

CATHARINE CLARK GALLERY

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Born in Leeuwarden, The Netherlands, 1962
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EDUCATION

- 1994 Post graduate in Arts at the Rijksacademy, Amsterdam, The Netherlands
1987 Art academy ABK Minerva, Groningen, The Netherlands

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2016 *Crossings*, Torch Gallery, Amsterdam, The Netherlands
Crossings, Catharine Clark Gallery, San Francisco, California
- 2015 *Docks Art Fair*, Galerie Les Filles Du Calvaire, Lyon, France
VUES EN VILLE, La Roche-Sur-Yon, France
- 2014 *Undertones*, Musée de La Roche-sur-Yon, La Roche sur-Yon, France
Undertones, Centro de Arte Alcobendas, Madrid, Spain
- 2013 *As it happens*, Galerie Les Filles Du Calvaire, Paris, France
Kunstmaand Ameland, Ned. Hervormde kerk, Ballum, The Netherlands
- 2012 *Transparent Days*, Camera Oscura, Madrid, Spain
Solo Exhibition, Catharine Clark Gallery, San Francisco, California
Luz Holandesa, Espacio Liquido, Gijon, Spain
- 2011 *Next to Me*, Torch Gallery, Amsterdam, The Netherlands
Solo Exhibition, Camara Oscura, Madrid, Spain
- 2010 *Sables Mouvants*, Lille 3000, Le Fort de Mons-en-Baroeul, Lille, France
Out of Sight, P•P•O•W Gallery, New York, New York
- 2009 *Ellen Kooi: Out of Sight*, Le Château d'Eau, Toulouse, France
Out of Sight/Hors de Vue, Institut Néerlandais, Paris , France
- 2008 *Ellen Kooi, Photographies*, Le Centre Image/ Imatge, Orthez, France
New Photowork, Torch Gallery, Amsterdam, The Netherlands
- 2007 *New Works*, Gallery Beaumontpublic, Luxembourg, Luxembourg
Borrowed Landscapes, Gallerie Camara Oscura, Madrid, Spain
- 2006 *Fotowerken*, de Willem III, Vissingen, The Netherlands
- 2005 *Recent Photography*, Espacio Liquido, Gijon, Spain
Within from Without, La Casa Encendida, Madrid, Spain
- 2004 *Dentro por Fuera, Within from without*, La Casa Encendida, Madrid, Spain
- 2003 *Catharine Clark Gallery*, San Francisco, California
PPOW Gallery, New York, New York
- 2002 *Recent Work*, solo, Les Filles du Calvaire, Kanal 20, Brussels, Belgium
- 2001 *Hold Still, Keep Moving IV*, Gallery Beaumontpublic, Luxembourg
- 2000 *Hold still, keep moving III**, Torch Gallery, Amsterdam, The Netherlands
- 1999 *Galerie Les Filles du Calvaire*, Paris, France
- 1998 *Where the grass is green*, P.P.O.W. Gallery, New York, New York
- 1995 *Made in Heaven*, Utrecht, The Netherlands
- 1990 *Making theatre in 1/60 of a second*, Kruithuis, Groningen, The Netherlands

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SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2016 *Wild van Water*, Zuiderzeemuseum Enkhuizen, the Netherlands
Connection, Museum Lazienki Kroleweski, Gdansk, Poland
Nieuw, recent acquisitions by the Erasmus University, Erasmus gallery, Rotterdam, the Netherlands
- 2015 *Through the Looking Glass, and what I found there*, De Vishal, Haarlem
ULTRAVIOLENCE, Galleria de Arte Camara Oscura, Apertura weekend, Madrid, Spain
Exposición enmarcada dentro del Programa Marte Coleccionista, Museo de Bellas Artes de Castellón de la Plana, Castellón de la Plana, Spain
World Expo, French Cultural Institute, Palazzo delle Stelline, Milano, Italy
Common Ground: Air, Borusan Contemporary, Istanbul, Turkey
Humble Me, Aeroplastics Gallery, Brussels, Belgium
Close to me, Pôle Art Santé, Rennes, France
Aux frontières de l'intime: les photographes et leurs enfants, Musée français de la Photographie, Bièvres, France
Femina ou la reappropriation des models, Pavillon Vendôme, Clichy, France
- 2014 *In & Out*, Galleria Camara Oscura, Madrid, Spain
Les esthétiques d'un monde désenchanté, Abbaye Saint André Modern Art Center, Meymac, France
Absurd – did you say absurd?, Galerie Les Filles Du Calvaire, Paris, France
Conspiracy of Women, Camara Oscura, Madrid, Spain
The woman Next Door, Galerie Les Filles Du Calvaire, Paris, France
- 2013 *La metamorfosis del paisaje en el arte*, Caja Vital Foundation, Vitoria, Spain
Paysage Fiction, Musée de Laval, France
Miradas de mujeres, Centro Nacional de Fotografia de Torrelavega, Cantabria, Spain
De Madonna A Madonna, DA2 Domus Artium 2002, Salamanca, Spain
OFF-SPRING: New Generations, 21c Museum, Cincinnati, Ohio
- 2012 *Cosa Mentale*, Paysage(s), Musée de La Roche-sur-Yon, France
De kleur van water, Zuiderzeemuseum Enkhuizen, The Netherlands
Performing for the Camera, ASU Art Museum, Tempe, Arizona
Latitudes Festival, Fotografia Huelva, Spain
ArtParis Espace Beaumont, Frant
ARCO Madrid, Espacio Liquido, Spain
- 2011 *Opening Exhibition*, Borusan Contemporary, Perili Köşk, İstanbul, Turkey
De Kunst van het Fotograferen (the art of Photography), Museum het Valkhof, Nijmegen, The Netherlands
Photo Event, Mechelen, Belgium
Jugada a 3 Bandas, Camara Oscura, Madrid, Spain
On the Other side of Twilight, Stedelijk Museum Den Bosch, The Netherlands
Dag & Nacht / Ellen Kooi, Astrid Kruse Jensen, duo-show with Astrid Kruse Jensen, Stedelijk Museum Den Bosch, The Netherlands
- 2010 *Fiac Paris (Beaumontpublic)*
Paris Photo (Beaumontpublic), Les Filles Du Calvaire
Exhibition at Institut Néerlandais, Paris, France
Out of Sight/ Hors de Vue, Institut Néerlandais, Paris, France
Contriving Inquiries, Seelevel Gallery at Het Magazijn, Amsterdam, the Netherlands
De pictura, canon pictórico e imagen contemporánea, EMAT, Valencia, Spain

		<i>Colección Norte 1996-2010</i> , Santander, Spain <i>Estancias, Residencias, Presencias</i> , Tenerife Espacio de las Artes, Tenerife, Spain
2009		<i>Dutch Art, 400 years of trade relatons Japan- The Netherlands</i> , Okura Hotel, Tokyo, Japan <i>Signs of the Apocalypse/ Rapture</i> , Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago, USA Gallery Beaumontpublic, Luxemburg, Luxemburg <i>The unforgettable Fire</i> , 25 years Torch Gallery, Kunsthall Rotterdam, Rotterdam, The Netherlands <i>NOK in MET</i> , Museum Bélvèdere, Heerenveen, The Netherlands
2008		<i>Whatever happened to your dreams (Fantasy)</i> , Galerie Les Filles Du Calvaire, Paris, France
2007		De kleur van Friesland, beeldende kunst na 1945, Fries Museum, The Netherlands <i>Whatever Happened to Your Dreams?</i> , Galerie Les Filles, Calvaire, Paris, France <i>NY C Photo</i> , Philips de Pury & Company, NY, USA <i>Paradise Gained</i> , LUMC, Leiden, The Netherlands <i>Figure It! The Human Factor in Contemporary Art</i> , Clay Center for the Arts, Charleston, West Virginia
2006		Catharine Clark Gallery, San Francisco, California <i>Arrebato</i> , Camara Oscura, Madrid, Spain <i>Architecture and Landscape Biennal of the Canaries</i> , Centro Atlantico de Arte Moderne, Grand Canaria, Spain <i>Night and Day</i> , Vishal Haarlem, The Netherlands <i>A Conflicting Encounter</i> , Gallery Beaumontpublic, Luxembourg, Luxembourg <i>Recent Photography</i> , PPOW Gallery, New York, New York <i>Out of Context</i> , The Fields Sculpture Park at Art Omni International Arts Center, New York <i>Trial Balloons</i> , Musac, Museo de Arte Contemporaneo de Castilla Y Leon, Spain <i>Travaux Recents</i> , with Hans Op De Beeck, Les Filles du Calvaire, Paris, France <i>Photography Biennale</i> , Moscow house of photography, Moscow, Russia <i>Van scheepswerf tot filmindustrie</i> , Amsterdam, The Netherlands <i>Untouchable Things</i> , Museum Centre Vapriikki, Tampere, Finland
2005		<i>Out There: Landscape in the New Millennium</i> , Museum of Contemporary Art, Cleveland <i>Constructed Moment</i> , KW14, Den Bosch, The Netherlands <i>Dutch Eyes/ Chrysalis</i> , Castello Svevo, Bari, Italy <i>HxBxD, Exhibition Collection Rabobank</i> , GEM, Gemeentemuseum & Fotomuseum, The Hague, The Netherlands <i>Going Dutch</i> , Museum of New Art, Michigan <i>Histoire(s) Parallèle(s), création-confrontation</i> , Pays-Bas, France; E.Kessels, The Netherlands; G.Bauret, France; FOAM, Amsterdam, The Netherlands <i>Bomen & Bossen</i> , Melkweg Gallery, Amsterdam, The Netherlands
2004		<i>Dreamscapes</i> , Aeroplastics Contemporary, Brussels, Belgium <i>Transhumance//6</i> , Le Château D'Eau-Toulouse, Toulouse, France
2003		<i>Verveemding in het Hollandse landschap</i> , University Groningen, The Netherlands <i>Potential Images of the World</i> , Speed Art Museum, Louisville, Kentucky <i>Artisites et petites mises en scènes</i> , Les Filles du Calvaire, Kanal 20 <i>Energy and physics of spirituality</i> , Westwood Gallery, New York, New York <i>Fotografen in Nederland 1852-2002</i> , Photo museum, The Hague, The Netherlands <i>Retrospective View, Photos from the collection</i> , Frans Hals Museum, Haarlem, The Netherlands

- 2002 *Faces, People and Society, hedendaagse fotografie*, Frans Hals Museum, Haarlem, The Netherlands
De Noorderbreedte collection, CBK, Groningen, The Netherlands
- 2001 *Met een knipoog van de camera*, Museum Het Kruithuis, Tilburg, The Netherlands
Revisited, Noorderlicht Festival, Galerie De Pijp, Groningen, The Netherlands
Les Intérieurs Du Monde, Exchange project with city's of Haarlem and Zaandstad, The Netherlands
- 2000 *Zien is geloven/ Seeing is believing*, Kunstestafette, Zuid-Holland, Gouda, The Netherlands
3 Photographers, De Vishal, Haarlem, The Netherlands
Commission, Province of Noord-Holland, The Netherlands
- 1999 *Public Price*, Kamper Kunstprijis, Kampen, The Netherlands
Photofestival Naarden, Naarden, The Netherlands
- 1998 *Een keuze*, Grote Kerk, The Hague, The Netherlands
De Fotografen van Minerva, Groningen, The Netherlands
- 1997 *Dog Hour*, Groningen, The Netherlands
Caleidoscoop, CBK Quadrant, Groningen, The Netherlands
Een hartstocht langs de 11 steden, Fries Museum, Leeuwarden, The Netherlands
- 1996 *Oog op A73*, Horst, Limburg, The Netherlands
- 1995 *Hold Still Keep Moving*, with the French composer Luc Ferrari, CBK, Groningen, The Netherlands
Grenzen van de Fotografie, KCB, Bergen, The Netherlands
Noorderlicht Festival, Groningen, The Netherlands
Vrijheid, CBK Assen, The Netherlands
- 1994 *Fragile*, Mercato Austria-Ungarico, Crema-Milaan, Italy
Open Ateliers, Rijksacademie, Amsterdam, The Netherlands
Made in Heaven, Utrecht, The Netherlands
- 1993 *Tijdelijk Asiel*, Arti et Amicitiae, Amsterdam, The Netherlands
Martinihal, Groningen, The Netherlands
Open Ateliers, Rijksacademie, Amsterdam, The Netherlands
- 1992 *Kunstlicht*, with Margré Romein, Fotomania, Rotterdam, The Netherlands
Ongerijmd, Surrealist Tendencies, Centre of Contemporary Art, CBK, Groningen, The Netherlands
- 1991 *Commotie in de A Kerk*, Der A kerk, Groningen, The Netherlands
Stadsverlangen, Noorderlicht Photo Festival, Groningen, The Netherlands

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SELECTED PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

21c Museum, Louisville, Kentucky
Achmea Kunstcollectie, The Netherlands
Artoteek Schiedam, The Netherlands
Beanet, The Netherlands
Borusan Contemporary, Turkey
Center of Contemporary Art (CBK), Groningen, The Netherlands
City Collection of Amersfoort, Amersfoort, The Netherlands
Collection Erasmus University, Rotterdam, the Netherlands
Collection Océ van der Grinten, The Netherlands
Collection Rabobank, The Netherlands
Colección Norte, Gobierno de Cantabria, Spain
Collection Hermès, Luxembourg
Colección Olor Visual, Barcelona, Spain
Collection Menzis, the Netherlands
Cristina Masaveu Peterson Fundation, Madrid, Spain
Collection VUMC, Amsterdam, the Netherlands
De Geestgronden Collection, The Netherlands
DSM Collection, The Netherlands
Fernando Fernández Colección, Santander, Spain
Frans Hals Museum, Haarlem, The Netherlands
FNV Foundation, The Netherlands
French State Collection (FNAC), Paris, France
Fries Museum, Leeuwarden, The Netherlands
Gasunie, Groningen, The Netherlands
ING Collection, The Netherlands
La Roche-sur-Yon Museum Collection, France
Los Bragales Colección, Santander, Spain
Marsh Collection, London, United Kingdom
Ministry of Foreign Affairs, The Netherlands
MoPA, (Museum of Photographic Arts) San Diego, USA
Museo de Arte Contemporáneo de Castilla Y Leon, Leon, Spain
Musée Français de la Photographie, Bièvres, France
Zaans Museum, Zaanstad, The Netherlands