

# Nanette Veldsman

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Curriculum Vitae

1983 Born, South Africa

Living and working in Stellenbosch, South Africa

## Education

2006 – 2009 - MA (VA) Master of Arts in Visual Arts Cum Laude. University of Stellenbosch, South Africa.

2007 - Gerrit Rietveld Academy, Amsterdam, The Netherlands.

2002 – 2005 - BA (FA) Bachelor of Arts in Fine Arts (Creative Jewellery Design and Metal Techniques). University of Stellenbosch, South Africa.

## Employment

2009- 2015

Full Time Lecturer: Department of Visual Arts: Creative Jewellery and Metal Design, University of Stellenbosch, South Africa.

2006 -2008

- Part Time Lecturer: Department of Visual Arts: Creative Jewellery Design and Metal Techniques, University of Stellenbosch.
- Assistant curator for Inventions and assistant editor for the Inventions catalogue, Gold of Africa Museum, Cape Town.
- Coordinator: University of Stellenbosch Jewellery Design Exhibition, Design Indaba, Cape Town.

## Selected Group Exhibitions, Projects and Curatorship: International

2013

2013 Beijing International Jewellery Exhibition, Beijing, China.

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2010 - 2011

Dichotomies of Place in Objects: Contemporary South African Studio Jewelry from the Stellenbosch Area.

- Velvet Da Vinci, San Francisco, CA, USA.
- Ohio Craft Museum, Ohio, USA.
- The Ornamental Metals Museum, Memphis, TN, USA.

2009

Talente 2009, in association with Schmuck, Munich, Germany.

2007

Sieraad: International Jewellery and Silver Design Fair, Amsterdam.

## Selected Group exhibitions, Projects and Curatorship: National

2015

- Curator for Design Indaba Expo: Jewellery Sector. Cape Town, South Africa.

2014

- Art'san by GUILD, GUILD International Design Fair, The Lookout, V & A Waterfront, Cape Town, South Africa.
- Design Indaba Expo, ETHEREAL MATERIAL, Cape Town, South Africa. Co-curator, participating artist.
- 55 Artists/Necklaces in collaboration with Liz Loubser and Tinsel, The Liz Loubser

Gallery, 11 Cecelia Ave, Risidale, Johannesburg, South Africa.

- Precious Obsession, Pop-up exhibition, Truth Coffee Roasting, 36 Buitenkant Street, Cape Town, South Africa.
- Back to the Future Retrospective Platinum exhibition, Slee Gallery, 101 Dorp Street, Stellenbosch, South Africa. Co-curator.

2013

- Steek, Sasol Art Museum, Stellenbosch, South Africa.
- 68 Artists/68 Earrings, The Liz Loubser Gallery, 11 Cecelia Ave, Risidale, Johannesburg, South Africa.

2011

Dichotomies of Place in Objects: Contemporary South African Studio Jewelry from the Stellenbosch Area.

Sasol Art Museum, Stellenbosch.

2009

- 10 Philosophical Questions, group exhibition, US Gallery Dorpstreeet, Stellenbosch.
- Occasions, The Gallery at Grande Provence Estate, Franschhoek.
- Angels4Good, The Gallery at Grande Provence Estate, Franschhoek.
- Six Small Stories group exhibition, Artspace, Johannesburg..

2008

- Inventions, Gold of Africa museum, Cape Town.

2008-2013

- University of Stellenbosch group exhibition, Design Indaba Expo, Cape Town.

#### Solo Exhibitions

2009

BAG ID, Bell-Roberts Gallery, Cape Town

Handbags: Carrier of Meaning, US Gallery Dorpstreeet, Stellenbosch.

#### Competitions

2009

Talente 2009, in association with Schmuck, Munich, Germany

#### Conferences and Trade Fares attended:

- Gray Area Symposium, April 2010, Mexico City, Mexico.
- Schmuck and Talente, 2010; 2012, Munich, Germany.
- Cape Town Design Indaba Conference, Cape Town, South Africa 2009 -2014
- Jewellex Jewellery Fair, Johannesburg, South Africa 2008 -2010

#### Online Profile: Membership and Galleries:

2011 – 2015

Member of Klimt02 International Jewellery Online. Barcelona, Spain.