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PAUL DE JONG

My practice consists of paintings and drawings, which contain a constantly growing vocabulary of images. This vocabulary consists of objects and perceptions from my daily surroundings, particularly things that carry a certain comedic banality. In the process of painting I transform these mundane objects into separate beings that carry a strange relation to the human body. My work has a strong relation to language. For example, a small single image to me is like a word, whereas a larger painting feels more like a sentence. Like words, my images seem clearly defined, but open up an unstable field of significance and ambiguity. With the vocabulary in my paintings, I research the complex relation between the human perception and its surroundings.

WEBSITES

www.jongdepaul.nl

SOCIAL MEDIA

www.instagram.com/pa.dejong/

MEMBER OF ARTISTS' INITIATIVE/COLLECTIVE/INCUBATOR

Billytown

EDUCATION

- 2021 - Fine Art and Design in Education Utrecht,
2023 HKU faculteit Kunst en Vormgeving diploma
- 2009 - Beeldende kunst Den Haag, Koninklijke
2013 Academie van Beeldende Kunsten diploma

EXHIBITIONS

- 2025 Matters of Small Concern Billytown Den Haag, Netherlands Een tentoonstelling van 52 recente werken gemaakt in de periode 24/25 billytown.org
Solo
- 2023 Orifices Galerie de Schans Amsterdam, Netherlands Solotentoonstelling met recent werk
www.instagram.com/galeriedeschans/
Solo
- 2021 Recess 3 M. Simons Gallery Amsterdam, Netherlands

INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGES/RESIDENCIES

- 2018 artist in residency SRV_VHDG Leeuwarden, Netherlands

Solotentoonstelling met recent werk
www.michielsimons.com/about/
Solo

2019 Vlees maakt vlees Kadmiem Delft,
Netherlands
Solo

2019 Stroom ondertussen Den Haag,
Netherlands Met Afra Eisma
Duo

2017 Paleis op de dam Koninklijke
schildersprij
Group

PUBLICATIONS

2021 Adventures Underground Catalog Lula
Valetta Den Haag, Netherlands
adventuresunderground.nl/publication
Een publicatie over de
groepstentoonstelling 'Adventures
Underground' gecureerd door Lula
Valetta

AWARDS AND GRANTS

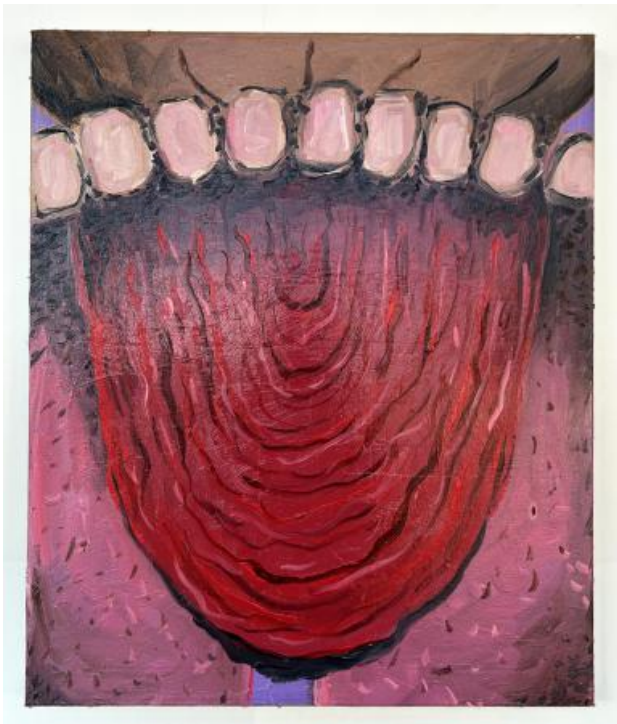
2017 Koninklijke Prijs voor de Vrije
Schilderkunst, Amsterdam Amsterdam,
Netherlands



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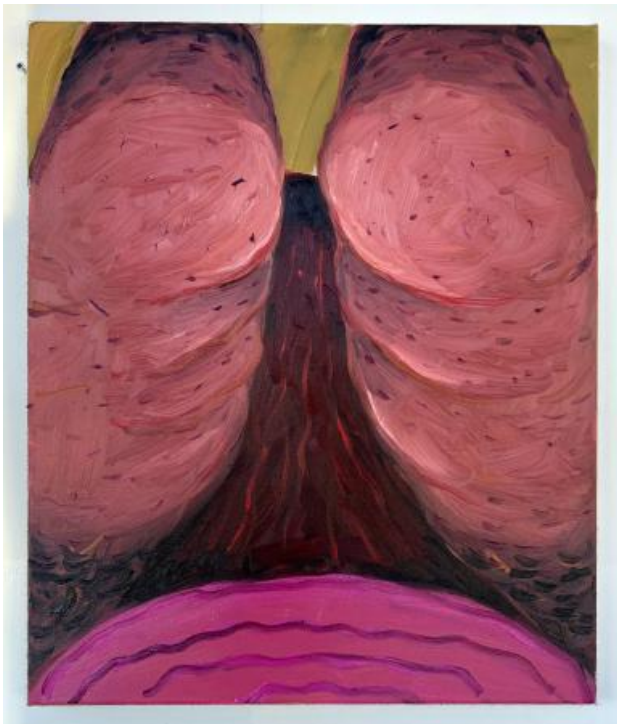
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olie op canvas, 50 x 60 cm



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olie op doek, 50 x 60 cm



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Vleespak, 2024
olie op canvas, 50 x 60 cm



De sjalen van vlees, 2024
olie op katoen, 50 x 60 cm



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