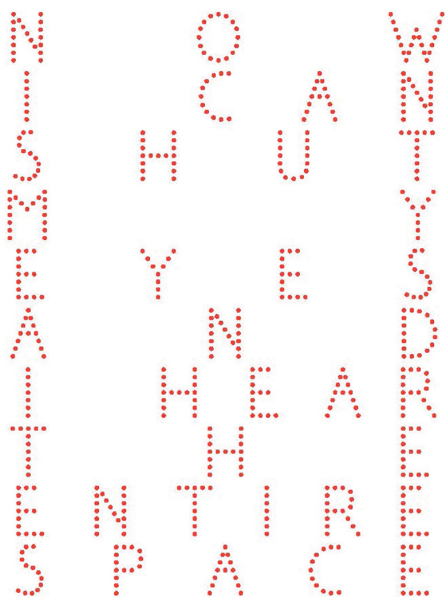




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- The conversation offers profound insights into the artistic as well as sociopolitical driving forces behind Latifa Echakhch's art
- Latifa Echakhch's work has been shown in solo exhibitions at major venues such as London's Tate Modern, the Swiss Institute in New York, and the Musée d'art contemporain in Lyon
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Latifa Echakhch studied at the art academies of Grenoble, Paris-Cergy, and Lyon. Now based in Switzerland, Echakhch is concerned with the concept of culture as well as personal and collective memory in between the poles of social and political debate. Her work often features installations that make use of a wide variety of materials, such as brick and raw earth, which she mixes with ink. This book is part of the new *On Words* series that presents conversations with contemporary women artists. Through them, readers come to understand the sources from which they draw inspiration, the themes in their work, and their view of the world. Edited by Julie Enckell, Federica Martini, and Sarah Burkhalter and bringing together a wide range of viewpoints, the *On Words* series adds a new narrative to polyphonic art history as told by those who actively shape it.

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