## KIM ENGELEN

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#### BIO

Kim Engelen is an **international artist** and investor. She has lived and worked as a contemporary artist in **six countries**. Her art is held in **private collections** in Europe, the USA, and China.

As well exhibited in twenty-five countries. Engelen's art was published in magazines and on television.

She was on stage at TEDx China.

And is interviewed by magazines, such as Contemporary Art Review, Art Uncovered, and Shanghai Daily.

## Engelen published:

5 Artists Interviews (#2 2021) (5 Artists Interviews #1 2020), 6 Private Mini Exhibitions (2020), Sun-Penetrations, quarantine 40 days of isolation (2020), Advanced Health Attack – Belgrade Bridge Stories (2020), The New Score – Collective Creation for Visual Artists (2019), The Little Bridge (2018), and Empathetic Walking Panel (2018).

#### **STATEMENT**

In 2022, I started with an art project called:

## **Confession Drawings**

I am making Confession Drawings in YouTube live streams.

I start the Livestream with a confession. A personal, and authentic confession.

—Deep and existential. Or more general on stress, rejection, and feeling stuck.

With this confession, I then make a drawing.

I try to turn these confessions into something **helping** and empowering. Perhaps even healing.

The Confession Drawings possibly border on therapy and vanguard art.

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#### **SOLO-EXHIBITIONS**

- 2021 Kunst-Torentje, Questioning my Significance, Almelo (NL)
- 2020 Sino Italian Design Exchange Centre and DoBe Group, Florence (IT),

Sun-Penetrations, Quarantine: 40 Days of Isolation, Shanghai (CN)

- **2019** Square Gallery, Sun-Penetrations, The Visitor, Shanghai (CN) \* \*=With exhibition catalog
- **2018** MeiHuaZhou Space, *The Little Bridge*, Jiaxing (CN)
- 2017 Gallery 1 Flat Wall, Die Unsichtbaren (The Invisibles), Berlin (DE) \*
- **2016** Burnrate Project Space, Sun-Penetrations, Mental Communication, Berlin (DE)

## **GROUP-EXHIBITIONS**

- 2021 Roc Sun Art Gallery, 鹏阳艺术空间, Jiaxing (CN)
- 2020 Shanghai Art Collection Museum, Many a Little Makes a Mickle, Shanghai (CN) \*
- 2020 Heritage Museum, Many a Little Makes a Mickle, Shanghai (CN) \*
- 2020 River Side Gallery, Many a Little Makes a Mickle, Shanghai (CN) \*
- 2020 Space52, Quarantine Exhibition, Athens (GR) \*
- 2020 The Wall Space Gallery, [SHIFT:ibpcpa], In 24-Hours, Exhibition: Environment/Urban, Scotland (UK)
- 2020 Millepiani Space, Isolation Living Oneself, Rome (IT) \*
- **2020** Arkabarka, *Emergency Musing Room*, Belgrado (RS)
- **2019** Falk30—Temporary Project Space, *Contemporary Connections*, Berlin (DE)
- **2019** B53 stage for contemporary art, *Contested Space Project*, Arnhem (NL)
- 2019 Art Park, Intimate Gatherings, Hangzhou (CN) \*
- 2018 Chen & JunJun Project Space, Unstruct, 陈与均均的空间 Hangzhou (CN
- 2016 MANIFESTA 11, Bridging Gaps, Zürich (CH)

## **PUBLICATIONS AS AUTHOR**

- 2021 5 Artists-Interviews, *The Open Call* (Book 2), 94 pages, ISBN 9798714886768 (NL)
- 2020 5 Artists-Interviews, Artists Friends (Book 1), 72 pages, ISBN 97986-53735950 (NL)

- 2020 Quarantine: 40 Days of Isolation, 48 pages, ISBN 979-8678599711, Jaap Harten Fund (NL)
- 2020 Advanced Health Attack, Belgrade Bridge Stories, 91 pages, ISBN 9789090329154, Belgrade (RS)
- **2019** 6 Private Mini Exhibitions, 94 pages, ISBN 978-90-809866-3-3, Berlin (DE)
- **2019** *Art Park, Intimate Gatherings*, 3 Poets and 3 Contemporary artists on living in China, 56 pages, ISBN 978-90-800066-6-4, Hangzhou (CN)
- 2019 The New Score—Collective Creation for Artists, 73 pages, ISBN 978-90-809866-7-1, Arnhem (NL)
- **2018** The Little Bridge, 36 pages, ISBN 978-90-809866-4-0, Jiaxing-Hangzhou (CN)
- 2018 Empathetic Walking Panel, 26 pages, ISBN 6978-90-809866-2-6, Hangzhou (CN)

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- 2021 Newspaper Hallo Almelo, Artist Kim Engelen slaughters and auctions her red bridge, by Bianca Hellemons, 17 December 2021, Almelo (NL)
- 2021 TV Omroep Almelo, AAVISIE, Kim Engelen slaughters her own artwork, by Henk Kooy,12 December 2021, Almelo (NL)
- 2021 Newspaper Tubantia, *Kim's art is currently shining in Almelo, but soon she will 'slaughter' her own work*, by Peter Schavemaker, 3 December 2021 (NL)
- 2021 Newspaper Hallo Almelo, *Artist Kim Engelen is going to 'slaughter' and auction her red bridge*, by Bianca Hellemons, 3 December 2021, Almelo (NL)
- 2021 TV Omroep Almelo, AAVISIE (TV), Bridge opened in Kunst-Torentje, 6 November 2021, Almelo (NL)
- 2021 Purple Haze Magazine, 004/art & technology issue autumn/winter 2021, pages 73-78, Berlin (DE)
- 2020 The Utopia Project art // literature // politics, June, online & print magazine, ISSN 2634-7180 (UK)
- 2020 BTR Today, Podcast Series: Art Uncovered, by Kimberly Ruth, 27 March 2020, New York (USA)
- 2020 Space52, Quarantine Exhibition, Catalog, pages 60-61, Athens (GR)
- 2019 Weixin, On Disconnection and Reality: Kim Engelen in Shanghai, by Adriana Furlong, 14 October 2019
- **2019** Luck Art Festival, 5 questions on Art, by Echo, 27 August 2019
- 2019 Contemporary Art Review, On Communication and Identity, by Agata Hetland, Juni 2019
- 2019 Luck Art Festival, Artist-talk with Kim Engelen, door Echo, 27 August 2019
- 2019 Shanghai Daily, Using the bridge to communicate with art world, by Wu Huixin, 11 March 2019
- 2019 News Hour World, Pep Talk with Kim Engelen—The Art Teacher who participated in TEDx China, by Sanjay Verma, 28 January 2019

#### ARTIST IN RESIDENCE / ARTIST-TALKS

- 2021 Het Kunsthuis Almelo, Almelo (NL)
- 2020 Sino Italian Design Exchange Centre + DoBe Group, Artist-talk Loneliness in the Time of Quarantine
- 2020 MKM—Magacin u Kraljevića Marka, Artist-talk, Belgrade (RS)
- 2020 ArkaBarka, Artist in Residence, Belgrade (RS)
- **2019** TEDxQingboSt, The Future is Fluid, Artist-talk: A Future for Art, Hangzhou (CN)
- 2019 EEC—Ideas matter, Artist-talk, Hangzhou (CN)
- 2019 Hangzhou Global Readers & Thinkers, Book presentation: The Little Bridge, Hangzhou (CN)
- 2019 TEDxQingboSt Salon, Artist-talk: The Unseen, Hangzhou (CN)
- **2018** Urban Oasis Art Space, Artist-talk: Sun-Penetrations, Hangzhou (CN)
- 2018 MeiHuaZhou Scenic Spot, Artist in Residence, Jiaxing (CN)
- 2018 Global Readers and Thinkers, Book presentation: Empathetic Walking Panel, Hangzhou (CN)
- 2018 Laurel Bay Academy, Lecture: What is Performance Art?, Hangzhou (CN)

#### **ART INCOME / SUBSIDIES**

- 2023 Amazon Media | Royalties
- 2023 Pictoright—Collective and individual rights
- 2022 Amazon Media | Royalties
- 2022 Pictoright—Collective rights
- 2021 TOZO, Temporary bridging regulation for independent entrepreneurs, (NL)
- 2021 Mohamed Elyoussoufi | Gavin Bi | Joshua Van Hellsing-Ghray
- 2021 Amazon Media | Royalties
- 2021 Pictoright—Collective rights
- 2020 Stichting Jaap Harten Fonds, Publication Subsidie, Amsterdam (NL)
- 2020 Jannie Hommes | Carlos Zuniga Luna | Edward Rademaker | Libby Page |
  - Konstantin Peschew | Frans Huisman
- 2020 Pictoright—Collective rights
- 2019 Agatha van Amée | Gavin Bi | Lee James | Konstantin Peschew
- 2019 Pictoright—Collective rights
- 2019 HAIDA (Art Teacher)