Tallinn
- 2012 "Karma Friends" with Edith Karlson, Kris Lemsalu, Notting Hill Arts Club, London
- 2011 "I thought everyone looked at me. I only look at myself", Telliskivi loomelinnak (black hall), Tallinn
- 2010 "Une Femme est une femme" (with ChanelDior), Notting Hill Arts Club, London
- 2010 "Une Femme est une femme"(with ChanelDior), Vyner Street Gallery, London
- 2009 "Une Femme est une femme" (with ChanelDior), gallery SooSoo, Tallinn

## Selected group exhibitions / projects

- 2013 "What is the point?", Adam Street Gallery, London
- 2012 "Archaeology and the Future of Estonian Art Scenes", KUMU, Tallinn
- 2011 "TASE 11", Loovala, Tallinn
- 2010 "Moving Exhibition", Acquire the Arts gallery, London
- 2010 "Moving Exhibition", 10 Gales gallery, London
- 2009 "Moving Exhibition", AVA gallery, London
- 2009 "Work in progress show", AVA gallery, London
- 2009 "Self-Exposure" The Annual Exhibition of Estonian Artists` Association. Tallinn Art Hall
- 2008 "Elephant Bullet", KUMU, Tallinn
- 2008 "Hybrid art from hybrid world", The Royal University College of Fine Arts, Stockholm
- 2008 "Lõpetajad 2008", Tartu Art Museum, Tartu
- 2008 Tartu University's BA/MA final show, Tartu Art Museum, Tartu
- 2007 "Integration is not a sin" gallery 008, Tallinn
- 2007 Performance "BESIDE OF A MEMBRANE", festival Plektrum, Tallinn
- 2006 Performance "Agonia", festival Plektrum, Tallinn
- 2006 Performance "Agonia", festival Eclectica, Tartu.