



Staatliche Museen zu Berlin
Preußischer Kulturbesitz

**Hamburger
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*Nationalgalerie
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EDUCATION AND OUTREACH PROGRAMME

Petrit Halilaj

An Opera Out of Time

11 September 2025 – 31 May 2026

ADULTS

Petrit Halilaj – Overview

11.09.2025 until 31.05.2026

A guided tour of Petrit Halilaj's first major solo exhibition in Berlin focuses on his new operatic work and expansive installations. Together, we explore themes of identity, memory, and collective dreaming, and examine how the artist translates both personal and political history into his visual worlds.

21.9., 12.10., 16.11.2025

Also available for groups at any time

Guided tours available for groups

Duration: 60 minutes

Participation in German: €90, plus admission

Participation in English: €100, plus admission

Limited number of participants.

Please book your tour at least 14 days in advance.

Booking:

[museumsdienst\[at\]kulturprojekte.berlin](mailto:museumsdienst[at]kulturprojekte.berlin)

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(Monday to Friday: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Saturday and Sunday: 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.)

SCHOOLS

Admission to the Staatliche Museen zu Berlin is free for school pupils in conjunction with a guided event.

From exhibition to stage

Workshop / 120–180 minutes

Secondary level II (Years 7–13)

In his work, Petrit Halilaj translates personal relationships, places and people into sculptural forms. After a tour of his exhibition, the pupils deve-

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lop and build figures based on their own stories and themes. The exhibition then becomes a stage on which the pupils design scenes.

Cost:
120 minutes / €60
180 minutes / €90

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Exhibition libretto

Workshop 90 or 120 minutes
Secondary levels I and II

In the exhibition talk on the exhibition Petrit Halilaj. An Opera Out of Time, secondary school pupils develop their own libretto. The starting point is Halilaj's installations, sculptures and video works, which address themes such as memory, identity and shaping the future. Inspired by these works, the pupils write their own text fragments, which are then brought together to form a kind of libretto.

Cost:
90 minutes / €45
120 minutes / €60

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Follow the dolls!

Workshop, 120 minutes
Primary school and nursery

The children create their own little dolls and use them to explore the exhibition Petrit Halilaj. An Opera Out of Time. The figures become little companions who ask questions, develop stories and create scenes. This allows the children to develop their creativity in a playful way, practise language and expression, discover things together and develop a personal approach to the artworks.

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FAMILIES

Volkswagen Group Art4All Family Sunday

Location: Rieckhallenatelier

Offer: Activity | Workshop | Activity day

Dates:

Sun / 12 noon – 5 p.m.

Who actually owns a museum? When is an exhibition finished? Are visitors only allowed to watch quietly or can they also help shape it? In the new series 'Das wilde Museum' (The Wild Museum), you will explore these and many more exciting questions. In October, you will be working in the Rieckhallen, where artist Petrit Halilaj has created an opera landscape. What stories are told here and does your story fit in? Create object-making costumes and explore how you can become part of the exhibition yourself!

No advance booking required.

10 / 15 participation fee incl. admission: 10 per family (2 people including one person under 18), 15 per family (3 or more people including one person under 18).

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