

## Public Movement

Founded in December 2006 by Dana Yahahlomi and Omer Krieger, Yahalomi took over the leadership in 2011.

**Public Movement** is a performative research body which investigates and stages political actions in public spaces. It studies and creates public choreographies, forms of social order, overt and covert rituals. In the last seven years, Public Movement has explored the regulations, forces, agents, and policies, formations of identity and systems of ritual which govern the dynamics of public life and public space.

### Public Movement Actions - Israel

#### National Collection ( Tel Aviv Museum of Art, 2015)

**Debriefing Session** - one on one meetings in a prominent hotel Lobby (American Colony, Jerusalem Season of Culture, Under the Mountain Festival, July 2013 and Sheraton hotel Tel Aviv, December 2013, Tmuna Theater A-Genre Festival March 2014)

**Civil Fast** - a day of fasting, ceremonies, and staged press conference in Davidka Square (Jerusalem, December 2012)

**Positions** - a new choreography for demonstration (Tel Aviv Museum, Petah Tikva Museum June 2012)

**5 years anniversary to Public Movement** - and official ceremony and an afternoon of discussions (Tel Aviv Museum, December 2011)

**Revolution** - Dancing in the streets, Guarding Banks (Tel Aviv, Summer 2011)

**Where To?** - archive project and actions, the Israeli Center for Digital Art, Holon, May 2011)

**Exercise in Citizenship** - 3 days action in collaboration with the University: ceremony, lecture, protest (Tel Aviv University, December 2010)

**Census (Ramat Yosef Neighborhood, 2010)** - A month of Actions (Bat Yam Museum of Art, 2010)

**Positions** - Weizmann square, The Israeli Center for Digital Art, Holon. Israel

**Opening Ceremony for the Embassy of the NSK State in Israel** - In collaboration with the group IRWIN, The Israeli Center for Digital Art Holon 2010, Israel

**Emergency** - Acco Theater Festival and International Exposure 2008, Israel.

**Public Movement House** - Promotional Video and Public Movement house, MoBY Hosting 2008, Bat Yam Museum of Art

**Operation Free Holon** - Actions in public space and Also Thus! at Weizmann square, Ha'puzra 2007, The Israeli Center for Digital Art, Holon.

**Rally** - A March from Independence Hall to Rabin Square, White night 2007, Tel Aviv

**Also Thus!** - The Acco Festival for Alternative Theater 2007.

**Accident** - Tel Aviv, 2006

**Public Movement Actions - International:**

**Kiev action Future Generation Art Prize (Kiev, 2014 and Venice Art Biennial 2015)**

*Positions (FL, Baltic Circle, 11.11.2013)* - Baltic Circle 2013, Helsinki, Finland

*Debriefing Sessions* - Organized by Artis at Chateau Marmont Los Angeles, 2013

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*Dark Numbers* - Workshop and Action, political marathon part of Rebranding European Muslims. Inkonst 2012, Malmo, Sweden

*Gala: Rebranding European Muslims* - Steirischer Herbst Festival 2012, Graz, Austria

*Billboard: Rebranding European Muslims* - Berlin Biennial 2012, Berlin, Germany

*Positions (SE, Stockholm Festival, 05.08.2012)* - Music and Art Festival 2012 curated by Maria Lind, Stockholm, Sweden

*Debriefing Session* - New Museum Triennial 2012: "The Ungovernables", New York

*SALONS: Birthright Palestine?* - New Museum Triennial 2012: "The Ungovernables", New York. January 2012-April 2012

*Positions (NYC, Performa, 04.11.2011)* - Performa 2011, New York.

*Positions (NL, Van Abbemuseum, 18.04.11)* - Play 2011, Van Abbemuseum, Eindhoven, The Netherlands

*Also Thus!* - At Casa del Popolo, Santarcangelo Festival 2010, Santarcangelo, Italy

*A drive around Santarcangelo* - New Action for Santarcangelo Festival 2010, Santarcangelo, Italy

*University Exercise* - Heidelberg Theater together with Heidelberg University, Germany

*First of May Riots* - Hebbel Am Ufer Theater, 2010, Berlin, Germany.

*Eindhoven Actions* - Van Abbemuseum 2009, Eindhoven, The Netherlands

*Performing Politics for Germany* - A week of Actions for Berlin and Also Thus! at Olympia Stadium, Hebbel-Am-Ufer Theater 2009, Berlin, Germany

*Spring in Warsaw* - A new walk in the Ghetto, Nowy teatr and Laura Palmer, 2009, Warsaw, Poland Foundation

*86th Anniversary of the assassination of President Gabriel Narutowicz by the painter Eligiusz Niewiadomski* - Zacheta National Gallery and The Center for Contemporary Art Zamek Ujazdowski, A-i-r

Laboratory, 2008, Warsaw, Poland

*Also Thus!* - Kampnagel, Hamburg, Confronting Cultures Festival, Amsterdam, Festival of Dialogue of Four Cultures, Lodz

### **Lectures and Workshops**

A month long workshop - MFA, Public Practice program at Otis College, 2013, Los Angeles

Public Movement workshop, MA program, Theater Academy Helsinki, 2013. Finland

"The State Choreographer" workshop, ImpulsTanz 2012, Vienna, Austria

A day long workshop and actions, Under the Mountain Festival Jerusalem Season of Culture 2011, Jerusalem, Israel

"State Artist" - Steirischer Herbst Festival 2011, Graz, Austria

Public Movement Workshop - WELD 2010, Stockholm, Sweden

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Public Space - Theatre in Public Space Festival 2010, Warsaw, Poland

Public Movement lecture-presentation: SITAC 11, Intentional Symposium, Mexico City, Mexico. Checkpoint Helsinki, "We are open" Seminar, Helsinki, Finland. Brown University (Middle East Department), Bard (Human Rights Studies and curatorial studies), Lehigh University (History Department), Yerba Buena Center for the Arts San Francisco, Otis College Los Angeles. WUK Theater, Vienna. New Museum, NYC. Centre for Visual Introspection, Bucharest, Romania. Dance Congress 2009, Kampnagel, Hamburg, Germany

### **Residency programs:**

18th Street Residency, Los Angeles, USA (November - December 2013)

New Museum and Artis, NYC (October 2011 - April 2012)

Iaspis, Stockholm, Sweden (June - August 2012)

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A-i-r Laboratory, Zamek Ujazdowsky, CCA Warsaw, Poland (October - December 2008)

Acco Theater Center (June - October 2008)

### **Prizes and Scholarships:**

Shortlist of Future Generation Art prize 2014

Rauschenberg Residency Grant 2014

Ostrovsky Family Fund: Support Public Movement exhibition in Tel Aviv Museum, 2013

The Israeli Lottery: Grant for the exhibition of Public Movement in Tel Aviv Museum, 2013

Israeli Cultural Ministry - A yearly support based on new Public Movement projects 2008 till today.

Artis - Co-commissioning Public Movement actions NYC 2011 - 2012, Public Movement

Residency in 18th street residency 2013, Public Movement Lecture tour USA 2013, Debriefing Session Tmuna Theater March 2014.

The Israeli Lottery: Grant for the action SALONS: Birthright Palestine? in NYC 2012, by the Interdisciplinary program.