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New company headquarters in the publishing capital of Berlin

Uta Grosenick becomes Publisher of Edition Cantz

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A new publisher, a new company headquarters—Edition Cantz is gaining momentum and is well on its way to positioning itself as the top address in the art book market in the newly opened publishing office in Berlin with a new strategy under the direction of Uta Grosenick. "I am proud that we have been able to attract such a personality from the art book scene," says Heinz Wurzel, owner of Wurzel Mediengruppe.

Uta Grosenick brings with her many years of experience in bookmaking and the programmatic orientation of art book publishers. Between 1999 and 2006, she published numerous survey volumes on contemporary art at Taschen Verlag and in 2006 became Program Director for Art at DuMont. In 2010, she co-founded Distanz Verlag, where she was active as Publisher until the summer of 2019.

"Together with my business partner, media entrepreneur Heinz Wurzel, Senior Editors Bernd Barde, Nobert Brey, and Doris Hansmann, as well as Evelin Georgi as Sales Manager, I want to bring Edition Cantz into the twenty-first century with up-to-date publications and catalogs and develop it into a permanent fixture on the national and international publishing scene," says Uta Grosenick.

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Uta Grosenick, head of Edition Cantz since September 1, Photo: Edition Cantz

Information on Edition Cantz

Edition Cantz is one of the most traditional art book publishers in Germany. Its over seventy-year history goes back to Dr. Cantz'sche Druckerei, one of the leading addresses for art books of the highest quality. Edition Cantz specializes in the production and distribution of high-quality books and exhibition catalogs, especially in the field of art. It offers a comprehensive service from catalog design, proofreading, and translation to worldwide distribution and the establishment of artist databases, as well as printing and finishing. Headquartered in Berlin, Edition Cantz is a company of the Esslingen-based Wurzel Mediengruppe. The companies in the group are among the leading providers in their respective fields, and their products and services have received numerous awards. In 2018, Wurzel Mediengruppe generated a turnover of fifty million euros.

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