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GREET HELSEN

Greet Helsen is a Switzerland-based Belgian artist known for her colorful abstract paintings inspired by the natural world.

Greet Helsen was born in 1962 in Hoogstraten, Belgium. Following her graduation in 1984 from her art studies with B. Assenza she continued her independent educational and artistic works.

In 1986 Helsen founded her own art school in Dortmund, Germany which she also directed for twelve years. Following a short time off from teaching while focusing on her creative growth, she gave classes until 2012 at the Assenza art school in Münchenstein. She then took over the management of the NetzWerk art school Münchenstein, Switzerland. Greet Helsen works and lives near Basel, Switzerland.



In her abstract works she uses mainly acrylic paint, but uses it like watercolor paint, breathing life into her paintings. The shimmering colored areas are superimposed and transparent and are accentuated by ink lines and white light reflecting fields of color. This process produces artworks with unmistakable lightness and softness, achieved by harmonious combinations of bright color blocks and lines set against white backgrounds.

EXHIBITIONS

2016 Galerie Kunststücke, Munich, Germany
Galerie Mollwo, StArt Strasbourg, France
Stadtgalerie Bad Soden, Germany
Galerie Doris Hoelder, Ravensburg, Germany
Galerie Brötzing Art, Pforzheim, Germany
Artspace Warehouse, Los Angeles, USA

2015 Galerie Kunstreich Bern, Switzerland
Kunstverein Norden, Germany
Galerie Kunststücke München, Germany
Galerie Mollwo, Riehen/Basel, Switzerland

2014 Affordable Art Fair Hamburg, Germany
ArtFair Köln, Galerie Mollwo, Cologne, Germany
Kunstverein Bahlingen, Germany
Galerie Interart, Heeswijk-Dinther, Netherlands
Kunstwarenhaus Zurich, Switzerland
Affordable Art Fair Amsterdam, Netherlands

2013 Artspace Warehouse, Los Angeles, USA
Artfair Cologne, Gallery Mollwo, Germany
Gallery Mollwo, Riehen / Basel, Switzerland

2012 Artfair Cologne, Gallery Mollwo, Germany
Landhof, Pratteln, Switzerland

2011 ArtFair Cologne, Gallery Mollwo, Germany
Gallery Reitz, Cologne, Germany
Gallery Mollwo, Riehen/Basel, Switzerland

2010 Gallery Mollwo, Riehen / Basel, Switzerland

2008 Bürgerspital, Basel, Switzerland
Gallery Wohnwerk, Chur, Switzerland



Exhibition and Work in Progress Kuratorium, Basel, Switzerland

2007 Burgfelderhof, Basel, Switzerland
Gallery Eigenart, Karlsruhe, Germany
Exhibition and Work in Progress Kuratorium, Basel, Switzerland

2006 Exhibition and Work in Progress Kuratorium, Basel, Switzerland

2005 Exhibition and Work in Progress Kuratorium, Basel, Switzerland

2004 Exhibition and Work in Progress Kuratorium, Basel, Switzerland

2003 Gallery 76, Freiburg, Germany