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## YUMIKO YONEDA

The sculptures of Yumiko Yoneda have a recognizable form. They are round, white or gray, silent and have an organic volume tensed from the inside. They are often placed on the wall, but also in space, on a pedestal or directly on the floor. Sometimes a sculpture is alone, sometimes in a group. Details have been deliberately omitted and the strong presence of the shape is focused on. Yoneda creates the form that is valuable to her and seeks a certain logic in the visual language. The shape remains abstract and still. This expresses subdued feelings. Applied technique is curving and modeling. Most of the materials used are plaster, modeling paste, polystyrene and bronze.

### WEBSITES

[www.yumikoyoneda.com](http://www.yumikoyoneda.com)

### SOCIAL MEDIA

[www.facebook.com/yumiko.yoneda.1](https://www.facebook.com/yumiko.yoneda.1)

[www.instagram.com/yumiko.yoneda/](https://www.instagram.com/yumiko.yoneda/)

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

Pulchri Studio

### EDUCATION

- 1988 - Sculpture Maastricht, Jan van Eyck
- 1990 Academie diploma
- 1983 - Visual art Shimane University, Matsue,
- 1987 Japan diploma

### EXHIBITIONS

- 2023 Grand re-opening of the WTC Rotterdam Art Gallery WTC Rotterdam Art Gallery Rotterdam, Netherlands Yumiko Yoneda, Lizan Freijssen and Tim Mastik [wtcrotterdam.com/artgallery](http://wtcrotterdam.com/artgallery) Group
- 2023 Communal Enthusiasm Jan van Eyck Academie Maastricht, Netherlands 75th anniversary exhibition of the Jan van Eyck Academie [janvaneck.nl/calendar/communal-enthusiasm](http://janvaneck.nl/calendar/communal-enthusiasm) Group
- 2023 Forwart Gallery Antwerp, Knokke, Belgium [forwart.co/](http://forwart.co/) Group
- 2023 Sculpture garden Ramakers Gallery The Hague, Netherlands [galerieramakers.nl](http://galerieramakers.nl) Group
- 2023 INTERVAL iCOON Museum Hoek van Holland, Netherlands [www.icoonhvh.nl/](http://www.icoonhvh.nl/) Group
- 2022 Fundamental De Halle Geel, Belgium [www.dewerft.be/](http://www.dewerft.be/) Group
- 2022 Apollowlands Kunstenhuis Harelbeke, Belgium

### PROJECTS

- 2022 ART The Hague (Galerie Ramakers) The Hague, Netherlands [artthehague.nl/](http://artthehague.nl/) Art fair
- 2021 ART The Hague (Galerie Ramakers) The Hague, Netherlands [artthehague.nl/](http://artthehague.nl/) Art fair
- 2021 Kunst RAI (Galerie Ramakers) Amsterdam, Netherlands [www.kunstrai.nl](http://www.kunstrai.nl) Art fair
- 2019 PAN Amsterdam (Galerie Ramakers) Amsterdam, Netherlands Art fair
- 2019 ART The Hague (Galerie Ramakers) The Hague, Netherlands [artthehague.nl/](http://artthehague.nl/) Art fair
- 2018 'Once upon a time' Stichting Ijsberg Damme, Belgium City festival
- 2018 'Connection' Muramatsu, Matsue Matsue, Japan Curator group exhibition
- 2017 'From the heart' pop-up solotentoonstelling Sweelinckplein The Hague, Netherlands
- 2016 'Menin Road-Ypernstrasse' Art trail Menin - Ypres, Belgium Art trail

[www.kunstenhuis.be/](http://www.kunstenhuis.be/)

Group

- 2021 The Art of Looking Pennings Foundation Eindhoven, Netherlands [dekunstvanhetkijken.nl/](http://dekunstvanhetkijken.nl/)  
Group
- 2021 Apollowlands Ruimte P60 Assen, Netherlands  
[www.ruimtep60.com/](http://www.ruimtep60.com/)  
Group
- 2020 Yumiko Yoneda - Johan van der Veen Kunstlokaal  
No8 Jubbega, Netherlands  
[kunstlokaalno8.wordpress.com/](http://kunstlokaalno8.wordpress.com/)  
Duo
- 2020 Contemporary Contemplations #6 GALERIE  
URSULA WALTER Dresden, Germany  
[www.galerieursulawalter.de/](http://www.galerieursulawalter.de/)  
Group
- 2019 Contemporary Contemplations PHK18 Rotterdam,  
Netherlands [phk18.nl/](http://phk18.nl/)  
Group
- 2019 Yumiko Yoneda and Stéphanie Leblon Art Gallery De  
Wael15 Antwerpen, Belgium [www.dewael15.art](http://www.dewael15.art)  
Duo
- 2019 FROZEN IN TIME Pavilion Contemporary Art,  
Kasteelstraat1 Watou, Belgium  
[www.kasteelstraat1.be/hedendaagse-kunst-watou](http://www.kasteelstraat1.be/hedendaagse-kunst-watou)  
Group
- 2019 25 jaar Galerie Ramakers Ramakers Gallery The  
Hague, Netherlands [galerieramakers.nl](http://galerieramakers.nl)  
Group
- 2019 Voorburg Sculpture 2019 Swaensteyn Museum  
Voorburg, Netherlands [swaensteyn.nl/nl](http://swaensteyn.nl/nl)  
Group
- 2019 KLAAR #2 De Vishal Haarlem, Netherlands  
[www.devishal.nl/](http://www.devishal.nl/)  
Group
- 2018 'Enclosed Volume' Ramakers Gallery The Hague,  
Netherlands [galerieramakers.nl](http://galerieramakers.nl)  
Group
- 2018 'Contemporary Contemplations' Arti et Amicitiae  
Amsterdam, Netherlands [www.arti.nl/](http://www.arti.nl/)  
Group
- 2018 Contemporary Contemplations' #2 Kunstquartier  
Bethanien Berlin, Germany  
Group
- 2018 'Intimacy in silence' Art space Muramatsu Matsue,  
Japan  
Solo

## COMMISSIONS

- 2016 'Drop' private collection The Hague,  
Netherlands Bronze sculpture for  
garden finished
- 2013 'Flame' PAK, platform voor actuele  
kunsten Gistel, Belgie, Belgium Bronze  
sculpture for garden finished

## SALES/WORKS IN COLLECTIONS

- 2024 Private collection BE, UK sculptures
- 2023 Private collection BE, NL, ES, UK, JP  
sculptures
- 2022 Private collection BE, NL, LV sculptures

2010	Alysis Zorggroep, Kliniek Velp 2015, Netherlands Five sculptures finished	2021	Private collection BE, NL sculptures
2008	Kamer van Koophandel 2013, Netherlands Five sculptures finished	2020	Private collection BE, NL sculptures
2001	'Flame' Gemeente Hoorn 2010, Netherlands Kunstpilaar in de Hoornse wijk Kersen Boogerd. finished	2020	Ministry of Foreign Affairs The Hague, Nederland six sculptures
		2019	Private collection NL, BE, JP sculptures
		2018	Private collection JP, NL, BE sculptures
		2017	Private collection JP, NL, BE sculptures
		2016	Lafcadio Hearn Historical Center Lefkada, Griekenland sculptures 'Mother and child'
		2015	Private collection BE, NL, JP sculptures
		2014	Lafcadio Hearn Memorial Museum Matsue, Japan sculptures
		2014	ACG Art Gallery Athens, Griekenland sculpture
		2010	2016 Ministry of Foreign Affairs The Hague, Nederland Five sculptures
		2009	Ministry of Foreign Affairs The Hague, Griekenland sculpture

## PUBLICATIONS

2023	FEAR Catalog PAK platform voor actuele kunsten Frank Demarest Beernem, Belgium PAK platform voor actuele kunsten & Museum Dr. Guislain
2022	FUNDAMENTEEL Catalog Geel, Belgium
2020	Yumiko Yoneda - Johan van der Veen Catalog Kunstlokaal No8 Jubbega, Netherlands Catalogus
2019	FROZEN IN TIME Catalog Pavilion Contemporary Art, Kasteelstraat1 Watou, Belgium
2019	Moved Catalog Pulchri Studio The Hague, Netherlands
2019	KLAAR# 2 Catalog De Vishal Haarlem, Netherlands
2016	Museum Newspaper Stedelijkmuseum Kampen Yvonne Oordijk Kampen, Netherlands
2016	Menin Road - Ypernstrasse Catalog In Flanders Fields Museum Ieper Ypres, Belgium
2016	Kunstpark Soestdijk 2016 Catalog Stichting Nederlandse Cultuur en Erfgoed Initiatieven Claudia Klerkx, Birthe Faessen, Lieke Heerschop en Werner van den Belt Baarn, Netherlands
2016	Concreet 2.0 Catalog Pulchri Studio Menna Kruiswijk The Hague,

## REVIEWS

2020	Deceptive simplicity Newspaper Gitte Brugman Netherlands Newspaper of the North Netherlands
2020	Slow exhibition in Kunstlokaal No.8 Blog/Vlog Jurjen K. Vander Hoek Netherlands <a href="https://www.jurjenkvanderhoek.tumblr.com/post/629592568140906496/exhibition-in-kunstlokaal-no8?fbclid=IwAR32jsAPlyUJrGrgCdrj-6ktP11HGM4js5sjbzRwumaPsZge3i70luwe88">jurjenkvanderhoek.tumblr.com/post/629592568140906496/exhibition-in-kunstlokaal-no8?fbclid=IwAR32jsAPlyUJrGrgCdrj-6ktP11HGM4js5sjbzRwumaPsZge3i70luwe88</a>
2019	Yumiko Yoneda Blog/Vlog Yves Joris Antwerpen, Belgium <a href="http://www.theartcouch.be/events/mijn-werk-vertelt-meer-dan-ik-yumiko-yoneda/?fbclid=IwAR2dUPKchvSzfl5Ahtx_BNUzL2G95s0E2hspHy9Crt0">www.theartcouch.be/events/mijn-werk-vertelt-meer-dan-ik-yumiko-yoneda/?fbclid=IwAR2dUPKchvSzfl5Ahtx_BNUzL2G95s0E2hspHy9Crt0</a> The Art Couch
2017	Duo exhibition Rene Korten en Yumiko Yoneda Diana Wind Vorden, Netherlands <a href="http://www.galerieagnesraben.nl/">www.galerieagnesraben.nl/</a> Speech
2014	The Power of the Small: All or Nothing. Over Yumiko Yoneda Blog/Vlog Philip Peters The Hague, Netherlands Philip Peters -Essays-

## Netherlands

- 2015 VBCN 10 jaar jong Catalog VBCN Alix de Massiac, Vincent van Velsen Amsterdam, Netherlands Association company art collection Netherlands
- 2015 In the tracks of Jan Schoonhoven Catalog Kunstencentrum Kadmiun Delft, Netherlands
- 2014 PAN Amsterdam 2014 Catalog PAN Amsterdam Amsterdam, Netherlands Catalogus
- 2013 De Grote Haagse Kunstkalender Trichis Netherlands Calendar
- 2010 The Open Mind of Lafcadio Hearn Catalog Lafcadio Hearn Memorial Museum, Matsue, Japan Megakles Rogakos Athens, Greece
- 2010 Kunst in de Kamer Book Kamer van Koophandel, Brabant Netherlands Boek van de collectie van KvK Brabant
- 2009 The Open Mind of L.Hearn Catalog ACG Art Gallery, Athene Greece Catalogus
- 2006 Black & White Catalog Hellenic American Union Greece Catalogus
- 2005 Het Ondergewone STROOM, Den Haag 55 The Hague Artists

## AWARDS AND GRANTS

- 2019 Jacob Hartogprijs 2019 Pulchri Studio The Hague, Netherlands Nomination

## REPRESENTATION

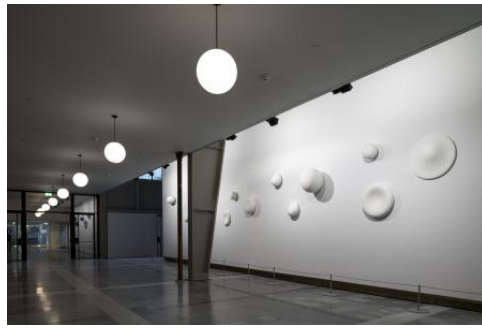
- Ramakers Gallery The Hague, Netherlands  
<https://galerieramakers.nl>
- Forwart Gallery Antwerp, Belgium  
<https://forwart.co/>

## SECONDARY ART-RELATED ACTIVITIES

- 2018 - Member of balloting committee Pulchri  
2021 Studio



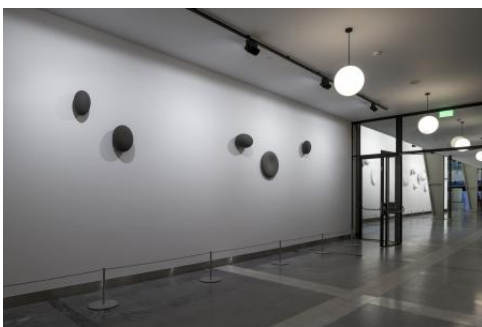
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Universe, 2023  
modellingspaste, plaster, polystyrene



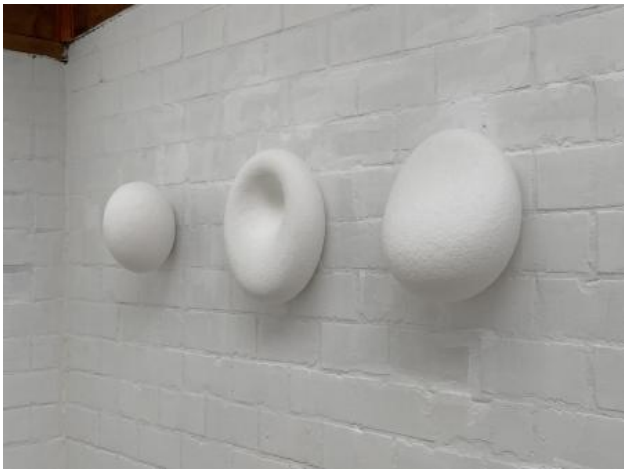
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Universe, 2023  
modellingspaste, plaster, polystyrene



Merging memories, 2022  
modellingspaste, plaster, polystyrene, Ø 2.5m



Exhibition view, 2022  
modellingpaste, plaster, polystyrene



Birth of silence, 2022  
modellingpaste, plaster, polystyrene, 56x50x46cm



Inner mind , 2020  
modellingpaste, plaster, polystyrene



Birth of silence , 2019  
modellingpaste, plaster, polystyrene, 85x71x10cm



Merging memories, 2019  
modellingpaste, plaster, polystyrene, Ø300x30cm