



**TK** alias Thomas Kaufmann (born 1975) from Switzerland travels around with the mission «Recreate Reality» and collects pictures and scenes with his video camera, edits and shows them in the cities he stays. TK's videos are colour intensive and he works with lots of cuts, live mixed from a laptop. His pictures have positive vibes and bring an amusing entertainment. TK films and edits all his videos by himself in the course of his visits to such European cities as Barcelona, Berlin, Riga, Frankfurt, Warsaw, Budapest, Athens and more. The experimental video clips present his perspective of the places he visits: TK goes to the corners where others close their eyes and takes a look at mankind.

TK's projects have big bandwidth. He presents his solo live visuals in clubs, video installations in galleries, his experience includes production of a documentary, music video clips (shown on Swiss Television) and experimental short movies, writing a novel «The Russia Diary», doing a room installation (music by Selffish), organisation of several special events, lately a rock-scissors-paper competition.

#### **Visuals:**

**Switzerland/Zurich:** Dachkantine, Labyrinth, Spidergalaxy, Stoffwechsel15, Rohstofflager, Mascotte, Säulenhalle. **Berne:** Reitschule, Gaskessel. **Basel:** University. **Aarau:** Kiff, Flösserplatz. **Baden:** nordportal, Merkker, Brennpunkt, Inox **Spain/Barcelona:** City Hall, Discothèque, DAF, Sweet Café, Robaderos **Germany/Berlin:** Pulp Mansion, Kitkat, Felix **Russia/Moscow:** 16 Tons, Mekhanika, Guncafe **Latvia/Riga:** RIXC, Depo

#### **Festivals:**

Lichtspieltage, Winterthur/Switzerland with «portefank», 2005  
M4Music, Zurich/Switzerland with Live-Visuals, 2005  
Split Film Festival Split/Croatia with «BCN:64», 2004  
Off Loop Festival at the Ego Gallery, Barcelona/Spain with «BCN:64» and «Ambient Dub ...», 2004  
CCC, Contemporary Culture Convention, Berne/Switzerland with Live-Visuals, 2004  
One Minute Film Festival, Aarau/Switzerland with «BCN:64», 2004  
Fantoche, Animation Film Festival Baden/Switzerland, Trailer, 2003

#### **Exhibitions:**

TK's One Night Stand, works from Spain, loveandpeace gallery, Baden/Switzerland, 2004  
Russland-Videos, groundzero theater, Baden/Switzerland, 2004

#### **Acts with Visuals:**

Danny Howells, 2raumwohnung DJ Team, Die Raketen, Vienna Scientists, Photek & Teebee, Feedom (Peaches, Taylor Savvy, Gonzales), Gabriel Le Mar, Pascal Feos, Drama Nui, Minus8, portefank, Superbrumm

#### **TV Broadcastings:**

portefank (Videoclip), SF2, 2004–2005  
TRAUMWHG. (Documentary), TeleM1, TeleTell, TeleBern/Switzerland, 2003

#### **Projects:**

[www.soledadnodulee.ch](http://www.soledadnodulee.ch)  
[www.portefank.ch](http://www.portefank.ch)  
[www.loveandpeace.ch](http://www.loveandpeace.ch)  
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