



Radius SKETCHPAD

August 24, 2019
11:00 AM – 11:59 PM EST

Radius SKETCHPAD presents a special presentation of **Timo Kahlen's "Noise and Beauty: An Archive of Radio Noise, 1989 -2019"**.

Timo Kahlen presents a new audio work based on a conceptual contrast: the contrast of the immaterial, weightless quality of the radio waves - travelling on air, a mere vibration expanding in concentric waves at the speed of sound, and Kahlen's physical, slow and linear progression from A to B - a grinding, physical succession of footprints, as Kahlen meanders by foot, at varying and personal speed - through various soundscapes of field recordings of interfering, overlapping radio waves, of static noise, of audio dust and residue in between radio stations, recorded for Kahlen's archive of Noise & Beauty, from 1989 to the present, 2019.

SKETCHPAD is an ongoing monthly radio program produced for Wave Farm. Wave Farm is a non-profit arts organization that celebrates creative and community use of media and the airwaves. Wave Farm provides access to transmission technologies and support artists and organizations that engage with media as an art form.

The SKETCHPAD program features a re-broadcast of previous Radius Episodes. Each Episode is followed by a playlist of works selected by that Episode's artist. The series seeks to highlight the peripheral work that influences the research and production of the Episode.

Schedule:

SKETCHPAD broadcasts every fourth Saturday of the month from 11:00 AM - 11:59 AM EST on Wave Farm's FM radio station WGXC (90.7-FM).

WGXC (90.7-FM) is a creative community radio station based in New York's Greene and Columbia counties. Hands-on access and participation activate WGXC as a public platform for information, experimentation, and engagement.

Archive:

SKETCHPAD is archived on the Transmission Arts Archive, an evolving online resource, a book, and a physical Study Center located in upstate New York, USA.

Playlist:

Artist	Track	Album	Duration	Format	Year
Timo Kahlen	Leerraum (Void)[sound installation at Ruine der Künste Berlin]	N/A	N/A	MP3	1995
Timo Kahlen	Staubrauschen	Staubrauschen	N/A	MP3	2001

Timo Kahlen	Media Dirt [sound installation at Kiasma Museum, Helsinki]	N/A	N/A	MP3	2004
Timo Kahlen	Bits & Pieces	Radius	N/A	WAV	2011