

André Butzer explores the limits and possibilities of the medium painting. Composed of a personal vocabulary of repetitive forms and elements, he constructs an exaggerated reality expressed through vivid colouring and explores the possibilities and limits of painting. André Butzer's work references German and American history, culture and politics, art history, science fiction, comics and animation.

Education

1996–2000 Akademie Isotrop, Hamburg DE

Public Collections

Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago
Carré d'art, Nîmes
Children's Museum of the Arts, New York
Contemporary Art Collection of the Federal Republic of Germany, Bonn
Collection of the Country Tyrol
Deichtorhallen Hamburg – Falckenberg Collection, Hamburg
Faye G. Allen Center for the Visual Arts, University of Washington, Seattle
Friedrichs Foundation, Weidingen / Bonn
Hall Art Foundation, Reading / Derneburg
Hamburger Bahnhof, Berlin
Hölderlinturm, Tübingen
IKOB Musée d'Art Contemporain, Eupen
Kupferstichkabinett, Berlin
LACMA Los Angeles County Museum of Art, Los Angeles
Marciano Collection, Los Angeles
Miettinen Collection, Berlin
MOCA Museum of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles
Museo Nacional Thyssen-Bornemisza, Madrid
Museum Reinhardt Ernst, Wiesbaden
Nationalgalerie / Hamburger Bahnhof – Museum für Gegenwart, Berlin
Paula Modersohn-Becker Museum, Bremen
Phoenix Art Museum, Phoenix
Pinakothek der Moderne, Munich
Rubell Museum, Miami
University of Chicago, Chicago
YUZ Museum, Shanghai

- 2025 *Frau am Tisch mit Früchten*, Galerie Max Hetzler, Paris, FR
ANDRÉ BUTZER, Skartstedt, New York, NY, USA
- 2024 Galerie Max Hetzler, London, UK
Adrian Altintas / André Butzer, Nino Mier Gallery, Brussels, BE
Liebe, Glaube und Hoffnung, Museo Novecento, Florence, IT
Carbon 12, Dubai, UAE
- 2023 Oberpfälzer Künstlerhaus, Schwandorf, DE (catalogue)
Frühling, Sommer, JUBG, Cologne, DE (catalogue)
Miettinen Collection, Berlin, DE (catalogue)
Museo Nacional Thyssen-Bornemisza, Madrid, ES (catalogue)
Nino Mier Gallery, New York, NY, USA (catalogue)
Kirschmichel, Galerie Max Hetzler, Berlin, DE (catalogue)
Galerie Christine Mayer, Munich, DE
Maikäfer flieg!, Kunstverein Friedrichshafen, Friedrichshafen, DE (catalogue)
- 2022 *Fränkische Tänze*, Nino Mier Gallery, Los Angeles, CA, USA (catalogue)
Thüringer Wald (Works on Paper 2001-2022), Nino Mier Gallery, Los Angeles, CA, USA (catalogue)
Vaterländischer Gesang: Friedrich Hölderlin, Nino Mier Gallery, Los Angeles, CA, USA (catalogue)
Painters of the San Gabriel Mountains pt. 2 (with Jayme Burtis), Nino Mier Gallery, Glassell Park, CA, USA (catalogue)
Xylon – Acquerelli, pittura, libri, e poesie, Gió Marconi, Milan, IT (catalogue)
Wanderer, Galerie Max Hetzler, London, UK (catalogue)
Friedrichs Foundation, Weidingen (catalogue)
Galerie Bernd Kugler, Innsbruck (with Sarah Bogner)
Sunday-S, Copenhagen (with Josef Zekoff)
Works on Paper, Livie Fine Art, Zurich, CH
- 2021 Works from the TASCHEN Collection 2000–2021, TASCHEN, Cologne, DE (catalogue)
Rohe Milch, Galerie Max Hetzler, Berlin, DE (catalogue)
12 years of collecting André, Nino Mier Gallery, Los Angeles, CA, USA (catalogue)
Galerie Mascota, Mexico City, MX
André Butzer, Ulrich Wulff, Galerie Bernd Kugler, Innsbruck, AT
Heinrich Ehrhardt, Madrid, ES (catalogue)
Gio Marconi, Milan, IT (catalogue)
André Butzer & Jayme Burtis: Angels Will Rise, Sauvage, Düsseldorf, DE

- 2020
Museum of the Light at Yoshii Foundation, Hokuto, JP (catalogue)
Galerie Max Hetzler, Paris, FR
Galerie Max Hetzler, Berlin, DE (catalogue)
Light Colour, and Hope, YUZ Museum, Shanghai, CN (catalogue)
BT Gallery, Tokyo, JP
Carbon 12 Gallery, Dubai, UAE
André Butzer & Jayme Burtis: Painters of the San Gabriel Mountains, Sunday-S,
Copenhagen, DK
- 2019
Metro Pictures, New York, NY, USA (catalogue)
Duarte Sequeira, Braga, PT (with Daniel Mendel-Black)
Galerie Bernd Kugler, Innsbruck, AT
Kirchgasse, Steckborn, CH (catalogue)
Boers-Li Gallery, Beijing, CN (catalogue)
Goethe komischer Mann, Nino Mier Gallery, Los Angeles, CA, USA (catalogue)
Filsers, Mainburg, DE (catalogue)
Galerie Christine Mayer, Munich, DE
- 2018
1 Eis, bitte! (1999), Galerie Max Hetzler, London, UK
Auf Wiedersehen in Kopenhagen. A Solo Show on Planet Earth Sunday-S,
Copenhagen, DK
Heinrich Ehrhardt, Madrid, ES
Salon Nino Mier, Cologne, DE
Sunday-S, Copenhagen, DN
Recent Paintings and an Artist Book, Galerie Max Hetzler Bleibtreustraße, Berlin, DE
(catalogue)
Selected Works from Private Collections, Galerie Max Hetzler Goethestraße, Berlin, DE
Gió Marconi, Milan, IT
IKOB Museum of Contemporary Art, Eupen, BE (catalogue)
Växjö Konsthall, Växjö, SE
- 2017
Carbon 12, Dubai, UAE
Kirchgasse, Steckborn, CH (catalogue)
Nino Mier Gallery, Los Angeles, CA, USA (catalogue)
Xippas Gallery, Geneva, CH
Mário Sequeira, Braga, PT (catalogue)
Kurfürstendamm 213, Berlin, DE (catalogue)
Galerie Max Hetzler, Paris, FR
Metro Pictures, New York, NY, USA (catalogue)

- 2016 *...und sah den Frieden des Himmels*, Bayerisches Armeemuseum, Ingolstadt, DE
(catalogue)
Hiromi Yoshii Gallery, Tokyo, JP
Hiromi Yoshii, Tokyo-Shinonome, JP
Galerie Christine Mayer, Munich, DE
Neue Galerie, Gladbeck, DE (catalogue)
- 2015 Kunstverein Reutlingen, Reutlingen, DE (catalogue)
Galerie Max Hetzler, Berlin, DE (catalogue)
- 2014 Künstlerhaus. Halle für Kunst und Medien, Graz, AT (catalogue)
Stiftung zur Förderung zeitgenössischer Kunst, Weidingen, DE (catalogue)
Galerie Christine Mayer, Munich, DE
Hiromi Yoshii Gallery, Tokyo, JP (catalogue)
Carbon 12, Dubai, UAE (catalogue)
- 2013 Metro Pictures, New York, NY, USA (catalogue)
Patricia Low Contemporary, St. Moritz, CH (catalogue)
Gió Marconi, Milan, IT (catalogue)
Galerie Max Hetzler, Berlin, DE (catalogue)
- 2012 Xippas Gallery, Paris, FR (catalogue)
Galerie Bernd Kugler, Innsbruck, AT (catalogue)
Mário Sequeira, Braga, PT
Galerie Christine Mayer, Munich, DE (catalogue)
Bibliothek des 21. Jahrhunderts: André Butzer, Galerie Börgmann, Krefeld, DE
Rhona Hoffman Gallery, Chicago, IL, USA
Galerie Guido W. Baudach, Berlin, DE (catalogue)
- 2011 Kunsthistorisches Museum / Theseustempel, Vienna, AT (catalogue)
Galerie Forsblom, Helsinki, FI
André Butzer. *Der wahrscheinlich beste abstrakte Maler der Welt*, Kestnergesellschaft,
Hanover (catalogue)
Der wahrscheinlich beste abstrakte Maler der Welt, Kestnergesellschaft, Hanover, DE
(catalogue)
Xippas Gallery, Montevideo, UY
Carbon 12, Dubai, UAE (catalogue)
Linoleum Prints / Silkscreen Prints, Niklas Schechinger, Hamburg and European Fine
Art, Berlin, DE (catalogue)
Galerie Guido W. Baudach, Berlin, DE (catalogue)

- 2010
Xippas Gallery (with Thomas Winkler), Athens, GR (catalogue)
Agathe Bellomann Fine Art, Berlin, DE (catalogue)
Nicht fürchten! Don't be scared!, Metro Pictures, New York, New York, USA
Galerie Christine Mayer, Munich, DE
Heinrich Ehrhardt, Madrid, ES
- 2009
Hiromi Yoshii Gallery, Tokyo, JP (catalogue)
Alison Jacques Gallery, London, UK (catalogue)
Xippas Gallery, Paris, FR
Mário Sequeira, Braga, PT
Viele Tote im Heimatland: Fanta, Sprite, H-Milch, Micky und Donald! Gemälde 1999-2009, Kunsthalle Nuremberg, DE (catalogue)
Galerie Max Hetzler, Berlin, DE (catalogue)
Galerie Guido W. Baudach, Berlin, DE (catalogue)
Patricia Low Contemporary, Gstaad, CH
- 2008
Xippas Gallery, Athens, GR
Butzer / Dahlem (with Björn Dahlem), Heinrich Ehrhardt, Madrid, ES (catalogue)
Gió Marconi, Milan, IT (catalogue)
Patrick Painter, Los Angeles, CA, USA (catalogue)
Galerie Bernd Kugler, Innsbruck, AT
Metro Pictures, New York, NY, USA (catalogue)
Galerie Christine Mayer, Munich
- 2007
Patricia Low Contemporary, Gstaad, CH
Neue Bilder. Deutsche und Österreicher: Schämt Euch! (with Marcel Hüppauff), Gabriele Senn Galerie, Vienna, AT
Alison Jacques Gallery, London, UK
Gary Tatintsian Gallery, Moskow, RU (catalogue)
Friedens-Siemense (Teil 2), Galerie Guido W. Baudach, Berlin, DE (catalogue)
- 2006
W. O. Scheibe Museum, Stuttgart, DE
Amerikanische Technik im Jahre 2017, Patrick Painter, Santa Monica, CA, USA (catalogue)
N-Leben, Gió Marconi, Milan, IT
Galerie Bernd Kugler, Innsbruck, AT (catalogue)
Recent Paintings, Galerie Max Hetzler, Berlin, DE

- 2005 *Haselnuß*, Galerie Guido W. Baudach, Berlin, DE (catalogue)
Neverworld Technik (with Andreas Hofer), Kunstverein Ulm, DE (catalogue)
Grießbrei für alle!, Galerie Max Hetzler, Berlin, DE
Aquarelle, Galerie Hammelehle und Ahrens, Cologne and Gabriele Senn Galerie, Vienna, AT
N-Mädele in Volkstum-Technik, Galerie Christine Mayer, Munich, DE
- 2004 *Frau vor dem N-Haus*, Galerie Guido W. Baudach, Berlin, DE (catalogue)
Galerie Bernd Kugler, Innsbruck, AT
Massenfrieden, Patrick Painter, Santa Monica, CA, USA (catalogue)
Galerie Christine Mayer, Munich, DE
Das Ende vom Friedens-Siemens Menschentraum, Kunstverein Heilbronn, DE (catalogue)
- 2003 *Chips und Pepsi und Medizin*, Galerie Max Hetzler, Berlin, DE (catalogue)
Todall!, Galerie Hammelehle und Ahrens, Cologne, DE (catalogue)
- 2002 *Nasaheim Blumen*, Galerie Christine Mayer, Munich, DE
Friedens-Siemense (Teil 1), Galerie Gabriele Senn, Vienna, AT (catalogue)
Wanderung nach Annaheim, Galerie Guido W. Baudach, Berlin, DE (catalogue)
- 2001 *Galerie Hammelehle und Ahrens*, Stuttgart, DE (with Markus Selg)
- 2000 *Der Realismus bereut nichts!*, Contemporary Fine Arts, Berlin, DE
- 1999 *Ich bin Munch*, Galerie Esther Freund, Vienna, AT (catalogue)

- 2022
- André Butzer: Fränkische Tänze*, Exhibition Catalogue, Ed. Nino Mier Gallery, Los Angeles
- André Butzer: Thüringer Wald (Works on Paper 2001–2022)*, Exhibition Catalogue, Ed. Nino Mier Gallery, Los Angeles
- André Butzer: Vaterländischer Gesang: Friedrich Hölderlin*, Exhibition Catalogue, Ed. Nino Mier Gallery, Los Angeles
- Jayne Burtis / André Butzer: Painters of the San Gabriel Mountains pt. 2*, Exhibition Catalogue, Ed. Nino Mier Gallery, Los Angeles
- André Butzer / Galerie Max Hetzler / Exhibitions 2003 – 2022*, Monograph, Ed. Galerie Max Hetzler, Holzwarth Publications, Berlin
- André Butzer: Alcune poesie*, Anthology, Ed. Fondazione Marconi, Milan
- André Butzer: Xylon – Acquerelli, pitture, libri e poesie*, Exhibition Catalogue, Ed. Fondazione Marconi, Milan
- André Butzer*, Facsimile poster, Ed. Fondazione Marconi, Milan
- André Butzer: Unvollständiges Werkverzeichnis der Druckgrafik / Incomplete catalogue raisonné of prints. Band I / Volume I: 2001–2021*, Catalogue raisonné, Ed. Alexander Linn, Verlag für moderne Kunst, Vienna
- André Butzer*, Artist Book, Berlin
- André Butzer: Wanderer*, Exhibition Catalogue, Ed. Galerie Max Hetzler, London
- André Butzer*, Exhibition Catalogue, Ed. Friedrichs Foundation, Verlag der Buchhandlung Walther und Franz König, Cologne
- 2021
- André Butzer*, Monograph, Ed. Hans Werner Holzwarth, TASCHEN, Cologne
- André Butzer: Rohe Milch*, Exhibition Catalogue, Ed. Galerie Max Hetzler, Berlin
- André Butzer. Texte 3: 1999 – 2021*, Anthology, Ed. Alexander Linn, Verlag für modern Kunst, Vienna
- 12 Years of Collecting André*, Exhibition Catalogue, Ed. Nino Mier Gallery, Los Angeles
- André Butzer*, Exhibition Catalogue, Ed. Galería Heinrich Ehrhardt, Madrid
- André Butzer: January 18 – February 23, 2018 – June 10 – July 23, 2021*, Exhibition Catalogue, Gió Marconi, Milan
- 2020
- André Butzer: Hölderlin Apotheke usw.*, Exhibition Poster, Ed. Hölderlinturm Tübingen
- André Butzer: Brüche*, Exhibition Catalogue, Ed. Galerie Max Hetzler, Berlin
- André Butzer*, Exhibition Catalogue, Ed. Galerie Max Hetzler, Holzwarth Publications
- André Butzer*, Exhibition Catalogue, Ed. YUZ Museum, Shanghai
- André Butzer*, Exhibition Poster, Ed. Museum of the Light, Hokuto
- André Butzer. Texte 2: 1994 – 2020*, Anthology, Ed. Alexander Linn, Verlag für modern Kunst, Vienna
- André Butzer: Ausgewählte Briefe / Selected Letters. 4.5 – 9.11.2020*, Miscellanies, Altadena
- Thomas Arnolds/André Butzer*, Exhibition Catalogue, Ed. Livie Fine Arts, Zurich

- 2019
André Butzer, Boers-Li Gallery, Beijing, CN
André Butzer, Galerie Max Hetzler, Berlin/Paris/London.
André Butzer, Goethe komischer Mann, Exhibition Catalogue, Ed. Nino Mier Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
André Butzer, Exhibition Catalogue, Ed. Boers-Li Gallery, Beijing, CN
- 2018
Being and Image: André Butzer 1994-2014, Christian Malycha, Kerber Bielefeld/Berlin, DE
In Conversation with Christian Malycha, Artistic Director, Kunstverein Reutlingen, on the Painting Ohne Titel, 2013 by André Butzer. In Carolin Scharpff-Striebich, ed. *Let's Talk Abstract*. Distanz Verlag, Berlin: 152-163.
- 2017
Sein und Bild: 1994-2014, Christian Malycha, Kerber Bielefeld/Berlin
André Butzer, Harpune Verlag KG, Vienna, AT
Linn, Alexander, ed. *André Butzer*. Edition Linn, Heidelberg and Verlag für Moderne Kunst, Vienna, AT
André Butzer, Edition Linn, Heidelberg.
André Butzer, Nino Mier Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
André Butzer, Mário Sequeira, Braga, PT
André Butzer, Galerie Max Heltzer, Berlin, DE
André Butzer, Metro Pictures, New York, NY
André Butzer, Sarah La Salle, Salon (Winter): 56-67.
- 2016
Collection: International Contemporary Art. Dirk Luckow, Snoeck Verlagsgesellschaft. Cologne and Deichtorhallen Hamburg: 200-1.
- 2015
André Butzer, Harpune Verlag, Vienna, AT
- 2014
André Butzer / Christian Eisenberger, Sandro Droschl, eds.. Verlag H+K, Berlin and Künstlerhaus KM, Graz.
Berlin's Capitalist Realists, Mark Prince, ArtReview (April): 80-9.
André Butzer. Galerie Max Heltzer, Berlin, DE
- 2013
Meise (Nr. 11), Verlag Heckler und Koch, Berlin, DE
André Butzer, Thomas Groetz, Metro Pictures, New York, NY
Offizen Scheufele, Stuttgart, DE
- 2012
Überall und Nirgends: Sammlung Reyden Weiss, Dr. Marion Agthe, Dr. Christiane Hoffmans, and Kerin Pernegger. Essen, Germany: 34-5.
André Butzer, Galerie Bernd Kugler, Innsbruck, AT
André Butzer, Galerie Christine Mayer, Munich, DE

André Butzer, Galerie Guido W. Baudach, Berlin, DE
Critics' Pick: André Butzer at Rhona Hoffman Gallery, Julia Langbein, Artforum.com
(February 28).
Squaring the Circle, Anna Fixsen, Chicago Weekly (February 1).

2011

André Butzer: I Will Always Be a Colorist, John Newsom Flash Art: 80-84. *Critics' Picks: 'Never Let Me Go' at Rhona Hoffman Gallery*, Zachary Cahill, Artforum.com.
Big Brother: L'Artiste Face Aux Tyrans, Sylvie Mallet and Ashok Adicéam, eds. Editions Skira-Flammarion, Paris: 36-7.
André Butzer, Tyler Russell, Freight + Volume Magazine (Spring): 90-5.

2010

André Butzer. Hiromi Yoshii, Tokyo: 90.
André Butzer: Nicht Fürchten! Don't Be Scared! Roberta Smith, New York Times (April 23): C20.
Permanent Trouble, Snoeck Verlagsgesellschaft mbH, Cologne: 47-57, 220.