

# GRIMM

## BIOGRAPHY WILLIAM MONK

Born in 1977 in Kingston upon Thames (UK)  
Lives and works in London (UK)

## Education

2004-2006 De Ateliers, Amsterdam (NL)  
1997-2000 BA (Hons) Fine Art, Kingston University (UK)

## Awards

2009 Jerwood Contemporary Painters Prize (UK)  
2005 Koninklijke Prijs voor Vrije Schilderkunst (Royal Award for Painting) (NL)

## Solo Exhibitions

2020 GRIMM, Amsterdam (NL) [forthcoming]  
2019 *A Fool Through the Cloud*, PACE, London (UK)  
2017 *Seven Leagues to Pompeii*, GRIMM, New York (US)  
2015 *The Cloud is Growing in the Trees*, Kohn Gallery, Los Angeles (US)  
2014 *William Monk*, James Cohan Gallery, New York (US)  
2013 *Furthur Planetarium!*, GRIMM, Amsterdam (NL)  
2010 *Winter Circus*, GRIMM, Amsterdam (NL)  
2009 *CROPLAND*, solo for GRIMM at Art Amsterdam (NL)  
2008 *Paintings*, GRIMM, Amsterdam (NL)  
2006 *How to stop whining and start living*, Fries Museum, Leeuwarden (NL)

## Selected Group Exhibitions

2019 *Away in the Hill*, GRIMM New York, NY (US)  
2018 In-house exhibition, curated by Jorg Grimm, Manifesta, Amsterdam (NL)  
2017 *Miniatuur Museum, Wonderkamers*, Gemeentemuseum Den Haag, The Hague (NL)  
2016 *Culture of Colors*, Akzo Nobel Art Foundation, Amsterdam (NL)  
2015 *The Hidden Picture*, Cobra Museum, Amstelveen (NL)

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- 2014 *Huidige Zaken*, GRIMM Gallery, Amsterdam (NL)  
*Heather Rowe, William Monk, Richard T. Walker*, James Cohan Gallery, New York (US)  
*Facing Nature*, Collectie De Heus-Zomer, Museum Belvédère, Heerenveen (NL)
- 2013 *Chambres des Canaux*, The Tolerant Home, Amsterdam (NL)
- 2012 *Gewoon schilderen*, Gemeentemuseum Den Haag, The Hague (NL)  
*Recent British Painting*, curated by Tom Morton, GRIMM, Amsterdam (NL)  
*Jerwood Contemporary Painters Tour*, Summerfield Gallery, Cheltenham (UK)  
*Jerwood Contemporary Painters Tour*, Norwich University, Norwich (UK)
- 2011 *OH CRISIS 2.0.*, Frankendael Foundation, Amsterdam (NL)
- 2010 *Conceptueel Realisme ING Collection*, Kunsthal 52, Den Helder (NL)
- 2009 *Jerwood Contemporary Painters*, Jerwood Space, London; PSL, Leeds; Summerfield Gallery, Cheltenham; Norwich University, Norwich (UK)
- 2007 *Instead of Mashkov, recent acquisitions Gemeentemuseum Den Haag*, Gemeentemuseum, The Hague (NL)
- 2006 *Koninklijke Prijs voor Vrije Schilderkunst 2006*, Gemeentemuseum, The Hague (NL)  
*Vincent van Gogh and Expressionism*, Van Gogh Museum, Amsterdam (NL)  
*Cropped*, Figge von Rosen, Cologne (DE)  
*Offspring*, De Ateliers, Amsterdam (NL)
- 2005 *Koninklijke Prijs voor Vrije Schilderkunst 2005*, Gemeentemuseum, The Hague (NL)

## Bibliography

- 2014 'Facing Nature'. Work from the De Heus – Zomer Collection, The Netherlands
- 2012 'Recent British Painting'. With contributions by Tom Morton and all 21 participating artists. Features full page images of selected works and installation views. ISBN 978-3-86442-037-5
- 2008 'William Monk – Paintings'. Text by Catherine Somze and interview by Dominic van den Boogard. ISBN – 978-90-813137-1-1

## Selected Collections

Akzo Nobel Art Foundation, Amsterdam (NL)  
David Roberts Foundation, London (UK)  
De Heus-Zomer Collection, Barneveld (NL)  
De Nederlandsche Bank, Amsterdam (NL)  
Fries Museum, Leeuwarden (NL)  
Kunstmuseum Den Haag, The Hague (NL)  
ING Collection, Amsterdam (NL)  
ProWinko Collection, Amstelveen (NL)  
The finest Amsterdam Contemporary Art Collection ever..., Amsterdam (NL)