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CLEO WÄCHTER

Cleo Wächter (1993) photographs to investigate the world around her. She researches the way one relates to their environment, as well as how we inscribe the landscape with meaning. She is interested in social geography and landscapes that carry scientific weight. In her work, she acts like a romantic scientist, a poet who rhymes with facts. In previous projects, she has dealt with archaeology, geology and the Anthropocene within the Netherlands. Wächter holds a BA in Documentary Photographer from the Royal Academy of Arts in The Hague. She is currently pursuing her MA in Visual Anthropology at Freie Universität Berlin.

COLLABORATION

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WEBSITES

Personal Website

www.cleowaechter.com

Objective Netherlands

objectiefnederland.nl/

SOCIAL MEDIA

www.instagram.com/cleo_nora/

EDUCATION

2017 - MA Visual and Media Anthropology, Freie
2020 Universität Berlin

2011 - BA Photography, Documentary Den Haag,
2015 Koninklijke Academie van Beeldende
Kunsten diploma

EXHIBITIONS

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| 2019 | Kasteel Groeneveld Baarn Objective
Netherlands
Duo |
| 2018 | Objective Netherlands Fotofestival
Schiedam Objective Netherlands
Duo |
| 2017 | Objective Netherlands Landscape
triennale 2017 Objective Netherlands
Duo |
| 2016 | Bob Smit Gallery, Rotterdam The |

INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGES/RESIDENCIES

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| 2019 | Riga, Latvia ISSP Residency |
| 2016 | Daugavpils, Latvia First International
Photography Symposium |

Photograduates
Group

- 2016 Mark Rothko Art Centre, Daugavpils,
Latvia First international photography
symposium
Group
- 2016 Jan van Eyck Academie, Maastricht
Land/Made Exhibition
Group
- 2016 OpZicht Platform, Stroom, Den Haag
'Autostop-Retracing routes', presentatie
Solo
- 2015 Statenlokaal Tweede Kamer, Den Haag
'Researching the Landscape'
Solo
- 2015 'DEAR graduation' show KABK Den Haag
'Anthropocene'
Group
- 2015 'Dear Graduation' Melkweg Galerie
Amsterdam Print sale and exhibition.
Group

COMMISSIONS

- 2017 Objective Netherlands, Changing
landscape, 1974 — 2017 college van
Rijksadviseurs Re-photography project
in collaboration with Reinjan Mulder.
objectiefnederland.nl/ finished

SALES/WORKS IN COLLECTIONS

- 2020 Diverse Particulieren
- 2016 Mark Rothko Art Center Daugavpils, Letland
'Silver Lining'

PUBLICATIONS

- 2018 Objective Netherlands, Changing
landscape, 1974 — 2017 Book nai010
Cleo Wächter & Reinjan Mulder
www.nai010.com/nl/publicaties/objectief-nederland/213121 Design: Studio
Joost Grootens Contributions by Henk
Baas (RCE), Merel Bem (de Volkskrant),
Peter Delpeut (NRC), Ludo van Halem
(Rijksmuseum) en Berno Strootman
(Rijksadviseur Fysieke Leefomgeving)
- 2016 Auto-stop, retracing routes self-
published Cleo Wächter Design: Lisa
Laperre
- 2015 Anthropocene — Mapping the new

REVIEWS

- 2019 Zien zonder te kijken? Thijs van den
Boomen www.archined.nl/2019/01/zien-zonder-te-kijken/ Boekrecensie 'Objectief
Nederland', Archined platform.
- 2019 Springvossen, Amsterdam FM Robert van
Altena
soundcloud.com/amsterdamfm2/springvossen-341-thea-derks-cleo-wachter-rijnjan-mulder Interview over Objectief Nederland,
met Reinjan Mulder
- 2019 The Real Netherlands: Q&A with Cleo
Wächter Roads and Kingdoms
roadsandkingdoms.com/2019/the-real-netherlands-qa-with-cleo-wachter/

Geology of the Netherlands self-
published Cleo Wächter Design: Kasper
Pyndt Rasmussen

[fbclid=IwAR2C81OusOpA4aVzINpq2fVcKX89NCEhqxlnlNRubzbnBeKG4w7wYQc](https://www.facebook.com/lwAR2C81OusOpA4aVzINpq2fVcKX89NCEhqxlnlNRubzbnBeKG4w7wYQc) Interview

- 2017 Een bijzondere opdracht van de
rijksadviseur voor Fysieke Leefomgeving
Anne Reenders
[publiekgemaakt.nl/objectief-nederland-
een-bijzondere-opdracht-van-de-
rijksadviseur-voor-fysieke-leefomgeving/](https://publiekgemaakt.nl/objectief-nederland-een-bijzondere-opdracht-van-de-rijksadviseur-voor-fysieke-leefomgeving/)
Publiek Gemaakt
- 2016 Foto's waarvan je zin krijgt om te gaan liften
Vrij Nederland
[www.vn.nl/fotodocument/cleo-wachter-
fotos-waarvan-je-zin-krijgt-om-te-gaan-
liften/](http://www.vn.nl/fotodocument/cleo-wachter-fotos-waarvan-je-zin-krijgt-om-te-gaan-liften/) Autostop in Vrij Nederland, 2016
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AWARDS AND GRANTS

- 2017 Prins Bernard Cultuurfonds Study
Abroad Stipendium
- 2016 Winner 'Dialogue' Stipend Stichting
Dialoog, Vrij Nederland, Fotodok
Collaboration between 'Stichting
Dialoog', 'Fotodok Utrecht' and 'Vrij
Nederland'.
- 2016 Stroom, Spot subsidie Publicatie
'Autostop'
- 2015 Unseen Dummy Awards 'Anthropocene
— Mapping the new geology of the
Netherlands'

SECONDARY ART-RELATED ACTIVITIES

- 2019 - Project Space Assistant, The Institute for
2020 Endotic Research, Berlin
- 2017 - Hostess NEST, Den Haag
2019
- 2015 - Museum Educator, Humanity House, The
2015 Hague



Covid19 Diary, 2020



Covid19 Diary, 2020



Covid19 Diary, 2020



Covid19 Diary, 2020



Covid19 Diary, 2020



Meditations (ongoing), 2019



Meditations (ongoing), 2019



Meditations (ongoing), 2019



Meditations (ongoing), 2019



How to catch a shadow (ongoing), 2019