



XING
presents

NON IO
(NOT I - art without a subject)
international festival of contemporary performing arts

4th -27th April 2002
Bologna

Gallery of Modern Art Bologna
Ex Bologna Motori
Cassero
Fabrica Features
Cineteca of Bologna

During the Spring of 2001 in Bologna, Italy, Xing organised **CORPO SOTTILE**, an international convention on contemporary choreography which opened a path for research into the performing arts. These public performances eventually led to an annual event that later became a festival.

The 2002 edition of the NON IO Festival is dedicated to the **latest forms of the contemporary performative panorama**, in which various works and formats merge as seen from different disciplines and perspectives. The intent of NON IO is to understand the most up-to-date meaning of artistic endeavours, reflecting the developments of current artistic production and cultural life.

CORPO SOTTILE focused on the central nature of the body and the rejection of mechanisms relating to "mainstream media". The thematic direction of NON IO goes towards the **non-affirmation of an identity**.

NON IO (art without a subject) moves towards decentralisation, and indifference for the "subject" or "dramatic figure", while paying attention to anything concerning the "background/environment", which is usually considered only the setting of an action. Signs simply emerge, or come into view, without necessarily "representing" anything.

The festival will present "**non-assertive**" works in order to leave the audience in a state of latent uncertainty, in search to understand new formats and new rules of communication, amongst dreams, fiction and deliberate deviations and/or diversions.

During the course of **one month**, NON IO organised by Xing, will take place in several different locations **throughout Bologna**. The **Gallery of Modern Art** of Bologna will present **performances**, the industrial warehouse **Ex Bologna Motori** will host **shows and installations**, **Cassero** will host **visual** events and film, the design bookshop of **Fabrica Features** will present weekly installations, and at the **Cineteca of Bologna** a **forum** will be held on contemporary aesthetics.

Xing is a cultural network active in Bologna, Milano, Rome, Paris. Born in part from the Link Project in Bologna, it is concerned with planning, supporting and promoting products of various natures—events and productions—distinguished by their interdisciplinary approach toward the topics of contemporary culture.

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PROGRAM

SHOWS:

SAT 13 APRIL 22.00 EX BOLOGNA MOTORI **ANNA HUBER** - *STÜCK MIT FLÜGEL* (CH/D)

SAT 20 APRIL 22.00 EX BOLOGNA MOTORI **XAVIER LE ROY** - *GISZELLE* (italian première) (F/D)

SAT 27 APRIL 22.00 EX BOLOGNA MOTORI **JAN FABRE**- *MY MOVEMENTS ARE ALONE LIKE STREETDOGS* (B)

PERFORMANCES:

THU 11 APRIL 21.30 GAM **BORIS CHARMATZ/EDNA** - *AATT ENEN TIONON* (F)

THU 18 APRIL 21.30 GAM **LAMINARIE** - *SERPENTI E BISCE* (coproduction XING, italian première) (I)

THU 25 APRIL 21.30 GAM **KINKALERI** - *OTTO> (#1- primo studio-)* (coproduction XING, preview) (I)

FILM:

FRI 12 APRIL 21.30 + 22.30 CASSERO **EIJA-LIISA AHTILA** - *ME/WE, OK, GREY, IF 6 WAS 9, TODAY, CONSOLATION SERVICE* (in collabotoin with de.genere) (Finland)

FRI 19 APRIL 21.30 + 22.30 CASSERO **TIM ETCHELLS/FORCED ENTERTAINMENT** - *STARFUCKER, KENT BEESON IS A CLASSIC & ABSOLUTELY NEW THING, MY EYES WERE LIKE THE STARS* (UK)

FRI 26 APRIL 21.30 CASSERO **HANS VAN DEN BROECK/LES BALLETS C. DE LA B.- OUR CIRCUMSCRIBED DAYS** - film (B)

INSTALLATIONS:

FABRICA FEATURES:

4 - 11 APRIL 10 -19.30 **MARZIA MIGLIORA** - *STATO ELETTRICO, 59 PASSI* (I)

15 - 21 APRIL 10 -19.30 **XAVIER LE ROY/KATRIN SCHOOF** *USF DOLFI X* (F/D)

22- 28 APRIL 10 -19.30 **MÅRTEN SPÅNGBERG** - *DRUNK BOYS* (S)

EX BOLOGNA MOTORI :

every SAT (13+20+27 APR) 21.00 **SUSANNA SCARPA** - *THE LOONEY PLUNGER: 500 METERS, THE LOONEY PLUNGER: 1300 METERS* (I)

FORUM:

SAT 20 APRIL 15.00 CINETECA **DELLA RAPPRESENTAZIONE** - FORUM ON CONTEMPORARY AESTHETICS

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FABRICA FEATURES

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