

Some information on this page is only available in Dutch

SAM COLPA

It is not the painter who translates the dream. But the dream is created by painting.

Sam Colpa is an autodidact artist who knows how to fathom everyday phenomena and abstract compositions in a unique and tangible way. In his preliminary studies, the emphasis is on creating a powerful balanced composition. Regularly geometric patterns can be discovered or organic forms can be found. He also seeks out the stillness in nature. The many color shades that Sam Colpa applies go from intense to rarefied and stimulate the imagination of the spectator. The viewer is invited to try out different ways of 'seeing'. The pursuit of simplicity and harmony in the performances is reinforced by a clearly developed sense of color. To express this feeling for color Sam Colpa works with oil paint and uses mixed techniques. His positive vision of life can be found in the refined shades and nuances of the applied colors. His representations seems to speak the language of the subconscious. Canvas, paper, oil paint, mixed techniques, Surrealism, Abstract, Futuristic, Abstract Figurative

WEBSITES

Gallery Arti Shock

artishockrijswijk@gmail.com

MEMBER OF ARTISTS' INITIATIVE/COLLECTIVE/INCUBATOR

Artishock Rijswijk

MEMBER OF A PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION/ARTISTS' ASSOCIATION

Artishock Rijswijk

EDUCATION

-- Famous Artist School Famous Artist School

EXHIBITIONS

2019 Exhibiotion Gallery Arti Shock Rijswijk, Netherlands Work by participating artists (annual participation) artishockrijswijk@gmail.com Group

2019 Members exhibition 2019 Gallery Arti Shock Rijswijk, Netherlands Participation Members exhibition Gallery Arti Shock museum Rijswijk 2019 artishockrijswijk@gmail.co Group

COMMISSIONS

1998 J.Lipman, Poeldijk The Hague, Netherlands
1997 E.Rozema, Den Haag The Hague, Netherlands

- 2018 Members exhibition Museum Rijswijk
Rijswijk, Netherlands Members
exhibition Gallery Arti Shock (annual
participation since 1996)
artishockrijswijk@gmail.com
Group
- 2018 Beast Gallery Arti Shock Rijswijk,
Netherlands Various work on the theme
of animals artishockrijswijk@gmail.com
Group
- 2015 'colors like brush strokes in the sky
'beauty that nestles in your memories'
Gallery Arti Shock Rijswijk, Netherlands
exhibition Sam Colpa (catalog paintings
Sam Colpa and poems Debby Colpa)
artishockrijswijk@gmail.com
Solo
- 2012 Exhibition Sam Colpa Gallery Arti
Shock Rijswijk, Netherlands exhibition
Sam Colpa (catalog paintings Sam
Colpa and poems Debby Colpa)
artishockrijswijk@gmail.com
Solo
- 2006 Solo exhibition Sam Colpa Gallery Arti
Shock Rijswijk, Netherlands Solo
exhibition Sam Colpa (poems Debby
Colpa) artishockrijswijk@gmail.com
Solo
- 2002 Brush and chisel Gallery Steenwijk
Steenwijk, Netherlands Joint exhibition
of paintings, poems and sculptures.
Sam Colpa, Debby Colpa en Truus van
der Velde artishockrijswijk@gmail.com
Duo
- 2001 Lending art 15 paintings Ministry of
Justice Zwolle, Netherlands Lending art
during 1 year selected paintings on
behalf of the Ministry of Justice.
artishockrijswijk@gmail.com
Solo
- 2000 exhibition Sam Colpa Philips Hilversum
Hilversum, Netherlands Paintings Sam
Colpa artishockrijswijk@gmail.com
Solo
- 1999 Figurative an Surreal Gallery Arti Shock
Rijswijk, Netherlands Paintings Sam
Colpa (poems Debby Colpa)
artishockrijswijk@gmail.com
Solo

- 1996 Exhibition Sam Colpa Art center de Schakel (Rob en Sherie Arentsen Colpa) Krimpen aan de IJssel, Netherlands Paintings Sam Colpa (poems Debby Colpa) artishockrijswijk@gmail.com
Solo
- 1995 Futuristic Figurative Gallery Arti Shock RIjswijk, Netherlands Paintings Sam Colpa artishockrijswijk@gmail.com
Solo
- 1992 Geometric Art Bijenkorf The Hague The Hague, Netherlands Paintings Sam Colpa artishockrijswijk@gmail.com
Solo
- 1990 Paintings Sam Colpa Sparrendam exhibitions Hoewelaken, Netherlands Paintings Sam Colpa (poems Debby Colpa) artishockrijswijk@gmail.com
Solo
- 1989 Paintings Sam Colpa PTT Research Neher laboratory Leidschendam, Netherlands Paintings Sam Colpa (poems Debby Colpa) artishockrijswijk@gmail.com
Solo
- 1988 Paintings Sam Colpa Marion Nijlant The Hague, Netherlands Paintings Sam Colpa (poems Debby Colpa) artishockrijswijk@gmail.com
Solo

SALES/WORKS IN COLLECTIONS

- 1999 Various paintings Occasional purchase pharmacy Bouwlust, various paintings The Hague, Nederland Purchase Apotheek Bouwlust
- Regularly sell private paintings The Hague and places in the Netherlands, Nederland Incidental sales

PUBLICATIONS

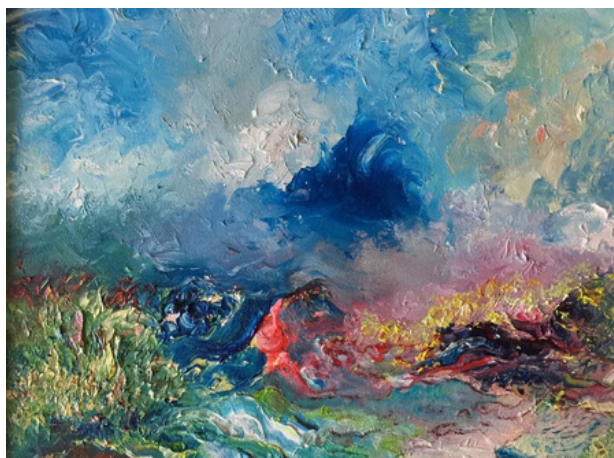
- 2015 'Colors and brushstrokes to heaven.' 'Beauty settles in your memories' Catalog eigen beheer Sam Colpa en Debby Colpa gedichten The Hague, Netherlands Catalog of paintings and poems Paintings Sam Colpa (poems Debby Colpa)
- 2012 Catalog of paintings and poems Catalog eigen beheer Sam Colpa en Debby Colpa The Hague, Netherlands Catalog of paintings and poems. Paintings Sam Colpa (poems Debby Colpa)

REPRESENTATION

-- Gallery Arti Shock Rijswijk, Netherlands
artishockrijswijk@gmail.com



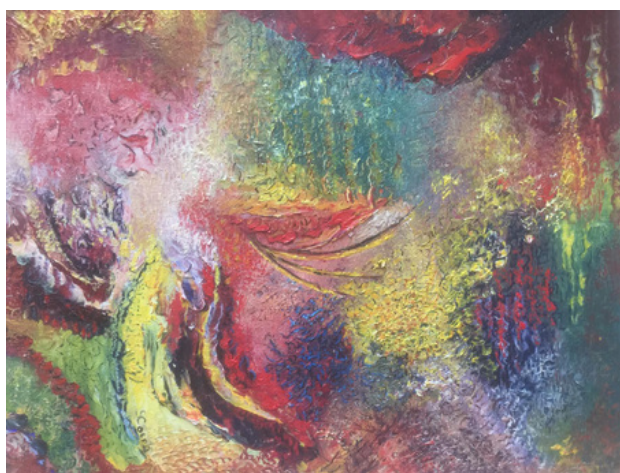
Garden with flowers , 2018
Olieverf/gemengde techniek, 60 x 80 cm



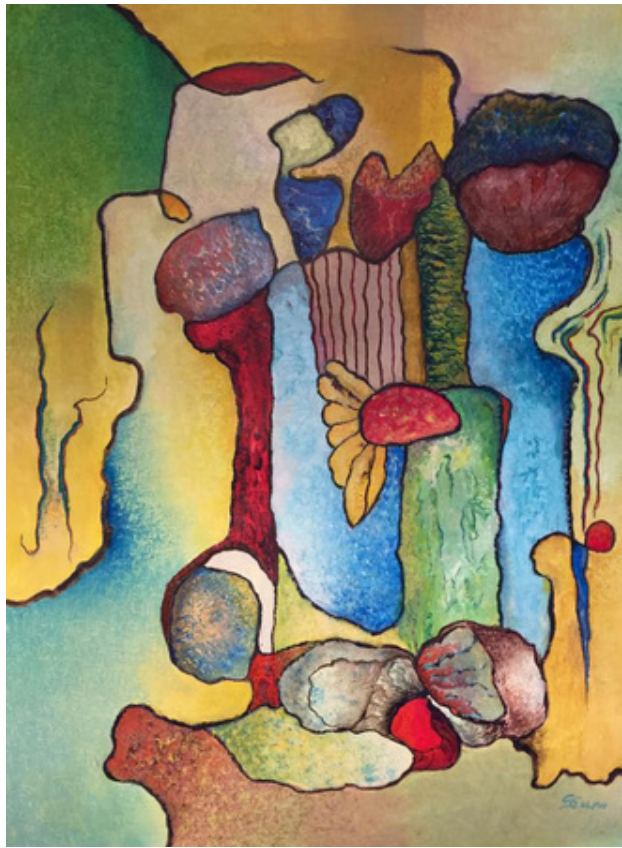
Seascape, 2018
Olieverf/gemengde techniek, 30 x 20 cm



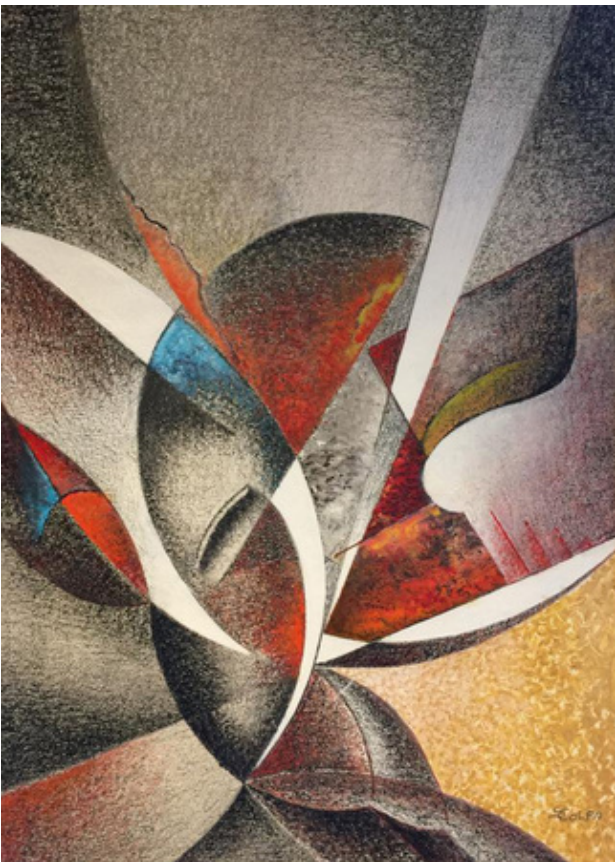
Composition, 2018
Olieverf/gemengde techniek, 30 x 20 cm



Composition, 2018
Olieverf/gemengde techniek, 60 x 80 cm



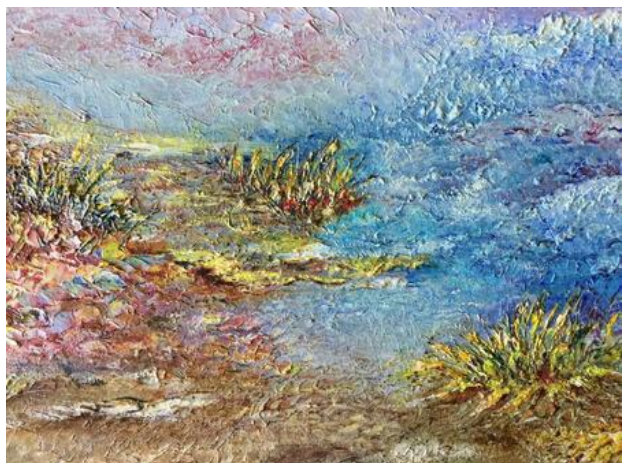
Garden with flowers, 2018
Olieverf/gemengde techniek, 60 x 80 cm



Composition, 2018
Olieverf/gemengde techniek, 60 x 80 cm



Insect, 2018
Olieverf/gemengde techniek, 60 x 80 cm



Composition, 2018
Olieverf/gemengde techniek, 40 x 30 cm



Composition, 2018
Olieverf/gemengde techniek, 80 x 60 cm



Composition, 2018
Olieverf/gemengde techniek, 60 x 80 cm