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**CHRIS MEULEMANS**

°1967 in Turnhout, Belgium

Lives and works in Kasterlee (Antwerp)

**Education**

**1998** Master of Fine Arts in Painting, Sint Lucas school of Arts, Antwerp, BE

**1990** Master of Fine Arts in Photography, Royal Academy of Fine Arts, Antwerp, BE

**1997** Drawing, Royal Academy of Fine Arts, Antwerp, BE

**Awards / Grants**

**2018** Honourable mentions, ‘Ronse Drawing Prize’ 2018

**1990** Prijs Familie Oppenheimer, Royal Academy of Fine Arts, Antwerp, BE

**1987** Prijs van VRI.K.A., Royal Academy of Fine Arts, Antwerp, BE

**1986** Prijs Mark Macken, Royal Academy of Fine Arts, Antwerp, BE

**Selected Exhibitions**

**2022**

- Solo exhibition *Natural Renaissance*, Shoobil Gallery, Antwerp, BE

* Solo exhibition *A Déguster Lentement*, D’Apostrof, Meigem, BE
* Solo exhibition *Completely In Command*, De Warande, Turnhout,BE

**2021**

* 20ste Biennale Hedendaagse Kunst, Kasteel van Poeke, Aalter, BE
* Summer Leaves, 4n20 Ruimte voor Kunst, Kortrijk, BE

**2020**

* *Walk The Line*, Schönfeld Gallery, Brussels, BE
* Solo exhibition *Concrete Garden,* Shoobil Gallery, Antwerp, BE
* *Les Artistes Belges*, Schönfeld Gallery, Brussels, BE
* *Kunst in Afzondering*, Museum Dr. Guislain, Ghent, BE

**2019**

* *Oog in oog,* Jakob Smits Museum, Mol, BE
* Solo exhibition *Art The Hague Art Fair,* Shoobil Gallery, The Hague, NL
* *Intersection*, North-South Gallery, Arendonk, BE

**2018**

* *Ronse Drawing Prize 2018*, CC De Ververij, Ronse, BE
* *Malleability*, Shoobil Gallery, Antwerp, BE
* Solo exhibition *White Shadow*, Rivoli Building, Brussels, BE

**2017**

* *Un espace privilégié pour un rituel contemporain*, Grand-Place 5060, Sambreville, BE

**2016**

* *Land van Belofte*, Art Space Praetoria, Antwerp, BE
* *Drawing Rooms 2*, PAK platform for contemporary arts, Gistel, BE
* *Bozar de l’Abattoir*, EXIT11, Grand-Leez, BE

**2015**

* Solo exhibition *That which is not written*, Nylonfabrik, Sint-Niklaas, BE
* *Painting,* Workplace, Antwerp, BE
* *Bozar de l’Abattoir*, Fred Michiels, Tamines, BE
* *Accrochage 1*, Eva Steynen Deviations, Antwerp, BE

**2012**

- *Est-ce un signe*, F44, Borgerhout, BE

**2009**

- Solo exhibition, Hofke van Chantraine, Oud-Turnhout, BE

- Solo exhibition, Cultuurcentrum ’t Getouw, Mol, BE

**2007**

* Solo exhibition, Art Studio Gynaika, Mechelen, BE

**Professional Experience**

**1995 - 2017**, Teaching Painting, Gemeentelijke Academie voor Schone Kunsten, Arendonk, BE

**2015 - 2018**, Initiator of Art Space Praetoria, Antwerp,BE