

Karen Sargsyan CV

Born 1973, Yerevan, AM

Based in Amsterdam and Arnhem

Education

2006-2007 Rijksakademie van beeldende kunsten/Dutch Ministry of Education, Culture and Science, Amsterdam, NL

Residencies

2019 Centre Pompidou - Metz, FR

2018 Tower of David Museum, Jerusalem, IZ

2014 DordtYart 2014, Dordrecht, NL

2012 SECCA (Southeastern Center for Contemporary Art), Winston-Salem, NC, USA

2011 AMBACH&RICE, LA,USA

2008 Villa Romana, Florence, IT

2008 Hudson Valley Center for Contemporary Art, Peekskill (NY), USA

2006, 2007 Rijksakademie van Beeldende Kunsten

Fellowships/stipends

2019 Mondrian Foundation “ Ope’ra Monde “

2018 Mondrian Foundation “ rock paper scissors “

2017 Mondrian Foundation “ dialog with green”

2016 Awarding Stipendium Program for Established Artists, Mondrian Foundation

2015 Dommering Foundation “ toastmodern”

2014 DordtYart “ temple of sciences”

2013 Amsterdams Fonds voor de Kunst “ the 9 muses”

2012 Fbkvb

2008, 2009, 2010, 2011 FBKVB

2006-2007 Dutch Ministry of Foreign Affairs/DCO/IC, NL

Artist talk, lectures and masterclasses

Art Brussels - artist talk

ArtEZ Art & Design Enschede, - lectures

Groninger Museum - artist talk, masterclasses, workshop

Jan Cunen Museum - workshop, masterclasses

Bhutan International Art Festival - artist talk ,workshop, masterclasses

Alanica Art Symposium- artist talk, masterclasses, workshop

DordtYart,-artist talk

Tower of David Museum, masterclasses, workshop

Awards

2007 First prize 'Thieme Art Award' The most promising artist of the year

Group and upcoming Exhibitions

2020 “ Verzoening” Museum Moderne Kunsten Arnhem, NL

2019 “ Sign of the times” jan Cunen Museum, NL

2019 “Ope’ra Monde” Centre Pompidou - Metz, FR

2017 Anniversary exhibition 30 year , SBK Sout east , Amsterdam, NL

2016 Museum Diepenheim, NL

2015 Moskow biennale, RU

2015 Manifesta, Amsterdam, NL

2015 Abn Amro group exhibition, Amsterdam, NL

2015 Cultura Nova Theater Festival, theater Heerlen, NL

2015 Museum Schunck, Super Nova, Heerlen, NL

2015 Jan Cunen Museum , Oss, NL

2015 Bhutan International Art Festival, Bhuthan, BT

2014 DordtYart 2014, Dordrecht, NL

2014 Alanica Art Symposium , NCCA's Vladikavkaz, RU

2013 Coup de Ville , Sint-Niklaas, Belgium, BE

2013 Galería José Robles, Madrid, SP

2013 Stedelijk Museum Kampen, Kampen, NL

2012 Southeastern Center for Contemporary Art , Museum (SECCA), NC, USA

2012 “Migrasophia” Maraya Contemporary Art Centre, Sharjah, UAE

2012 Gallery LUMC “Dimensies van papier” , Leiden, NL

2012 Museum Hilversum “ Figuurlijk” , Hilversum, NL

2012 Distinctively Dutch Festival, Pittsburgh, PA, USA

2011 “Material World” Groninger Museum, Groningen, NL <http://www.groningermuseum.nl/en/press/2011/press-release-material-world-art-design-and-fashion>

2010 Holland Paper Biennale , Coda Museum, Apeldoorn, NL

2010 Ministry of Education,Culture and Science, Den Haag, NL

2010 CBK Zuidoost “ Edgar Cairo” Amsterdam, NL

2009 Wooff wooff or who killed richard wagner - performance by barre land), Groninger Museum, Groningen, NL, Centraal Museum Utrecht, Utrecht, NL

2009 CODA Museum , Apeldoorn, NL

2009 ‘StressedSpaces’, KW14, s-Hertogenbosch, NL

2009 ‘Made in Arnhem’, Museum of Modern Art , Arnhem, NL

2009 The Dutch Parliament, Den Haag, NL
2009 Gallery Ambach & Rice , Seattle, (WA), USA
2009 Wonderland, Museum KadE , Amersfoort, NL
2009 Gallery Juliette Jongma, Amstrdam, NL
2009 Double Dutch, Hudson Valley Center for Contemporary Art, Peekskill , NY, USA

(Selected) and upcoming solo exhibitions 2007-2021

2021 “ Tollens Gedichten” Museum Rijswijk, NL

2020 “ A look at the classics of surrealism. Dialogue with Elsa Schiaparelli’ , Kersgallery, Amsterdam, NL

2019 “ Dialoog” Jan Cunen Museum

2018 “ Rock, Paper, Scissors” Tower of David Museum, Jerusalem, IZ

2016 Gallery Juliette Jongma, Amsterdam, NL

2014 Gallery Plaatsmaken, Arnhem, NL

2014 "The small stories" Ambach&Rice, LA, USA <http://www.latimes.com/entertainment/arts/culture/la-et-cm-review-karen-sargsyan-20140210-story.html>

2011 "Prisoners of conscience" Gallery Ambach&Rice, LA,USA <http://latimesblogs.latimes.com/culturemonster/2011/12/art-review-karen-sargsyan-ambach-rice.html>

2009 ' Abroad Understanding ' Hudson Valley Center for Contemporary Art, Peekskill (NY), USA http://www.nytimes.com/2009/05/03/nyregion/westchester/03artwe.html?_r=0

2009 Gallery Ambach&Rice , Seattle,WA,USA

2009 Gallery Juliëtte Jongma, Amsterdam, NL

2008 "The Theory of Art', Fris Museum, Buro Leeuwarden, Leeuwarden, NL

2008 Villa Romana, Florance, ITA

2008 Pierrotting, Gallery Juliëtte Jongma, Amsterdam, NL

2008 The Touching, Art Amsterdam, Amsterdam, NL

2008 'Hamlet', Suzie Q Projects, Bob van Orsow Gallery, Zurich, SW

2008 'Rehearsal', Galerie Juliëtte Jongma, Amsterdam, NL

(Selected) group exhibitions 1999- 2007

2007'Prospect Park II' , Bonnefanten Museum, Maastricht, NL

2007 Harris Lieberman, 'Zes', New York (NY), USA,

2007 Marc Foxx Gallery, 'Zes' Los Angeles (CA), USA,

2007 Museum de Fundatie ,Kasteel het Nijenhuis, Heino, 'Schelter:

2007 Tenten, hutten en andere schuilplaatsen', NL

2007 European Kunsthalle, Köln, DE, 'KölnShow 2' Galerie Cristian Nagel, DE

2007 Dutch Ministry of Education, Culture and Science, NL

2007 Open Studios, Rijksakademie, Amsterdam, NL

2006 Open Studio's, Rijksakademie van Beeldende Kunsten, Amsterdam ,NL

2006 'Rijksakademie at Parts' Parts, Xiamen City, CN

1999 Sonsbeek Museum, Arnhem, NL

(Selected) artfairs 2007-2017

Art Rotterdam, (with Gallery Juliëtte Jongma, Amsterdam, NL)

Art Amsterdam, (with Gallery Juliëtte Jongma, Amsterdam, NL)

Nada, (with Gallery Juliëtte Jongma, Amsterdam, NL) USA

Nada, (with Gallery Ambach & Rice , Seattle,WA,) USA

Fiac, (with Gallery Juliëtte Jongma, Amsterdam, NL) FR

Frieze, (with Gallery Juliëtte Jongma, Amsterdam, NL) GB

Arco, (with Gallery Bob van Orsow, Zurich, ZW) SP

Art Basel, (with Gallery Bob van Orsow, Zurich, ZW) USA

Art Brussels ,(with Gallery Juliëtte Jongma, Amsterdam) BE

Art LA, (with Gallery Ambach & Rice , LA,CA) USA

Art Rotterdam spetial project DordtYart

Amsterdam Art fair, (with Gallery Juliëtte Jongma, Amsterdam, NL), NL

(Selected) articles and reviews

2007 - 2017

Esther Darley, overview Art Amsterdam, Kunstbeeld #

Sandra Spijkerman, review on Art Amsterdam, Trouw, 7

Paola van de Velde, review on the artist, De Telegraaf, 2

Judith van Meeuwen, Kunstbeeld 1/2008

NRC Handelsblad, 'Maandenlang streepjes zetten. Kunstenaars op achtste Art

Rotterdam kiezen voor ingetogenheid', Machteld Leij

NRC Handelsblad, 'Grimmige en raadselachtige

miniatuurkleisels', Marina de Vries, (7 March)

Het Financieele Dagblad, 'Strijdtoneel in zachte pasteltinten',

Manon Berendse, (16 June)

Monopol, ausstellungen Koln2show

Mister Motley nr. 14 2007, Hanne Hagens p. 54-55

De Volkskrant, Marina de Vries

Metropolis M, Ingrid Commandeur <http://metropolism.com/magazine/2007-no6/de-utopie-van-een-knipselkoning/>

The New York Times “ Sculpture Born of Scissors and Paper”

Benjamin Gnocchio (03 may)

Los Angeles Times art review : Karen Sargsyan at Ambach & Rice

De Telegraaf (DordtYart)

Het Financieele Dagblad (DordtYart)

De Telegraaf “ dynamish geknip “ Kees Keijer

2018 Times of Israel

Publications, Media

2008 The Touching, monograph Karen Sargsyan, Thieme Publishers, Amsterdam Adriaan van der Staay, Imagining emotion, art as a binding

element in contemporary society, Rijksakademie van beeldend kunsten, NL

2009 Stressed Spaces KW 14

Unlocked # 2.5 Rabo Art Collection

Wonderland KAdE

M.I.A invites

2010 Beautiful/Decay Magazin

Artasiapacific Magazine

AVRO Kunstuur

Material World , Groninger Museum

Horizon TV live interview, LA

Artist talk at Art Brussel

2012 “ Migrasophia” Maraya

2013 Paperless , SECCA

Coupe de Ville “ attracted by another level ”

2014 Alanica Art catalog

2015 DirdtYart catalog

2016 Abn Amro Art catalog

2018 Pallet Magazine

Collections

Maraya Art Collection

Bonnefanten Museum Art Collection

KRC Collection

AMC Collection

Rabo Art Collection

HVCCA Art Collection

Nederlandse Bank Art Collection

Achmea Art Collection

Prive Art Collections

National Russian Art Collection

Abn Amro Art Collection

Tower of David Museum collection

Museum Lam in Lisse collection

Bob and Rene Drake collection

Jan Cunen Museum cillections