

Eva and Franco Mattes

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Stolen Pieces

https://vimeo.com/44168949

Over a period of two years Eva and
Franco Mattes worked on a secret art
project stealing dozens of fragments
from masterpieces by famous artists,
such as Kandinsky, Duchamp, Beuys,
Rauschenberg, Warhol and Koons, from
the most renowned museums in the
United States and Europe. This video,
shot with a hidden camera, documents
their last heist.



Stolen Pieces

(from Marcel Duchamp)



Stolen Pieces

(from Andy Warhol)



A new ceiling for Ceiling Cat

January 22nd, 2018



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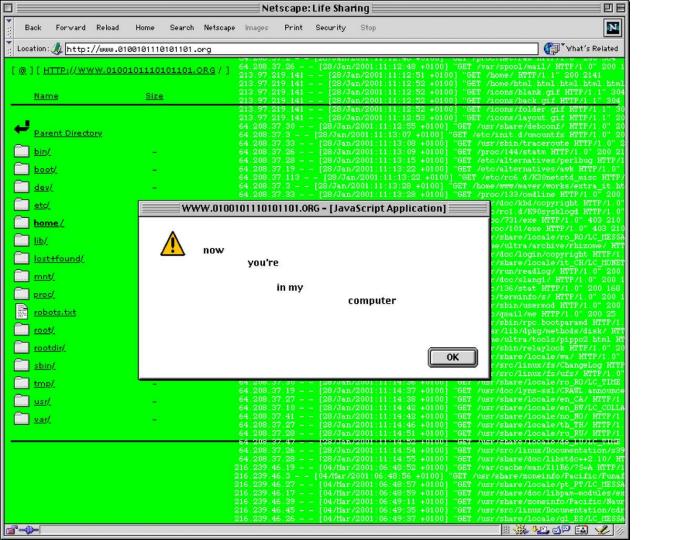


When Facts Don't Matter at Lismore Castle Arts

May 29th, 2018

"PRIVACY IS STUPID"

"We made every file on our computer — including photos, private emails, and bank statements— publicly available online for three years," Franco told *Artsy.* "It was before the rise of social media, and the work was crucial in shaping our understanding of the consequences of data oversharing, exhibitionism, and voyeurism in our hyperconnected lives."



Life Sharing



"A COMPUTER, WITH THE PASSING OF TIME, ENDS UP LOOKING LIKE ITS OWNER'S BRAIN."

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"WE TOOK THE CLASSIC HACKER SLOGAN 'INFORMATION WANTS TO BE FREE,' AND TRIED TO LIVE BY IT, AND DISCOVER THE CONSEQUENCES."





Riccardo Uncut, 2018

https://whitney.org/WatchAndListen/37787

For <u>Riccardo Uncut</u>, artists Eva and Franco Mattes posted a call on social media, offering to

buy someone's phone for \$1,000 in order to turn the photo and video contents into an art

customized, chronological slideshow, Riccardo

project—an uncut and uncensored portrait of someone's life. Accessible to the public as a

Uncutgives viewers a unique glimpse into the personal life of Riccardo, the chosen applicant.

The Mattes investigate where one might find authenticity in self-representation and an

unedited version of the self.



Electronic Superhighway at MAAT, Lisbon

December 10th, 2017

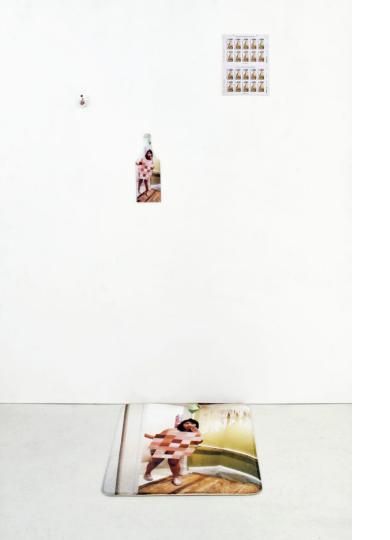




Image search result for "Censorship"

April 9th, 2018



BEFNOED in Seoul

September 15th, 2018



I Was Raised on the Internet at MCA

August 10th, 2018



My Generation Virtual Insanity

August 10th, 2018