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## Ulla von Brandenburg

The Motion's Method

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The object and media artist Ulla von Brandenburg presents a fascinating total artwork at the Mathildenhöhe in Darmstadt.

In her works, Ulla von Brandenburg interlinks various genres to create highly symbolic, staged presentations: sculpture, installation and film, performance, fashion and music, silhouettes and wall drawings. The exhibition space becomes a stage for her examination of the various modes of expression found in theater, the play with fiction and reality, role and identity.

For her solo exhibition in the Darmstadt Artists' Colony Museum, Ulla von Brandenburg focuses on an installation developed specifically for this venue, which stands in connection with the unique history of the Mathildenhöhe as a think tank and experimental laboratory of modernism. She stages works from the Darmstadt Municipal Art Collection in combination with her own objects, whereby the focus is laid not only on the historic reception of the works, but also on questions of presentation, perception, and mediation.

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»Ulla von Brandenburg is a priori an artist that transcends boundaries between the arts. Cutting across the genres, she interlinks film, installation, sculpture, performance, papercutting, and wall drawing to create a symbolically rich, overall staging of her concepts. She uses the aesthetics of environment and theater – space, scenery and costume, movement and choreography, light and song, material, color, and ornament – as self-evidently as an invented or found material, always with an eye on the audience's perception.«

- from the text by Stefanie Patruno

#### Exhibition

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4\_Detail with a sofa from a boudoir (design: Joseph Maria Olbrich) and objects by Ulla von Brandenburg. Photo: Cem Yucetas

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