

ALMA PEARL

IVAN SEAL

Born 1973, Stockport, UK. Lives and works in Berlin, Germany

EDUCATION

1995 Sheffield Hallam University, Sheffield, UK

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2025 **Grottoesque: Ivan Seal**, Alma Pearl, London, UK
- 2024 **Ivan Seal: against the day after before**, The Hole, New York, USA
- 2022 **Ivan Seal: Today Rots Through Tomorrow**, Richard Heller Gallery, Los Angeles, USA
Ivan Seal: I wake up fresh and rested most mornings, Allouche Benias, Athens, Greece
- 2021 **Three Rooms**, Carl Freedman Gallery, Margate, UK
- 2020 **GENERATIONGAME**, James Fuentes, New York, USA
- 2019 **Holds No Warranties About the Completeness, Reliability and Accuracy**, Kennedy van der Lanen, Amsterdam, The Netherlands
Ivan Seal and the Caretaker: Cukuwruums, Unsound, Kraków, Poland
IVAN SEAL + THE CARETAKER: everywhere, an empty bliss, FRAC Auvergne, Clermont-Ferrand, France [catalogue]
Ivan Seal, Galleria Monica De Cardenas, Milan, Italy
- 2018 **Ivan Seal feat. The Caretaker**, Cabinet, Milan, Italy
The Caretaker, The Barbican, London
- 2016 **Ivan Seal: Some of These One of Those and That**, Åplus, Berlin
Ivan Seal: Chevette in dub, RaebervonStenglin, Zürich, Switzerland
- 2015 **Ivan Seal**, Carl Freedman Gallery, London
Ivan Seal: Showroom, RaebervonStenglin, Zürich, Switzerland
- 2013 **Ivan Seal**, RaebervonStenglin, Zurich, Switzerland
Ivan Seal, Contemporary Art Society, London
Ivan Seal, Carl Freedman Gallery, London
- 2012 **Ivan Seal: In Here Stands It**, Spike Island, Bristol, UK

- 2011 **The Object Hurts The Space**, RaebervonStenglin, Zurich, Switzerland
Ivan Seal, Carl Freedman Gallery, London
True As Applied To You, False As Applied To You, Krome Gallery, Berlin
- 2010 **I Learn By Osmosis**, CEAAC, Strasbourg
- 2009 **You Talk Too Much**, Visite Ma Tente, Berlin
Proximity, Atelierhof Kreuzberg, Berlin
- 2008 **Crack In Space**, Julius Werner Galerie, Berlin
Confusion Is A Song By New Order, Kochstr 60, Berlin
- 2007 **Acidorigami: A lecture using sound**, Jet Gallery, Berlin
The visitor called and I was a roach, Forever And A Day Büro, Berlin

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2025 **Polyphonic Views**, Funkhaus Berlin, Berlin, Germany
- 2024 **Perhaps Sunny Days**, PODO Museum, Seogwipo, South Korea
- 2023 **Polireality**, Hive Center for Contemporary Art, Beijing, China [Curated by Saša Bogojev)
Positions, Alma Pearl, London [Curated by John Slyce]
30 Years, Monica De Cardenas, Milan, Italy
- 2022 **MANSCAPING**, The Hole, Los Angeles and New York, USA
- 2016 **Lucio Fontana, Caroline Achaintre, Ivan Seal: A conversation about Ceramics**, Monica De Cardenas, Milan, Italy
Background/Foreground, Galerie Nordenhake, Stockholm, Sweden
Kollision, Kunstraum Kreuzberg / Bethanien, Berlin, Germany
- 2015 **Magnetic Leakage Fluxes**, The Brno House of Arts, Brno, Czech Republic
The Painter of Modern Life, Anton Kern Gallery, New York, USA
Blue Pink Black, Carl Freedman Gallery, London
Five Years, RaebervonStenglin, Zurich, Switzerland
- 2014 **Jahresgaben 2014/15**, Kunstverein Braunschweig, Braunschweig, Germany
Mean What You See, Daniel Marzona, Berlin, Germany
Poster 6&6, Option Gallery, Luzern, Switzerland
Associations New, Salts, Biersfelden, Switzerland
A Tale of Two Cities, Gallery Huit, Hong Kong
- 2013 **Kilomètres/Heure: Utopies automobiles et ferroviaires (1913-2013)**, Tour 46, Belfort &

Musée du château des ducs de Wurtemberg , Montbéliard, France
Anyone For Cricket, Kunstverein Horn, Horn, Austria

- 2012 **Changing States of Matter**, Brand New Gallery, Milan, Italy
Komplexraum #1, Henrik Strömberg und Ivan Seal, General Public, Berlin, Germany
Frauge, Carl Freedman Gallery, London
- 2011 **Thrill: Exposition Internationale d'Art Contemporain**, Ancienne Douane, Strasbourg, France
Editionen #4: Präsentation der Jahresgaben, Künstlerhaus Bremen, Germany
Splendid Isolation, Ivan Seal, Susanne Kohler, Lars monrad Vaage, Nationalmuseum, Berlin, Germany
- 2010 **Postface, Essays and Observations**, Berlin, Germany
On Her Majestys Secret Service, Neues Problem, Berlin, Germany
Dunce, Krome Gallery, Berlin, Germany
Dropout, Neues Problem, Berlin, Germany
Drunk Tank, Forgotten Bar - Galerie Im Regierungsviertel, Berlin, Germany
Hauntology, University of Berkeley Museum, Berkeley, USA
- 2009 **Novembro Arte Contemporânea**, São Paulo, Brazil
Narcotica, Galerie Im Regierungsviertel, Basel
Wohnungsausstellung IV, Wedding, Berlin, Germany
- 2008 **Drawings To Counterfeit Drawings For A Group Show**, Julius Werner Galerie, Berlin, Germany
Just Because We Have Similarities Doesn't Make Me One Of You, The Gemini Show, Pampero Apartment, Berlin, Germany
- 2007 **The visitor called and I was a roach**, Forever And A Day Büro, Berlin, Germany
- 2006 **Standing still in the room for downworld**, Anonymous Schirn Kunsthalle, Frankfurt, Germany

SELECTED INSTITUTIONAL COLLECTIONS

FRAC Auvergne, Clermont-Ferrand, France

Government Art Collection, London, UK

Kistefos Museum and Sculpture Park, Jevnaker, Norway

Norwich Castle Museum & Art Gallery, Norwich, UK

PODO Museum, Seogwipo, South Korea