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STUDIO CONVERSATIONS 2025

Podcast series with artist interviews on the exhibition *IN DIALOGUE*

As part of the exhibition *IN DIALOGUE*, curator Daniel Milnes conducted a series of studio conversations with artists from the Hasso Plattner Collection, which will be released as a podcast series to accompany the exhibition.

The exhibition was inspired by the book *Ateliengespräche* [Studio Conversations] by the art historian and critic Henry Schumann. Published by the Leipzig-based VEB E. A. Seemann, the book features 20 artists sharing their thoughts in conversation with Schumann. This year, Daniel Milnes visited artists, some of whom were included in Schumann's publication, in their studios in Brandenburg, Berlin, and Dresden. The new studio conversations—with Johannes Heisig, Peter Herrmann, Ralf Kerbach, Cornelia Schleime, Gabriele Stötzer, and Erika Stürmer-Alex—take place where the artists currently live and work.

- Ep. 1: Gabriele Stötzer (already available)
- Ep. 2: Ralf Kerbach (already available)
- Ep. 3: Peter Herrmann (to be published soon)
- Ep. 4: Erika Stürmer-Alex (to be published soon)
- Ep. 5: Johannes Heisig (to be published soon)
- Ep. 6: Cornelia Schleime (to be published soon)

In *Ateliengespräche 2025* [Studio Conversations 2025], the artists shed light on developments in their artistic practice through selected works, situating them within a historical context. A vivid picture emerges of cultural politics and artistic production in the GDR and in the post-1989 era, with a focus on working conditions and the relationship between artistic practices and evolving sociopolitical circumstances. The conversations shift between questions on the past and reports from the present to offer a nuanced view of art from the former GDR as both a historical and a contemporary phenomenon.

The episodes of *Ateliengespräche 2025* [Studio Conversations 2025] will be released during the exhibition *IN DIALOGUE* and will be available on all major platforms such as Spotify, Apple Podcasts or Google Podcasts.

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Daily except Tuesdays
Wednesday to Monday 10 am – 7 pm

ADMISSION
10 Euros, 8 Euros concession

Combined ticket 20 Euros, 12 Euros concession
The combined ticket is valid for the Museum Barberini and DAS MINSK Kunsthaus in Potsdam.

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