

Curriculum Vitae of Wietske Otter

My name is Wietske Otter, I was born in Rotterdam, the Netherlands, in 1957. I have been living in Houten, since 1989. Already at a very young age I took pictures with my father's camera. Later I bought my own camera and photography became my passion. Five years ago, in 2015, I started taking lessons in free abstract painting with Rolina van Vliet, visual artist, and I still am ! My first exhibition was in 2017 when I exposed my paintings at Mapta in Zeist (NL).

My paintings are often intuitive and colourful. Sometimes I start with a plan, but later it changes into something different that surprises me. My paintings contain feelings and emotions, which can be seen in the movement on the canvas, the use of colours and the use of dark and light. I like to use different mediums and materials in my paintings. Sometimes I paint with my fingers, but mostly I use a brush or a palet knife.

Besides my abstract paintings, I recently started with Fine Art Photography. In 2018 I took a masterclass in portrait- and flower photography with photographer/ visual artist: Carla van de Puttelaar !

I am a member of the 'Nederlandse Kunstkring' and of 'Mijn Kunstclub'. I am also a member of visual artists in my hometown.

Please take a view on my website: www.wietskeotter.nl or take a look at my portfolio!

Most welcome!