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**Kathleen Bühler**, is a curator and film scholar. Since 2008, she has been head of the department of contemporary art at the Kunstmuseum Bern. Exhibitions with Tracey Emin (2009), Yves Netzhammer (2010), Thomas Hirschhorn (2011), Berlinde De Bruyckere (2011), Zarina Bhimji (2012), Bill Viola (2014), and Bethan Huws (2014).

**Sarah Merten,** art historian, studied art history, history, and education at the University of Zurich. From 2011 to 2012, she was an academic intern at the Museum zu Allerheiligen Schaffhausen. From 2012 onward she has been part of the academic staff at the department of contemporary art at the Kunstmuseum Bern; additionally, from 2015, academic assistant at the Lucerne School of Art and Design. She regularly writes art critiques and texts on contemporary art for various journals and catalogues.