

Press release (29.01.2015)

## CATHERINE LORENT

### D.O.O.M. – DEDICATIO ORIENTIS OCCIDENTIS MUSICAE

Exhibition from February 11 to February 23, 2015

Mudam, Neimënster and Casino Luxembourg invite visitors to discover the numerous facets of Luxembourgian artist Catherine Lorent's work. Parallel to her two other exhibitions in Luxembourg, she presents at Mudam's Henry J. and Erna D. Leir Pavilion a **sound installation with the title D.O.O.M. (*Dedicatio Orientis Occidentis Musicae*)** that is also intended for use as a stage area for musical performances.

For this cross-over of Eastern-Western music culture, Lorent not only piles up Turkish and Luxembourgian beer crates as a **symbol for the improvised spontaneity of intercultural jam sessions**, but also brings together a number of musical representatives of the **East-West dialogue** in front of this backdrop in the form of Gibson guitars, oriental lutes (oud, saz) and a zither (from former East Germany). During the performances, these can be played using an interface coupled with sensors devised by the sound engineer Christian Neyens, and otherwise emit sounds apparently of their own accord.

**D.O.O.M. follows on logically from *Relegation***, the exhibit Lorent made for the Luxembourg Pavilion at the 55<sup>th</sup> Venice Biennale, where the artist also presented a Gesamtkunstwerk combining art, music and scenography.

At the same time her show **D.A.T.E. - *Dedicatio Artis Turbantis Eternalis*** (31.01 - 2015.03.29) is presented at Neimënster and a series of workshops around the topic of Baroque is offered at Casino Luxembourg.

#### PERFORMANCES:

##### Mudam Luxembourg

**11.02.2015, 7 pm**

Martin Eder & Catherine Lorent (guitar/doom), **D.O.O.M. – BELOMANCIES**

**12.02.2015, 7 pm**

MA3, *Vu, revu et transformé* (Sayoko Onishi: Butoh dance, Melting Pol: live video, Robert Toussaint: Sound)

**18.02.2015, 7 pm**

Nataša Gehl (accordion) & Steve Kaspar (electronic music)

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### Exhibition organised in collaboration with

Neimënster, Casino Luxembourg

### With the support of

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### Opening hours

Wednesday - Friday: 11 am - 8 pm  
Saturday - Monday: 11 am - 6 pm  
Public holidays: 11 am - 6 pm  
Closed on Tuesday.

### Entrance fee

Adults	7 €
Under 26 years old, groups	5 €
Mudami card (valid 1 year for 2 persons)	50 €
Under 21 years old	free
Students under 26 years old	free
Wednesday, 6 pm - 8 pm	free

### Images

Available on request

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**Catherine Lorent**, *Paradies/Paradis (aquila in libertate)*, 2015  
Ink, mixed media on paper, 100 x 100 cm  
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Catherine Lorent performs on a Gibson Explorer  
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