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Monheim Triennale

june 30th – july 4th 2021

Best of Monheim Triennale Livestreams

It all started in [March 2020](#); due to the increase of corona infections all over the world, we cancelled the scheduled performance by singer and composer [Sam Amidon](#) in Monheim am Rhein and instead decided to hook up London and Monheim via livestream. After this first digital meeting, hosted by our [Artist in Residence](#) Achim Tang, it dawned on us that these digital music encounters could become something very special. We started up [weekly online session](#) with Achim Tang hosting various [Triennale artists](#) in his virtual concert room. The result were many interesting encounters, some of them bridging several thousand miles, which we would never have been able to realize locally.

Overall, we aired these sessions for 13 weeks with a total of 16 guests. Among them [Sam Amidon](#), [Lakecia Benjamin](#), [Dálava](#), [Kris Davis](#), [Greg Fox](#), [Shabaka Hutchings](#), [Robert Landfermann](#), [Marcus Schmickler](#), [Stian Westerhus](#), further participating artists such as Kathrin Pechlof, Ingrid Laubrock and Mats Gustafsson as well as the curators [Swantje Lichtenstein](#), [Thomas Venker](#), and the mayor of Monheim am Rhein, [Daniel Zimmermann](#). Not only did it provide us with insights into the process of creating the Monheim Triennale, but also into the everyday lives in different international settings during the COVID-19 pandemic.

On the 6th of April, 2020, we had to make the difficult decision to postpone the Monheim Triennale until 30th of June to 4th of July, 2021.

With this 'Best of'-special we would like to thank all those involved in these online sessions and share our anticipation of the first Monheim Triennale in 2021 with you:



In case you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Best regards,

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