



STEPHEN WILLATS

BIOGRAPHY

1943 Born in London.
Lives and works in London

EDUCATION

1962-63 'The Ground Course', Ealing School of Art
1965 to date Editor and publisher of Control Magazine
1972-73 Director of 'The Centre for Behavioural Art', London
1979-80 D.A.A.D. Fellowship, West Berlin
1990 Convenor of the Symposium, 'Art Creating Society', Museum of Modern Art, Oxford
1991 Stephen Willats - Printed Archive' established at the Victoria and Albert Museum
2003 Convenor of the Seminars 'Art Intervention', Control Magazine at Vilma Gold, London
2006 Multiple Clothing' seminar and performance at Tate Modern, London

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2008 Stephen Willats, Galerie Thomas Schulte, Berlin, Germany
2007 Assumptions and Presumptions, Art on the Underground
2007 Person to Person People to People, Milton Keynes Gallery
2006 Going Home, (An Exhibition in 3 Chapters), MOT Gallery, London
2006 How the World is and How it could be, Museum fur
Gegenswartkunst Siegen, September - January 2006
2006 From My Mind To Your Mind, Victoria Miro Gallery, London
2006 Publishing Interventions, Connor Donlon Books, Herald St Gallery, London
2005 Stephen Willats - Street Talk Amsterdam, Lumen Travo, Amsterdam
2005 Kritische Gesellschaften, Badischer Kunstverein, Karlsruhe
2005 Multichannel Life, Galerie Christian Nagel, Cologne
2005 Street Talk Amsterdam, Galerie Lumen Travo, Amsterdam
2004 Messages from the Polemical City, Galerie Thomas Schulte, Berlin
2004 Engagierte Kunst, Neues Museum, Nurnberg
2003 Personal Encounters in Your Imagination, Galerie Reinhard Hauff, Stuttgart
2002 Cognitive Control, Institute of Visual Culture, Fitzwilliam Museum, Cambridge
2002 Through Your Symbolic World, Victoria Miro Gallery, London
2000 Macro To Micro, Gallery Laure Genillard, London
1999 Multichannel Vision, Galerie Reinhard Hauff, Stuttgart
1998 Random Encounter, Southampton City Art Gallery
1998 Changing Everything, South London Art Gallery
1998 Creative Force, Mappin Art Gallery, Sheffield
1998 Concepts, Strategies & Models 1962 - 65, Gimpel Fils, London
1997 Street Talk, Victoria Miro Gallery, London
1997 Between Me And You, Middlesbrough Art Gallery
1997 MULTICULT, Galerie Lumen Travo, Amsterdam
1995 Living Together, Tramway, Glasgow
1995 A State Of Agreement, Galerie Franck & Schulte, Berlin
1994 Random Life, Victoria Miro Gallery, London STEPHEN WILLATS 1994 Museum Mosaic, Tate
Gallery, Liverpool
1994 Fateful Combinations, The British School at Rome

1994 Into the Infra-Structure, Galerie Lumen Travo, Amsterdam
 1993 Buildings & People, Berlinische Galerie, Berlin
 1993 Multiple Clothing, Institute of Contemporary Art, London
 1991 Publishing Interventions, 1963 - 1991, National Art Library, Victoria & Albert Museum, London
 1990 Mosaics, Galerie Kaj Forsblom, Helsinki, Finland
 1989 Secret Language, Cornerhouse Gallery, Manchester
 1988 Transformers, Laing Art Gallery, Newcastle
 1987 Contemporary Living, Museum van Hedendaagse Kunst, Gent
 1987 Between Objects And People, Leeds City Art Gallery
 1986 City of Concrete, Ikon Gallery, Birmingham
 1986 Grusse vom Medernen Lebe, Stadtische Galerie, Regensburg, West Germany
 1996 Groeten uit het moderne leven, Museum van Hedenaagse Kunst, Utrecht, Holland
 1996 Concepts and Models, ICA, London
 1996 Vier Hiizen in Den Haag, Haags Gemeentemuseum, Den Haag, Holland
 1996 Striking Back, Mappin Art Gallery, Sheffield
 1984 Another City, Riverside Studios, London
 1983 Inside The Night, Lisson Gallery, London
 1982 Meta Filter and Related Works, Tate Gallery, London
 1980 The Lurky Place, Galerie Jurgen Schweinebraden, East Berlin
 1980 Four Professionals, Lisson Gallery, London
 1980 Concerning Our Present Way of Living, Stedelijk van Abbemuseum, Eindhoven
 1980 4 Inseln in Berlin, National Galerie, West Berlin
 1979 Concerning Our Present Way of Living, Whitechapel Art Gallery, London
 1978 Questions About Ourselves, Lisson Gallery, London
 1978 Living Within Contained Conditions, Museum of Modern Art, Oxford
 1977 Attitudes Within Four Relationships, Southampton City Art Gallery
 1976 Life Codes And Behaviour Parameters, The Midland Group Gallery, Nottingham
 1976 Attitudes Within Four Relationships, Lisson Gallery, London
 1975 Meta Filter, A State Of Agreement, The Gallery, London
 1973 The Artist As An Instigator Of Changes in Social Cognition and Behaviour, Gallery House, London
 1968 Visual Automatics & Visual Transmitters, Museum of Modern Art, Oxford

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2007 Panic Attack! Art in the Punk Years, Barbican Gallery, London
 2007 The Secret Public: The Last Days of the British Underground, ICA
 2006 The Secret Public: The Last Days of the British Underground, Kunstverein München
 2005 Kritische Gesellschaften, Badischer Kunstverein, Karlsruhe
 2005 Wie Gesellschaft und Politik ins Bild kommen, Generali Foundation, Vienna
 2005 Borders Dialogues, Barents Art Triennial, Kirkenes, Norway
 2005 20:TWENTY. A Timeline of Cornerhouse Exhibitions 1985 - 2005, Cornerhouse
 Manchester, International Centre for Contemporary Visual Arts and Film, Manchester
 2005 Kritische Gesellschaften . Badischer Kunstverein, Karlsruhe, Germany.
 2004 3rd Berlin Biennial. Martin Gropius Bau. Berlin.
 2004 L'Air dy Temps, Migros Museum, Zurich.
 2004 Streets, Galerie Lumen Travo, Amsterdam.
 2004 Engagierte Kunst 70/90 , Neus museum,Nürnberg,Germany.
 2004 Re:Location. 1-7 Shake, Halle für Kunst Lüneburg, Germany.
 2004 Art & The 60's. This Was Tomorrow, Tate Gallery, London,
 2004 Art & The 60's. This Was Tomorrow, Birmingham City Art Museum.
 2004 La Collection Continue , FRAC Corse, Centre Culturel Una Volta, Bastia. France.
 2004 Vanishing Points:Landscape Art Beyond The Horizon , Southampton City Art Gallery,
 March-May.
 2004 70/90. Engagierte Kunst. Neuesmuseum, Nürnberg, Germany
 2003 Independence, South London Gallery
 2003 Urban Codes, code/decoder, Espace de l'Art Concret, Chateau de Mouans, Mouans- Sartoux,
 France

2003 Art for Networks, Turnpike Gallery, Leith, Nr Manchester
 2003 Bewitched Bothered and Bewildered. Migros Museum, Zurich.
 2003 In Portraiture Irrelevance is Ugliness, Curated by Claudia Seidel, Galerie Reinhard Hauff, Stuttgart
 2003 Collection 001, Frac Rhone-Alpes, Institut d'art Contemporain, Villeurbanne, France
 2002 Blast to Freeze. British Art in the Twentieth Century, Kunstmuseum Wolfsburg, Germany
 2002 Art for Networks, Chapter, Cardiff Wales. 28th Sep- 10th Nov. Touring to The Fruit Market Gallery Edinburgh. 14 Feb - 29 March 2003.
 2002 Air Guitar: Art Reconsidering, Milton Keynes Gallery
 2002 The Gap Show, Museum am Ostwall, Dortmund
 2000 Democracy, Royal College of Art., London, April/May
 2000 Live In Your Head, Whitechapel Art Gallery, London
 2000 Protest And Survive, Whitechapel Art Gallery, London
 2000 ein/raumen, Hamburger Kunsthalle, Hamburg
 2000 Protest And Survive, Whitechapel Art Gallery, London
 1999 Bildung, Grazer Kunstverien, Graz, Austria
 1998 Addressing the Century, 100 Years of Art & Fashiom, Hayward Gallery, London
 1997 The Grand Design, The Art of the Victoria and Albert Museum, Baltimore Museum of Art, USA
 1996 Les Contes de Fees se terminent bien, Frac Haute-Normandie, Chateau du Val Freneuse, Sotteville-sous-le-Val
 1996 Radikale Images, 2nd Austrian Triennale for Photograph, Neue Galerie, Graz
 1995 Ars 95 Helsinki, Helsinki, Finland
 1995 La Transparence Dans L'Art Du XXe Siecle, Museum des Beaux-Arts Malraux, Le Havre, France
 1995 The Edge of Town, Joseloff Gallery, University of Hartford, Conn., USA
 1994 isone Britannica, Valentina Moncada, Rome, Italy
 1993 Sixties Art Scene in London, Barbican Art Gallery, London
 1993 Out of Sight, Out of Mind, Lisson Gallery, London
 1992 Real Stories, Museet fur Photokunst, Odense, Denmark
 1992 Instructions and Diagrams, Victoria Miro Gallery, London
 1990 Art Creating Society, Exhibition to accompany Symposium at the MOMA, Oxford
 1989 Tekens Van Verzet, Beeld Museum Fodor, Amsterdam, Holland
 1988 Beyond the City, The Metropolis, Triennale di Milano, Italy
 1988 New Urban Landscape, World Financial Centre, Battery Park, New York, USA
 1988 100 Years of British Art, Leeds City Art Gallery, Leeds
 1987 Art and Craft made and designed in the Twentieth Century, Laing Art Gallery, Newcastle upon Tyne
 1985 Sculpture Alternatives - Aspects of Photography and Sculpture in Britain 1965 - 82, Tate Gallery, London
 1985 The British Art Show, National Art Gallery, Wellington, New Zealand
 1985 The British Show, Art Gallery of New South Wales (travelling exhibition throughout Australia)
 1983 New Art and the Tate Gallery, Tate Gallery, London
 1983 The Sculpture Show, Hayward Gallery, London
 1983 Past - Present - Future, Wuttembergischer Kunstverein, Stuttgart, Germany
 1983 Enweiterte Fotografie, Wiener Secession, Wiener, Austria
 1983 Aperto '82, Venice Biennale, Venice, Italy 1981 Kunst und Politik, Basischer Kunstverein, Karlsruhe, Germany
 1981 Die Kehrseite der Wunschbilder, Bonner Kunstverein, Bonn, Germany
 1981 Sculpture in the Twentieth Century, Whitechapel Art Gallery, London
 1979 n Certain Art Anglais, ARC 2, Museum of Modern Art, Paris
 1979 Anglo-Belgium Exhibition, JP2 Palais des Beaux Arts, Brussels
 1977 Social Criticism and Art Practice, San Francisco Art Institute, San Francisco, USA
 1977 10th Biennale of Paris, France
 1976 Art as Thought Process, British Council Touring Exhibition for France

- 1976 Twentieth Century Artist's Photographs, Israel Museum, Israel
- 1974 Art as Thought Process, Serpentine Gallery, London
- 1972 Survey of the Avant-Guarde, Gallery House, London
- 1972 Cognition Control, Midland Group Gallery, Nottingham
- 1972 Cognition Control, Museum of Modern Art, Oxford
- 1968 Public Eye, Kunsthau Hamburg, Germany
- 1967 K 4, Brighton Festival
- 1966 Kust Licht Kunst, Stedelijk van Abbemuseum, Eindhoven, Holland

BOOK AND BOOKWORKS BY STEPHEN WILLATS

- 1973 The Artist As An Instigator of Changes in Social Cognition and Behavior, Gallery House Press, London
- 1976 Art and Social Function, Latimer New Dimensions, London
- 1978 The Lurky Place, Lisson Gallery, London
- 1980 Ich Lebe in einem Betonklotz, Walther Konig Verlag, Cologne, Germany
- 1982 Cha Cha Cha, Coracle/Lisson Gallery, London
- 1985 Doppelganger, Actualities, London
- 1986 Intervention and Audience, Coracle Press, London
- 1989 The House that Habitat Built, Cornerhouse, Manchester
- 1990 Society through Art, HCAK, Den Haag, Holland
- 1990 Stairwell, Coracle Press, London
- 1990 Multi-Storey Mosaic, Control, London
- 1990 White Towers, Academy of Art, Helsinki
- 1991 Corridor, Imschoot, Gent, Belgium
- 1991 Book Mosaic, Control, London
- 1992 Tower Mosaic, Control, London
- 1994 Private Journeys, Hounslow Borough Council, London
- 1996 Between Buildings and People, Academy Editions, London
- 1997 Art and Social Function (Reprint of 1976 original) Elipsis.London.
- 1997 Multiple Clothing. Walther Konig. Koln.
- 2001 Multichannel Vision. Control. London
- 2001 Beyond the Plan, Academy/John Wiley, London
- 2002 Through Your Symbolic Worlds, Control, London
- 2003 Random Networks, Artlab, Imperial College, London
- 2005 Meeting of Minds, Control, London
- 2007 Person to Person, People to People, Milton Keynes Gallery

PROJECT WORKS

- 1970 'The Man From the Twenty First Century', Nottingham
- 1971 'The Social Resource Project for Tennis Clubs'
- 1972-3 'The West London Social Resource Project', London
- 1973 'The Edinburgh Social Model Construction Project', Edinburgh
- 1977 'From a Coded World', Perivale, London
- 1978 'Vertical Living', Skeffington Court, Hayes, London
- 1978 'Contained Living', Museum of Modern Art Oxford and the Friars Wharf Estate, Oxford
- 1979 'Inside an Ocean', Ocean Estate, Mile End, East London
- 1985 'Brentford Towers', Brentford, West London
- 1986 'Four Houses in Den Haag', Den Haag, Holland 1989 'White Towers', Helsinki, Finland
- 1990 'Multi-Storey Mosaic', Homecourt, Feltham, West London
- 1991 'Tower Mosaic', Warwick & Brindley Estate, Paddington, London
- 1993 'Personal Islands', Samuda & Barkentine Estates, Isle of Dogs, East London
- 1994 'Museum Mosaic' Tate Gallery, Liverpool
- 1994 'Taking the Short Cut', Roydon, Essex
- 1996 'Chemins Imaginaires', Champagne, Sotteville, Rouen

- 1997 'The Transormer', Middlesbrough
- 1998 'Creativeforce', Sheffield
- 1998 'Changing Everything', Peckham, South London Gallery
- 1999 'Eine Demokratische Reise', Hamburg
- 2000 'Multichannel Workshop Hamburg'. Hamburg
- 2003 'Meeting of Minds', Sefton Park, Liverpool

AUDIO TAPES

- 1976 'Externalising the Meaning of Art - A Basis for Operation', Audio Arts Magazine
- 1977 'From a Coded World', Audio Arts Magazine
- 1982 'Live to Air', Audio Arts Magazine, Vol. 5, Nos. 3 & 4
- 1983 'Inside the Night', Audio Arts Special Supplement
- 1986 'Brentford Towers', Audio Arts Magazine, Vol. 8, No. 1

WORKS IN PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

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Southampton City Art Gallery & Museum
 Art Museum Zurich, Switzerland
 Haags Gemeentemuseum, Den Haag, Holland
 The Mappin Art Gallery, Sheffield
 Rochdale Art Gallery, Rochdale, Greater Manchester
 The Scottish National Gallery of Modern Art, Edinburgh
 The Tate Gallery, London
 De Beyerd Centrum voor Actuelle Kunst, Breda, Holland
 Stedelijk van Abbemuseum, Eindhoven, Holland
 Contemporary Art Society, London
 The Arts Council of Great Britain
 Gimpel Fils Galery, London
 Victoria & Albert Museum, Drawing Dept., London
 Victoria & Albert Museum, Clothing and Dress Dept., London
 The British Museum, Prints & Drawings Dept., London
 National Gallery, Gdansk, Poland
 Wadsworth Athenaeum, Conneticut, USA
 Leeds City Art Gallery, Leeds
 Stadtische Galerie, Stuttgart, Germany
 Museum of Contemporary Art, Utrecht, Holland
 The Laing Art Gallery, Newcastle
 Helsingen Kaupungin Taidemuseo, Helsinki, Finland
 Stichting Volkshuisversting in de Kunst, Ben Haag, Holland
 Victoria & Albert Museum (Artist's Book Collection, archive of writings and publications)
 Hounslow Borough Council, London
 Museum de Beaux Arts, Le Havre, France
 Frac Course Centre of Centemporary Art, Corsica, France
 Cleveland Gallery, Cleveland
 Frac Limousin, France
 Rhone Alpes Frac, France Caise de depots et Cousiguations, Paris
 Porin Taidemuseo, Pori, Finland
 Frac Haute-Normandie, France
 Middlesborough Art Gallery
 South London Art Gallery
 Frac Poitou Charentes, France
 Sud West Landesbank, Stuttgart, Germany
 Frac Languedoc-Roussillon, France
 Art Gallery of New South Wales. Sydney.Australia.

Amsterdams Historisch Museum
Henry Moore Foundation, Leeds
Whitworth Art Gallery, University of Manchester
Fonds Regional Nord-Pas-de-Calais, France
Fonds National d'art Contemporain Paris, France
Folkwang Museum, Essen, Germany
Migros Museum, Zurich
National Portrait Gallery, London

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- 2007 Sally O'Reilly, Stephen Willats: Person to Person, People to People, Art Review, September 2007
- 2007 Tom Morton, Networking, Frieze, April 2007
- 2007 Melanie Gilligan, Stephen Willats: Victoria Miro Gallery, ArtForum January 2007
- 2006 Niels Henriksen, Conceptualised Performative Space, Camera Austria, Issue 96
- 2006 David Coggins, Stephen Willats: Victoria Miro Gallery, Modern Painters, November 2007
- 2006 Sally O'Reilly, Stephen Willats, Time Out, November 22 – 29, 2006
- 2006 Catrin Lorch, Stephen Willats, Frieze, April 2006
- 2005 George Mallen, Stephen Willats: An Interview on Art, Cybernetics and Social Intervention,
Bulletin of the Computer Arts Society, Spring 2005.
- 2004 Sharon Irish, Tenant To Tenant. The Art of Talking with Strangers, Places, Vol 16, No. 3, University of California, Berkeley, California.
- 2004 Emily Pethick, Control Magazine, Tank, Vol 4, Issue 1
- 2004 Grant H Kester , Conversation Pieces, Community + Communication In Modern Art, University of California Press, Berkely, U.S.A.
- 2004 Art & The 60's. This Was Tomorrow, Text by Andrew Wilson, Catalogue published by the Tate Gallery, London
- 2004 Welt Als Nachbarschaft, U.Spot, February, 2004
- 2002 Dave Beech, Stephen Willats, Art Monthly, October 2002
- 2002 Martin Herbert, Stephen Willats, Time Out, September 25 2002
- 2002 Critics Choice, The Guardian, Jessica Lack, 30 September 2002
- 2001 Macro to Micro a Report, Stephen Willats, Camera Austria, Issue 73 2001.
- 2001 Simon Morrissey, Bettina Von Zwehl- ControlGroups, Portfolio, Issue3, June
- 2001 Emma Outten, Art of the Tweeners, Eastern Daily Press
- 2001 Childhood- An Anatomy of control, Public Access, Public 21
- 2001 Bettina Von Zwehl, The Contemporary Art Center, New Orleans, Chelsea Rising Catalogue
- 2001 Lisa Hatchdoorian, Bettina von Zwehl-Lombard Freid Fine Arts, New Art Examiner, Feb 2000 Sleep Deprivation, Vol 3. Issue 1, Sleazenation
- 2000 Mark Haworth-Booth, Photography and Time, Aperture, Issue158/Special Issue
- 2000 Rorberta Smith, Bettina von Zwehl- Lombard Freid Fine Arts The New York Times, Sept 15
- 2000 Josephine Berry in conversation with Stephen Willats, Mute, issue 17 2000
- 1998 David Brittain, Shutter trip to Shoreditch, The Independent, March 3,
- 1998 Ruth Maurer, Reality Bites, Camera Austria International, issue62/63

STATEMENTS AND WRITINGS BY STEPHEN WILLATS

- 1967 Statement in the catalogue, 'Visual Automatics and Visual Transmitters,' Museum of Modern Art, Oxford
- 1970 'The Artist as a Structuralist of Behaviour', Control Magazine
- 1971 'Behavioural Nets and Life Structures', The Paper, No. 1, Fine Art Dept, Trent Polytechnic, Nottingham
- 1971 Control Magazine No. 6 'If I had a Mind', Du Mont Aktuell Cologne (ed. Klaus Groh)

- 1972 'Visual Meta Language Simulation and Cognition Control', Midland Group Gallery, Nottingham and then the Museum of Modern Art, Oxford
- 1972 'The West London Social Resource Project, a Survey of the Avant-Garde in Britain', Vol. 1, Gallery House Press, London
- 1973 'Art and Social Function: Prescriptions', Art and Artists, Vol. 8, No. 87
- 1973 'A State of Agreement', Statement published in association with the presentation of Meta Filter at The Gallery, London
- 1974 'The Edinburgh Project', Art and Artists, Vol. 8, No. 94
- 1974 'The West London Social Resource Project', Leonardo, Vol. 7
- 1974 'Meta Filter', Flash Art No. 48
- 1975 'Meta Filter', Studio International, Vol. 190, No. 977
- 1976 'Social Codes and Behaviour Parameters: as Area of Concern for Art', catalogue published by The Midland Group, Nottingham
- 1976 Statement in the catalogue, 'Twentieth Century Artists Photographs', Israel Museum, Jerusalem
- 1976 'Control Magazine', Studio International, Vol. 192, No. 983
- 1977 'Between a Symbolic World and a Contextual Reality: The Artwork as a Vehicle for Forwarding Counter Consciousness', Control Magazine No. 10
- 1977 'The Group as Social Analogue in Art Practice', text in the catalogue accompanying exhibition, Attitudes Within Four Relationships, Southampton Art Gallery
- 1978 'From A Coded World', Studio International, Vol. 194, No. 988
- 1979 'Unter Druck Leben', Kunstforum International, Band 35, May
- 1979 'The Counter Consciousness in Vertical Living', Control Magazine No. 11
- 1980 'Contained Reality', Art Monthly, No. 33
- 1981 'Working with Life and Institutions', Control Magazine No. 12
- 1981 'Inside the Night', Aspects, No. 21
- 1981 'Leben in Worgegebenen Grenzen - 4 Inseln in Berlin', Kunst Nachrichten, 18 Jahrgang, Heft 1
- 1983 'Living Like a Goya', text in catalogue, The Sculpture Show, published by the Arts Council of Great Britain, Hayward Gallery, London
- 1985 Meeting with Doppelgangers, Stephen Willats talks about his work with people on the margins of society', Performance, No. 36, August -September
- 1985 'Intervention und Publikum', Kunst Nachrichten, Heft 5, October
- 1985 'Im Innen der Nacht', Kunst Nachrichten, 21 Jahrgang, Heft 3 May
- 1985 'Doppelganger', interview conducted by Antonia Payne, Studio International, Vol. 198, No. 1011
- 1985 'Between Objects and People', Art Monthly No. 112, January
- 1985 'Variable Sheets', 2D/3D Art and Craft Made in the Twentieth Century Catalogue, published by the Laing Art Gallery, Newcastle 1988 'Signs and Messages from Corporate America', Art Monthly No. 122
- 1990 'The Determinism of the Camera', Perspektief No. 38, Rotterdam
- 1992 'Starting From Zero', an interview by Grant Kester, Afterimage, Vol. 19, No. 10, May, Rochester, New York
- 1993 'Just Between People', Meta No. 4, Stuttgart
- 1994 'From Objects to People: Interaction in the Art Museum', Kunst & Museum Journal, Vol. 5, No. 4, Amsterdam 1994 'Going into the Infrastructure', Meta No. 3, Stuttgart
- 1995 'City of Concrete', catalogue published by the FRAC Haute-Normandie, Appartement Temoin'
- 1996 Stephen Willats: an interview with Nicola Kearton in Public Art Issue, Art & Design, London
- 1996 'Time Will Tell', Texte zur Kunst, No. 23, August
- 1996 'Imagined Pathways', catalogue for Les Contes de Fees se Terminent Bien, FRAC Haute Normandie, Rouen
- 1997 'Art Museum in Society. Collected Writings', Stephen Willats, Middlesbrough Art Gallery
- 1998 'Random Encounter', Stephen Willats, Southampton City Art Gallery
- 1998 'The Artwork as Interactive Simulation', Stephen Willats, Mappin Art Gallery, Sheffield
- 1998 'Changing Everything', Stephen Willats, South London Art Gallery
- 1998 'Unterschiedliche Begegnungen', Stephen Willats, catalogue, 'Do All Oceans Have Walls?', G.A.K., Bremen.
- 2000 'King Of Code'. Interview. Mute 16. June/July.
- 'Stephen Willats'. Interview by Claudia Seidel. Netter Art Collection

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'Macro To Micro. A Report'. Camera Austria International. 73.
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'Control'. Interview by Uscha Pohl. 'Inside Magazines. Independent Pop Culture Magazines'. Patrik Andersson and Judith Steedman. Thames & Hudson, London.
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- 1973 Martin Kunz 'Rationale Englishe Kunst-tendenzen', (11 Teil), Kunst Nachrichtung, March
- 1975 John Walker 'Meta Filter', interview with Stephen Willats, Studio International, Vol. 190, No. 977, Sept.
- 1975 Richard Cork 'Nice to Meta You', Evening Standard, 16 October
- 1977 Richard Cork 'Involved - Yet Semi-Detached', Evening Standard, 21 April
- 1977 Sandy Nairne 'Report from a Coded World', Art Monthly No. 10
- 1978 Marina Vaizey 'Stephen Willats', Arts Review, Vol. 31, No. 2, Feb.
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- 1978 'Concerning Our Present Way of Living', Whitechapel Art Gallery, London
- 1980 Frank Gribling 'Over onze aktuele leefwijzwe', Museum Journal, 80/5, Holland
- 1980 'Over onze actuele leefwije', Stedlijk Van Abemuseum, Eindhoven, Holland
- 1980 '4 Inseln in Berlin', Nationalgalerie Berlin, West Berlin
- 1980 Jorg Johnen 'Stephen Willats', review Kunstforum International, Band 41, May 1980 Jurgen Schweinebraden 'The Lurky Place', Art Monthly, No. 41
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- 1985 'The British Show', Art Gallery of New South Wales, Sydney (exh. cat.) Text by Richard Francis
- 1986 Rob le Frenais: 'Brentford Towers', Performance No. 38
- 1986 Margaret Garlake: 'Artists and Our Environment', The Artist, Vol. 101, No. 7, Issue 665, July
- 1988 Andrew Wilson: Review, Laing Art Gallery exhibition, Artscribe, Sept/Oct
- 1988 'Transformers', The Laing Art Gallery, Newcastle, (exh.cat.)
- 1988 'Code Breakers', Torch Gallery, Amsterdam (exh.cat.)
- 1989 'Secret Language', Cornerhouse Gallery, Manchester (exh.cat.)
- 1990 'Conceptual Living', Victoria Miro Gallery, London (exh.cat.), text by Stephen Bann
- 1990 'Publishing Interventions', National Art Library, Victoria & Albert Museum (exh.cat.), texts by Stephen Willats and Simon Ford 1990 'High Rise to Heaven: Stephen Willats, Victoria Miro Gallery', Artscribe, Nov/Dec, text by Andrew Wilson
- 1990 'City of Concrete', Galerie Montevideo, Antwerp (exh.cat.)
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- 1995 'Living Together', Tramway, Glasgow (exh. cat.) text by Andrew Wilson
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- 1995 'Konzeptuelles Leben' Galerie Franck & Schulte, Berlin, review by Jochen Becker, Zitty, No. 8, Berlin
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