# ZACHARY B. FELDMAN, Ph.D.

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#### **EDUCATION**

Whitney Independent Study Program – Curatorial Studies Program Under the direction of Ron Clark	2022 – 2023
Ph.D. Vanderbilt University – Comparative Media & German Studies	2022
Freie Universität Berlin – Cinepoetics Center for Advanced Film Studies	2020 – 2021
Freie Universität Berlin – Direct Exchange Ph.D. Candidate	2019 – 2020
Universität der Künste Berlin – Guest Student, Lensbased Class, Prof. Dr. Hito Steyerl	2019 – 2020
M.A. Vanderbilt University – German Studies	2017
B.A. University of Michigan – Arts and Ideas in the Humanities & German Studie	s 2015

#### EMPLOYMENT

Goethe-Institut New York: Curator of Visual Art and Programs	March 2023 – Present
Whitney Museum Independent Study Program: Curatorial Studies Program	2022 – 2023
Light Art Space (LAS): Curatorial Research Associate, Freelance	2022
Frist Art Museum (FAM): Curatorial Department, Intern	2022
Center for Art and Media (ZKM) Karlsruhe: Curatorial Department, Intern	2021
National Gallery of Art (NGA): Department of Film Programs, Curator	2019
National Gallery of Art (NGA): Division of Education, Digital Interpretation, Intern	2018 – 2019
Genetic Privacy and Identity in Community Settings (GetPreCiSe): Research Assistant	2018 – 2022
Vanderbilt University: Academic Teaching	2016 – 2018

### CURATORIAL

- 2024 Farkhondeh Shahroudi: Text/iles (Working Title), Goethe-Institut New York, Curator (forthcoming, May)
- 2024 Center for Experimental Lectures, Performances, Goethe-Institut New York, Curator (forthcoming, April)
- 2024 Total Refusal: Refusing Digital Violence (Working Title), Goethe-Institut New York, Curator (forthcoming, Feb)
- 2023 2024 City Scenes: Video Art from the Collections of n.b.k. & EAI, Goethe-Institut New York, Co-curator
- 2023 Clocking Out: Time Beyond Management, Whitney ISP, Artists Space, Co-curator
- 2023 Mine and Yours: Forms of Distinction, Goethe-Institut New York, Curator
- 2022 Art or Artifice: The Role of Documentary in Contemporary Art, Digital exhibition, Curator
- 2022 Matthew Ritchie: A Garden in the Flood, Frist Art Museum, Curatorial Assistant
- 2021 BioMedia: The Age of Media with Life-like Behavior, ZKM Karlsruhe, Curatorial Assistant
- 2019 Serious Games: Documentary Art Between Fact and Fiction, National Gallery of Art, Curator

#### PUBLIC PROGRAMS

- 2024 Mission Drift, Montez Press Radio, with Charles de Agustin and Vladimir Gurewich, Panelist (forthcoming, Jan.)
- 2024 Video Art Blind Date, Video art screening series, Goethe-Institut New York, Organizer (forthcoming, Feb.)
- 2023 2024 Art und Weise: Artists in Conversation, Artist Talk Series, Goethe-Institut New York, Curator Featuring: Alice Creischer & Andreas Siekmann, Tobias Zielony, Raphaela Vogel, and others

- 2023 Fluid Forms: Films by Philip Cartelli, e-flux, Screening and panel discussion, Curator
- 2023 Felix Kindermann w/ TK Smith & Zachary B. Feldman, Goethe-Institut New York, Panel discussion, Curator
- 2023 The March of Time (Clocking Out: Time Beyond Management), e-flux, Co-curator
- 2023 When Linearity Stops (Clocking Out: Time Beyond Management), e-flux, Co-curator
- 2019 Mario Pfeifer, Again/Noch einmal, National Gallery of Art, US Premier and panel discussion, Curator
- 2019 <u>Rajiv Vaidya Memorial Lecture</u>, featuring Eyal Weizman, National Gallery of Art, Curator

## WRITINGS & PUBLICATIONS

- Feldman, Zachary. "Spending Time: Sociality from Time-Based Currencies to Time-Based Nations." Exhibition catalogue, 2023. *Clocking Out: Time Beyond Management*. Digital publication available upon request.
- Zachary B. Feldman, "Art or Artifice: The Role of Documentary in Contemporary Art." Dissertation, 2022, <u>https://ir.vanderbilt.edu/handle/1803/17740</u>.
- *Matthew Ritchie: A Garden in the Flood.* Contributor. Frist Art Museum, Nashville, TN. Exhibition catalogue. Nashville: Frist Art Museum, 2022.
- *Light* + *Space*. Contributor. Exhibition catalogue. Copenhagen Contemporary (CC) and Light Art Space (LAS). Verlag der Buchhandlung Walther Konig, 2022.
- Feldman, Zachary B, and Jay Clayton. "Genetics and Ethics in the 'I Am Legend' Corpus." Journal of Literature and Science, Special Double Issue: Fictions of Genetic Privacy, 14, no. 1–2 (2021): 94–107. https://doi.org/10.12929/jls.14.1-2.07.
- Feldman, Zachary. "Spatial Construction in the Work of Max Beckmann: Weimar Prints and Exile Triptychs," 2015. <u>http://deepblue.lib.umich.edu/handle/2027.42/112091</u>.

# SELECTED LECTURES

- "Art v. Evidence: A Case Study." Public lecture. Robert Penn Warren Center for the Humanities, Vanderbilt University. April 12, 2022.
- "Performing the Lecture: Expansions on the Essay Film." Conference paper. German Studies Association. October 1-4, 2020.
- "Immaterial Archeology: Excavation and the Dialectical Image in the Work of Hito Steyerl." Conference paper. Summer Academy Media Philology, Ruhr-Universität Bochum. August 17-21, 2020.
- "Instructional Videos: Didactic Documentary for the Postmodern Era." Works in Progress Lecture Series, National Gallery of Art, September 9, 2019.
- "Social Anxieties in the 'I am Legend' Films." American Society for Bioethics and Humanities (ASBH): The Future is Now, October 18-21, 2018.
- "Palimpsest and Engraving through History: New Meaning for Paul Klee's Angelus Novus." University of California Los Angeles (UCLA): Conflicts of Interests The Productive Power of Confrontation, April 29, 2016.

## **FELLOWSHIPS**

- Helena Rubinstein Fellowship, The Whitney Museum of American Art, 2022 2023
- William J. Vaughn Fellow, Robert Penn Warren Graduate Fellowship, Vanderbilt University, 2021 2022
- Freie Universität Berlin: Direct Exchange Student, Vanderbilt University, 2019 2020
- Vanderbilt Institute of Digital Learning Fellowship, Vanderbilt University, 2017 2018
- University Graduate Fellowship, Vanderbilt University, 2015 2020
- Provost's Graduate Topping Off Fellowship, Vanderbilt University, 2015 2020

# **CERTIFICANTES, AWARDS & GRANTS**

- Certificate in College Teaching, Center for Teaching, Vanderbilt University, 2022
- Departmental Summer Research Award, Vanderbilt University, 2019
- Departmental Summer Travel Award, Vanderbilt University, 2016
- Baden-Württemberg Stipendium, Universität Tübingen, 2014
- International Study Scholarship, University of Michigan, 2013
- Donald and June Brown Fund Scholarship, University of Michigan, 2012 2013

# COURSES TAUGHT / TEACHING ASSISTANTSHIPS

Spring 2018German Fairy Tales: From Brothers Grimm to Walt Disney, Vanderbilt UniversityFall 2017War on Screen, Vanderbilt University (Prof. Dr. James McFarland)	(Dr. Silke Schade)
Spring 2017 Introductory German, Vanderbilt University	
Fall 2016 European Society and Culture, Vanderbilt University (Prof. Dr. Helmut Walser	Smith)
Fall 2015 English Learning Institute, University of Michigan	,
Fall 2014 Nietzsche: Philosopher and Psychologist, University of Michigan (Dr. Frederick Po	eters)

**Guest Teaching:** 

- Film and Politics, Profs. Dr. Steve Snow & Dr. Philip Cartelli. Wagner College, Dept. Film and Media, New York City, NY. Guest session: "Political Art in Film and Video," May 1, 2023.

## LANGUAGES

English – Native German – High proficiency