

PRESS RELEASE

***Private Viewing of the Sponsors' Club of the Europäische Akademie GmbH:
The work of the academy presented in paintings by the artist Christiane Stahl***

Bad Neuenahr-Ahrweiler, 1 October 2009. – Today the art exhibition “adäquat” with paintings by the Eifel artist Christiane Stahl was opened at the Europäische Akademie in Bad Neuenahr-Ahrweiler. Stahl using various acryl techniques, created her works especially for the rooms of the academy. Professor Dr. Dr. h.c. Carl Friedrich Gethmann, director of the academy, welcomed the guests on behalf of the academy’s Sponsors’ Club. Christiane Hamann, art historian and teacher of arts, gave an introduction into the exhibition. Stahl, a self-educated artist, wants to create a connection between the existing rooms, the academy’s research subjects and the scientists working in this environment. The main part of the exhibition is a calendar of pictures (“Bilderkalender”) in which the hitherto completed and current research projects are characterised. The work of the academy is presented to the viewers in connection between the research object and the work of art.

The exhibition can be visited during the opening hours of the Europäische Akademie between 09.00 and 15.00 hours until spring 2010.

The Europäische Akademie zur Erforschung von Folgen wissenschaftlich-technischer Entwicklungen Bad Neuenahr-Ahrweiler gGmbH was founded in 1996 by the Bundesland Rhineland-Palatinate (Land Rheinland-Pfalz) and the German Aerospace Center (Deutsches Zentrum für Luft- und Raumfahrt e.V. – DLR). Director of the academy and manager of the company is Professor Dr. phil. Dr. phil.h.c. Carl Friedrich Gethmann, who is a full professor of applied philosophy at the Universität Duisburg-Essen. The Europäische Akademie deals with the scientific study of the consequences of scientific and technological advances for individuals and society, as well as for the natural environment. The main focus is on the examination of foreseeable mid and long-term processes that are especially influenced by the natural and engineering sciences and the medical disciplines. As an independent scientific institution, the Europäische Akademie pursues a dialogue with the world of politics and society at large. Further information: www.ea-aw.de/en.

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