

1926 Nuremberg/G – London/GB

Solo Exhibitions

1959

Cardboards, coffeeshop, Monmouth Street 14, London

Three Paintings by G. Metzger, coffeeshop, Monmouth Street 14, London 1960

1960

Paintings & Drawings 1945-1960, Temple Gallery, London.

1966

Art of Liquid Crystals, shop window at Better Books, Charing Cross Road, London

Liquid Crystals in Art, Lamda Theatre Club, Swiss Cottage, London

1968

Extremes Touch: Material/Transforming Art, Filtration Laboratory, Department of Chemical Engineering, University College of Swansea, Arts Festival, Swansea, Wales

1972

Executive Profile, (within *The Body as a Medium of Expression*), Institute of Contemporary Arts, London

Unrealizable Disintegrative Architecture and Other Projects, Architectural Association (AA), London

1981

Faschismus Deutschland: Darstellung Analyse Bekämpfen, University of Bern/Switzerland

Passiv – Explosiv, Hahnentorburg, Cologne (with Cordula Frowein and Klaus Staech)

1991

Installation, Department of Architecture, Technical University, Delft/Netherlands

1995

Damaged Nature. Two New Works and Documents, workfortheeyetodo, Hanbury Street, London

1997

Gustav Metzger, kunstraum muenchen, Munich

1998

Gustav Metzger, Museum of Modern Art, Oxford

1999

Gustav Metzger, Spacex Gallery, Exeter/Great Britain

Gustav Metzger – Ein Schnitt entlang der Zeit, Kunsthalle Nuremberg

(both stations of the solo exhibition at the Museum of Modern Art 1998)

2003

100,000 Newspapers. A Public-Active Installation, t1+2 artspace, Bedford House, Wheler Street, London

2005

Eichmann and the Angel, Cubitt Gallery, Angel Mews Nr. 8, London

Gustav Metzger. Geschichte Geschichte, retrospective, Generali Foundation, Vienna

Group Exhibitions

1948

Ben Uri Gallery, London

London Group, Academy Hall, London

1950

East End Academy, Whitechapel Art Gallery, London

1953

Drawings and Paintings by the Borough Bottega, Berkeley Galleries, London

1961

Bewogen Beweging, Stedelijk Museum, Amsterdam; Moderna Museet, Stockholm/Sweden; Museum Louisiana, Humlebæk/Denmark (article in the catalog)

1962

Festival of Misfits, Gallery One, London

1969

Event One, Computer Arts Society, Royal College of Art, London

Computers and Visual Research, Zagreb/Yugoslavia (now Croatia)

1970

Happening & Fluxus, Kölnischer Kunstverein, Cologne (article in the catalog)

Kinetics, Arts Council of Great Britain, Hayward Gallery, London

1971

Art Spectrum: London, Alexandra Palace, London

1972

British Thing, Henie-Onstad Kunstsenter, Hovikødden/Norway

Documenta 5, Kassel

3 Life Situations, Gallery House, London

1974

Art into Society – Society into Art. Seven German Artists, Institute of Contemporary Arts, London

1977

Towards another Picture, Midland Group Gallery, Nottingham

1981

Vor dem Abbruch, Kunstmuseum Bern, Bern/Switzerland

1993

The Sixties: Art Scene in London, Barbican Art Gallery, London

1996

Life/Live. La scène artistique au Royaume-Uni en 1996, Musée d'Art Moderne de la Ville de Paris und Centre Culturel de Belém, Lisbon/Portugal

Made New. Barry Flanagan, Tim Mapston, Gustav Metzger, Alfred Jarry, City Racing, London

1998

Out of Actions. Between Performance and the Object, 1949-1979, Museum of Contemporary Art (MOCA), Los Angeles; Museum für Angewandte Kunst (MAK), Vienna
Museu d'Art Contemporani (MACBA), Barcelona and Museum of Contemporary Art, Tokyo
Speed – Visions of an Accelerated Age, Whitechapel Art Gallery, London

1999

Dream City, a munich group project, Kunstraum München, Kunstverein München, Museum Villa Stuck, Siemens Kulturprogramm

Laboratorium, Antwerpen/Belgien (article in the catalog)

Sublime. The Darkness and the Light. Works from the Arts Council Collection, John Hansard Gallery, Southampton/Great Britain

2000

Dream Machines, Camden Arts Centre, London

Live in Your Head. Concept and Experiment in Britain 1965-75, Whitechapel Art Gallery, London

Look Out. Art/Society/Politics, Wolverhampton Art Gallery, Wolverhampton/Great Britain
Protest and Survive, Whitechapel Art Gallery, London

2001

City Racing 1988-1998: A Partial Account, Institute of Contemporary Arts, London

2002

Blast to Freeze – Britische Kunst im 20. Jahrhundert, Kunstmuseum Wolfsburg,
Wolfsburg/Germany

St. Petrischnee, migros museum, Zurich

Strike, Wolverhampton Art Gallery, Wolverhampton/Great Britain

2003

Adorno. Die Möglichkeit des Unmöglichen, Frankfurter Kunstverein, Frankfurt am Main
C'est arrivé demain, 7e Biennale de Lyon, Lyon

Dreams and Conflicts – The Dictatorship of the Viewer, 50. Biennale di Venezia, Venice
Independence, South London Gallery, London

2004

Art and the Sixties – This Was Tomorrow, Tate Britain, London

Artists' favourites – act I, ICA, London

Signatures of the Invisible, P.S.1, Contemporary Art Center, Queens, New York

2005

Summer of Love. Art of the Psychedelic Era, Tate Liverpool

Lecture/Demonstrations

1960

Auto-Destructive Art, Temple Gallery, London,

Lecture/Demonstration, Heretics Society, Trinity College, University of Cambridge

1962

Auto-Destructive Art, Auto-Creative Art: The Struggle for the Machine Arts of the Future,
Ealing School of Art, London

1963

Lecture/Demonstration, Bartlett Society, School of Architecture, University College of
London

1965

The Chemical Revolution in Art, Society of Arts, Cambridge University, Cambridge

1966

Lecture/Demonstration, Hornsey College of Art, London

1970

Metzger Retrospective, National Film Theatre 2, London

1983

Gustav Metzger on his Work, Visual Arts Society, University of Sussex/Great Britain

1992

Auto-destructive Art, V2 Organisation, 's -Hertogenbosch/Netherlands

Lectures

1965

Auto-Destructive Art, Architectural Association (AA), London

1966

Meisterklasse Philip King, Sculpture Department, St. Martin's School of Art, London

1967

Destruction in Art, Festival of Art, Exeter/Great Britain

The Aesthetic of Revulsion, lecture, Bristol Arts Centre, Bristol

1968

Theory and Practice, Blackheath Art Society, London

1969

On the Possible, Portsmouth College of Education, Portsmouth/Great Britain

The Social Relevance of Art, Slade School of Fine Art, University College of London

1970

Do You Eat?, Slade School of Fine Art, University College of London

Zwei Vorträge beim Kongress „Computer Graphics '70“, Brunel University, Uxbridge/Great Britain

1972

Ausstellung *Unrealizable Disintegrative Architecture and Other Projects*, Architectural Association (AA), London.

Ethics of the Art/Science/Technology Link, Leicester Polytechnic & Kingston Polytechnic, Leicester/Great Britain

1981

Auto-Destructive Art, faculty of philosophy at the University of Frankfurt, Frankfurt am Main

1994

Johannes Vermeer and Cesare Ripa, Cesare Ripa Konferenz, University of Utrecht/Netherlands

Vermeer and Freud's Fetish Theory, lecture at „Dutch Past“, University College of London

1995

Auto-Destructive Art and the Twentieth Century, Art History Society, Middlesex University, London

1996

- A Little Talk on Architecture*, Neals Yard, Covent Garden, London
Earth to Galaxies. On Destruction and Destructivity, Friday Event, Glasgow School of Art, at Glasgow Film Theatre, Glasgow
From DIAS to Dunblane, within „In Memory of DIAS“, (with Ross Birrell and Stewart Home) Centre for Contemporary Art (CCA), Glasgow/Great Britain
Mad Cows Talk, East West Gallery, Notting Hill, London
On Sustainability, tutorial at „John Wood's Design Futures Programme“, Goldsmiths College, London
The Exclusion of the Spectator in Art, Hanbury Street Hall, London

1997

- breath ing culture*, Neals Yard, Covent Garden, London
„Seminar 3: Band Widths“ in „Frequencies: Investigations into culture, history and technology“, School of Oriental and African Studies (SOAS), University of London
Historic Photographs: Representing Extremes?, conference „Speaking the Unspeakable: Representing the Holocaust in the Verbal, Visual and Plastic Arts“, University College of London

1998

- Earth to Galaxies. On Destruction and Destructivity*, lecture at „Hand in the Fire“ on the occasion of the exhibition *Gustav Metzger* at the Museum of Modern Art, Oxford
Time in our time: to the stars und Art in time: Happening and Fluxus, (within the solo exhibition at the Museum of Modern Art, Oxford) Bernard Sunley Lecture Theatre, St. Catherine's College, Oxford

2002

- „Crossover-Seminar“, Whitechapel Art Gallery, London
Symposium „Nothing ... Nada!“, Gulbenkian Foundation, Lisbon/Portugal
On Extinction, Ecology Centre & Art Pavilion, Mile End Park, London

2003

- Hurry up it's time! - The Waste(d) Land*, Tate Britain, London
The Third Culture, lecture at „Zygmunt Baumann and Gustav Metzger“, Ster Century Cinema, within the tutorial „On Liquid Modernity“, Leeds Metropolitan University, Leeds/Great Britain

2004

- Ethics, Aesthetics and Biotechnology*, lecture on access by telephone connection at the symposium „Resistencia, Resistance“, Teatro de los Insurgentes, Mexico City

2005

- Transmission Gallery, within „Glasgow International. Festival of Contemporary Visual Art“, Glasgow/Great Britain