Galerie Antoine Levi

G. Küng

Inexhaustible Gifts of Celebratory Fruits

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"I can already tell you what I've seen around me, and that's conspicuous signs of satisfaction! Fruits, fresh and simple, and arranged so well. Their colors and shapes hit you in the mouth. There they prove to be sweet and fertilizing. The melons are so ripe, they tear open at a mere hint of the blade. And the vegetables are bigger and shinier with a beautiful lightness to them. Bread I bake always comes out as I wanted, and as you wanted, which is just out of the oven, doughy if you like it doughy, or if you prefer crusty it's that way. I do hope you like it and I know you will.

What I see ahead will be like biting into several grapes, ripe juices will run, run through your fingers and over your toes if you're not careful. Just by prompting the universe it answers straight away in my experience. Written on the wind and in stone, doubly true. Written on a stone that's in the wind. Not to worry! You can even take bad, misaligned steps and you won't fall on misfortune and malnutrition, but compassion and intelligence are around to give you chances. Because here, ambitions, whether delusions or diluted, are generally rewarded. Bright and unfaded, the prizes are like photographs which retain their color along with their relevance. You can always take a smile at face value, and an email will get an immediate reply. With this all what I've learned I can live and continue in this world of, if anything, voluptuous promise."

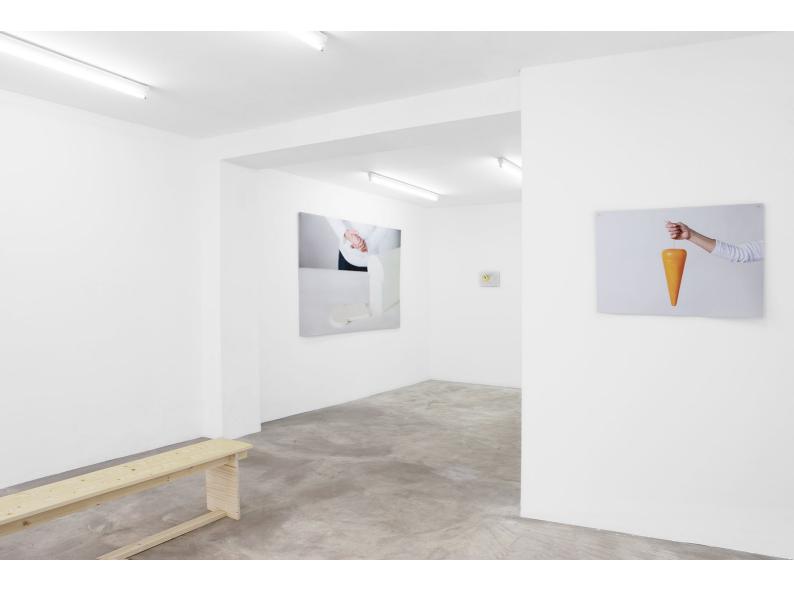
–G. Küng

\*http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Horn\_of\_Plenty

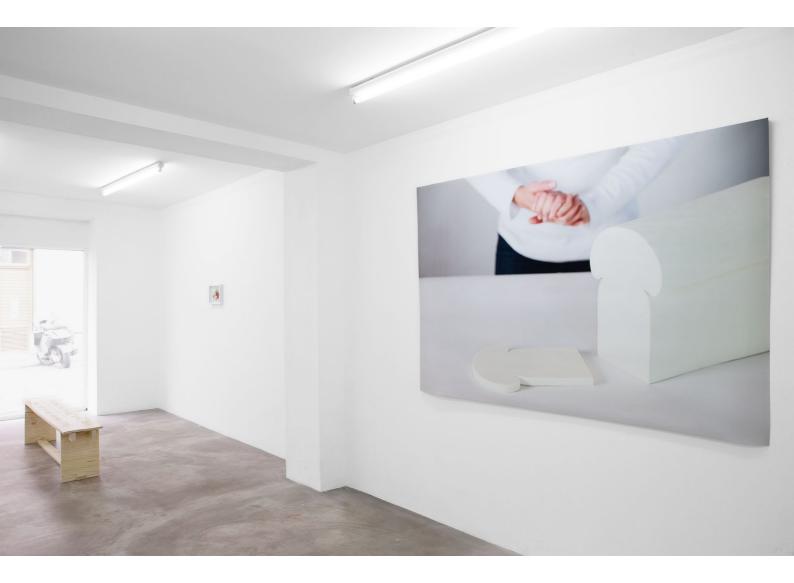
G. Küng (New York, 1982) lives and works in Brussels and has exhibited widely at galleries and institutions. Notably, recent solo exhibitions include *Giantess*, Center for Contemporary Art, Glasgow (with Suzanne Déry), 2013; *Under a hunch*, Ausstellungsraum Klingental, Basel (with Dunja Herzog), 2013. Her works have also been included in significant group shows, including *Life Like*, Transmission Gallery, Glasgow, 2015; *During the Exhibition, the Studio Will Be Close*, cur. by Lorenzo Benedetti, Wiels Center for Contemporary Art, Brussels, 2014; *Seeing things*, Glasgow International Festival, Nichoslon Street, 2014.

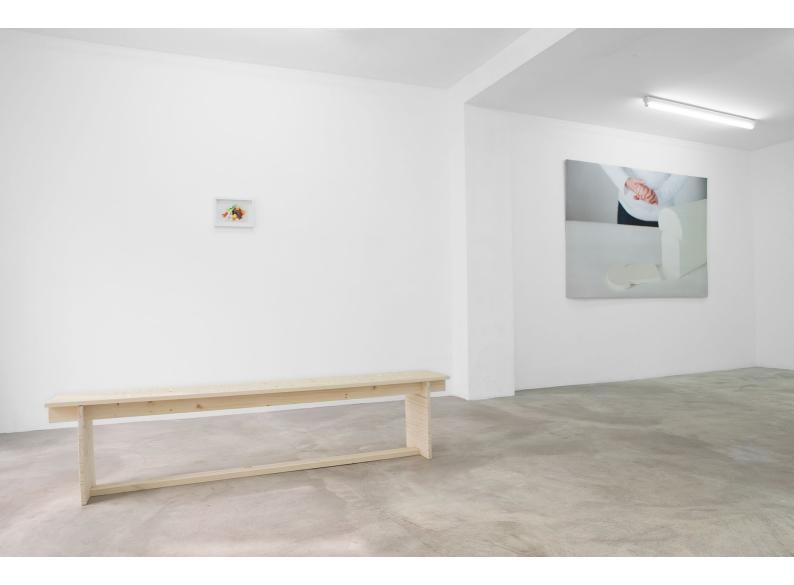














*Carrot* 2015 Photographic print on paper Cm. 55 x 80 Unique + 1AP



*Big Bread* 2015 Photographic print on paper Cm. 133 x 200 Unique + 1AP



Melon and Rind 2015 Photographic print on paper mounted on aluminum Cm. 20,6 x 29,4 Unique + 1AP





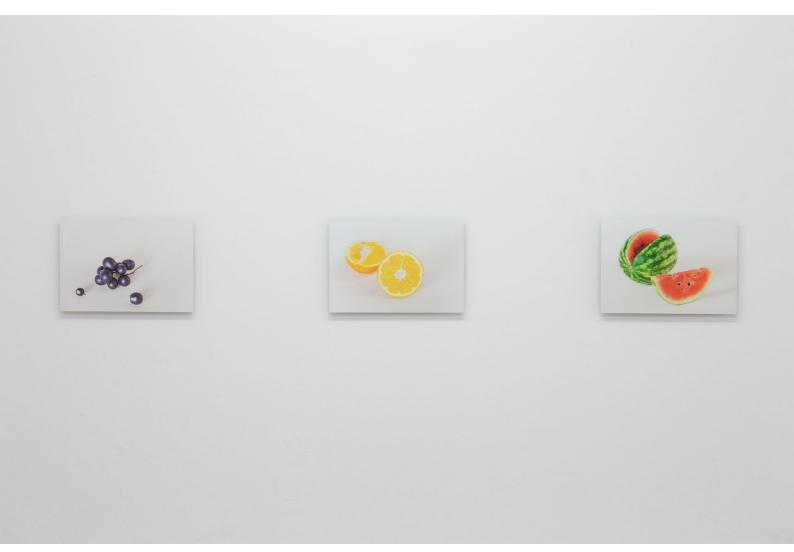
Bench 2015 Varnished engraved pine wood Cm. 41,5 x 179,5 x 28 Unique







*Blurry Cornucopia* 2015 Photographic print on paper, framed Cm. 21 x 28,2 Unique + 1AP





*Grapes* 2015 Photographic print on paper mounted on aluminum Cm. 20,6 x 29,4 Unique + 1AP



Orange Halves 2015 Photographic print on paper mounted on aluminum Cm. 20,6 x 29,4 Unique + 1AP



Watermelon and Slice 2015 Photographic print on paper mounted on aluminum Cm. 20,6 x 29,4 Unique + 1AP