# Art Rotterdam 2022: NN Art Award in Projections

twenty-third edition from February 10 to 13, 2022



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The twenty-third edition of Art Rotterdam runs from 10 to 13 February 2022 and highlights the latest developments in contemporary art. Within the UNESCO World Heritage Site Van Nelle Factory, more than 100 leading galleries show the work of up-and-coming and established talent across a floor area of 10,000 m2. The video section Projections has formed an essential part of Art Rotterdam for ten years and now appears in a new format: for the first time video presentations are included within Gallery exhibitions.

# **NN Art Award Nominees**

The NN Art Award, an incentive prize for talented artists with a completed art education in the Netherlands, will experience its sixth edition in 2022. The jury, which was greatly impressed by the high quality of the works presented, consists of: Yuki Kho, cultural journalist; Alexandra Landré, artistic director, Stroom, The Hague; Charl Landvreugd, head of research & curatorial practice, Stedelijk Museum Amsterdam; Erik Mattijssen, visual artist and winner of the NN Art Award 2021; Elisah van den Bergh, advisor, NN Art Collection.

The nominees for the NN Art Award 2022 were announced on Wednesday 8 December: Inez de Brauw - Brinkman & Bergsma Vytautas Kumža - Galerie Martin van Zomeren Thierry Oussou - Lumen Travo Galerie Jennifer Tee - Galerie Fons Welters









Inez de Brauw Brinkman & Bergsma Hallway series, 'Opening', oil and acrylic on wooden panels, epoxy, no frame 160 x 200 cm Vytautas Kumža Galerie Martin van Zomeren Fingertip (2021) Ink-jet print on archival paper, stained glass, lead, aluminium frame, 50 x 40 cm

Thierry Oussou Lumen Travo Galerie Untitle 2020 203 x 301 cm Jennifer Tee Galerie Fons Welters Tampan the collected bodies, 184 x 135 cm

The presentation of the NN Award will take place in the Van Nelle Factory on Wednesday 9 February, at 12.30 pm. The winner will receive a cash prize of €10,000; in addition, NN Group will purchase one or more works by the four nominees for its corporate collection.

## Audience Award

The public can vote online from mid-January to midnight on Saturday 12 February via the Nationale-Nederlanden website. It's also possible to vote at the exhibition stand during Art Rotterdam from Wednesday 9 to Saturday 12 February. The winner will be announced online on Sunday afternoon, February 13. The public favorite will receive a cash prize of €5,000. An online article about both winners will be published on GalleryViewer.com.

#### Projections

The Projections video section will return in the coming edition with a completely new format. The video presentations take place in the booths of selected galleries that have an additional video space in their exhibition for this purpose. The new setup offers artists and galleries the opportunity to show their works in a broader perspective.



Galerie Maurits van de Laar Robbie Cornelissen Terra Nova, 2021, a sound design: Uli Kürner, editing: Sara Cornelissen



Eric Mouchet Gallery Capucine Vever La Relève (Succession), 2019, Vidéo 4K, Musique: Valentin Ferré, 14:43, min Ed. 3 + 2AP



Annet Gelink Gallery Minne Kersten Constant Companion, 2021, 4K,16:9, color, stereo, 7.89 min cycle



andriesse~eyck galerie RORY PILGRIM THE UNDERCURRENT, 2019, HD Film, 50:00

An overview of the participants of Projections: Projections

# Rotterdam Art Week 2022

Art Rotterdam Art week 2022 Art Rotterdam is once again at the heart of Rotterdam Art Week, which has grown into a must-visit for art, design and architecture enthusiasts. By joining forces, another great program has been put together for Rotterdam Art Week visitors. During this edition, there are countless special exhibition openings in museums and art institutions, as well as guided tours, pop-up shows, fairs and open studios, all of which enhance and enliven the art atmosphere in the city. The full program can be accessed at: <u>Rotterdamartweek.info</u>

## Over Art Rotterdam

Art Rotterdam is a renowned art fair. Every year, it provides a stage for the latest developments in the visual arts. The sharp focus on young art, the variety of the different sections, the connection with the city of Rotterdam and the fascinating location give Art Rotterdam a unique perspective. Art Rotterdam offers an attractive alternative for an increasing number of art enthusiasts from the international art fair circuit, bringing more visitors from home and abroad every year.

Art Rotterdam's online catalogue can be viewed on <u>GalleryViewer.com</u> prior to the fair. This catalog includes all works of art exhibited by the galleries, as well as a price range. A short biography, videos and recommendations are included for each artist .

<u>GalleryViewer.com</u> is Art Rotterdam's online platform that offers support to potential art buyers with a future art purchase. The site maintains an extensive database of artworks, exhibitions and artist profiles. The more than 45 participating galleries have been selected for their high-quality range of work. GalleryViewer, which aims for transparency and education for a wide audience, provides information online, stimulating the real art experience that takes place in the gallery.

An overview of the participants: Artrotterdam.com/en/galleries/

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Art Rotterdam www.artrotterdam.com Thursday February 10 to Sunday February 13, 2022 Van Nelle Fabriek | Van Nelleweg 1 | 3044 BC | Rotterdam The catalogue will be published a week prior to the fair on: GalleryViewer.com Tickets are only available online from January 1 | € 22,50 per ticket | via ArtRotterdam.com



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