



MARIE JEGER

Marie Jeger's artistic practice draws from contemporary dance, performance and music. Creating in various formats with body, voice and viola, her choreographic research emerges from a game with the body's form, challenging its habitual patterns in order to open the senses and expand its capacities to relate with. Often including voice or whistle as a musical device, the body is both musical and dancing actor. Marie Jeger holds a Bachelor's degree in Contemporary Dance (La Manufacture, Lausanne 2021) and in Elementary Music Pedagogy (Musikakademie Basel, 2017). Today she works as a performer and choreographic collaborator for artists such as Juliette Uzor, Johanna Heusser, Lean Rüegg, Alina Arshi and creates her own work at ROXY Birsfelden, Ausstellungsraum Klingental, Tanzhaus Zürich. Her creations have been shown at Nikaala Festival in Lomé Togo, Architecture Biennale Venice, Dampfzentrale Bern etc. As a violist she plays for Black Sea Dahu, Gina Eté, Evelinn Trouble, Chambre d'Orage and sings with Trio U Fiore. She is involved as a collaborator and facilitator in music and movement workshops at the Musikschule Basel, ETH Zurich/Architecture and regular guest teacher for a choir workshop at HEAD University of Art and Design Geneva.



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Viola Stanca	2025
WESEN (fünf)	2023
wesen (solo)	2021

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ARTISTIC DIRECTION, CHOREOGRAPHY, PERFORMANCE

2025 [VIOLA STANCA](#)

Full-length piece, produced at ROXY Birsfelden.

Tour: Nikaala Lomé Togo, Glarus Gepäckausgabe, Kulturgarage Solothurn

2021 – 25 [wesen \(solo\)](#)

Short-piece, created at La Manufacture Lausanne.

Tour: LABOR Lausanne, ROXY Birsfelden, TANZ IN OLTEN, Venice Architecture Biennale

2023 [WESEN \(fünf\)](#)

Performance for five dancers. Ausstellungsraum Klingental Basel

COLLABORATION AS CHOREOGRAPHER PERFORMER / MUSICIAN

2025 [States of bewilderment](#) *Choreographic Assistant*

By Alina Arshi, ADC Genève

2024-26 [valse, valse, valse](#) *Violist & Performer*

by Johanna Heusser touring in Switzerland, Germany, Austria, Turkey

2023-25 [\(ah ah ah\)](#) *Dance-Performer*

by Juliette Uzor, Kunstmuseum St.Gallen, DFTL Geneva, Kunstmuseum Basel

2025 [Sisyphes \(Proliferations\)](#) *Dance-Performer*

by Collectif Denominateur Communs, FAR Nylon, BIG Genève

2025 [Sturz in die Sonne](#), *Choreographic Support*

Music Performance, Gare du Nord Basel

2025 Karneval der Tiere, *Choreography for 7 Kids*,

Dance & Orchestra, Collab with Sinfonieorchester Basel

2024 [I love all pits of everything](#), *Choreographic Assistant*
By Lean Rüegg, Gessnerallee Zürich, Swiss Performance Art Award

2022 [grrr knrsch ha!](#) *Dancer/Choreographer*
Dance-piece for young audience 4+. Cie.zisch, Tanzhaus Zürich.
Tour: Jungspund St.Gallen, Augenauf! Festival Winterthur, Dampfzentrale
Bern

2022 [collaborating waters](#) *Performer & Training Assistant*
by Sarina Scheidegger, BANBANG @ Tinguely Museum, Basel
Swiss Art Awards

2022 [AIR STROLLER](#) *Performer*
by Rahel Kraft, Kunstgiesserei St.Gallen

2018 – 2026 [Violist / Musician](#)
for various Bands & Ensembles: Gina Eté, Black Sea Dahu, Evelinn
Trouble, Balint Dobózi, Kleinmond, Yumi Ito, Chambre d'orage.
Touring in Switzerland, Germany, France

WORKSHOPS / TEACHING

2022-25 [Kreuz & Quer](#) Integrative Ensembles der Musikschule
Basel, by Salome Janner, Maité Klockenbring, Marie Jeger

2021-23 [Body Wonder Land](#), ETH Architecture Departement,
Zurich: Seminar Week by Myriam Uzor, Juliette Uzor, Sonja Flury,
Marie Jeger

[VOIX VOIX VOIX](#), Haute école des arts HEAD, Genève
Cours transversal autour de la voix : chant, parole, jeu.
Yan Duyvendak, Marie Jeger, Matteo Prandi

2021 [Volksbühne Basel](#), Exchange & Collaboration with Theater
Group Machmur, Refugee Camp, Kurdistan/Iraq

PRIZES, GRANTS

2021 Prix Musique et Arts de la scène Hes-so
2019 – 2021 Ernst Göhner Kunststipendium

RESIDENCIES

2024 Cima Citta, Dystopian Landscapes, Ticino
2024 Gepäckausgabe Glarus
2023 Watch & Talk Belluard Bollwerk Fribourg
2022 Lieu Commun Lausanne



