



chalet berlin - 2nd edition 08.08.12

infinite constallations

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NAMING

the choice of the name is linked to the date of the event 08.08.12. the double 8 and 0 representing the infinity and the group: the symbol and the zero point as well as the circle. the infinite means that there is no beginning and no end. the constallations are group of stars on the celestial voute. in the universe, the stars form infinite groups of constellations. on the earth, constellations of people form, develop, grow. like the stars in the sky, on the earth, we are a community connected to each others all over the globe.



in alchemy, the notion of infinity is introduced by jacob boheme who is the first who has seen the cosmos as a perpetual genesis. through 7 principles related to the planets, he finds an explanation to the creation of the world. in his divine's attempt to find wholeness, boehme places the human being in the center. our faith acting as the food that nourishes the roll of the creation. cosmogenesis refers to the alchemic processus named opus magnum. the opus starts with a mysterious raw material whose contrary parts clash. step by step integrated, they become harmonious to create the philosopher stone. the woman and the men are one.

<http://footnotes2plato.com/2011/03/29/jakob-bohme-schelling-and-the-diversifying-antithesis-of-the-world-soul/>



INFINITE CONSTELLATIONS

the event is composed of

windows to the loop -> visual installations

on the wall of the garden next to the cherry tree, a mini kino is created. several windows appeared presenting loop of situations that repeated. the visuals are samples of created short films.

network of lights -> interactive visual installation

the garden is illuminated with constallations of patterns.

twelve zero -> interactive sound installation

12 glass of water reproduce the sound of the planets of the solar system. the audience can play.

spoon madala offering and identitea time -> interactive food performance

tea is offered in special cups to connect with yourself and the universe.

a mandala of food is presented with spoons. a person choose a spoon and fill it with food to feed a friend who cannot see what he gets.

fuck company -> live performance

explosive live performance like a meteorite crash

lemercier & magikal historikal d-tour aka philip wiegard -> dj set

a dj duo in total symbiosis with each others, they form a whole

ARTISTS

visual installation

claude steiner aka trigger - ch www.trigger.ch

michael carstens - d www.optische-bank.com

sound installation

stefan weihrauch

Stefan Weihrauch komponiert, baut Klangmaschinen, produziert Musiktheater und lehrt Musiktheorie und -elektronik. Tritt auf in den Duos NOTAS E TROCADOS und SCHALL LA TOUR sowie anderen losen Spielvereinigungen. Kompositionen u.a. für die Semperoper Dresden, das Studio Akustische Kunst des WDR und die Kulturstiftung des Bundes. Gelegentlich zeichnet er Fische oder geht in die Pilze.

food performance

tina loosli - ch www.modern-eating.org

mia morikawa - jp/us/in www.kapowwowobjects.com

live

company fuck - au www.companyfuck.com

dj's

lemercier & philip wiegard aka magikal historikal d-tour - ch / d

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