

## PRESS INFORMATION

### SUZANNE DUCHAMP RETROSPECTIVE

OCTOBER 10, 2025 – JANUARY 11, 2026

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The Schirn Kunsthalle Frankfurt is presenting the world's first comprehensive solo exhibition on Suzanne Duchamp (1889–1963), a pioneer of the Dada movement. From abstract paintings and experimental collages to figurative representations, the retrospective features the multifaceted oeuvre of the artist, who contributed to the development of Dadaism in the 1910s and 1920s. Although Duchamp's works are represented in world-famous collections, her artistic significance long remained overshadowed by her brothers Marcel Duchamp, Raymond Duchamp-Villon, and Jacques Villon. The focus of this show lies in particular on Suzanne Duchamp's innovative treatment of materials and media. By combining aspects of the readymade, poetic inscriptions, and geometric forms, she created a unique, subtle, and humorous pictorial language. In addition to her Dadaist works, the exhibition also illustrates Duchamp's later creative phases, including her figural and landscape paintings from the 1930s and 1940s, as well as her abstract late works.

An exhibition in cooperation with Kunsthaus Zürich.

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**DURATION** October 10, 2025 – January 11, 2026 **INFORMATION** [schirn.de/en](https://schirn.de/en) **EMAIL** [welcome@schirn.de](mailto:welcome@schirn.de) **TELEPHONE** +49.69.29 98 82-0 **CURATORS** Talia Kwartler, Kunsthhaus Zürich, and Ingrid Pfeiffer, Schirn Kunsthalle Frankfurt **CURATORIAL ASSISTENT** Cornelia Eisendle **SUPPORTED BY** Dr. Marschner Stiftung, Ernst Max von Grunelius-Stiftung **ADDITIONAL SUPPORT BY** Fontana Stiftung, Georg und Franziska Speyer'sche Hochschulstiftung

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