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## MARIA NEEFJES

Longing for space and light.

The work of Maria Neefjes has a strongly expressionistic radiance. This seems astonishing because she sets to work in an entirely compositional way; she intertwines and mingles various perspectives, details of vistas, but also impressions of scent and other bodily sensations. Selectively and rigidly she weights each new element while remaining loyal to the monumental intention of her work.

### WEBSITES

CV a selection of artwork in different skills, commissions and exhibitions.

[www.marianeefjes.nl](http://www.marianeefjes.nl)

[Pulchri Studio.nl](http://Pulchri Studio.nl)

[TripleAProjects.nl](http://TripleAProjects.nl)

### SOCIAL MEDIA

[www.marianeefjes.nl](http://www.marianeefjes.nl)

### MEMBER OF A PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION/ARTISTS' ASSOCIATION

Pulchri Studio Den Haag

## EDUCATION

1986 - Architecture Wolf D. Prix CBK Zeeland,  
1986 Middelburg

1961 - drawing and painting Den Haag, KABK  
1966 diploma

1961 - Royal Academy Of Art, department Free Art  
1966 drawing and painting. Den Haag, Koninklijke  
Academie van Beeldende Kunsten diploma

## EXHIBITIONS

2024 Een Winter Aan Zee Noord-Boulevard  
171-173 Scheveningen, Netherlands  
[TripleAProjects  
Group](http://TripleAProjects Group)

2024 Art at the IJ Westerdok Amsterdam ,  
Netherlands Oilpaintings. Pastels.

## PROJECTS

2016 diary 2016 NYC / The Hague, United States  
[www.marianeefjes.nl](http://www.marianeefjes.nl) Diary made in NYC  
and The Hague.

## Group

- 2024 Nabij. Voorhout Galerie Pulchri Den Haag, Netherlands Oilpaintings, drawings, collages.
- 2022 Loverooms. Voorhout Gallery Pulchri Studio. The Hague, Netherlands Gouaches, ets, silkscreen.  
[www.pulchri.nl](http://www.pulchri.nl)  
Solo
- 2019 Hommage to the Sea. Eel-smokery Scheveningen Recent Pasteldrawings and a serie 1983 gouaches from the ocean at Portugal. [www.allaboutarts.nl](http://www.allaboutarts.nl)  
Group
- 2018 New Combinations Heeze Castle Heeze, Brabant, Netherlands 3 artists show recent work.  
[www.allaboutartprojects.nl](http://www.allaboutartprojects.nl)  
Group
- 2017 Stay Amazed. Maarsse Cloister the Province of Utrecht , Netherlands The place seems like a museum. Every artist has a huge space to show artwork. Maria Neeffjes showed large oilpaintings in the Refter.  
[www.allaboutartprojects.nl](http://www.allaboutartprojects.nl)  
Group
- 2016 Open Summer-Sunday-Atelier The Hague, Netherlands paintings and work on paper. [www.marianeeffjes.nl](http://www.marianeeffjes.nl)  
Solo
- 2016 PopUpExpo CaféZamenExpo Amsterdam North, Netherlands Six Modern Dutch Artists present actual work. [www.allaboutartprojects.nl](http://www.allaboutartprojects.nl)  
Group
- 2014 Maria Neeffjes painter in The Hague. Atrium Townhall The Hague, Netherlands oilpainting and work on paper. [www.atriumdenhaag.nl](http://www.atriumdenhaag.nl)  
Solo
- 2013 Continuing Lines. Pulchri Studio Den Haag The Hague, Netherlands anthology of artwork.  
[www.pulchristudio.nl](http://www.pulchristudio.nl)  
Solo
- 2011 Shadow Of Paradise. Bredgade

Kunsthandel Kopenhagen.  
Denemarken. Copenhage, Denmark  
oilpainting and work on paper.  
[www.bredgade-kunsthandel.dk](http://www.bredgade-kunsthandel.dk)  
Solo

- 2010 The Garden Of Delight. University  
Leiden, department FSW. Leiden  
anthology of work from differend  
periods.  
Solo
- 2008 Continuing Lines. Prinsenhof Den Haag  
The Hague, Netherlands Large  
Oilpaintings, Large Drawings.  
Solo
- 2006 The Longing. Bank Nachenius Tjeenk  
The Hague, Netherlands oilpainting and  
work on Papaer.  
Solo
- 2003 El Desig Galeria Principal Montcada  
Barcelona, Spain large oilpaintings,  
pastels and gouaches.  
Solo
- 2002 Gallery het Zwanenpand. Antwerpen,  
Belgium drawings, oilpaintings,  
gouaches.  
Solo
- 2002 El Asombro. Museo Municipal de  
Saragosa Saragosa, Spain Department  
for Modern Art Museo Municipal  
Solo

## COMMISSIONS

- 2021 TYRUS A. Halsema The Hague,  
Netherlands 3-luik Olieverf 50 x 200  
finished
- 2007 Homecoming. Alfons Halsema  
Netherlands Oilpainting finished
- 2004 citaat Brakman voor Jan Mulder.  
Stichting LOU Amsterdam,  
Netherlands The Dutch Language  
Award for writer Jan Mulder. finished
- 2002 The Lions of Rijswijk. Bouwconsulting  
Rijswijk, Netherlands Ceiling-painting  
Town Hall. 3,50 x 7,50m.

## SALES/WORKS IN COLLECTIONS

- Several titels. Foreign Office-collection. The  
Hague, Nederland Different works in oil or  
on paper, hanging in various countries all  
over the world in embassy's and conulates.

- [www.bouwconsulting.com](http://www.bouwconsulting.com) finished
- 2000 Prometeus. J. Helderma, Den Haag  
The Hague, Netherlands Mantelpiece-  
Oilpainting. finished
- 1999 Orchids. HM. Architecten Amsterdam,  
Netherlands Oilpainting in 4 parts.  
finished
- 1997 Fortuna's Touch. VD Moolen holding,  
Amsterdam Amsterdam, Netherlands  
Wall-Oilpainting in 4 parts 3 x 8 m.  
finished
- 1995 Time. Crematorium Westerveld Velsen,  
Netherlands Oilpainting 6,5 x 3 m. [bc-  
westerveld.nl](http://bc-westerveld.nl) finished
- 1994 Irisses. Crematorium, Dieren Dieren,  
Netherlands 3 oilpaintings 3 x 2m.  
[crematoriumdieren.nl](http://crematoriumdieren.nl) finished
- 1993 Waterlillies. Zuiveringschap, Amstel-  
Gooiland Hilversum, Netherlands 3  
oilpaintings 2.5 x 2m. [www.agv.nl](http://www.agv.nl)  
finished
- 1993 Public Memories: The Coal-route  
Stroom HCBK The Hague, Netherlands  
The Coal-route. [www.stroom.nl](http://www.stroom.nl) finished

## PUBLICATIONS

- 2024 Nabij. Maria Neefjes Catalog Pulchri  
Studio Diversen Den Haag, Netherlands  
Reaction Maria Neefjes on quotes of  
other artists.
- 2022 Maria Neefjes exposeert  
'Liefdeskamers'. Catalog artikel  
pulchriblad Wim van Cleef Den Haag,  
Netherlands [www.pulchri.nl](http://www.pulchri.nl) interview  
with the artist.
- 2020 Verwondering en Verlangen Hein Dik  
Netherlands [www.ateliermagazine.nl](http://www.ateliermagazine.nl) An  
interview with Hein Dik in the  
July/August edition of Atelier Magazine.
- 2017 Diary, from March 24 till October 2016  
Catalog eigen uitgave (computer) Maria  
Neefjes The Hague, Netherlands  
[www.marianeefjes.nl](http://www.marianeefjes.nl) Diary with text

## REVIEWS

- 2002 El Asombro Newspaper Mariano Banzo  
Zaragoza, Spain Over solo-tentoonstelling  
in Papacio de Montemuso.

and mixed technique.

- 2011 Diary pages. Catalog Eigen uitgave.  
Maria Neefjes The Hague, Netherlands  
[www.marianeefjes.nl](http://www.marianeefjes.nl) visual diary 2010-2011
- 2009 Pulchri in the Art-Circle. Amsterdam  
Amsterdam [kring.nl](http://kring.nl) About painting  
'Ledru Rollin' exposed in the  
Amsterdam Art Circle.
- 2006 Naar De Bollen kunstcommissie  
Nieuwspoor diversen Den Haag Expo  
Perscentrum Nieuwspoor
- 2005 In the trail of Gauguin. Catalog Kempen  
& Co Amsterdam, Netherlands  
[www.kempen.nl](http://www.kempen.nl) Interview.
- 2003 The Broad View. Book Den Haag  
Alexander Münnhoff. The Hague,  
Netherlands [www.marianeefjes.nl](http://www.marianeefjes.nl)  
People in the artworks of Maria Neefjes.
- 2003 Maria Neefjes en het Haagse Licht  
Haagse Courant Alexander  
Münnhoff. The Hague., Netherlands  
Interview.
- 2002 The Amazement. Monograph Spanje  
Ayuntamiento De Zaragoza. Zaragoza,  
Spain About my Show Zaragoza.
- 1999 The Continuation. Book Den Haag  
Maria Neefjes. Den Haag, Netherlands  
[www.marianeefjes.nl](http://www.marianeefjes.nl) Survey of new  
artwork and underlying thoughts.
- 1996 Évora In Dutch Light. Catalog Instituto  
Português de Museus. Artur Goulart.  
Philip Peters. Evora, Portugal About the  
art and the artists in the show in the  
museum.
- 1992 4 Conversations. Book De Dageraad  
Philip Peters. The Hague, Netherlands  
An essay by Philip Peters about 4  
oilpaintings entitled "4 Conversations".
- 1992 First Artists from The Hague. Book Sea  
Press Ingrid van Santen. Dolf Welling.  
The Hague, Netherlands 2 x 28 Self  
portraits from The Hague from 1962  
and 1992.

## REPRESENTATION

- HuygArt The Hague Holland,  
Netherlands [www.marianeefjes.nl](http://www.marianeefjes.nl)
- TripleAprojects Amsterdam Holland,  
Netherlands  
[www.allaboutartprojects.nl](http://www.allaboutartprojects.nl)
- Galerie Pulchri Den Haag, Netherlands  
[webshoppulchri.nl](http://webshoppulchri.nl)



The Mistress., 2024  
Gouache op karton., 38 x 49cm.



Sisters., 2024  
Inkt, waterverf, gouache., 28 x 24cm.



Almost Gone., 2024  
Chalc, ink, gouache, watercolor., 28 x 24cm.



Weg Wezen., 2024  
waterverf, collage, inkt, krijt., 30 x 21 cm.



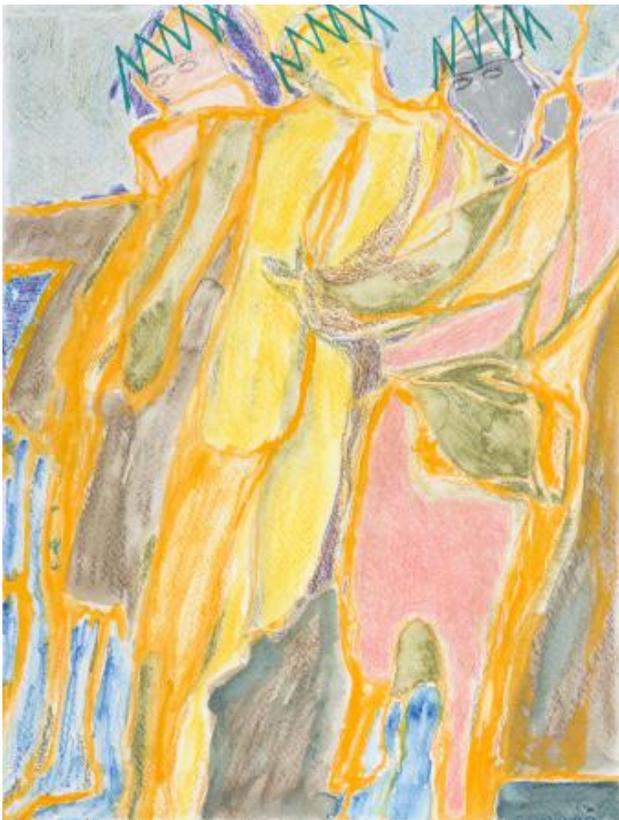
Depressie. Zelfportret., 2023  
olieverf op linnen. brede beschilderde lijst, 80 x 60cm.



Dunes in Former Time., 2023  
Oilpaint on canvas and wood., 96 x 86cm.



Summer-evening., 2023  
Oilpaint on canvas and wood., 96 x 86cm.



Three Kings, 2022  
potlood, waterverven., 32 x 24cm.



The owl and the pussycat, 2022  
Tempera/olieverf op doek., 30 x 40cm.



Autoportrait., 2022  
olieverf op paneel., 56 x 46cm