

# KRISTOF DE CLERCQ GALLERY

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## Joris Ghekiere

Born in 1955 in Kortrijk, Belgium.

Lived and worked in Klein Willebroek, Belgium | † 2016

Belgian artist Joris Ghekiere took up a unique and ambiguous position as a painter. He did not stick to one methodology, but explored various painting techniques and styles. In his work, internet images or his own photographs often serve as a starting point. This leads to an oeuvre in which figurative images and abstract images interact.

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### Solo and Duo Exhibitions (selection)

- 2021 Works on Paper, Mu.ZEE, Ostend, Belgium  
2020 Journey, Kristof De Clercq gallery, Ghent, Belgium  
2016 Tekeningen op papier, Salon Blanc, Ostend, Belgium  
2015 TOMORROW, S.M.A.K. Stedelijk Museum voor Actuele Kunst, Ghent, Belgium (curated by Ulrich Loock)  
2014 Black don't Like Yellow Dots, Galerie Marion De Cannière, Antwerp, Belgium  
2012 SEQUENCE, Galerie Transit, Mechelen, Belgium  
A CHOICE, CypresGalerie, Leuven, Belgium  
2011 California, De Garage, Mechelen, Belgium  
2010 Sequence #1: New Paintings, Koraalberg, Antwerp, Belgium  
2009 De Bond Contemporary Art Space, Bruges, Belgium  
2008 Patterns, Pocket Room, Antwerp, Belgium  
Joris Ghekiere & Philip Willem Badenhorst, Toomey Tourell Gallery, San Francisco, USA  
2007 Cam Portraits, Koraalberg, Antwerp, Belgium  
2006 Koraalberg, Antwerp, Belgium  
Ravenstein galleries, represented by Koraalberg, Brussels, Belgium  
2005 Lokaal 01, Breda, the Netherlands  
Cakewalk. Joris Ghekiere, Lucie Renneboog, Steve Van Den Bosch, CC Strombeek, Strombeek, Belgium  
Joris Ghekiere & Herman De Cuyper, Landscapes, Kasteel Bel-Air, Willebroek, Belgium  
2004 Galerie Transit, Mechelen, Belgium  
Koraalberg, Antwerp, Belgium  
2003 Toomey Tourell Gallery, San Francisco, USA (with Philip Willem Badenhorst)  
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De Ziener, Asse, Belgium  
1998 Toomey Tourell Gallery, San Francisco, USA (with Philip Willem Badenhorst)  
1995 Art Box, Waregem, Belgium (with Philip Aguirre y Otegui)  
1994 De Brakke Grond, Amsterdam, the Netherlands  
1993 A.D. gallery, Ostend, Belgium  
1990 Galerie Rodolphe Janssen, Brussels, Belgium  
1984 Cintrik Gallery, Antwerp, Belgium  
Zeildoekschilderingen, Zeeuws Museum, Middelburg, the Netherlands

### Group Exhibitions (selection)

- 2020 Maybe Tomorrow, Emergent, Veurne, Belgium  
2019 The Collection (1) | Highlights for a Future, S.M.A.K. Stedelijk Museum voor Actuele Kunst, Ghent, Belgium  
2018 Sanguine. Luc Tuymans on Baroque, Fondazione Prada, Venice, Italy  
Trust, Les Brasseurs Art Contemporain, Liège, Belgium  
Sanguine. Luc Tuymans on Baroque, M HKA Museum voor Hedendaagse Kunst, Antwerp, Belgium  
2016 Coup de Ville 2016, WARP, Sint-Niklaas, Belgium  
Painting after Postmodernism Belgium-USA, Vanderborght, Brussels, Belgium (curated by Barbara Rose)  
Recent Paintings, Roberto Polo gallery, Brussels, Belgium

- 2015 *A Belgian Politician*, Galerie Marion De Cannière, Antwerp, Belgium  
2014 *An Undulterated Lie*, Emergent, Veurne, Belgium  
2012 *Collection XXXII - Personality Test*, M HKA Museum voor Hedendaagse Kunst, Antwerp, Belgium  
2010 *Les Choses Perdues*, Vegas gallery, London, UK (curated by Ken Pratt)  
2009 *Setting the Pattern*, Koraalberg, Antwerp, Belgium  
*Fading*, Musée d'Ixelles, Brussels, Belgium  
2007 *Paulo Post Futurum*, Breda's Museum, Breda, the Netherlands  
2006 *Wall Paintings*, Koraalberg, Antwerp, Belgium  
2005 *The Final Floor Show*, Objectif Exhibitions, Antwerp, Belgium  
2004 *Eclips. Tentoonstelling rond het verdwijnen*, Bornem-Puurs-Willebroek, Wilebroek, Belgium (curated by Stef Van Bellingen)  
*De Landverhuizers*, CC De Warande, Turnhout, Belgium  
2003 *Fonkeling*, CC Strombeek, Strombeek, Belgium  
1999 *Trouble Spot. Painting*, M HKA Museum Hedendaagse Kunst, Antwerp, Belgium  
1995 *La Condition Humaine*, De Witte Zaal, Sint-Lucasinstituut, Ghent, Belgium  
1992 *Modernism in Painting: 10 jaar schilderkunst in Vlaanderen*, Mu.ZEE, Ostend, Belgium  
1988 *Vierentwintig Westvlaamse kunstenaars uit het PMMK*, ICC, Antwerp, Belgium  
1985 *Kunstwerken verworven door de Vlaamse Gemeenschap*, Genk, Belgium  
*Jeune Peinture Belge*, Palais des Beaux-Arts, Brussels, Belgium  
1984 Espace 251 Nord, Liège, Belgium  
1982 *Actuele Beelding*, ICC, Antwerp, Belgium