

## **Gutenberg Research College at JGU Mainz**

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### Research Project 2017-2018: **Transdisciplinary Video Theory**

- Video is a ubiquitous medium today. But until now video theory has not yet been established in terms of an academic discipline (in comparison to the more canonized photo, film and television theories).
- At GFK a transdisciplinary compendium of video theory will be developed as basis for further research and teaching. For the first time, this compendium will give a summary of 50 years of theoretical and artistic reflections on the topic.
- The compendium includes a collection of annotated source texts, accompanied by scholarly introductions and a timeline. Artistic experimentation with video will be a special focus.