

# **BARBARA EITEL**

b 1962 Darmstadt, Germany. Lives and works in Berlin.

## VITA

### Education

1984 - 1992 University for Arts and Design - Offenbach - DE **Solo Exhibitions** Berlin - DE Frankfurt am Main - DE Bremen - DE Darmstadt - DE Munich - DE Cracow - PL **Group Exhibitions** 49 Contemporary Artists by Enter Art Foundation- Kant-Garagen-Palast - Berlin - DE Berlin - DE Frankfurt am Main - DE Darmstadt - DE Munich - DE St. Petersburg - RU PG Rydobruk - SE Brno - CZ **Residencies** 2014 Bellevuesaal Stipendium - Wiesbaden - DE 2010 Künstlerdorf - Schöppingen - DE Awards 2016 Winner - Art in Public Space - Hans-und-Hilde-Coppi-Gymnasium - Berlin - DE

### ARTIST STATEMENT

Moments when differing worlds of ideas converge are at the focus of my artistic interest. The attraction of such encounters lies in the certainty that they will always produce something unexpected, something that enhances the world, as soon as they come into contact with one another. I concern myself with visual worlds from various cultural contexts and interweave them in my cut drawings to create an autonomous pictorial space. When a concrete space is available to me, its existence and context provide the starting material for the new work. I use the floor like an additional wall for exhibiting, which is discrete but simultaneously part of the space. In this way the place and my intervention merge and are perceived as a whole.

#### Website

www.barbaraeitel.de