

Isabel Fredeus °1991 - lives and works in Kapellen (BE)

Selected exhibitions

2025

'Floating Roads' (group exhibition) - monastery de Pélichy / Izegem (BE)

'The re:union: the familiar unknown' (group exhibition) - creative factory / Turnhout (BE)

2024

Duo-presentation at Art Antwerp 2024 with Clara Broermann (group exhibition) - booth Whitehouse Gallery / Antwerp (BE)

'A Fungal Affair' (Solo exhibition) - Whitehouse gallery / Brussels (BE)

'NISHIMWE X FREDEUS' (performance with Prisca Agnes Nishimwe) - Het Rubenshuis / Antwerp (BE)

'Biennale d'Enghien - Miroirs#5' (group exhibition) - Parc d'Enghien / Enghien (BE)

'Unfolding a Ripple' (duo-exhibition with Anne Decot) - Patina gallery / Antwerp (BE)

'NISHIMWE X FREDEUS' (performance with Prisca Agnes Nishimwe) - Het Bos / Antwerp (BE)

2023

'Snobs' (performance with Prisca Agnes Nishimwe) - Het Bos / Antwerp (BE)

'Are you coming or going?' (Solo exhibition) - Whitehouse Gallery / Lovenjoel (BE)

'GIST' (group exhibition) - Felix De Boeck & Eco Museum / Brussels (BE)

'Art Theorema #3' (group exhibition) - Fondazione Imago Mundi / Treviso (IT)

2022

Group presentation at Art Antwerp 2022 (group exhibition) - booth Whitehouse Gallery / Antwerp (BE)

'Pilz' (group exhibition) - Benzeholz Kunsthalle / Meggen, (CH)

'Praelzucht' – (group exhibition) - Antwerp Art Weekend 2022 / Antwerp (BE)

'OFF WATER #2' (group exhibition) - Sainte Anne Gallery / Paris (FR)

'Patatorium – Lab der Verwondering' (group exhibition) - Stedelijke Kunstacademie Tielt / Tielt (BE)

2021

'OFF WATER' - GR_UND (group exhibition) / Berlin (DE)

'Art@work' - Callant verzekeringen (group exhibition) / Oostkamp (BE)

'A Subjective Reality' (solo exhibition) - Klappehuis / Antwerp (BE)

Group presentation at Art Rotterdam 2021 - booth Whitehouse Gallery / Rotterdam (NL)

'A Beggars Banquet' (group exhibition) - GALLERY GALLERY / Antwerp (BE)

2020

'Cities living within' (solo exhibition) - The Whitehouse Gallery / Leuven (BE)

'Multi-split' (group exhibition) - YouTube Artspace 'work on display - the Quarantine way' / Online exhibition (BE)

2019

'Mystery Repeats' (group exhibition) - The Whitehouse Gallery / Leuven (BE)

'WINDOWBOX#4 Climate Surprise' (duo exhibition) Curated by Sue Spaid - WINDOWBOX / Mechelen (BE)

2018

'Mutable Surroundings' (solo exhibition) - BOAB Art Gallery / Antwerp (BE)

'Middelheim Museum Young Artist Prize' (group exhibition) - Middelheim Museum / Antwerp (BE)

'Multiplied' (group exhibition) - Troebel Neyntje / Antwerp (BE)

'Lodgers#14 THE INFINITE CONVERSATIONS' (group exhibition) - M KHA / Antwerp (BE)

'///' (group exhibition) - Tique Artspace / Antwerp (BE)

2017

'The dogs bark the caravan moves on' (group exhibition) - Project space / Antwerp (BE)
'Alternative acts' (group exhibition) - Extra City Kunsthall / Antwerp (BE)
'Quicksand' (group exhibition) - Atelier Kathleen Vinck / Antwerp (BE)
'Greta M.' (collaborative exhibition) - M KHA / Antwerp (BE)
'Knowing me, knowing you' (group exhibition) - Extra City Kunsthall / Antwerp (BE)
'HORTUS CONCLUSUS / ENCLOSED GARDEN' (collaborative exhibition with Ellie Calis) - Project space / Antwerp (BE)

2016

'Frauenmantel, painting meets distraction' (collaborative exhibition with Franca Franz) - Intershop (Spinnerei) / Leipzig (DE)
'fris XII' (group exhibition) - Jan Colle galerij / Ghent (BE)

2015

I shall not paint the mountains (solo exhibition) - Villa Ruffieux / Sierre (CH)
Graduation show master 2015 (group exhibition) - Sint Lucas University College / Antwerp (BE)

Awards

June 2018 - *Middelheim Museum Young Artist Prize 2018*
Middelheim Museum / Antwerp (BE)
June 2015 - *De Lucas award 2015*
Sint Lucas University college / Antwerp (BE)

Residencies

June 2024- December 2028 - artist-in-residence - department of bioengineering VUB
September-December 2015 - Villa Ruffieux residence
Villa Ruffieux / Sierre (CH)

Education

2018-2022: getuigschrift glaskunst DKO
2016-2017: Master of Research in Art & Design
Sint Lucas University College/Antwerp (BE)
2014-2015: Master: Fine Arts
Sint Lucas University College/Antwerp (BE)
Graduated in 2014: Bachelor: Fine Arts
Specialization: painting
Sint Lucas University College/Antwerp (BE)

Initiatives

Co-initiator of *'ROEMROOM'*: an artist-run initiative run by Ocateve Vandeweghe and Isabel Fredeus located in Antwerp (BE).

Galleries

Represented artist at *Whitehouse Gallery* / Brussels (BE) since 2019.

www.whitehousegallery.be

Represented artist at *Sainte Anne Gallery* / Paris (FR) since 2022.

www.sainteannegallery.com

Lecturer

Guest-lecturer at the department *Sculpture, Ceramics & Glass* at *Luca School of Arts Ghent* since October 2024.

PRESS

Publications/

- '*A Subjective Reality*' / publication by Isabel Fredeus / Images by Anne Decot © Anne Decot, Graphic design by Ines Cox / Soft cover, 50p. 210 x 297mm (2021)

Texts/

- '*Kunst geïnspireerd door baanbrekend onderzoek naar mycelia aan de VUB.*' / VUB Press / text by Koen Stein (2024) / <https://press.vub.ac.be/kunst-geinspireerd-door-baanbrekend-onderzoek-naar-mycelia-aan-de-vub>
- '*Kunstenaars en designers zijn niet vies van schimmels en bacteriën*' / the low countries / text by Maarten Buser (2024)
- '*De verwondering over simpele dingen*' / H Art/ text by Anne Marie Poels (2018)
- '*Isabel Fredeus wint Middelheim Museum Young Art Prize*' / VRT / text by Ellen Maerevoet (2018) / <https://www.vrt.be/vrtnws/nl/2018/06/24/isabel-fredeus-wint-middelheim-museum-young-art-prize/>

Interviews/

- '*Exploring mycelium in artistic practice, an interview with Isabel Fredeus*' (p.54-64) '*Genetically Modified Art Organism - - - An inquiry into transgenic art and art-science collaborations*' / Publication by Matthijs De Block (2025)
- '*Interview: Isabel Fredeus - Van beenmerg tot strand*' / Gonzo Circus / text by Maarten Buser (2022)
- '*On the Crossroads of Physics and Art: Isabel Fredeus' Sensory Work*' / the low countries / Hilde Van Canneyt (2019)
- '*December 2022: Conversation between Isabel Fredeus and Alizée Gazeau*' / Whitehouse Gallery / Text by Alizée Gazeau (2022) / <https://whitehousegallery.be/exhibitions/are-you-coming-or-going>

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