

PAUL DE JONG

My practice consists of paintings and drawings, which contain a constantly growing vocabulary of images. This vocabulary consists of objects and perceptions from my daily surroundings, particularly things that carry a certain comedic banality. In the process of painting I transform these mundane objects into separate beings that carry a strange relation to the human body. My work has a strong relation to language. For example, a small single image to me is like a word, whereas a larger painting feels more like a sentence. Like words, my images seem clearly defined, but open up an unstable field of significance and ambiguity. With the vocabulary in my paintings, I research the complex relation between the human perception and its surroundings.

WEBSITES

www.jongdepaul.nl

SOCIAL MEDIA

www.instagram.com/pa.dejong/

MEMBER OF ARTISTS' INITIATIVE/COLLECTIVE/INCUBATOR

Billytown

EDUCATION

2009 - Beeldende kunst Den Haag, Koninklijke
2013 Academie van Beeldende Kunsten diploma

EXHIBITIONS

2021 Recess 3 M. Simons Gallery
Amsterdam, Netherlands
Solotentoonstelling met recent werk
www.michielsimons.com/about/
Solo

2019 Vlees maakt vlees Kadmium Delft,
Netherlands
Solo

2019 De Reconstructie ABC Clubhuis
Antwerpen, Belgium
Group

2019 Stroom ondertussen Den Haag,
Netherlands Met Afra Eisma
Duo

INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGES/RESIDENCIES

2018 artist in residency SRV_VHDG Leeuwarden,
Netherlands

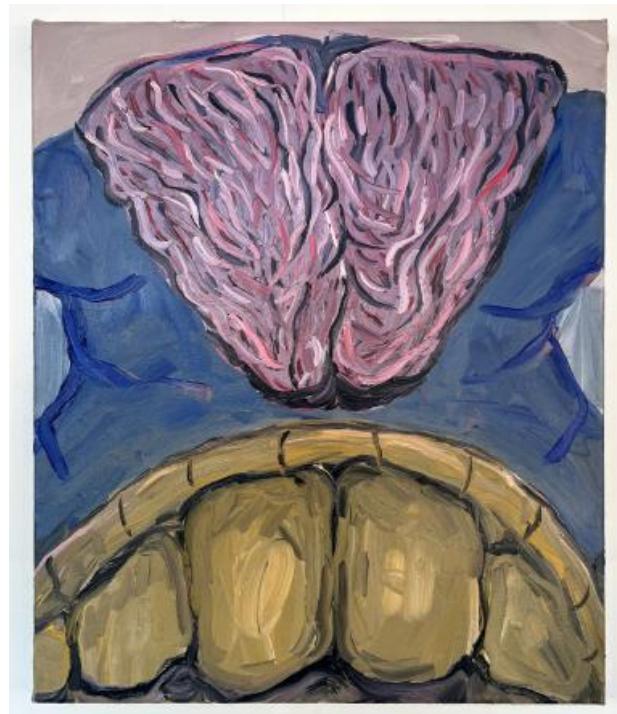
- 2017 Billytown The Kitchen
Group
- 2017 Paleis op de dam Koninklijke
schildersprijs
Group
- 2017 Co-lab Expedition Batikback
Group

PUBLICATIONS

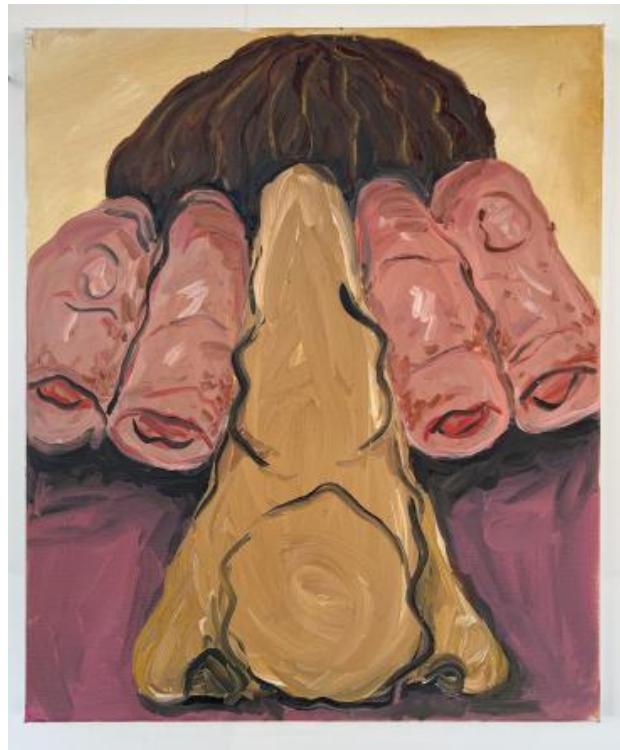
- 2021 Adventures Underground Catalog Lula
Valetta Den Haag, Netherlands
adventuresunderground.nl/publication
Een publicatie over de
groepstentoonstelling 'Adventures
Underground' gecureerd door Lula
Valetta

AWARDS AND GRANTS

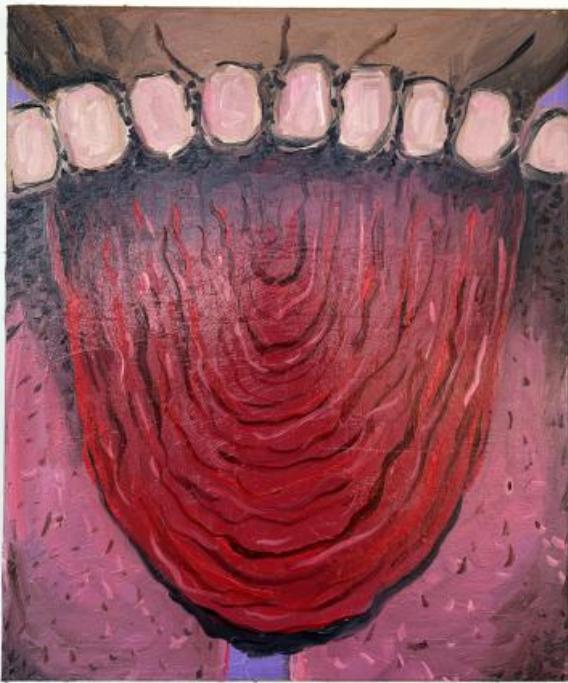
- 2017 Koninklijke Prijs voor de Vrije
Schilderkunst, Amsterdam Amsterdam,
Netherlands



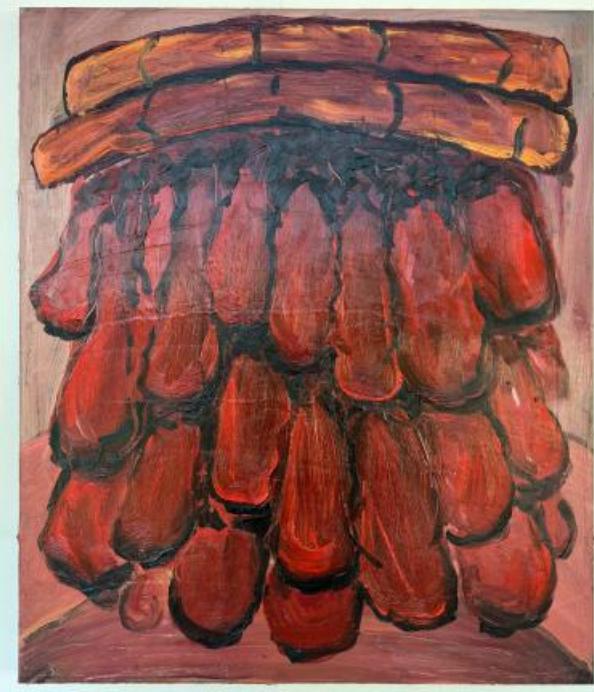
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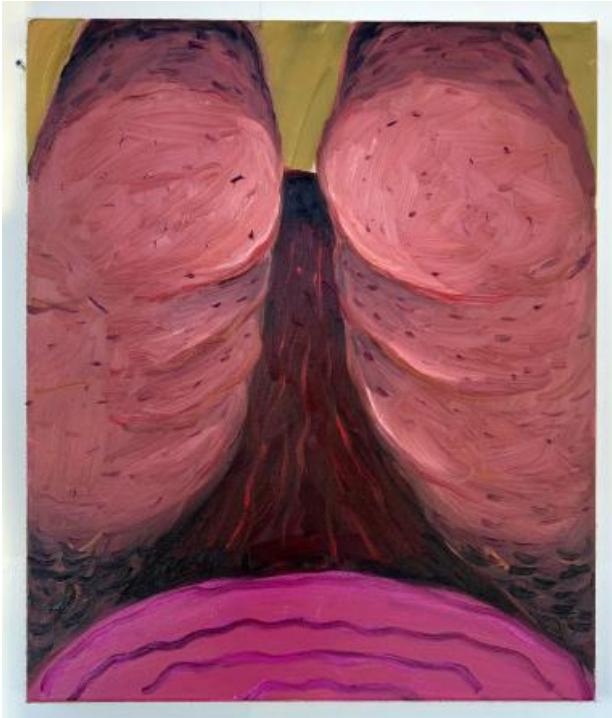
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olie op canvas, 50 x 60 cm



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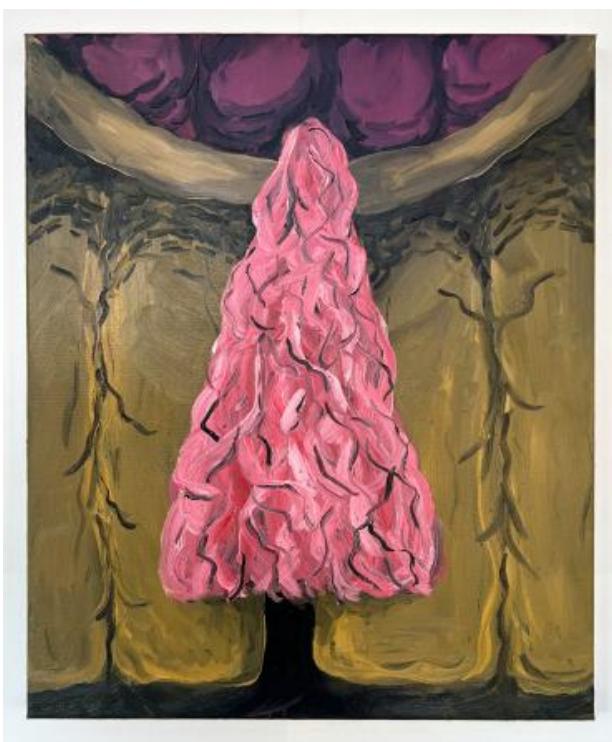
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Geen titel, 2024
olie op doek, 50 x 60 cm



geen titel, 2024



Vleespak, 2024
olie op canvas, 50 x 60 cm



De sjalen van vlees, 2024
olie op katoen, 50 x 60 cm



geen titel, 2024