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<u>Welcome to</u> Ilka Voermann

New Head of Prints and Drawings from 1 August Dr Ilka Voermann is to head the Collection of Prints and Drawings at the Berlinische Galerie from 1 August 2022. She succeeds Dr Annelie Lütgens, who will be taking her retirement in autumn 2022.

"I have seen nearly all Dr Ilka Voermann's exhibitions at the Schirn Kunsthalle in Frankfurt am Main and am impressed by their broad thematic range. She is well networked internationally, brimming with ideas and always eager to gain new scholarly insights from her work. I am extremely looking forward to our 'new acquisition'."

Dr Thomas Köhler, director of the Berlinische Galerie

Dr Ilka Voermann (1981, Leer, East Frisia) studied art history, classical archaeology, and modern and contemporary history in Münster and Mainz. Her dissertation examined the use of copies in aristocratic art collections during the 19th century. From 2011 to 2013 Dr Ilka Voermann worked at the Kunstmuseum in Stuttgart, first as a researcher and then curating exhibitions such as "Willi Baumeister International". After teaching at the University of Stuttgart and Stuttgart State Academy of Art and Design, she was a Curatorial Fellow at the Harvard Art Museums in Cambridge (MA) from 2014 to 2017, where she was involved in planning the exhibition "Inventur-Art in Germany, 1943-55". Since July 2017 Dr Ilka Voermann has been a curator at the Schirn Kunsthalle Frankfurt, where her exhibition "ART FOR NO ONE. 1933-1945" is currently running.

"I very much look forward to working at the Berlinische Galerie, to my new colleagues and, of course, to Berlin. The excellent Collection of Prints and Drawings contains numerous works by important Berlin artists, but also many worthwhile discoveries. I look forward to the challenge not only of highlighting the Collection's particular diversity, but also of building on it for the future." Dr Ilka Voermann



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