

Curriculum Vitae Julia Van Koolwijk

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Professional Activities

- **Since 2009:** Work for the international relief organization “Embracing the World”
 - Overseas stays
 - Exchange projects
 - Teaching activities
 - Reportages
- **2008:** Photo portraits for the art magazine “Monopol”
- **Since 2004:** Founder of Studio Maria von der Heide, Düsseldorf
 - 2004-2014: Own publishing house, “Verlag Studio Maria von der Heide”
- **Since 1997:** National and international exhibitions in the field of Fine Arts

Education

- **1988 – 1996:** Studied at the Kunstakademie Düsseldorf
 - Master student of Prof. Fritz Schwegler
 - Academy Certificate
 - Study stays in San Francisco and Paris

Teaching Activities

- **2013 – 2022:** JAA Düsseldorf
- **2012 – 2018:** Kunstakademie Düsseldorf with Stefan Hostettler, class of Prof. Andreas Gursky
- **2010 – 2022:** International Youth Education Ayudh
- **Winter Semester 2010, University of Paderborn:** Teaching in the field of sculpture with Prof. Sara Hornäk
- **Since 2006:** Teaching at the NGO Embracing the World

Bibliography (Selection)

- “Fascinating Documents,” Stiftung Museum Kunstpalast
- Portrait: Kris Martin, Monopol 9/2011
- Portrait: Panamarenko, Monopol 4/2011
- Portrait: Reinhard Mucha, Monopol 11/2009
- “Fotos schreiben Kunstgeschichte,” DuMont, 2008
- “The Thread,” Koroska Gallery of Fine Arts, Slovenia
- “Running Mars,” 2004, Pan Kunstforum
- “Emprise Art Award,” 2004, Award Winner
- “Bergischer Kunstpreis,” 2004, Museum Solingen
- “Women in the Orient and Occident,” 2003, Gedok Karlsruhe
- “Photography Young West,” 2003, Museum Recklinghausen
- “Anwesend/Abwesend,” 2001, Raum 38
- “Und keiner hinkt,” 2001

Publications

As Publisher: Verlag Maria von der Heide (2005-2014): "Pflanzenfreunde", 2005 "Alles in Allem" by Julia van Koolwijk, 2006 "Joseph Sappier", 2006 "Get Together Campaign" by Claus Föttinger, J. Overberg, 2007 "Ursula Ströbele, Volume 1", 2008 "Wind" by Susanne Fasbender, 2008 "Adonisepot", Susanne Ristow 2009

- "Hey Curacao," Verlag Editora Kalango, 2016
- "O Novo eo Mundo," Verlag Editora Kalango, 2015
- "Modellstück," Verlag Wunderhorn, 2009

Works in Collections

- Kunstmuseum Düsseldorf
- Emprise Collection Düsseldorf
- Museum Kranenburg
- Flaskamp Collection, Düsseldorf

Exhibitions (Selection)

2024:

- Group Exhibition: "Botanik," Malkasten Düsseldorf
- "Lady Liberty," Urban Space Project
- "Mut und Sinnlichkeit II," Galerie Neubrückstr. 6, Düsseldorf

2023:

- "Bernsteinzimmer," July 07 to September 17

2022:

- "Lady Liberty," Urban Space Project
- "Mut und Sinnlichkeit II," Galerie Neubrückstr. 6, Düsseldorf

2021:

- Solo Exhibition: "Flags in Public Space," Project in the outdoor area of Studio Maria von der Heide

2020:

- Solo Exhibition: "Why Bees Love Art," Public Art, Düsseldorf Main Station

2019:

- Solo Exhibition: "Game Pieces," Art Collection Georg Verhas, Art and Architecture
- Solo Exhibition: "Taste of Honey," Malkasten Düsseldorf
- Solo Exhibition: "Art in Love," Mallorca

2016:

- Group Exhibition: "Neue Enden II," Gerson-Höger Kunstraum, Hamburg

2015:

- Group Exhibition: "Neue Enden," Kasseler Kunstverein

2013:

- Solo Exhibition: "Amigo de Fogo," Stiftung Terra Mirim
- Group Exhibition: Kunstmuseum Düsseldorf, "Fascinating Documents"

2012:

- "Orizont-Transplant," Centrul Cultural Palatele Brâncovenești, Romania
- "Kunstfilmtag," Malkasten

2011:

- "Fascinating Documents," Museum "Moscow House of Photography"
- "Gucken wir mal/Transplant," Marian Zidaru & Guests
- "Back from Bucharest," Atelier am Eck, Düsseldorf
- "Bucharest – Düsseldorf," German-Eastern European Forum Düsseldorf
- Art Project "Sa aruncam o privire – Gucken wir mal," Centrul Cultural Palatele Brâncovenești, Mogosoaia, Romania
- National Museum of the Romanian Peasant, Bucharest, Romania (with Ulrike Kessler, Julia van Koolwijk, Marian and Victoria Zidaru)
- Museum Schloss Mogosia, Bucharest

2010:

- Group Exhibition: "Freie Zimmer," Hugenottenhaus

2009:

- Art Film Day, Malkasten
- World Premiere: "Susanne in Ihrem Adonis Depot," Kunsthalle Düsseldorf and Capribatterie, Naples