

## Melkweg, Amsterdam

‘Dahl & Deliberations’: Video commissioned for Women’s Day 2021

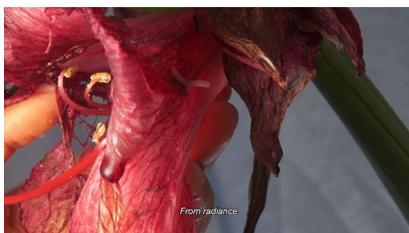
In February 2021, Vegan Lesbian Curry was asked to produce a video work to support the online program of the Melkweg. This video, commissioned by Fleurie Kloostra and supported by the Mondriaan Fonds was a direct response for the need for a virtual program that corresponded to the needs of a corona-stricken time.

Vegan lesbian Curry is an initiative that looks to foster and develop ‘brave’ spaces for lonely, queer people by providing a warm dinner event that not only nourishes but also actively tries to dismantle the often negative and harmful connotations associated with the words; Vegan, Lesbian & Curry. On our website, ingredients and recipe lists are laid out from the previous editions held, making them open source and easy to access for those who might want to have a similar event.

For this particular commission, we wanted to translate these feminist, intersectional, sustainable themes into a video format using a pressing narrative, visuals, references and an age-old recipe.

**Full video: <https://vimeo.com/520378935>**

**Screenshots from the video (3:41mins)**



## **International Trans & Migrant Film Festival**

Film screening of 'Homo is Where the Heart Is'

2020-2021

Queer Landing is an evening organized by curator Mini Maxwell to bring together queer artists and members of the queer community. It is an exhibition on queer bodies shaping and claiming fluid embodiment and space. While operating in a dystopian present, these queer bodies create agency via their own geographical, social and political narratives. Whether it be in resilience, rural transness, mistakes, grief, alienation, demonstration or exclamation – the queer body is claiming ownership over what was theirs all along. It results in a never-ending descent on the slide called Queer Landing.

As a side program to the International Trans and Migrant Film Festival, 'Homo is Where the Heart is, 2020' was screened at LAB111 in Amsterdam as part of Queer Landing.

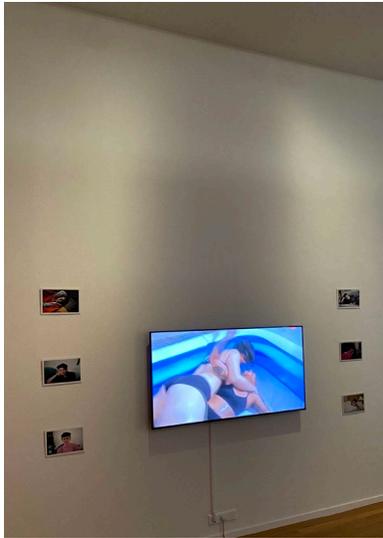


## Foam Show

Graduating artists group show.

Sept-Nov 2020

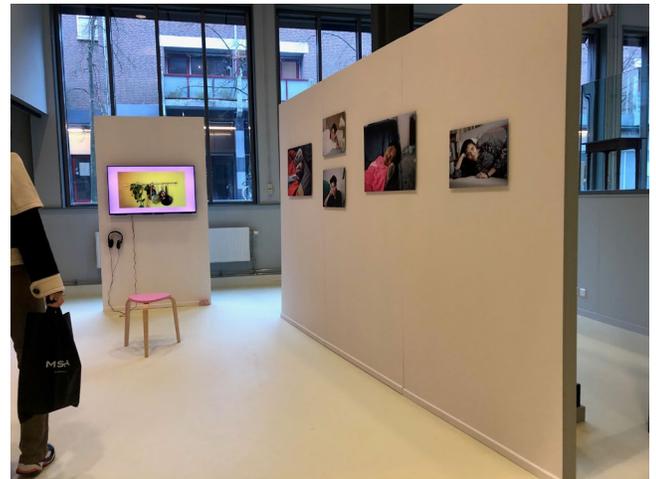
In celebration of this year's graduation, Foam museum presented the final works of Gerrit Rietveld Academies photography department's graduating class from the 18<sup>th</sup> of September to the 1<sup>st</sup> of November 2020.



**Corrosia Theatre, expo& film, Almere**  
Team FRANCO graduation show

**2020-2021**

The Corrosia space in Almere hosts a Graduation Show, based on a unique concept where six citizens of Almere are invited to select six favorite works from various graduation shows in The Netherlands. It is meant to foster a democratic exhibition model, in which professionals and non-professionals work together to achieve a special result. The exhibition ran from November 2020 to April 2021 and featured my drawings, images and the video 'Homo is Where the Heart is, 2020'.



**Melkweg, Amsterdam**

**2020-2021**

For the best of graduates Arty Party show (Covid-19 cancelled).

I was invited, alongside four graduating artists from the Netherlands to be part of the Arty Party show in Melkweg, Amsterdam. This show was supposed to run from the 22 October till 15 November, 2020, but due to Corona and the regulations that ensued the show was cancelled.

**Photographer in Residence**  
For the Amsterdam University of Applied Sciences (AUAS)

2020-2021

**Thesis Prize**  
Shortlisted for the Gerrit Rietveld Academy thesis prize

May 2020



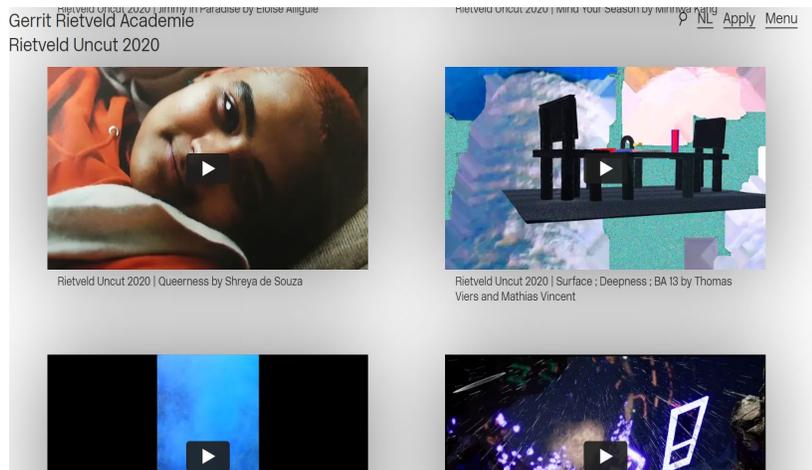
## Stedelijk Museum

March 2020

### Revised Rietveld Uncut: Relating to Color

The original Rietveld Uncut program had to be swapped out for an online version of the program due to Corona. 'Queerness', the video I made for this event can be viewed here:

<https://rietveldacademie.nl/en/page/14058/rietveld-uncut-2020>



## Vegan Lesbian Curry

A community building project.

November 2019,

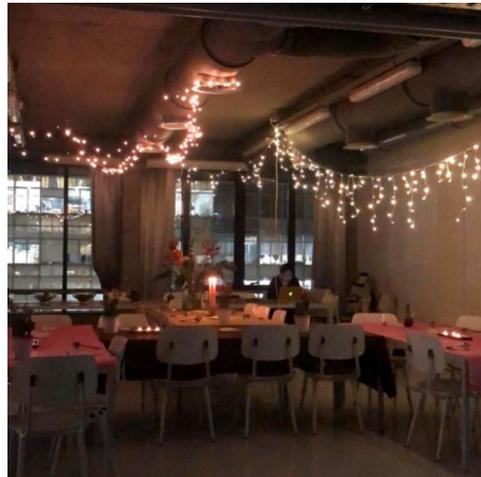
December 2019

March 2019

*A curry kitchen for the lonely queer*

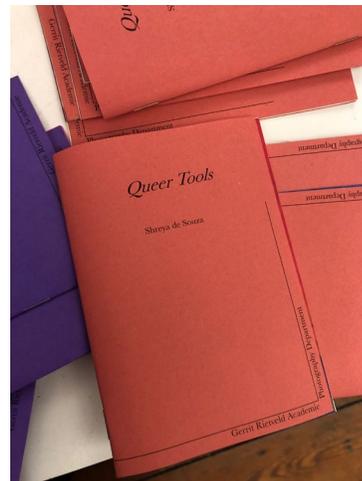
We serve, share and listen.

Vegan Lesbian Curry is a project by Shreya de Souza and Mylou Oord to create a monthly inclusive and queer communal space, by preparing and serving a vegan curry meal for (lonely) queer people. By doing this we offered them community with a warm environment and a brave space and chance to be around other Queer people. It is an initiative to practice care and solidarity by means of food. This project was supported by The Student Council Fund of the Rietveld Academie.



**PUNT WG, Amsterdam**  
Thesis Presentation

**January 2020**



**Korzo Theater, Den Haag**  
Group show 'Queer Bodies'

**September 2019**

As a precursor to the performance evening at Korzo theatre in Den Haag, I was invited to show my video work Haptic Brown turns to Blue.

The full video can be watched here: <https://vimeo.com/453912857>



**Unseen Amsterdam**

**October 2019**

Created an installation and sound piece along with artist Luca Penning in the glasshouses  
Installed for Unseen Amsterdam 2019 as part of a special program for Photography graduates of The Rietveld and KABK. The sound pieces functioned as a stream of consciousness and an unfolding of language and the way we perceive language.

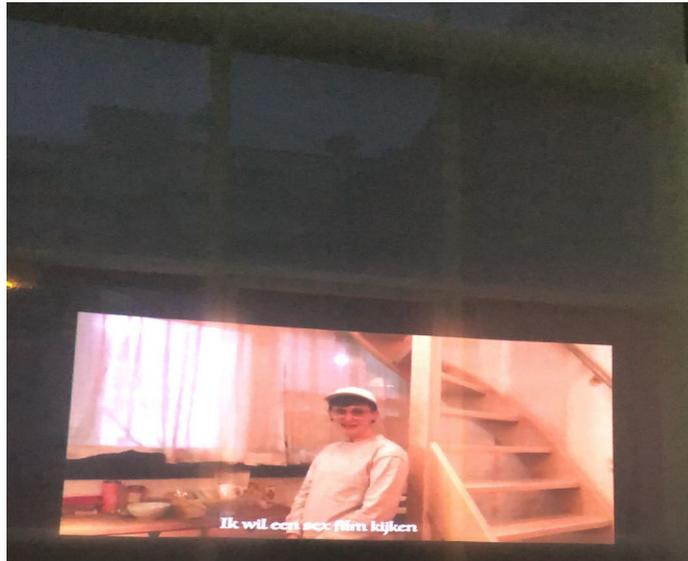


**Upstream Gallery, Amsterdam**

**November 2019**

Video installation at Bring your own Beamer event

I was invited to Upstream Gallery along with artist Mylou Oord to bring a video work to beam alongside other video installation artists. We decided to beam a video work that worked as a satire/pun play on queer longing and intimacy.



**Stedelijk Museum**

**March 2019**

Rietveld Uncut: Take a walk on the wild side

**5&33 Gallery, Amsterdam**

**June 2019**

‘Frazzled Fictions’ group show