

Koen Jacobs

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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

2017 - today Self employed goldsmith commission work, Amsterdam/NL
2019 - today Goldsmiths teacher at Vakschool Edelsmeden, Amsterdam/NL
2021 - today Assistant/ goldsmith Anke Akerboom, Amsterdam/NL
2014 - 2022 Ruudt Peters studio assistant, Amsterdam/NL
2015 - 2019 Assistant Ruudt Peters summer workshops, Ravenstein/NL
2017 - 2019 Assistant Ruudt Peters BRON retrospective exhibition: Apeldoorn/NL 2017, Legnica/PL 2018, Tallinn/EE 2018, Hangzhou/CN 2018, Helsinki/FI 2019, Vicenza/IT 2019.
2019 workshop Jewellery in Motion, Le Arti Orafe, Florence/IT
2017 Jewellery workshop for children, Museum Valkhof, Nijmegen/NL
2011 - 2012 Half year goldsmith internship at Goldline, Den Bosch/ NL
Half year goldsmith internship at Goudsnip, Doorn/ NL

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/ NOMINATIONS

2019 Preziosa Young Design Competition LAO Award, Florence/IT
2018 Nomination Schoonhoven Silver Award, Schoonhoven/NL
2017 Overduinprijs 2017 / Overduin award, Amsterdam/NL
2015 Nomination TALENTE Award, Münch/DE
2012 Graduation masterpiece nomination, Schoonhoven/NL

EXHIBITIONS

2023 Consume by, museum Arnhem, Arnhem/NL (13 mei 2021 - 29 jan. 2023)
2022 HO!HO!HO! Friends of Carlotta gallery, Zürich/CH
ArtWear, Museum Villa Bengel, Idar Oberstein/DE
ATLAS group exhibition, Amsterdam/NL
2021 Window display, Amsterdam/NL
Online exhibition during the MJW2021, München/DE
2020 Solo exhibition at Four Gallery, Göteborg/SE
ArtWear, Vishal Haarlem/NL
The Palace of the Shattered Vessels, Fruits Gallery Shanghai/ Beijing/CN
Preziosa Young 2019, Irene Belfi Gallery, Milano/IT
2019 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 and Galerie Handwerk, München/DE
Schoonhoven Silver Award 2018, Freiberg/DE
The Palace of the Shattered Vessels, Fruits Gallery, Shanghai/CN, at FRAME, München/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 Pouloeff, Naarden/NL
ABC Contemporary jewellery exhibition, during Melting Point 2018, Valencia/ES
OBJECT Rotterdam, Rotterdam/NL
2017 Marzee Graduates @CODA, museum, Apeldoorn/NL
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 COLLECTIONS

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

PRIVATE COLLECTIONS

2017-today USA, NL, IT, FI, SE