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Education

- 2011 - 2012 - Residence at NIAf (Netherlands Institute of Animation film)
- 2004 - 2008 - Academy of Fine Arts and Design St. Joost, Animation Bachelor.
Internship: Animator at studio Hisko Hulsing, Amsterdam.
- 1998 - 2004 - Van Maerlant college, Eindhoven, VWO profile N&T

Experience (selection)

- apr. – dec. 2013 - Making 3 animation films about micro-organisms for the Artis MicroZoo. Commissioned by *Kossmann de Jong exhibition architects*.
Production: Bind & Sterk (former Stetz).
- 2011 – present - Direction & animation of independent stop-motion production *Finity Calling*. A film on death, life and everything in between.
Production: SeriousFilm, Walking the Dog (BE) & NIAf.
In production
- nov. 2013 - Designing and animating the leader for the VARA documentary series *EZ*, explaining the inner workings of the economic system.
- jul – okt 2013 - Directing a short film for Provincie Noord-Holland en Natuurmonumenten titled *The last crossing*.
Production: Mannen met Plannen
- dec.'12 – jun.2013 - Directing and Animating *Room for Sustainable Agriculture*. A 6 minute corporate animation commissioned by the Council for Environment and Infrastructure (RLI)
- Direction and Animation for 1 minute stop-motion cut-out animated film for *BeInformed* titled: *Modular*.
- Creating a stop motion animated promo film for papercraft company *Assembli* titled *Papershade*.
- 5 animated sequences for a film on alcohol abuse.
Commissioned by RIVM. Production: Mannen met Plannen
- *Interference* as one of the opening acts of *de vrede van Utrecht*.
Projected on a waterscreen right in front of town hall in de Oude Gracht.
- jan. – dec. 2012 - Animation/visual director for *Cloud Messenger*. A cross media performance with Live dance, music, electronics and spatial projections. Choreography: Hans Teurlings. Music: Fred Momotenko

- mar. - jun. 2012 - Co-direction with Jos Meijers on *Interference*. A 15 minute Dance film designed for outdoor projection on a 50 feet wide transparent waterscreen. (Opening film at FilmFront Festival 2012.)
- nov.'11- jun. 2012 - Direction and Animation for 1 minute stop-motion and 2D animation film for *BeInformed* titled: *Wishing*
 - Animation for *Vitens* corporate film
 - Animation for *Gasunie* corporate film.
 - Designing illustrated displays at the annual conference of the county of Amsterdam. With *Mannen met Plannen*.
- jan.2010 – feb.2012 - Residence at one of the six ateliers at the *Netherlands Institute for Animated Film* (NIAf): A grant, guidance and the use of a studio and on site facilities for two years.
- aug.-okt. 2011 - Installation with multiple screens titled *Tracing*. Displaying series of deteriorating popular images. Premiered at the Dutch Design Week in Eindhoven.
- jan.-jun.2010 - Stop-motion animations for *Noisia's Machinegun* video (*Dir: Superelectric, production: Poolworldwide*)
 - Illustrating my favorite song for the book *140 hits in art*,
- jul.-dec. 2009 - Animator/director on *City trip*, a 5 minute animated short made up of 10 independant parts created in a relay race by 10 directors.
 - Animator on *interactive painting* by *Wij doen dingen* (design by Joost Veerkamp)
 - Development of plans and storyboards for the animation films as part of MicroZoo (a zoo for microorganisms) in Artis Amsterdam. Commissioned by *Kossmann de Jong exhibition architects*.
 - Stop-motion leader for *Filmfront festival 2010*.
In cooperation with Ruben Pest (Retina film)
 - Creating 2 short drawn animations for *Rijkswaterstaat*
 - Style designs and backgrounds for Flemish animation film *Oxygen for everyone*.
- jan.-jun. 2009 - creating a short stop/motion film with *Mannen met Plannen* for the county of Amsterdam.
 - creating an animated 30 second commercial for the non profit organisation *Live Build*
 - Animation for *HEMA* commercial, created by *Miauuw*
 - Project for the *Cultuurnacht* (cultural night) in Breda. Creating a 30 meter wide projection on the old social security building. In coöperation with Roel van de Laar.
 - Illustrator on UK motion-comic the *Corpseflower* by *Des Webb*
- aug.-dec. 2008 - Creating a 5 minute drawn animation called Structures, funded by Dutch Political party *Groen Links*.
 - Creating a short stop-motion film for communication company *Maatschap van Communicatie*.

Workshops & classes

- 2009 - present - guest lecture for Animation master students at St joost.
 - 2 part animation workshop at Theresialyceum, Tilburg.
 - Workshop Stop-motion animation at *Regionaal Instituut voor Cultuur- en Kunsteducatie, Weert*.
 - 2 part Storyboarding course at the audiovisual department of the SAE institute in Rotterdam. (hbo audiovisual design)
 - 3 day Stop-motion animation workshops at *Maerlant college* in Den Bosch

Films/Works

Room for Sustainable Agriculture (2013)

The future of sustainable agriculture in the Netherlands is a bright one. It's getting there that's the hard part. In several shoebox diorama's the dilemma's of innovating one of the oldest sectors is demonstrated.

Modular (2012)

Cut-out paper animation of a constantly transforming animal, adapting to land, sea and air.

Interference (2012)

Co-directed with Jos Meijers.

It doesn't matter how close the dancers in this film approach each other, they never seem to be able to have actual contact. Learning to live with this comes with many hurdles.

Cloud Messenger (short film/trailer) (2012)

A short film combining Animation, dance and music.

The violent birth of a human life embodied in a fragmented choreography of light, air, blood and nerves.

Tracing (2011)

An installation of a series of deteriorating popular images. Copying every previous image by tracing it as accurately as possible, and repeating this process, makes the image deconstruct over time.

LiveBuild commercial (2009)

Drawn animation following the course of a coin from its donation all the way to the final brick in a building.

'Cultuurnacht' projection (2009)

A 30 meter wide projection on the facade of the old social security building, exposing its hidden insides to the outside world.

Structures (2009)

A hand drawn animated short about three elements in nature, the influence they have on their surroundings and on each other

ARCHIPEL, dialog of a city (2008)

A 5 minute stop-motion film in which an old man and his grandson talk about traditions.

Filmscreenings

(2008 – present)

ARCHIPEL, Dialog of a city

ANIFEST	Czech republic	CINANIMA	Portugal
NFF	Netherlands	BALKANIMA	Serbia
I CASTELLI ANIMATI	Italy	MATITA	Italy
Venice CIRCUITO OFF	Italy	CICAE AWARD	Italy, Spain,
Germany			
ANIM'EST	Romania	KAAF	Netherlands
EARLY MELONS student film	Slovakia	CARTOONS ON THE BAY	Italy
ANIMACAM (online)	Spain	ANIMASYROS	Greece
EUROSHORTS	Poland	BANG!	UK
GROUND 3	Netherlands	ANIMABASQUE	Spain
PLAYGROUNDS	Netherlands	FINAL CUT	UK
MISHORTS (online)	UK	BEGINNING	Russia
SCENICS	Netherlands	Côté Court	Belgium

Structures

ANIM'EST	Romania	NFF	Netherlands
KROK	Ukraine	ANIMABASQUE	Spain
HAFF	Netherlands	CELRA	Spain
NAOUSSA	Greece	WIZ-ART	Ukraine
ANIMANIMA	Serbia	MISHORTS (online)	UK
MAGMA MOSTRA	Italy	PANTHEON EXPERIMENTAL	Cyprus
FILM IN BRABANT tour	Netherlands	ANIMACAM (online)	Spain
ANIMASYROS	Greece	EUROSHORTS	Poland
BANG!	UK	SHORT FILM NICE	France
SCENICS	Netherlands	INSTITUT NEERLANDAIS	France
ArtCourtVide.	France	KULT	Switzerland
Agorda Cinema Italia	Italy	PULA PULA Film festival	Kroatia
Rijeka Art-Kino	Kroatia	Kranj Reflektor	Slovenia
Making Dox	Macedonia	Stufstock	Romania
CICAE/Circuito off	Italy	Cinema l'autan	France
EUROPE MANIA	Hungary	Bloefeest	Netherlands
Land-Art expo 13 HECTARE	Netherlands		

Nominations/Awards

Nomination NFF student award	Netherlands
Nomination ARTOLIVE young talent	Netherlands
Nomination CICAIE AWARD, Italy, Spain, Germany, Portugal	
Award Special Jury prize Linoleum FF	St.Petersburg, Russia (for film: City Trip)

Exhibitions

Okt. 2011	- <i>Tracing</i> at the <i>Dutch Design Week</i> as part of the <i>Crafts Matter</i> expo
apr. 2009	- Participation in the international exhibition on Surrealism and stop-motion animation: <i>Dreamcreatures</i> in <i>Medialab Enschede</i>
nov. 2008	- Participation in the <i>Bouwhouse</i> project by <i>stichting RAC</i> in the Hague.
okt. 2008	- Nominated for the art award: <i>Young Talent 2008</i> and participation in the Group exhibit <i>young talent</i> in the <i>Westergasfabriek</i> in Amsterdam.
2008-2011	- Works made In cooperation with Sven Fritz, shown in exhibitions at Art Amsterdam, Amsterdam (2010), Artipoli , Noorden (2009), and in Various exhibitions across the Netherlands.

Software

Experienced with image and animation software like Adobe After effects, Photoshop, Premiere, TV paint and stop-motion software such as Dragon, stop-motion pro etc.