

Galerie Max Mayer

Worringer Straße 64  
40211 Düsseldorf

## Jef Geys

Born 1934 in Leopoldsburg, Belgium

Died 2018 in Genk, Belgium

Lived and worked in Balen, Belgium

## Selected Solo Exhibitions

2018

Jef Geys, Centre for Contemporary Art, Singapore (forthcoming)

QUADRA, MAC's Grand-Hornu, Boussu, Belgium

Yale Union, Portland, USA

Le Tour de France 1969 d'Eddy Merckx, Air de Paris, Paris, France

2017

Jef Geys - Oldenburg, Galerie Max Mayer, Düsseldorf, Germany

Kempens Informatieblad, 1971-2017, Linden, Düsseldorf, Germany

Gevoelsspeeldoos, Établissement d'en face, Brussels, Belgium

Chalet, La Loge, Brussels, Belgium

Some News from Balen, ESSEX STREET, New York, USA

Bubble Paintings, ESSEX STREET, New York, USA

Jef Geys - Le Tour de France 1969 d'Eddy Merckx, Centre d'art contemporain / Passages, Troyes, France

Jef Geys - Le Tour de France 1969 d'Eddy Merckx, Les Bains-Douches, Alençon, France

Jef Geys - Le Tour de France 1969 d'Eddy Merckx / Les Plantes Médicinales, Institut d'art contemporain, Villeurbanne/Rhône-Alpes, France

2016

Jef Geys - Le Tour de France 1969 d'Eddy Merckx, CAPC musée d'art contemporain de Bordeaux, Bordeaux, France

Jef Geys - San Michele, 2009, Galerie Max Mayer, Düsseldorf, Germany

Jef Geys - Le Tour de France 1969 d'Eddy Merckx, CNEAI, Chatou, France

2015

Painting clouds, Galerie Micheline Szwajcer, Brussels, Belgium

Air de Paris, Paris, France

Jef Geys: Some Paintings From Belgium, Galerie 3A, New York, USA

S.M.A.K. Stedelijk Museum voor Actuele Kunst, Ghent, Belgium

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2014

La Sentinelle, Piacé Le Radieux, Piacé, France

Country Clic (with François Curlet), Les Bains-Douches, Alençon, France

Air de Paris (curated by Francis Mary), Paris, France

C'est aujourd'hui dimanche, tiens ma jolie maman voilà des roses blanches, toi qui les aime tant...!,  
(curated by Sylvie Boulanger and Francis Mary), CNEAI, Chatou, France

2013

Duo show, Jef Geys / Monir Shahroudy Farmanfarmaian - WIELS, Brussels, Belgium

A3-A4 Serie, Galerie Greta Meert, Brussels, Belgium

2012

As Sombras de Lisboa, Culturgest, Lisbon, Portugal

KOME et KEMPENS Informatieblad, CNEAI, Chatou, France

KOME, Royal Museum of Fine Arts of Belgium, Brussels, Belgium

2011

Martin Douven - Leopoldsburg - Jef Geys - MuHKA Museum voor Hedendaagse Kunst Antwerpen,  
Antwerp, Belgium

Jef Geys - Woodward Avenue - Carriage Trade, New York City, USA

2010

Woodward Avenue - Museum of Contemporary Art Detroit, Detroit, USA

2009

Quadra Medicinale, Belgian Pavilion, 53rd Venice Biennale, Venice, Italy

Jef Geys, Bawag Contemporary - Bawag Foundation, Vienna, Austria

2007

Jef Geys, IAC - Institut d'art contemporain Villeurbanne/Rhône-Alpes, Villeurbanne, France

2005

Jef Geys, Van Abbemuseum, Eindhoven, The Netherlands

2004

Retrospective, Van Abbemuseum, Eindhoven, The Netherlands

Jef Geys, Galerie Micheline Szwajcer, Antwerp, Belgium

2001

Jef Geys, Kunstverein München, Munich, Germany

1990

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Jef Geys, Galerie Greta Meert, Brussels, Belgium

1987

Jef Geys, Zonder titel - De Vleeshal, Middelburg, The Netherlands

### **Selected Group Exhibitions**

2018

Unexchangeable, WIELS, Brussels, Belgium

Melancholia, Boghosian Foundation, Villa Empain, Brussels, Belgium

Le destin des châteaux croisés, Château Shatto, Los Angeles, USA

The Lulennial II: A Low-Hanging Fruit, Lulu, Mexico City, Mexico

2017

A still life by Chardin, Lisson Gallery, London, UK

Class of 34 (with Dorothy Iannone and Guy de Cointet), Château Shatto, Los Angeles, USA

Life & Opinions, organized by Galerie Max Mayer and Tanya Leighton, Tanya Leighton Gallery, Berlin, Germany

M HKA reopens, M HKA, Antwerp, Belgium

The Absent Museum, WIELS, Brussels, Belgium

Wirtschaftswerte/Museumswerte, Kunsthalle Düsseldorf, Germany

2016

Take Me I'm Yours, Kunsthall Charlottenborg, Denmark

La collection mise à nue par ses artistes, même, Musée des Beaux-Arts, Dole, France

2015

Take Me I'm Yours, Monnaie de Paris, Paris, France

Atopolis (curated by Dirk Snauwaert and Charlotte Friling), Mons 2015, WIELS, Brussels, Belgium

Stay in Love (curated by Chris Sharp), Gallery Lisa Cooley, New York, USA

2013

The Collection as a Character - M HKA Museum voor Hedendaagse Kunst Antwerpen, Antwerp, Belgium

2012

A Drawing Show, Galerie Micheline Szwajcer, Antwerp, Belgium

Spirits of Internationalism 6 European collections, 1956 – 1986, Van Abbemuseum, Eindhoven, The Netherlands

2011

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gehen blühen fließen - Naturverhältnisse in der Kunst, Stadtgalerie Kiel, Germany

2010

Group Show, Galerie Micheline Szwajcer, Antwerp, Belgium

In-Book/Out-Book/If-Book, Museo della Città, Perugia, Italy

The Morning News, BE-PART, Platform voor actuele kunst, Waregem, Belgium

2009

Taj Mahal Travellers, Galerie Nordenhake, Stockholm, Sweden

MARKET FORCES - Part 1 & Part 2, Galerie Erna Hécey, Brussels, Belgium

A Story of the Image: Old & New Masters From Antwerp - National Museum of Singapore, Singapore ; Shanghai Art Museum, Shanghai

NOMAD, Cultuurcentrum Brugge, Bruges

Drawings, Galerie Erna Hécey, Brussels, Belgium

2008

User's End, BE-PART - Platform voor actuele kunst, Waregem, Belgium

The Cult of Personality, Portraits and Mass Culture - Galerie Erna Hécey, Brussels, Belgium

The Cult of Personality, Carriage Trade, New York City, USA

La Fete Est Permanente / The Eternal Network, FRAC - Champagne-Ardenne, Reims

The order of things, M HKA Museum voor Hedendaagse Kunst Antwerpen, Antwerp

Deep Comedy, Marian Goodman Gallery, New York City, USA

Die Hände der Kunst, MARTa Herford, Herford, Germany

2007

If I can't dance, I Don't Want To Be Part Of Your Revolution, M HKA Museum voor Hedendaagse Kunst Antwerpen, Antwerp, Belgium

Dangling Man, Office Baroque Gallery, Antwerp, Belgium

Deep Comedy, Ballroom Marfa, Marfa, USA

2006

tranzit - Auditorium, Stage, Backstage - Eine Ausstellung in 32 Szenen, Frankfurter Kunstverein, Frankfurt/Main, Germany

Collectiepresentatie XVI - Attributen en Substantie, M HKA Museum voor Hedendaagse Kunst Antwerpen, Antwerp, Belgium

2005

Information/Transformation - Extra City, Kunsthal Antwerpen, Antwerp, Belgium

L'oeuvre en programme, CAPC - Musée d'art contemporain, Bordeaux, France

Akademie - Kunst lehren und lernen, Kunstverein in Hamburg, Hamburg, Germany

2004

Dear ICC - Aspects of contemporary art in Belgium 1970-1985, M HKA Museum voor Hedendaagse

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Kunst Antwerpen, Antwerp, Belgium

Group Exhibition, Galerie Micheline Sz wajcer, Antwerp, Belgium

2003

Contour - Biennial for Video Art, Mechelen, Belgium

Gelijk het leven is, S.M.A.K. Stedelijk Museum voor Actuele Kunst, Ghent, Belgium

Inside Outliners, Kunsthalle Lophem, Loppem-Zedelgem

2002

Documenta 11, Kassel

Il Gregario Hommage a Pino Cerami, Galerie Jacques Cerami, Couillet

Attachment+, Kunsthalle Lophem, Loppem-Zedelgem, Belgium

2000

Le Jeu des 7 familles, Mamco - musée d'art moderne et contemporain, Geneva, Switzerland

1999

La consolation, MAGASIN-Centre National d'art Contemporain de Grenoble, Grenoble, France

1997

Skulptur Projekte Münster, Münster, Germany

1996

69/96. Dédoublément et autoportrait par procuration, Galerie Art & Essai, Rennes, France

1991

21<sup>st</sup> Bienal de São Paulo - Bienal de Sao Paulo, São Paulo, Brazil

1988

DIE LEERE MIT BEDACHT GEFÜLL, GAK - Gesellschaft für Aktuelle Kunst e.V. Bremen, Germany

1986

Chambres d'amis, S.M.A.K. Stedelijk Museum voor Actuele Kunst, Gent, Belgium (curated by Jan Hoet)

1983

L'Arte povera, l'art conceptuel et les mythologies individuelles en Europe - Musée d'art contemporain de Montréal, Montreal, Canada

1979

The sixties - Art in Belgium, SMAK Stedelijk Museum voor Actuele Kunst, Ghent, Belgium

Contemporary Art in Belgium Inzicht/Overzicht - Overzicht/Inzicht - S.M.A.K. Stedelijk Museum voor Actuele Kunst, Ghent, Belgium

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### **Public Collections**

Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, USA

Center National des Arts Plastiques, Paris, France

IAC, Villeurbanne, France

M HKA Museum voor Hedendaagse Kunst Antwerpen, Antwerp, Belgium

Madre, Naples, Italy

Middelheim Museum, Antwerp, Belgium

MUDAM, Luxembourg

Mu.ZEE, Oostende, Belgium

S.M.A.K. Stedelijk Museum voor Actuele Kunst, Ghent, Belgium

Stedelijk Museum, Amsterdam, The Netherlands

Van Abbemuseum, Eindhoven, The Netherlands