Philip Esch

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Performative experience

as creator and concept collaborator

2023	>	Two Folded Lecture
		Lecture Performance during Symposium (Virtual) Ecologies
		in the Field of Dance, CCD Cologne
	>	Raum, Mode, Pose (Walde Huth)
		Performance in Museum Ludwig, Cologne
	>	The Dinner
		Communal gathering as part of the long-durational
		performance The Village
		Sommerblut Festival, Ebertplatz, Cologne
2019	>	Wu Wei
		Chorography Lucia Rosenfeld
		ICI-CCN, Montpellier
2018	>	À l'eau et verra
		Collectif/Compagnie des Fendus
		OAT Festival, Salle Jean Moulin, Montpellier
	>	Lotusblühende Reise
		Physical Theatre Performance
		German Sport University Cologne, Tanzfaktur (Cologne),
		University Cologne

Experience in other professions

2022 - today	2022 - today Research assistant at Institute of Sociology and	
	Gender Studies at German Sport University Cologne	
2023	Cargobike-Courier at "Himmel un Ääd", Cologne	
2021	Social assistance at "IpsaVita", Cologne	
	Assistance and support in the everyday life of a	
	wheelchair user	
2019		
	Chauffeur for "Montpellier Danse"	
2018	Internship as carpenter in the	
	stage workshops of "Schauspielhaus Köln"	

as dancer/performer/interpreter

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2023	>	Wundertal Choreography Boris Charmatz Sonnborner Straße, Wuppertal
	>	Tuning Collective
		Score and live music guided improvisational piece with two dancers and two musicians.
		Zugvögel Festival, Cologne
	>	Do Not Dance
		Short film / Music Video by Julian Quentin,
		Choreography Marie Heleen Samrotzki
2022	>	Cold Pleasure (Lange Nacht der Museen)
		Choreography Constanza Ruiz Campusano
		Quartier am Hafen, Cologne
2020	>	Véra
		Theatre-Dance Creation, Choreography Clara Villalba
		Salle Jean Moulin, Montpellier
	>	Murmure D'outre noir (Pierre Soulages)
		Interpret with Compagnie SingulierPluriel
		Choreography Jos Pujol
		Musée Fabre, Montpellier
	>	Fake Dance
		Pedagogical Project lead by Elsa Decaudin
		Musée Fabre, Montpellier
2019	>	Various presentations with
		Companie Imagine at the Théâtre Beaux Arts Tabard
		Kawa Théâtre and Maison pour Tous in Montpellier

Choregraphy David Azéma

Movement Education

notable education frames

2022 - today	Weekly Training in Contemporary Dance and Ballet	
	at Centre for Contemporary Dance Cologne	
2024	Intensive with Anya Cloud & Makisig Akin	
2023	Training with Thomas Hauert & Horacio Macuacua	
	Intensive with Hannes Langolf	
2020	Weekly training with Jackie Taffanel	
2019	p.a.r.t.s. summerschool	
	Training with Deborah Hay & Laurent Pichaud	
	Gaga technique with Uri Shafir	
	Training with Clara Villalba	
2018	Movement ThinkTank with Richard Siegal	
	Licenced supervisor in Sports Climbing	
2017	Physical Theatre as specialisation at German Sports	
	University Cologne	

Languages and Tools

Languages	German, mother tongue French, fluent in word and writing (B2) English, fluent Good knowledge of Adobe tools (Photoshop, InDesign, Premiere) QGIS (cartography) Basic knowledge of SPSS (statistics) Sports Climbing
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	English, fluent
Digital Tools	Good knowledge of Adobe tools
	(Photoshop, InDesign, Premiere)
	QGIS (cartography)
	Basic knowledge of SPSS (statistics)
Trainer Licence	Sports Climbing

Academic Education

2022 – today	M.A. Dance Studies
	Centre for Contemporary Dance (Cologne)
2019 – 2022	B.A. Arts du Spectacle Vivant / théâtre
	Université Paul-Valéry (Montpellier)
2015 – 2022	B.A. Sports, Adventure and Expressive Movement
	(specialised in physical theatre)
	German Sport University Cologne

Academic Writing

Esch & Olmos. (2024): Two Folded Paper: Categorizing the Bodies of Technofeminism. [manuscript submitted for publication]