

## **NELLEKE BELTJENS**

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Born: Roermond, the Netherlands 1974

**Education:** 1999-2001 M.F.A Art Studio. University of California, Davis.

1997-1998 M.A Sculpture. Northern Illinois University, DeKalb.

1992-1996 Academie voor Beeldende Vorming (Academy of Visual Arts)

Tilburg, the Netherlands.

### **Solo exhibitions:**

2017 (coming up. two person show) Galerie Katwijk, Amsterdam, the Netherlands

2016 (coming up) Galerie Christian Lethert, Cologne, Germany.

2013 Galerie Christian Lethert, Cologne, Germany. *irresistible non-solution*

2012 Galerie Katwijk, Amsterdam, the Netherlands. *(re)move*

2011 Galerie Christian Lethert, Cologne, Germany. *They don't know either*

Volta NY. Solo presentation, represented by Galerie Christian lethert.

2010 Kunstverein Leverkusen. Leverkusen, Germany. *Immense*

2009 Hosfelt Gallery, San Francisco. *Apparently*

Kunst Zurich, Switzerland. Solo presentation.

Galerie Christian Lethert, Cologne, Germany. *Fragments of the Parts*

2007 Hosfelt Gallery, San Francisco. *Complex-Incomplete Completion*

2004 Hosfelt Gallery, San Francisco. *Repetition in Diversity*

2003 Hosfelt Gallery, San Francisco. *Seeking Subtleties*

2000 Ellen Kim Murphy Gallery, Bergamot Station, Santa Monica, CA. *Together a part.*

Hosfelt Gallery, San Francisco. *Tussen / Between.*

1999 Hosfelt Gallery, San Francisco. *Solidified Thoughts*

### **Museum shows:**

2012 Villa Zanders, Bergisch Gladbach, Germany. *RE/PRO/DUCING COMPLEXITY*

Artist include: Nelleke Beltjens (NL), Hedwig Brouckaert (B), Jorinde Voigt (D).

2011 Museum Dhondt-Dhaenens, Deurle, Belgium. *RE/PRO/DUCING COMPLEXITY*

Artist include: Nelleke Beltjens (NL), Hedwig Brouckaert (B), Jorinde Voigt (D).

2005 Stedelijk Museum, Roermond, the Netherlands. Group show.

2004 Ludwig Museum Koblenz, Germany. *Personal Structures.* Group show.

1998 Terra Museum, Chicago. *1998: New Artist in Chicago.* Group show.

### **Group shows (selection):**

2016 (coming up) Kunst Raum, NYC

(coming up) Kulturbunker, Cologne, Germany

(coming up) Museum group show, Bangkok, Thailand

Kala Art Institute, Berkeley, California

Galerie Christian Lethert, Cologne, Germany

2015 Galerie Christian Lethert, Cologne, Germany

2014 Galerie Christian Lethert, Cologne, Germany  
 Stephane Simoens Contemporary Fine Art. *Between The Lines*. Knokke, Belgium.  
 2013 Galerie Christian Lethert, Cologne, Germany.  
 National Gallery of Bangkok, Thailand. *Project 3x3*  
 2012 Kuckei +Kuckei, Berlin, Germany. *Rethinking Reality*.  
 Hosfelt Gallery, San Francisco. *Look both ways*.  
 Stephane Simoens Contemporary Fine Art, Knokke, Belgium.  
 2011 Loods 6. Represented by Galerie Katwijk, Amsterdam, the Netherlands.  
 Hosfelt Gallery, San Francisco. *Time Flies*.  
 Galerie Christian Lethert, Cologne, Germany. *Group show*.  
 2010 Inde/Jacobs, Marfa, Texas. Two person show with Hadi Tabatabai.  
 Galerie Christian Lethert, Cologne, Germany. *Group show*.  
 2009 New York Hosfelt Gallery. *Black and White*. New York.  
 Galerie Christian Lethert, Cologne, Germany. *Group show*.  
 2008 Helen E. Copeland Gallery, Bozeman, MT. RE/PRO/DUCING COMPLEXITY  
 with Nelleke Beltjens, Hedwig Brouckaert, Jorinde Voigt.  
 bk hf Gallery, Miami. *Crossing Borders*.  
 Block. Sacramento. *Judi*.  
 Block. Sacramento. *Mark*.  
 2007 Galerie Hafenrichter&Flugel, Nuremberg, Germany. *Personal Structures*.  
 1078 Gallery, Chico, California. *Distinctions in drawing*.  
 Art et Amicitiae, Amsterdam, the Netherlands. *Personal Structures*.  
 2006 Art Capelli, s'Hertogenbosch, the Netherlands.  
 Galerie Lausberg, Dusseldorf, Germany. *Schwarzweiss als Farbe*.  
 Hosfelt Gallery NY, New York. *Delineation*.  
 Galerie Goldener Engl. Hall near Innsbruck. Austria.  
 Hosfelt Gallery NY, New York. *Group show*.  
 Lucas Feichtner Galerie, Vienna, Austria.  
 2005 Auden Galerie, Bad Homburg, Germany. *Personal Structures*.  
 Krijger en Katwijk, Amsterdam, the Netherlands. *Group show*.  
 2004 Arti Capelli, 's-Hertogenbosch, the Netherlands.  
 Mills College Art Museum, Oakland, CA. *The world becomes a private world*.  
 2002 Contemporary Sculptures. 505 Montgomery. San Francisco, CA.  
 Jay Jay Gallery, Sacramento, CA. *Comers and up*.  
 2000 Bay Area Student Sculpture Biennial, San Francisco, CA.  
 1998 tidbit Gallery. Portland, Oregon. Two person show. *Amsterdam*.  
 1997 Norris Gallery, St.Charles, Illinois.  
 Skuggi Gallery. Rockford, Illinois.  
 Olsen Gallery, DeKalb, Illinois. *Ars Nova*.

**Art fairs (last 4 years):**

2015 Art Cologne represented by Galerie Christian Lethert.  
 2014 Drawing NOW represented by Galerie Christian Lethert (as focus artist)  
 Art Brussels represented by Galerie Christian Lethert and by Stephane Simoens  
 Contemporary Fine Art.  
 2013 Drawing NOW represented by Galerie Christian lethert.

Art Brussels represented by Stephane Simoens Contemporary Fine Art.  
NADA Miami represented by Galerie Christian Lethert.  
Art Cologne represented by Galerie Christian Lethert.  
2012 NADA Miami represented by Galerie Christian Lethert.  
ARCO Madrid represented by Galerie Christian Lethert.  
RAW art fair Rotterdam represented by Galerie Roger Katwijk Amsterdam.  
2011 VOLTA NY solo presentation represented by Galerie Christian lethert.  
2010 VOLTA Basel represented by Galerie Christian Lethert.  
2009 KUNST Zurich solo presentation by Galerie Christian lethert.

**Teaching positions/experience:**

2007- Dec.2011 Assistant Professor and Head of the Sculpture Department at the Montana State University, Bozeman. Montana.  
2006 Chico State University, Chico. California. Sabbatical replacement position Aug.- Dec.

**Residencies and awards:**

2016 6 weeks residency at VCCA, Virginia.  
2015 2 month residency at Kaus Australis, Rotterdam, the Netherlands  
2014 Residency at VCCA, Virginia. 9 weeks.  
2014 Residency at MacDowell Colony, NH. 6 weeks.  
2013 Residency at VCCA, Virginia.  
Residency at Yaddo, NY.  
Residency at Playa, Summer Lake, Or.  
2012 VCCA 2 months residency, Virginia.  
MacDowell Colony 2 months residency, NH.  
Residency for 6 weeks at CCA Andratx, Andratx, Mallorca, Spain.  
Residency at Hommes Foundation, Rotterdam, the Netherlands.  
2010 Scholarship and Creativity Grant, Montana State University, Bozeman, MT.  
2008 Residency at KALA art Institute, Berkeley, CA.  
2006 Basisstipendium, Art Grant Award awarded by the Fonds voor Beeldende Kunsten, Vormgeving en Bouwkunst, Amsterdam, the Netherlands.  
2003 Residency at the MacDowell Colony for 6 weeks.  
2002 Residency at the Ucross Foundation. WY.  
Residency VermontStudioCenter.  
2001 Basisstipendium, Art Grant Award awarded by the Fonds voor Beeldende Kunsten, Vormgeving en Bouwkunst, Amsterdam, the Netherlands.

**Book and magazine publications:**

2015 Catalog: *it is not how I thought*. Drawings by Nelleke Beltjens. Text by Rollin Beamish.  
2012 Catalog: *Re/Pro/Ducing Complexity*. Project publication with Nelleke Beltjens, Hedwig Brouckaert, Jorinde Voigt.  
2011 *RISING-young artists to keep an eye on*. Book project, Cologne, Germany.  
2010 *IMMENSE* catalog. Drawings by Nelleke Beltjens. Text by P.lodermeyer and Jonathon Keats.

*SILENCE IN ABUNDANCE* works from Hadi Tabatabai and Nelleke Beltjens  
2009 *Personal Structures: Time-Space-Existence*. Book. pag.298-301  
2008 ART Das Kunstmagazin. RADAR. (10/27/2008)  
2006 SCULPTURE Magazine article by Peter Lodermeier. July/Aug Pag.52-59.  
2003 *Personal Structures* (book#1). Published in Dutch, German, and English.