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LÉON SPEK

Léon Spek is part of Neon & Landa together with Nanda Milbreta. Their curiosity, passion and research goes into sound, light, science and technology. They build sound and light installations with autonomous character and sometimes humorous behaviour. The themes of their artworks are often inspired by natural phenomena, such as (bioluminescent) land and water organisms.

COLLABORATION

Neon & Landa

WEBSITES

www.neon-landa.com

www.leonspek.nl

EDUCATION

- 2005 - Master Image & Sound / ArtScience Den Haag, Koninklijke Academie van Beeldende Kunsten diploma
- 2007
- 2003 - Image & Sound Den Haag, Koninklijke Academie van Beeldende Kunsten diploma
- 2005
- 1999 - Sonology Den Haag, Koninklijk Conservatorium diploma
- 2003

EXHIBITIONS

- 2019 IN.here / Vinny Jones STRP Eindhoven, Netherlands Sound design for Vinny Jones' IN.here
[Group](#)
- 2018 Instruments Make/Play Fair WORM Rotterdam, Netherlands The Bubble Drum, interactive sound installation
instrumentsmakeplay.nl/
[Group](#)
- 2018 A Glimpse of Riga Quartair Den Haag Translucent, interactive optical sculpture
[Group](#)

PROJECTS

- 2017 Radical Drawing Device Jorrit Paaijmans
- 2016 Braindrain Maartje Dijkstra
- 2013 Ontwikkeling virtuele instrumenten Wobblophones doorlopend
- 2013 Ontwikkeling instrumenten voor Opera "Contants Transt" gecomponeerd door Anna Mikhailova korzo
- 2012 Musicaerial premiere Gaudeamus

- 2017 Nacht van Kunst en Kennis,
Academiegebouw Leiden Translucent,
interactive optical sculpture
[Group](#)
- 2017 Amsterdam Dance Event Lab 111
Amsterdam The Bubble Drum,
interactive sound installation
www.neon-landa.com/thebubbledrum.html
[Duo](#)
- 2016 IN.somnial Galerie SANAA Utrecht
Sound design for Vinny Jones'
IN.somnial
vinnyjones.com/project/insomnial
[Group](#)
- 2014 November Music Kruithuis Den Bosch
Performance "Tras-Neptunian Objects"
novembermusic.net/programma/plug
[Group](#)
- 2014 Forest Sparkle Into the Great Wide
Open Vlieland Forest Sparkle (licht- en
geluidinstallatie in het bos op vlieland)
www.neon-landa.com/forestsparkle.html
[Group](#)
- 2014 November Music Kruithuis Den Bosch
Gramo's Attic
novembermusic.net/programma/installatie-expeditie-kruithuis
[Group](#)
- 2013 Studio LOOS Den Haag Performance
"Trans-Neptunian Objects"
[Group](#)
- 2012 Musicaerial Into the Great Wide Open
Vlieland Tune Into Wave and Sea
Spider, Sound sculptures for the
project Musicaerial
[Group](#)
- 2010 +3dB Sound Art festival 2B Gallery
Budapest, Hungary Waltz Promenade,
autonomous sound installation
[Group](#)

AWARDS AND GRANTS

- 2008 mention in 35th Bourges International

SECONDARY ART-RELATED ACTIVITIES

Competition of Electroacoustic Music
and Sound Art 2008 Institut
International de Musique
Electroacoustique de Bourges
Bourges, France

2005 nomination
\\international\media\award 2005
ZKM, Karlsruhe, Duitsland Karlsruhe,
Germany

2014 - assistent special effects Viz Special effects
2015

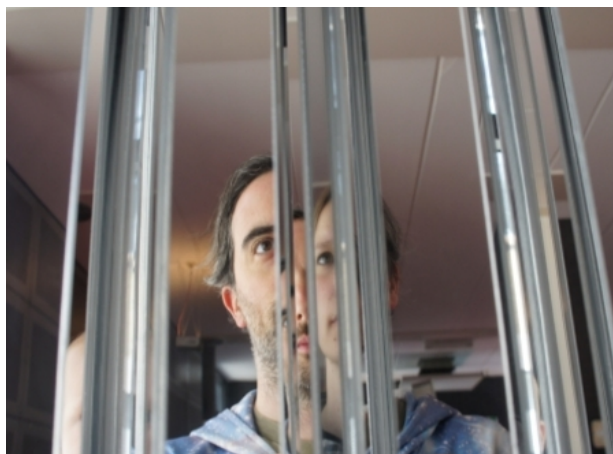
2013 - developer bij V2_ Summer Sessions
2018

2008 - assistent mediawerkplaats Rijksakademie
2012 van beeldende kunsten

2007 - gastleraar interfaculteit Beeld en Geluid /
2007 ArtScience



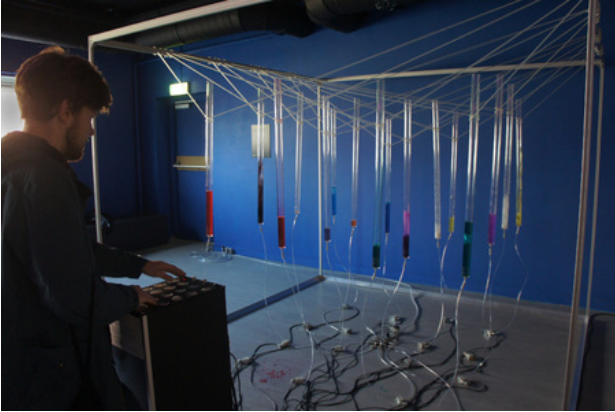
The Bubble Drum, 2017
Perspex, coloured water, pressurized air, 300 x 300 x 270



Translucent, 2017
mirrors, aluminum, mdf, 192 x 74 x 22



Translucent, 2017
mirrors, aluminum, mdf, 192 x 74 x 22



The Bubble Drum, 2017
Perspex, coloured water, pressurized air, 300 x 300 x 270



Gramo's Attic, 2014
mixed, 700 x 500



Forest Sparkle, 2014
mixed, 1000 x 700



Tune Into Wave, 2012
wood, kite, 170 x 100 x 100



Sea Spider, 2012
wood, kite, 450 x 250 x 150



Sea Spider, 2012
wood, kite, 450 x 250 x 150



The Bubble Drum