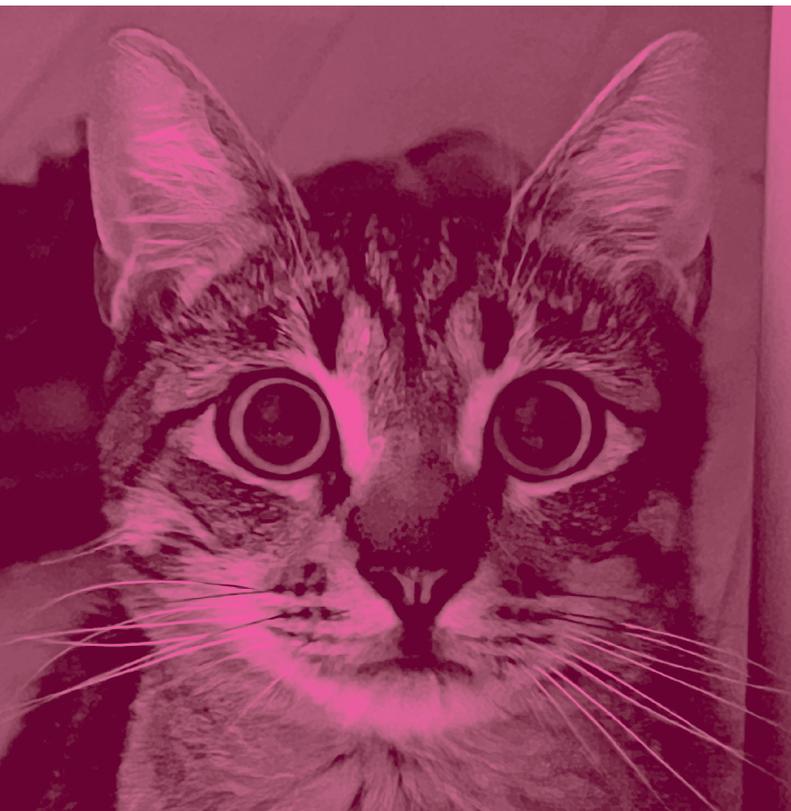


PRESS RELEASE

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Deliberately ironic, this exhibition offers what at first glance appears to be a seductive reflection of our world by presenting the work of artists inspired by the feline figure. *Cat People* – the title refers to Jacques Tourneur's 1942 film – attempts to illustrate the relationship described by Jacques Derrida in *L'Animal que donc je suis [The Animal That Therefore I Am]*, concerning that which the animal reveals about the human. How do we envision ourselves, how do we approach the other through the domestic figure of the cat? Cats reassure us, hence the resurgence of adorable cat videos on social media, but cats can also unsettle us and refer, symbolically, to the ills that plague our Western societies in crisis.

The exhibition “*Cat People. Des artistes et des chats [Cat People: Of Artists and Cats]*” explores this complex connection that links us to cats through various thematic approaches, from anthropomorphism to the feral cat, from animal ergonomics to kitsch.

With works by Adel Abdessamed, M'barka Amor, Amber Andrews, Sophia Balagamwala, Sarah Nefissa Belhadjali, Pierre Bellot, Marcel Broodthaers, Nina Childress, Ann Craven, Oli Epp, Gerrit Frohne-Brinkmann, Claire Guetta, Charles Hascoët, Andy Holden, Armand Jalut, Laurent Le Deunff, Louise Luc Kheloui, Rayane Mcirdi, Damir Očko, Alain Séchas, Mayura Torii, Yves Trémorin and Sarah Tritz

Curator: Marc Bembekoff

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## AROUND THE EXHIBITION

From Friday 26 September to Sunday 7 December 2025  
Ciné-Chats cycle in partnership with Le Trianon cinema  
More informations on events and screenings:  
cinematrionon.fr or lagalerie-cac-noisyselec.fr

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Friday 26 September 2025, 8:30pm  
Opening evening of the Ciné-Chats cycle, with  
Camille Brunel's lecture “Le cinéma des chats”,  
screening of Jacques Tourneur's *Cat People* (1942),  
table from Les Pipelettes bookshop

Sunday 5 October 2025  
Special opening of La Galerie from 2pm to 7 pm  
3pm: guided tour of the exhibition by curator  
Marc Bembekoff  
Part of the Rencontres artistiques de  
Noisy-le-Sec  
Free and open to all

Samedi 13 December 2025, 4pm-6pm  
Guided tour of the exhibition followed by “Numéro  
Crystal” a performance by Claire Guetta  
Free and open to all

## CREATIVE SATURDAYS (6-12 Y.O.)

Saturdays from 2:30pm to 4pm, except for school holidays,  
free workshops, registration required

Samedi 13 September 2025  
Workshop in partnership with the Roger-Gouhier  
multimedia library

Samedi 6 December 2025  
With your parents around a snack

## PARENTS-BABY VISIT

Samedi 22 November 2025, 10am-11am  
Playful exploration of the exhibition for parents and  
children aged 0 to 3  
Free, registration required

Wednesday – Friday 2pm – 6pm  
Saturday 2pm – 7pm  
Free admission Closed on public holidays

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