

CV

BIBI SMIT

Born in 1965, Son en Breugel, Netherlands

Lives and works in the Netherlands.

EDUCATION / TRAINING

2004 Workshop with Boyd Sugiki at Pilchuck Glass School, Seattle, United States

1988-1989 Glass Assistant at Lindean Mill Glass, Scotland, United Kingdom

1987 Trainee with Willem Heesen, Leerdam, Netherlands

1984-1988 B.A. Honours, West Surrey College of Art and Design, Farnham, United Kingdom

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS

2025 *The Treasure Room*, Wilms Gallery, Netherlands

2024 *Personal Structures – Beyond Boundaries*, Venice Art Biennale, Italy

2024 *The Journey of Life*, Homo Faber Venice, Italy

2024 *THERESI_ART*, Art[s] Gallery Simone Jansen, Netherlands

2023 *Fragile*, A-Quadraat Gallery, Netherlands

2023 *HUB Exhibition*, Venice Glass Week, Italy

2022 *Glasspecial*, MPV Gallery, Netherlands

2022 *Coburg Prize for Contemporary Glass*, Germany

2022 *Masterly in The Hague*, Netherlands

2018 *Copier Unveiled*, Nationaal Glasmuseum Leerdam, Netherlands

2018 *TRANS-FORM*, Mint Gallery, London, United Kingdom

2017 *Bibi Smit: Glass is in the air*, as part of *Masterly* in Milan, Italy

2016 *Royal Showpieces*, Paleis Het Loo, Netherlands

2016 *A Vase is a Vase is a Vase*, AD Gallery, Antwerp, Belgium

2016 *Meesterlijk*, Amsterdam, Netherlands

2015 *Maison & Objet*, Paris, France

ART FAIRS

2024 *NockNock Art Fair*, Amsterdam, Netherlands

2024 *Affordable Art Fair*, represented by Sille Gallery, Netherlands

2023 *Art the Hague*, represented by MPV Gallery, Netherlands

2023 *PAN Amsterdam*, represented by Wilms Gallery, Netherlands

2021 *KunstRAI*, represented by Wilms Gallery, Netherlands

SELECTED COMMISSIONS

2024 *Oranjevaasje Ariane 18*, Royal Leerdam Crystal, Netherlands

2022 *Whirl of Life / Werveling*, Friends of the Mauritshuis Museum, Netherlands

2018 *Copier Unveiled*, Royal Leerdam Crystal, Netherlands

SELECTED COLLECTIONS

Mauritshuis Museum in The Hague, Netherlands

Nationaal Glasmuseum in Leerdam, Netherlands

NN Group Art Collection, Netherlands

Glasmuseum Lette - Alter Hof Herding in Coesfeld, Germany

National Museums of Scotland in Edinburg, Scotland

AWARDS

2024 Shortlisted in the category of Sculptures and Installations for the project *Surge* (2024), showcased on *Personal Structures - Beyond Boundaries* exhibition during the Venice Art Biennale.

FILMS / MEDIA

Agis Konstantinidis, *Whirl of Life* (2023)

Ben Devlin, *The Glassmaker* (2020), narrated by Zoe Kravitz, part of A World of Calm by HBO Max.

Rosa Ruth Boesten, *Moving Glass* (2017)

SELECTED PRESS

Thimo te Duits, "*The DNA of the Autumn*" in Neues Glas – New Glass Magazine (2023)

Thea Figeo, "*BIBI SMIT 30 jaar in het glas*" in Vereniging Vrienden van Modern Glas (2021)

Linda Banks, "*Head in the clouds*" in *Glass Network* (2021)

DEALER DIRECTORY (represented by)

Wilms Gallery

Venlo, Netherlands

www.galeriewilms.nl

Artiste Culture

Goa, India

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