

CV

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1961 - Den Helder, NL

EDUCATION

- 2026 - StoringAUB 1, Arnhem, NL
- 2020 - 2022 Academie Arendonk, B (drawing-specialization)
- 2015 - 2020 Academie Arendonk, B (drawing)
- 2005 - 2006 Laboratorium I and II, CKE, Eindhoven, NL (multi disciplined fine arts courses)
- 2001 - 2003 two-year course 'Quilten Speciaal', SBA, Utrecht, NL
- 1983 - 1997 Detex, Free Art schools Nijmegen and Eindhoven, NL
- 1980 - 1985 MA in English, incl. first degree teaching qualification, Radboud University Nijmegen, NL

AWARDS (selection)

- 2015 5th Riga International Textile and Fibre Art Triennial: 1st prize
- 2015 Art Quilt Award 2015, Museum Nordwolle Delmenhorst, D: 1st prize
- 2012 World Photo Concert contest, Parktheater, Eindhoven, NL: one of the five award winners
- 2011 Infinite Art Gallery – Fiber Arts Show: Best of Show
- 2009 4th European Quilt Triennial, Heidelberg, D: Doris Winter commemoration prize for innovation of material, technique and concept
- 2009 Black & White Art & Photography Competition: iSnapChat Artist Gallery: one of the six winners
- 2008 Art Quilt Elements, Wayne, PA, US: SAQA Cream Award
- 2008 Sound Strips, Irsee, D: 3rd prize
- 2007 6th Florence Biennale, I: dFBa group for the Biennale's promotion in the world
- 2007 Quilt Art Lugano, CH: 2nd prize
- 2005 Draíocht, Dublin, IRL: joint-winner price for the most outstanding artistic quality
- 2005 Textiel Festival Breda, NL - "Groeten met Wereldstoffen": 1st prize
- 2004 EQC, Waalre, NL : Best of Show
- 2003 2nd European Quilt Triennial, Heidelberg, D : 1st prize
- 2003 General Exhibition Quiltersgilde, Leiden, NL: 3rd prize
- 2002 Miniature quilt Exhibition Quiltersgilde, NL : 3rd prize by the public
- 2001 EQC, Waalre, NL : Best of Show and 1st prize Advanced
- 1996 Cordi Atelier Groningen 20 years, NL : 3rd prize and 1st prize by the public

SOLO/DUO EXHIBITIONS (selection)

- 2025 On the Cusp, Art Gallery O-68, Velp, NL
- 2023 Kunstroute Open Stal (Galerie Hawar), Oldeberkoop, NL
- 2017 Nordwestdeutsches Museum für IndustrieKultur Nordwolle, Delmenhorst, D
- 2016 Kasteel Heeze (Kunstsmullen,) Heeze, NL
- 2016 Sommerakademie Kloster Irsee, D (solo)
- 2012 Textilsammlung Max Berk, Heidelberg, D
- 2005 Aboriginal Art Museum Utrecht, NL

GROUP EXHIBITIONS (selection)

- 2026 7th International Triennial of Textile Art TexpoART, RO
- 2026 16th International Biennial Contemporary Textile and Fibre Art Exhibition Scythia, UA
- 2025 TRM, Hohenstein-Ernstthal, D
- 2025 International Mini-Textiles Angers, Musée Jean-Lurçat et de la Tapisserie contemporaine
- 2024 STDLK Museum Breda (Soulmates)
- 2023 3rd International Micro Textile and Fibre Art Exhibition "Scythia", Ivano-Frankivs'k, Ukraine
- 2019 ZomerExpo 2019 (Van Gendthallen, Amsterdam, Museum De Fundatie, Zwolle, NL)
- 2019 3rd International Textile Art Biennial, Haacht, B
- 2018 The Nature of the Stitch, Sheehan Gallery, Whitman College, Walla Walla, WA, USA

- 2015 Centre d'Art Contemporain, Briançon, F (Artextures 2013)
- 2014 8th International Fiber Art Biennial 'From Lausanne to Beijing', Nantong, China
- 2012 CONTEXTILE 2012, Guimarães, P
- 2012 Bibliothèque Forney, Paris (Artextures 2011)
- 2010 EXNA 4 - Musée d'art et d'histoire, Neuchâtel, CH
- 2008 Fries Museum, Leeuwarden, NL (QUILTS)
- 2007 Kunstcentret Silkeborg Bad, Silkeborg, DK (QA22)

PUBLICATIONS (selection)

- 2025 On the Cusp, Mirjam Pet Jacobs (own publication)
- 2024 Pro Arte, Academie Arendonk, B
- 2020 Kunstenaars & coronavirus #3, Brabant Cultureel
- 2018 Art Quilts Unfolding: 50 years of innovation, Nancy Bavor, Lisa Ellis and Martha Sielman, Schiffer Publishing, PA
- 2018 The Collage Ideas Book, Alannah Moore, ILEX, Octopus Publishing Group, London
- 2017 Een stukje papier, Mr.Motley Magazine (result of the investigation 'The Sunday Painter')
- 2015 Mirjam Pet-Jacobs textile – mixed media 2011-2015 (own publication)
- 2015 of past and present, Mirjam Pet-Jacobs (photos and gendai haiku)(own publication)
- 2015 International Textilkunst, 43. Jahrgang, März 2015, Heft 1, Juni 2015 Heft 2
- 2014 TextileArt around the world, Ellen Bakker, Textiellink
- 2014 SCHMETZ Designer Poster
- 2013 Art Quilts in Nederland, Henk Lijding, WBOOKS, Zwolle
- 2013 Text in Textile Art, Sara Impey, Batsford, London
- 2013 SCHMETZ Designer Portfolio
- 2012 Textiles, The Art of Mankind, Mary Schoeser, Thames & Hudson, London, 2012
- 2011 Textile Adventures, Mirjam Pet-Jacobs, Bergtor Verlag (in D, GB, F)
- 2011 Masters: Art Quilts II, Lark Books, Quilting Arts Magazine Dec10/Jan11
- 2011 International Textilkunst, Sep.
- 2010 Mirjam Pet-Jacobs, textile works, 2006 – 2010, a selection (own publication)
- 2010 The Art Quilt Collection, Designs and Inspiration from Around the World, Sixth & Spring Books
- 2009 Textilkunst Sep.
- 2009 Textilforum no. 3
- 2009 Surface Design Journal - Winter- ArtQuiltsElements exhibition review
- 2008 A Sense of Time, SAQA (front cover)
- 2008 Zelfportret in Textiel, Galerie Thuis
- 2007 Dutch Quilt - Quilt in Beeld, Ria van Els-Dubelaar, Zijdar Book BV
- 2006 Brockhaus Encyclopedia, Germany

MUSEUM COLLECTIONS

- Nordwolle Nordwestdeutsches Museum für IndustrieKultur, Delmenhorst, D
- Textilsammlung Max Berk, Heidelberg, D
- Gallery of Szombathely, H
- International Quilt Museum, Nebraska, LN, US
- Quilts Inc Collection, Texas, US (Texas Quilt Museum)
- Nationale Quilt Collectie, Uithuizermeede, NL

CORPORATE COLLECTIONS

- Arte&Arte aps, Como, I
- Aurifil SRL, Milan, I
- Kapellerput, Heeze, NL
- Collection Henri Swagemakers, NL

SELECTION COMMITTEES/CURATING

- 2023 Dutch Quiltersgilde Exhibition

2022 KunstSmullen Heeze, outdoor expo, NL
 2021 curating QuiltArt Kunstsmullen Heeze and Leende, NL
 2020 Quiltköping, S
 2019 KunstSmullen Heeze, outdoor expo, NL
 2018 Quilt Festival Noord-Groningen-NL
 2017 European Patchwork Meeting, Sainte-Marie-aux-Mines-F
 2017 AQA, Museum Delmenhorst-D
 2016 Quilt Festival Noord-Groningen-NL
 2013 curating "QuiltArt in Moscow", Tsaritsyno Museum, Moscow, RU
 2012 5th European Quilt Triennial, Heidelberg-D
 2012 Quiltersgilde-art quilts-NL
 2010 European Patchwork Meeting, Sainte-Marie-aux-Mines-F
 2008 - 2010 organiser Fololo - Creative for Congo (international competition)
 2008 Bernina, P&Q dagen, Rijswijk-NL
 2006 European Quilt Championships-NL
 2002 Quiltersgilde concept and design anniversary gift for members (with artist Rita Berghuis-Ensing)

MASTERCLASSES/WORKSHOPS/LECTURES (selection)

2018 Kunstsmullen Heeze, NL: Primary School Project (grade 3-6)
 2016 Meisterklasse Textil, Sommerakademie, Kloster Irsee, D
 2014 Ateliertisch, Zellertal, D
 2014 Leufsta Quilt, Lövestabruk, S (and in 2011)
 2013 Bernina, Steckborn, CH
 2013 Ateliertisch, Zellertal, D
 2013 DIY Textile School, Amsterdam, NL
 2013 Neuchâtel, CH
 2012 Main Quilt Festival, Aschaffenburg, D
 2012 St.Petersburg, RU
 2012 Textilwerkstatt Springe, D
 2012 Verkaufwerkstatt, Kropp, D
 2012 PIVA, St.Moritz, CH
 2011 Festival Internacional de Patchwork, Sitges, ES
 2011 Lippetal, D
 2011 Lausanne-CH; Grâne, F
 2011 Textilsammlung Max Berk, Heidelberg, D
 2010 DIY Textile School, Amsterdam, NL
 2010 Verkaufwerkstatt, Kropp, D
 2010 EPM, Val d'Argent, F (and in 2006, 2008, 2009)
 2010 Textilwerkstatt Springe, D
 2009 3.Surface Symposium, Schloß Bernried, Starnberger See, D
 2009 Zürisee-Patchworktage, CH
 2009 Belfast, N-IRL
 2008 PIVA, St.Moritz, CH
 2008 Séminaire de patchwork à Leysin, CH
 2008 Patchwork & Quilt Days, Rijswijk, NL
 2007 Main-Quiltfestival, Aschaffenburg, D
 2007 Dutch Textile Museum, Tilburg, NL
 2007 Dublin, IRL
 2006 Haindorfer Quilttage, A
 2006 Dutch Textile Museum, Tilburg, NL
 2006 Meilemer Quilttage, CH