

Koen Jacobs
Born 1989, Netherlands

EDUCATION

2014 - 2017 Gerrit Rietveld Academy, Jewellery Department, Amsterdam/NL

2016 Academy of Fine Arts, second semester -
Erasmus Exchange, Munich/DE (with prof. Karen Pontoppidan)

2013 - 2014 Gerrit Rietveld Academy, Foundation Year, Amsterdam/NL

2012 - 2013 Alchimia, School of Contemporary
Jewellery, Specialisation Jewellery Course 3, Florence/IT
(with prof. Ruudt Peters)

2008 - 2012 International Silver-Gold-Smithery school, Gold- and
Silversmithing, Schoonhoven/NL

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

2022 - present Teacher at Vakschool Edelsmeden, (since 2019) Amsterdam/NL
Anke Akerboom studio assistant (since 2021) Amsterdam/NL

2019 Jewellery in Motion workshop, at Le Arti Orafe, Florence/IT

2014-2022 Ruudt Peters studio assistant, Amsterdam/NL

Assistant Ruudt Peters summer workshops:
Ground Now 2015, Selfie Now 2016,
Now Radical 2017, Space Now 2018,
Soul Now 2019, Ravenstein/NL

Ruudt Peters assistant BRON retrospective exhibition,
Apeldoorn/NL 2017, Legnica/PL 2018,
Tallinn/EE 2018, Hangzhou/ CN 2018,
Helsinki/FI 2019, Vincenza/IT 2019

ARTIST IN RESIDENCE

2019 3 months artist in residence, at Le Arti Orafe, Florence/IT

2018 Torenkamer residency, radio Opium, Vondel CS, Amsterdam/NL

AWARDS

2019 Preziosa Young Design Competition LAO Award, Florence/IT (for
"The Artificial Kingdom")

2018 Nomination Schoonhoven Silver Award, Schoonhoven/NL (for
"The Artificial Kingdom")

2017 Overduinprijs 2017 / Overduin award, Amsterdam/NL

EXHIBITIONS

2022 Museum Arnhem, Arnhem/NL
ArtWear, Museum Villa Bengel, Idar Oberstein/DE
ATLAS group exhibition, Amsterdam/NL

2021 Window display exhibition, Amsterdam/NL
Online exhibition during Munich Jewellery Week 2021, Munich/DE

2020 Solo show at Four Gallery, Göteborg/SE
ArtWear, Vishal Haarlem/NL
The Palace of the Shattered Vessels,
Froots Gallery Shanghai/ Beijing/CN
Preziosa Young 2019, Irene Belfi Gallery, Milano/IT
News from The Netherlands, Crossing Borders,
Jewelry Library, New York/USA
Preziosa Young 2019, exhibitions in Paris/FR, Munich/DE,
Milano and Florence/IT
21 GRAM exhibition, Les Anciens Abattoirs, Mons/BE,
Galerie Handwerk, Munich/DE
Schoonhoven Silver Award 2018, Freiberg/DE
The Palace of the Shattered Vessels, Froots Gallery,
Shanghai/CN, at FRAME, Munich/DE
Junior, Kinder, Wunderkind, Sunday Child,
Riutta Gallery, Lappeenranta/FI

2018 Schoonhoven Silver Award 2018, Schoonhoven/NL
21 GRAM exhibition, Hangzhou/CN
Marzee for Starters at CODA museum, Apeldoorn/NL
Gallery Pouloueff, Naarden/NL
ABC Contemporary jewellery exhibition,
during Melting Point 2018, Valencia/ES
OBJECT Rotterdam, Rotterdam/NL

2017 Marzee Graduates @CODA, museum, Apeldoorn/NL
Group exhibition, Teacher, student, intern,
part of: OBSESSED, Amsterdam/NL
JOYA Barcelona art jewellery fair, Barcelona/ES
Marzee International Graduate Show 2017, Nijmegen/NL
Graduation Show, Gerrit Rietveld Academy, Amsterdam/NL

PUBLIC COLLECTION

2022 Museum Arnhem, Arnhem/NL
2020 CODA museum, Apeldoorn/NL