

portfolio 2024 Anne Marie Maes

Anne Marie Maes is a multidisciplinary artist, living and working in Brussels. In her practice she combines art and science, with a particular focus on biotechnology, ecosystems and alchemical processes. She works with a range of biological, digital and traditional media, including live organisms. On the rooftop of her studio in Brussels she has created an open-air lab and experimental garden where she studies symbiotic organisms and the processes that nature employs to create form. The long term projects 'Bee Agency' and the 'Laboratory for Form and Matter' – in which she experiments with bacteria and living textiles – provide a framework that has inspired a wide range of installations, sculptures, photography works, objects and performances – all at the intersection of art and ecology.

Anne Marie Maes has shown her work in art centres and at festivals around the world. She was awarded an Honourable Mention at Ars Electronica for her ongoing research project 'The Intelligent Guerilla Beehive'.





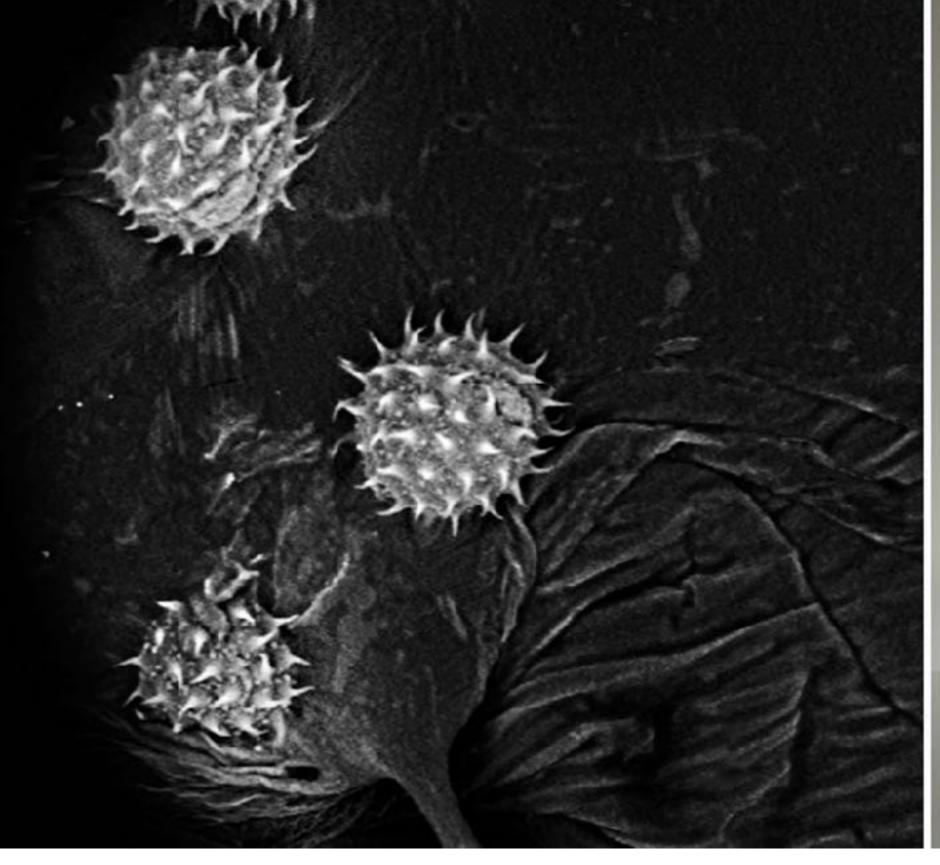
the Lab for Form and Matter

the workspace, the library, the wunderkammer

The Laboratory for Form and Matter is a research project into artistic practices in the post-digital and post-media era. It is situated at the intersection of biology, ecology, technology and contemporary culture. The research is fed by my interest in plants and bacteria as a medium for artistic expression and by a certain fascination for natural structures and organic processes at microscopic levels.

The artistic outcome of this research crystallizes in the creation of sculptures, objects, videos, photographs and installations, but also by making artist books, giving workshops, presentations and creating performances.

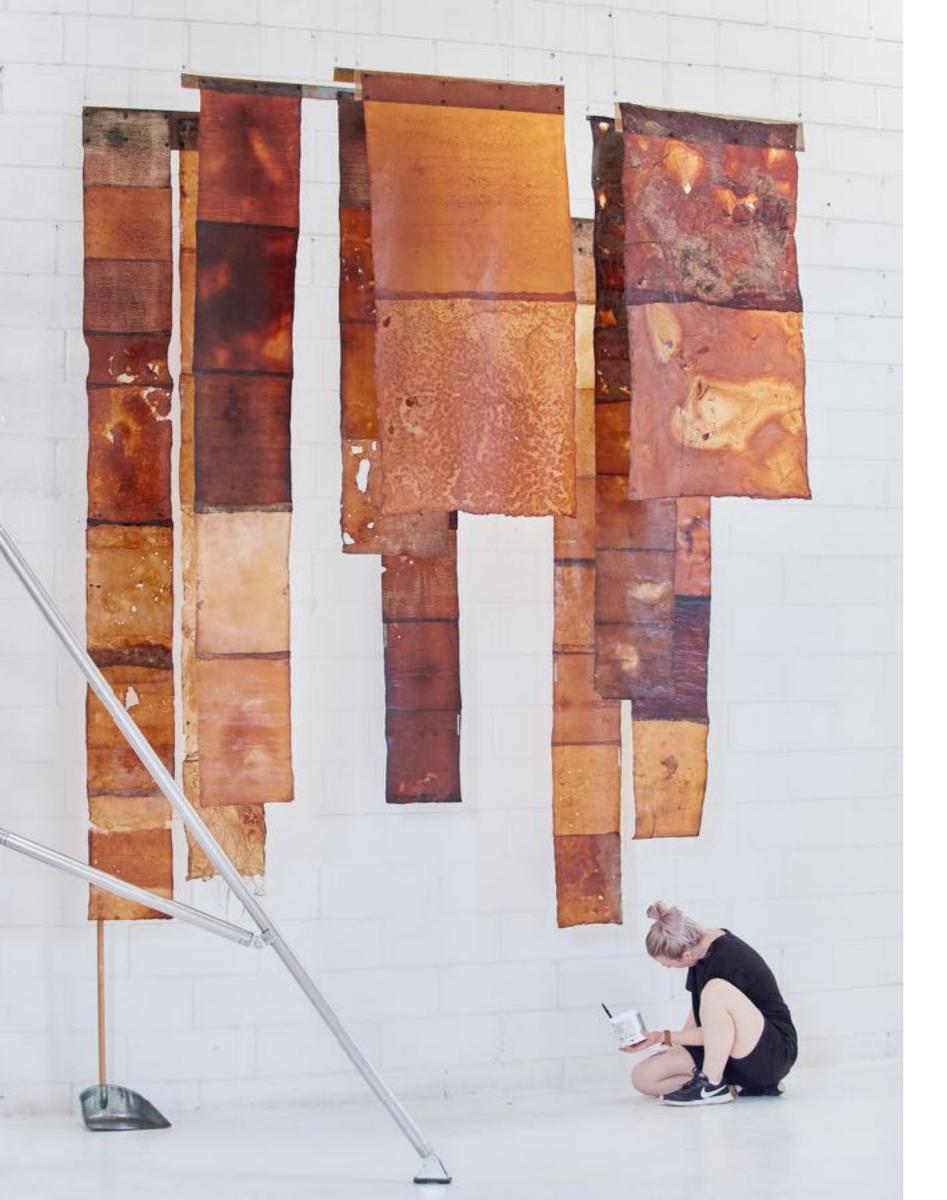
The Laboratory for Form and Matter makes use of following techniques for its research: digital fabrication, 3D printing, laser cutting, traditional modeling techniques, creation of textiles with plant materials, creation of biotextiles with microorganisms, research on intelligent biotextiles by adding biofilms with bacteria, research on implementation of artisanal, industrial and organic materials in artifacts, ... but also theoretical research, discussions with colleagues and reading circles.





the Smell of the Beehive (2021 - 2022) perfume creation a collaboration with Guerlain Paris





Sensorial Skins

With the Sensorial Skins project I investigate the sculptural potential of organic materials. I transform them into fabrics, tapestries, membranes and biofilms. I thus create complex surfaces that arouse our senses through their materiality, their texture, their colours and smells. The ever-evolving fabrics shrink, harden or soften in response to humidity, temperature and other parameters of the environment. They result from processes reminiscent of alchemical practices, grounded in fieldwork and scientific methodology.

Just as human skin carries the imprints of time, bacterial grown skins age and transform. Within their folds, memories are preserved, silently narrating the stories of their existence. Memories reside not only in the folds of these Sensorial Skins but also in the smells they emit. A specific scent can transport us back to a particular moment, evoking a sense of nostalgia and temporal connection.

The Sensorial Skins embody a remarkable flexibility and softness, akin to organic textiles. They adapt to the ever-changing needs of their environment, exhibiting a responsiveness that defies rigidity. In their pliability, we find an invitation to engage in a dialogue with the material world, acknowledging the agency of these living fabrics and our own role as co-creators. The fabrics become interfaces between the human and the non-human, the macroscopic and the microscopic. They transform the natural into the cultural realm. They plunge the viewer into earthly colours, materials and textures.

Installation at Cyfest#15, Giudecca, Biennale di Venezia (2024)

The layered microbial skins - a sensual and tactile body - evoke a radical reconfiguration of the relations between touch, smell, sight and the material nature of the installation.







the Lab for Form & Matter research into bacterial grown skins





research, ongoing Hortus experimentalis Brussels, 2008 - 2023



Bacterial Works

My bacterial works are a poetical represention of my extensive research into the potential of fermentation processes, cyanobacteria and microalgae.

The sculpture L'origine du monde' is composed of a metal structure on which glass cells, filled with cyanobacteria, are growing as they were young, sprouting buds on a tree in springtime. The cyanobacteria are producing real-time photosynthesis, slowly colonizing their nutrient gel, growing into electric green veins running through the medium.

The sculpture 'Bacterial Mantarey' builds upon a body of research that focuses on biofilm formation. The aggregation of bacterial colonies stands as a metaphor for the communication between a diversity of neighbourhoods in cities. The biofilm as a city and the city as a biofilm.

The large tapestries 'Poems from a Rooftop Garden' create a woven rendering of the topography of a symbiotic organism. It is a visualisation of the collaboration between bacteria and yeast cells. The tapestries offer a play of light shining through the lightly woven, multi-layered work, reminiscent of the multiple layers woven by bacteria in the original biofilm from which these tapestries are translations into another medium.





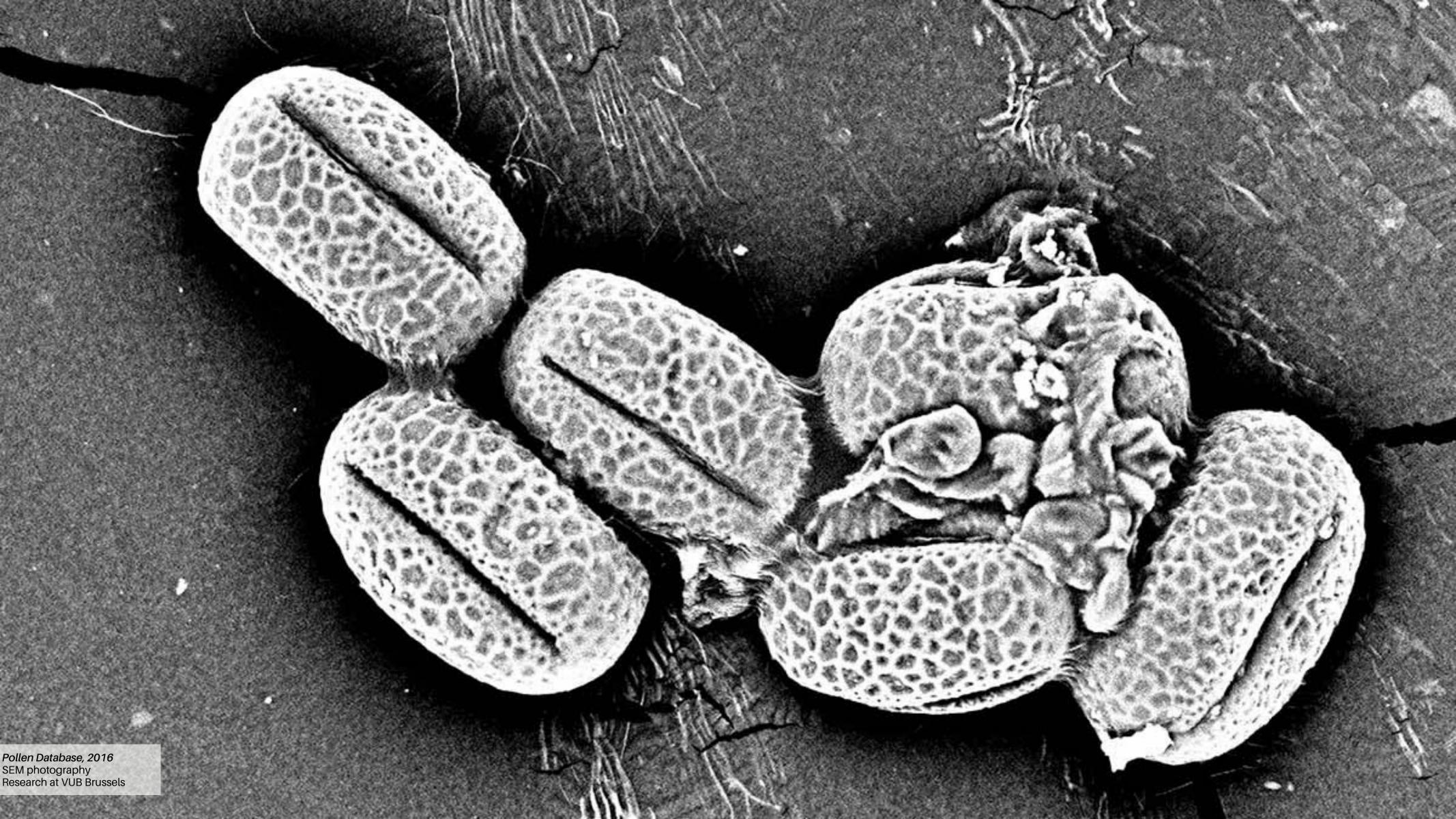


Microbial Life 2 lightboxes 102cm x 76cm x 20cm AHWNN Gallery, Oostende (2023)



Bacterial Mantarey, 2019
A variety of bacterial colonies in communication.
Installation at Imal - Brussels









Microbial Ancestors, 2023 (pink) jaquard woven tapestries 225cm x 170cm Installation at 10N Gallery Menorca

Acuario con Acetobacter xylinum, 2023
Fermentation in process.
99cm x 50cm x 30cm
Installation at 10N Gallery Menorca







Bee Agency

The Bee Agency should be seen as an open framework research. It is a long-term project on the edge of art, science and technology, a collaboration between artists, scientists and engineers.

Observing and monitoring the activities and behaviour of the honey bees in relation to the urban environment results in an amount of data with environmental information value. The research is translated in several artworks that are presented in different constellations.

Bees are everywhere and they can be perceived as quite the alien intelligence: six-legged, with their numerous eyes, capacities of motion and sensation so different from our own. No wonder science fiction has been inspired by insects. But also other fields, like robotics as well as network design. Insects are more than creepy-crawly bugs; they are also a central reference point of so much of network culture, from talk of hive minds and distributed networks to algorithms that function like bee swarms; some even refer to our cognitive capitalist practices as "pollen society".

(Jussi Parikka)



the Transparent Beehive, 2014 (275cm x 275cm x 80cm) living audio-visual installation Installation at Okno Brussels

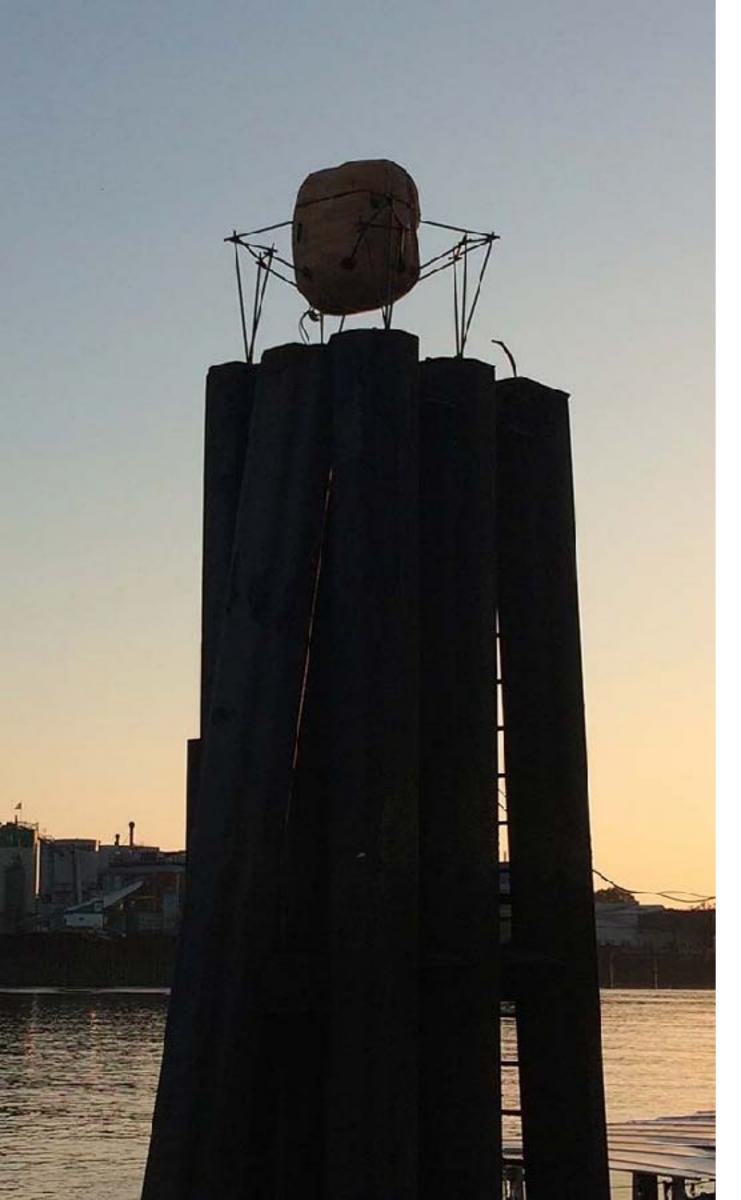




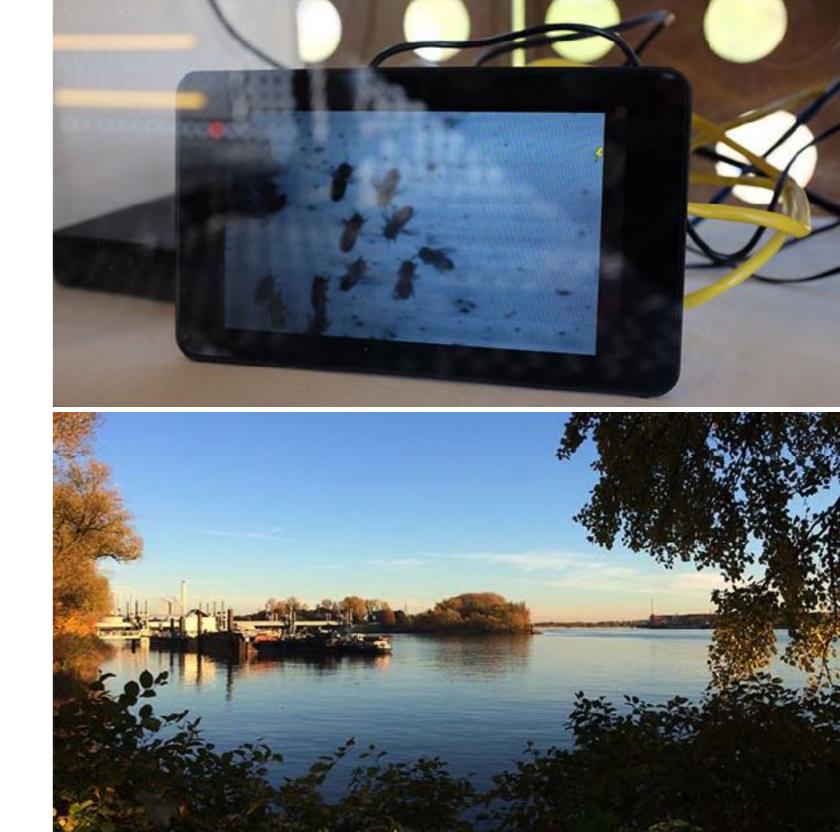








Elbe Bees, 2019 - ongoing permanent sculptural installation with live bee colony.
Commission Art in Public Space in the Port of Hamburg.







theatrum algaerium (durational performance)

Theatrum Algaerium operates on the border between sapiens and fauna. It presents possible futures in a new bio/techno/natural world, a universe that is at once terrestrial and aquatic, a prerequisite for future coexistence. In this garden of marine delights, our ecological consciousness explores the speculative time that occurs in the form of a loop.

Can a human being become entangled in an erotic entwinement with Laminaria? Do we reject or embrace the slimy substance, produced by Fucus serratus, that weaves a membrane of space-time around our bodies? Do we experience the cooperation with organisms from the sea as transforming, regenerating, transmuting? As a possible and renewable future that meanders endlessly, drawing us into its fertile depths, revealing to us a future archaeology? Do we remain connected in a process of eternal becoming, in an energy flow of future perfection, embodying a thousand forms that lived before us?

Theatrum Algaerium, 2021 Durational Performance on the rythm of the tides / Noordzee Theater aan Zee - Oostende





Theatrum Algaerium, 2021
Durational Performance on the rythm of
the tides - Noordzee
Theater aan Zee - Oostende

<u>Theatrum Algaerium</u> (video)





a bee is a bee is a bee (durational performance)

At Palais de Tokyo (June 2022), Anne Marie Maes offers an immersive experience.

With an artistic and scientific approach, she transforms the spaces of the Palais into a laboratory. The starting points are the research of two major scientists who have studied the world of bees: Karl Von Frisch and François Huber. Through a poetic narrative, the artist leads us into an animal world with a finely organised social structure. Anne Marie Maes creates a symphony of the five senses. In the delicate notes of beeswax, floral perfumes, propolis and honey, the performers move through the darkened space, and mark their work area following the flight lines communicated to them by the foraging bees. The sound that fills the space has a buzzing background, as the recordings were captured during long-term observations inside the hive and turned into a composition with some electronic touches.

In the adjacent space the video Variation Games reveals an observation of the behavior of a colony of bees inside their nest.

Large format photographs, Sensorial Skins and organic sculptures, all abstractions of the symbiotic relationship between the colony of bees and nature, complete the immersive installation.

A Bee is a Bee is a Bee, 2022
Durational Performance based on behavioral observations in the beehive
Palais de Tokyo - Paris

trailer 'a Bee is a Bee'



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BIO

Anne Marie Maes is a multidisciplinary artist and researcher with a background in botany and visual anthropology. She lives and works in Brussels. She has been active as an independent professional artist since 1999 and was founder and coordinator of several artist collectives. Her practice combines art and science with a particular interest in ecosystems and alchemical processes. She works with various biological, digital and traditional media. For her work with living organisms she focuses on the process and creates the ideal conditions for a self-generating art. On the roof of her studio in Brussels, she has created a field laboratory and experimental garden, studying the processes that nature uses to create forms. For many of her projects, she collaborates with fablabs and university research labs. Her long-term projects "Connected Open Greens," "Bee Agency" and "Laboratory for Form and Matter" provide the framework for a wide range of artworks, all at the intersection of art and ecology. She has exhibited widely as a solo artist and in group exhibitions around the world. AnneMarie was a fellow in international art/science programs, has written articles and academic papers and has published several publications on her work. She realized permanent artworks commissioned for public space, as the Boudewijngebouw (Vlaamse Gemeenschap, Brussels) and the art in public space program of the city of Hamburg (De). She was awarded several prizes and mentions in prestigeous festivals as Ars Electronica among oth-

Presentation in museum exhibitions include Palais de Tokyo (Paris, Fr), Bozar (Brussels, BE), Centre Wallonie Bruxelles in Paris (Fr), National Arts Museum (Latvia), Borges Cultural Center, Buenos Aires (Argentinia), La Kunsthalle, Mulhouse (Fr), Domeinen (Sittard, NL), Science and Technology Museum (Milan, IT), Museu do Amanha (Rio de Janeiro, Brasil), Fundacio Miro (Barcelona, ES), Le Pavilion Namur (Be), Haus der Elektronische Kunste, (Basel, CH), IMAL (Brussels, BE), IKOB Museum of Contemporary art (Eupen, BE), Laboral (Gijon, ES), Museum for Art and Architecture - MAAT (Lisbon, PO), amongst others.

Important festival participations include Ars-Electronica (Linz, AU), Transmediale (Berlin, DE), Mirage Festival (Lyon, FR), PIKSEL (Bergen, NO), Resonances (Ispra, IT), Cyfest (Yerevan, Armenia and Venice, IT).

Gallery shows include at Sapar Contemporary Art (New York), Silva Zona (Korcula, Croatia), Koç University Gallery (Istambul), Skol-

ska Gallery (Prague), PILAR Free University Gallery (Brussels, BE), Wissenschaftskolleg (Berlin, BE), Emergent (Veurne, BE), SongEun ArtSpace (Seoul, South Korea, Galerie Jousse (Paris) and 10N Gallery (Brussels/Menorca).

EDUCATION

Cultural Anthropology/ Documentary Film, Sound Image Culture (SIC), 2008-2009

Master Cultural Studies, Free University Brussels (VUB), 2001-2002 Master of Fine Arts, Luca School of Arts Brussels, 1998-2000 Bachelor Fine Arts, Luca School of Arts, 1974-1977

RESIDENCIES & FELLOWSHIPS

2023: residency at 10N Menorca

2023: 5 residencies 'Lab for Form & Matter' at Mateus Foundation (Pt)

2022: 2 residencies at Kunsthalle Mulhouse (Fr)

2022: TextielLab Tilburg research residency (NI)

2019-2020: Fellow at the Hybrid Forms Lab, Biophysics Department of VU Amsterdam, NI (with Prof. Raoul Frese)

2018-2019: Fellow at Open BioLab Erasmus Hogeschool Brussels, Be (with Dr. Tom Peeters)

2018: Finnish BioArt Society (with Judith Van der Elst)

2016-2017: JRC, Ispra - Resonances (with Dr. Laura Gribaldo)

2016: Open BioLab Barcelona (with Dr. Núria Conde Peyo)

2016: Textile Lab (IAAC) Barcelona (with Anastasia Pistofidou)

2014-2015: Valldaura - Green FabLab Barcelona (with Jonathan Minchin)

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

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2023: 'Matter of Kinship', Mateus Foundation (Pt)

2023: 'Alchimia Nova' at Kunsthalle Mulhouse (Fr)

2022: 'a Bee is a Bee is a Bee' perf + exhibition at Palais de Tokyo, Paris (Fr)

2021: 'Woven by nature'. IMAL, Centre for Digital culture and tech, Brussels.

2021: 'Sensorial Skins', Vrije Universiteit Brussels, PILAR art centre, Brussels 2020: 'Changing ecologies and changing narratives'. Oortreders, Pelt, Be

2020: 'Bee Agency', Meakusma X Ikob Museum of Contemporary Art. Eupen

2019: 'ElbBienen', The Hamburg Machine, art in public space, Hamburg

2019: 'Sensorial Skin', Le 46 DIGITAL Centre Bruxelles-Wallonie, Paris, France

2019: 'Alchimia Nova', NOdine Productions, Brussels, Belgium

2018: 'The hive mind: from echo-manipulation to eco-pollinization', PIK-SEL2018, Bergen, Norway

2017: 'Flags, Grids & Sensorial Skins' Grey Area/Siva Zona gallery, Korcula, Cr

2016: 'Sensorial Skin', Sonicville Gallery, Brussels, Belgium

2016: 'Transmutations', Wissenschaftkolleg zu Berlin, Berlin, Germany

2016: 'All Objects may be both Green and Small', Leda Gallery, Brussels, Be 2016: 'Pop Up Bee Bar' at BRDCST festival, Ancienne Belgique Brussels, Be

2015: 'Bee Monitoring Devices and Curious Observations', Institute of Evolutionary Biology, Barcelona, Spain

2014: 'Bee Laboratory' at the Olfactory, MAD-Hasselt (Pxl), Belgium

2012: 'Transparent Beehive', Time Inventors kabinet - Okno, Brussels, Belgium

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

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2024: Cyfest#15 Vulnerability, Venice Biennale, (It)

2024: Pollinations, Castellum, Utrecht (NI)

2023: Science on the Edge of Chaos, Albertina, Brussels (Be)

2023: Renaissance Sauvage, Galerie Jousse, Paris (Fr)

2023: Second Nature, 10N Gallery Menorca (Es)

2023: Nuit Blanche, Le Point Ephémère, Paris (Fr)

2023: Rituals with Microbial Ancestors, perf. / Earth Day - Symbiosium Paris

2023: ISEA 2023, Le Cube Paris (Fr)

2023: Edenworld, Le Bel Ordinaire, Pau (Fr)

2023: LFTTWA at AHWNN gallery Oostende (Be)

2023: Symbiosium, Fondation Fiminco Paris (Fr)

2022: 'Sensorial Skins' at Cyfest#14 in Yerevan, Armenia

2022: 'Entangled Love' in A Seat for the Sea, KAAP Oostende (Be)

2022: 'The Transparent Beehive' in Biotopia, le Pavilion, Namur (Be)

2022: Heures Sauvages, Centre Wallonie-Bruxelles in Paris (Fr)

2021: 'Abstracte Kunst bestaat niet'. Galerij Emergent, Veurne, Belgium

2020: STARTS final event - le centquatre, Paris, France

2020: The new green deal. Regional STARTS center, Snowball, Kortrijk, Be

2019: STARTS artist in residence at Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam

2019: Seeing Together (Color Lab) KASK, Gent.

2019: GLUON Gallery, Ars Electronica Linz Austria

2019: UN/GREEN: Natural artificial intelligences. Riga, Latvia

2019: Rural Design Week. San Potetito, Italy

2019: Eco Visionaries at Laboral, Gijon, Spain

2019: Hummz and buzzes, Ludwigshaven, Germany

2019: Leve(n)de Kunst, Royal Flemish Academy of arts and sciences, Brussels

2019: Bee Agency at Mirage Festival Lyon, France

2019: Imagining cities beyond technology 2.0. Seoul, South Korea

2019: Datami, Milan Design Week, organized by JRC ISPRA, Italy

2018: MAAT (Museum Art Architecture Technology), Lisbon, Portugal

2018: Royal Academy for Science and the Arts, Brussels, Belgium

2018: Eco-Visionaries – HeK, (Haus für Elektronischer Kunst), Basel, Swiss)

2018: Hiperorgânicos - NanoLab, Universitat Federal de Rio de Janeiro - Brasil

2018: Beehave - Fundació Miró, Barcelona, Spain

2017: Shapeshifters - Beursschouwburg Brussels, Belgium

2017: NovaXX - St. Gorikshallen Brussel, Belgium

2017: Ars Electronica Cyber Art exhibition, OK Center, Linz, Austria

2017: Resonances II, Museum for Science and Technology Milano, Italy

2017: Tendencies, Bozar, Brussels, Belgium

2017: Resonances II, JRC/EU campus Ispra, Italy

2017: Ecovention - Museum De Domeinen, Sittard, Netherlands -

2017: Ars Electronica in Berlin (Drive, Volkswagen Group Forum)

2016: Neo Nomad, Islanbul & New York - Networked Web project

2016: Made@EU, IAAC Barcelona & Plymouth University, Spain / UK

2015: Renewable Futures Festival, Riga, Latvia

2015: 3D BioLab, Mons Cultural Capital, Mons, Belgium

2015: Artes@IJCAI (A.I. and the Arts), Buenos Aires, Argentina

2015: ALOTOF festival, Brussels / Prague / Nantes

2014: Urban Beeing – školská gallery, Prague, Czech Republic

2014: The Invisible Garden, site-specific installation in the Green Light District exhibition, Buda Factory, Kortrijk, Belgium

2014: Art ICT Connect - Electronic Arts Festival, Bozar, Brussels, Belgium

2014: Foraging Fields, Fields Exhibition - Rixc, Riga, Latvia

2013: Scientific Inquiries - Koç University, Istanbul, Turkey

2012: Bee Laboratory, Burning Ice - Kaaitheater, Brussels, Belgium

2011: On a Different Soil - Yo-Yo Gallery, Prague, Czech Republic

2011: Urban Corridors, Desert Numérique-Incident, St.Nazaire, France

2011: Urban Corridors, Burning Ice - Kaaitheater, Brussels, Belgium

2010: Politics of Change, Soft Borders - Upgrade Festival, Sao Paulo, Barzil

For a more extensive list, please consult the archive on website https://annemariemaes.net

AWARDS & GRANTS

2022: Grant from N.A! projects / solo exhibition at Kunsthalle Mulhouse (Fr)

2022: Grant from the Flemish Ministry of Culture for solo exhibition Mulhouse

2019: EU-STARTS Residency grant (Biophysics Dep. of VU Amsterdam, NI)

2018: Innovative Partnership Residency grant / Open BioLab Erasmus Bxl, Be

2018: Finnish Bioart Society Residency, Fieldstation Kilpisjärvi, (Fi)

2018: Project grant / Intelligent Guerrilla Beehive Project, 2017: Honorary Mention Hybrid Arts, Ars Electronica Linz, Austria

2016-2017: Research grant from the Flemish Ministry of Culture, Belgium

2016: Made@EU: research grant Textile/Fablab Barcelona, Institute of Advanced Architecture Catalunya (IAAC), Spain

2011: Project grant for the Connected OpenGreens

2009: VAF film grant for the project Politics of Change/ Mahila,

2008: VAF travel and film grant for India, Politics of Change/Mahila

2006: VAF grant for the project NoToVo (Noise to Voice)

ACADEMIC PAPERS (https://annemariemaes.net/publications/papers/)

2020: 'Sensorial Skin', A. Maes, Starts Residency at Hybrid Forms Lab, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam

2019: 'Dialectics of Nature: Metabolic Architectures meet Intelligent Guerrilla Beehives' - Maes & Dollens, Leonardo Article, MIT Media Press

2018: 'The Intelligent Guerrilla Beehive', A. Maes, Hiperorganicos, University of Rio de Janeiro

2015: 'The Sound Beehive Experiment' - A. Maes, Ignorance, ALotOf,

2015: 'The Scaffolded Sound Beehive' International Joint Conference on Artifi-

cial Intelligence, Proceedings of IJCAI-2015, Buenos Aires

2012: 'Travelling through OpenGreens', AnneMarie Maes, ISBN 9789081898508

2006: 'No2Pho' [from Noise to Voice], A. Maes, [experimental media arts] - ISBN 9081073311

PUBLICATIONS (https://annemariemaes.net/publications/publications/)

2024: Matter of Kinship, Stolen Books (Pt) ISBN-978-989-35589-0-4

2023: Sensorium (Natural Matter, Symbionts and Evolutionary Forms

2016: Alchimia Nova (monografie), MER.Paper Kunsthalle -ISBN 9789492321480

2016: The Transparent Beehive Notebook (new edition) - A. Maes, ISBN 9781364475666

2015; Ignorance, Giván Belá and AnneMarie Maes - ISBN 9789491775987

2013: the Transparent Beehive Notebook, AnneMarie Maes, ISBN 9789081898515

2011: Connected OpenGreens Catalog vs. 1.0, AnneMarie Maes

2009: Politics of Change: on Eco-Technology and Hands-On Workshops, in 'Art is Politics'

2004: Continuum Cinema : the Vision Machine, AnneMarie Maes, VUB Press 2004

EXHIBITION CATALOGUES, MEDIA & PRESS ARTICLES

https://annemariemaes.net/publications/catalogues/ https://annemariemaes.net/publications/in-the-media/

COMMISSIONS PUBLIC & PRIVATE COLLECTIONS

2023: 'Pantone Alsace' Aquisition Permanent Collection Flemish Community

2023: Red Square, Collection Mateus Foundation (Pt)

2023: Microbial Life, Nature Addicts Foundation (Fr)

2020: Scaffolded Sound Beehive, Klankenbos, Pell, Belgium

2019: Elbe Bees, Hamburg Maschine, Commission art in Public Space, Hamburg, Germany

2014: Alien Intelligence, Stichting Liedts-Meesen, collection media art

2014-2022: Multiple works in Private Collections

2000: Closed Circuits#2, Collectie Vlaamse Gemeenschap (Be)

TALKS & WORKSHOPS

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2024: Book Presentation 'Matter of Kinship', Mateus Foundation (Pt)

2024: La Possibilité d'un Jardin La Cambre, Bruxelles

2024: Biodesign - 3h lecture/class at the Luca School of Art Gent

2023: Bee Agency - lecture at the Uni. Utrecht, dep. History of Art, Science and Technology

2023: The Garden of Knowledge Bildnis (MuZEE) Ooostende

2023: Bee Agency, lecture at the Parsons School of Design, NY

2023: The Lab for Form and Matter - workshop at Casa de Mateus

2023: More than Planet - symposium ISEA Paris

2023: Associer l'artiste et le chercheur pour penser une société contempo-

raine. Kunsthalle Mulhouse

2022: Leonardo Laser Talk at Emerge festival, University of Arizona (USA)

2022: ASU-Cyfest Talk at Cyfest#14 in Yerevan, Armenia

2022: Rencontre Arts/Sciences at La Grange, UniLausanne (Fr)

2022: Connect2Nature. Series of workshops in Ostend and Brussels (Be).

2022: Embodied Bodies, Workshop at Parts Brussels (Be)

2022: Bee Agency. Talks on Radio Duuu Paris (Fr)

2021: Leonardo Laser Talk, Imal, Brussels, Belgium

2020: Masterclass Bioart, Glimps BioLabs, Ghent, Belgium

2020: Masterclass Bioart, University of Barcelona, dep. Artistic Research, Spain

2020: L'Humain Qui Vient, conference Le Fresnoy, France

2019: Arias Talk. Collaboration & Contamination. Hybrid Labs VU Amsterdam

2019: Hack the Lab, Ghent, Belgium

2019: UN/GREEN conference & proceedings, Riga, Latvia

2018: The Intelligent Guerrilla Beehive, Koninklijke Vlaamse Academie Brussel

2018: 'Art&Science', Open BioLab Brussels, teachings

2018: 'Art&Science', University Barcelona, Bellas Artes, Barcelona, Spain

2018: 'Umwelt of the Forager', Piksel Festival, Bergen, Norway

2018: 'Bee Agency', Hybrid Labs, Symposium Aalto University Helsinki, Finland

2018: Gluon Winterschool, Open BioLab, Brussels, Belgium

2017: Workshop/lecture at ERG, School of the Arts, Brussels, Belgium

2017: Shapeshifters Lecture, Beursschouwburg brussels, Belgium

2017: Pechakucha Bozar, Brussels, Belgium

2017: Artist Talk, Prix Ars Electronica, Linz, Austria

2017: TNT-talk, Joint Research Center, Ispra, Italy 2016: Bee Agency, Science Café, Art Laboratory Berlin, Germany

2015: Lecture, KASK school of Arts, Ghent, Belgium

2014: 'The Bee Sessions, Innovation Lab' - Café Europa, Riga, Latvia

2013: lecture series, Luca School of Arts, Brussels, Belgium

2005-2008: xmedk/xmeda - series of workshops designed for young professional artists