

LIEVEN DE BOECK

CURRICULUM VITAE

For several years, Lieven De Boeck (Be 1971) has been working on an oeuvre that unfolds as a personal archive in which he incorporates various classifications and typologies. In his work, Lieven plays with mirrorings, distortions and connections, through which he creates new meanings and interpretations of identity, signs and language the private and the public space, the original and the copy. Many of his works exist in the space between appearance and disappearance. In 2014 he founded studio LDB: a collaborative art practice that explores the oeuvre and seeks to develop a shared understanding of authorship through reproduction, re-interpretation, and conceptual research into forms of presentation and material engagement called The Archive of Disappearance.

After collaborating with the Belgian artist and architect Luc Deleu for two years, Lieven joined Xaveer De Geyter (architecture office XDGA) with whom he developed a partnership that lasts to date as a main collaborator of the company. As a designer he lead amongst others 'After Sprawl' a research project about the European metropolitan condition and lead various competitions likewise the peculiar proposal for the Museum Aan de Stroom (MAS), the Europa College in Bruges, or the Kitchen Tower Campus in Brussels. In 2013 he realized a new monographic exhibition and book on the work of XDGA and worked on an exhibition on the urban plan 'Paris Saclay' in Paris.

Lieven has been artist in residence in New York, Innsbruck, Amsterdam, Marseille and Los Angeles. His work has been exhibited worldwide. He has been Guest professor at the Berlage Intitute in Rotterdam, the School of architecture and Construction in Greenwich (London), the School of Architecture at the Leopold University in Innsbruck.

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STUDIES

1989 – 94 Architect, Hogeschool voor Wetenschap en Kunst Sint Lucas, Brussels

RESIDENCIES / GRANTS

2018 Artist in Residence, CIRVA , Marseille
2015 Artist in Residence, Frans Masereel Centrum, Kasterlee
2012 – 14 Artist in Residence, CIRVA , Marseille
2011 Artist in Residence, RAID project, Los Angeles
2009 – 10 Artist in Residence, Virtueel Museum Zuidas, Amsterdam
2008 – 09 Artist in Residence, Künstlerhaus Büchsenhausen, Innsbruck

- 2006 Artist in Residence, ISCP, New York
 2002 – 03 Researcher Fine Arts, Jan van Eyck Academie, Maastricht

ACTIVITIES

- 2018 Assistent ENSAV, La Cambre, Brussels
 2018 – 20 Research Studio The Void, Spring semester, William Marsh Rice University, Paris
 2016 – 18 Conférencier ENSAV, La Cambre, Brussels
 2009 Lecture / Seminar, The Archive of Disappearance, Vrije Universiteit, Amsterdam
 2008 Lecture / Seminar, The Dictionary of Space, Leopold Universität, Innsbruck
 2005 Lecture / Seminar, Urbanism, Academie van Bouwkunst, Amsterdam
 2003 – 06 Lecture / Seminar, School of Architecture (PhD program), Greenwich University, London
 2003 – 06 Lecture / Seminar, School of Humanities (Program in Critical Studies, New Media and the Practicing Arts), Greenwich University, London
 2001 – 02 Research, After-Sprawl, Research on the Contemporary City, XDGA, Brussels
 2001 Lecture / Seminar, Bag Studio, Berlage Instituut, Amsterdam
 1997 - Concept / Design, XDGA, Brussels
 1994 – 96 Collaboration with Luc Deleu & T.O.P. Office, Antwerp

DUO AND SOLO EXHIBITIONS (Selection)

- 2017 Gallery Meessen De Clercq, Brussels
I AM I (October - November)
 2016 – 17 Museum Dhondt-Dhaenens, Deurle
Objet Trouvé (October - January)
 2016 FRAC-PACA, Marseille
Image Not Found (March - June)
 2015 Darling Foundry Montreal, Montreal
Let us be us, again and again, and always (June - August)
 2014 Maison Grégoire, Brussels
Défense D'afficher (September - October)
 2014 CC Brugge / Bogardenkapel, Bruges
Let us be us, again and again (February - April)
 2013 Gallery Meessen De Clercq, Brussels
Image Not Found (January - February)
 2010 Gallery Meessen De Clercq, Brussels
The Archive of Disappearance (October - December)
 2010 Kunstraum, Munich
Under the surface (June – August)
 2010 Stephan Stoyanov Gallery / Lmak projects, New York
Auto-portrait contre nature (April - May)

- 2009 Extra City Kunsthall, Antwerp
Public Space / I.e.t.t.e.r.s. (September - October)
- 2007 Lokaal 01, Centre for Contemporary Art, Breda
The World Unmade, with Aaron Seeto (November – December)
- 2007 Lmak projects, New York
Making Traces, with Elena Herzog (October - November)
- 2007 Netwerk, Centre for Contemporary Art, Aalst
let us be US # 2 (September - October)
- 2007 Galerie Micheline Szwajcer, Antwerp
Lieven De Boeck & Boris Rebetez (July)
- 2007 PM Gallery, HDLU Museum, Zagreb
Let us be US # 1 (June - July)
- 2004 Witte de With Centre for Contemporary Art, Rotterdam
Making Things Public (April - June)
- 2003 Hedah, Centre for Contemporary Art, Maastricht
Position. Fireworks II / le bleu du ciel (October - November)
- 2003 Netwerk, Centre for Contemporary Art, Aalst
Entre-deux, with Paul Casaer (September – October)

GROUP EXHIBITIONS (Selection)

- 2018 Société d'électricité, Brussels
Measurements
Mel Bochner, Stanley Brouwn, Nathalie Brevet_Hughes Rochette, March Buchy, Martin Creed, Lieven De Boeck, Detanico & Lain, Michel François, Fred Forest, Hamish Fulton, Mark Geffriaud, Marco Godinho, Alexander Gutke, Hans Haacke, Michael Johansson, LAb[au], Jan Robert Leegte, Art & Language, Rokko Miyoshi, Claire Morel, OMA, Roman Ondak, Rafaël Rozendaal, Christophe Terlinden, Clemence Torres, Ignacio Uriarte, Pep Vidal
- 2018 Vanderborght Building, Brussels
A Performance Affair, the Panopticon Edition
Alice Anderson, Elena Bajo, Sanna Helena Berger, Julien Bismuth, Anna Byskov & Lidwine Prolonge, Jeremiah Day, Lieven De Boeck, Marijke De Roover, Carole Douillard, Tim Etchells, Nikolaus Gansterer, Ariadna Guiteras, Ištvan Išt Huzjan, Marc Leschelier, Emily Perry, Candida Powell-Williams, Mireia Saladrigues, Sarah & Charles, Moussa Sarr, Sarah Trouche, Joris Van de Moortel, Laurence Vauthier
Special Projects: Violent Incident by Bruce Nauman, Transsubstantiation by Philippe Parreno and Interactive performance installation by Greg Finger
- 2018 TCHIKEBE, Marseille
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Julien Prévieux, Lieven De Boeck, Caroline Le Méhauté, Berdaguer & Péju and many more
- 2018 Le Stanze del Vetro, Venice
Una fornace a Marsiglia (A Furnace in Marseille)
Larry Bell, Pierre Charpin, Lieven De Boeck, Erik Dietman, Thomas Kovachevich, Giuseppe Penone, Jana Sterbak, Martin Szekely, Robert Wilson, Terry Winters
- 2017 Gallery Sofie Van de Velde, Antwerp
Celebrations, Part 1, Let there be light

Guillaume Bijl, Atelier Bildraum, Thomas Bogaert, Lieven De Boeck, Nico Dockx, Michel François, Mekhitar Garabedian, Leo Copers, Brigitte Kowanz, Kris Martin, Iván Navarro, Navid Nuur, Kelly Schacht, Paul Schwer, Keith Sonnier, Dennis Tyfus, Patrick Van Caackenbergh, Joris Van de Moortel, Jan Van Den Bosch, Steve Van den Bosch, Herman Van Ingelgem and Chloé Op de Beeck, Jan van Munster, Muller Van Severen, A.F. Vandevorst, Alan Vega, Andy Wauman, Sarah Yu Zeebroek, Sarkis

- 2017 Ghisla Art Collection, Locarno
Museum on scale 1/7
Lieven De Boeck among many
- 2017 Gallery Meessen De Clercq, Brussels
The Walk
Ignasi Aballí, Jordi Colomer, Lieven De Boeck, Hreinn Fridfinnsson, Adam Henry, Anish Kapoor, Rinko Kawauchi, Nicolás Lamas, Richard Long, Stéphane Mandelbaum, Jorge Méndez Blake, Claudio Parmigiani, Evariste Richer, Fabrice Samyn, Kelly Schacht, Antoni Tàpies, Thu Van Tran, Chaim van Luit, Oriol Vilanova
- 2017 Glazen Huis, Lommel
XY, 10 years anniversary
Anna Torfs, Ann Veronica Janssens, Christine Vanoppen, Cindy Wright, Gauthier Pierson, Hans Op De Beeck, Ilse Van Roy, Jan Fabre, Karen Vermeren, Karin Borghouts, Klaar Prims, Koen Vanderstukken, Koen Vanmechelen, Kristof Vrancken, Lieven De Boeck, Linde Hermans, Lore Langendries, Maria Dukers, Mariken Dumon, Nel Verbeke, Peter De Cupere, Sylvie Vandenhoucke, Warner Berckmans, Wim Delvoye
- 2016 Institut de Carton, Brussels
Mind Fabric
Alighiero e Boetti, Michel François, Caroline Lerch / Michiel Helbig, Eran Schaerf / Willem Oorebeek, Ada Van Hoorebeke, Ester Goris, Stephen Wilks, Maddy Arkesteyn, Franz Erhard Walther, Orla Barry, Nadim Vardag, Olivier Foulon / Ella Klaschka, Rosmarie Trockel, Joke Robaard, Seth Siegelau, Henri Jacobs, Lieven De Boeck, Dimitri Vangrunderbeek, Ria Pacquée, Michael Van den Abeele
- 2015 Centre Culturel Municipal de Saint-Raphaël, Saint-Raphaël
Des écrits aux écrans
Ignasi Aballi, Ghada Amer, Cory Arcangel, Elisabetta Benassi, Anne-James Chaton, Keren Cytter, Lieven De Boeck, Pauline Fondevila, Dora Garcia, Francis Gomila, Bouchra Khalili, Natacha Lesueur, Yannick Papailhau, Alexandre Perigot, Guillaume Pinard, Ozlem Sulak
- 2015 Gallery Meessen De Clercq, Brussels
A.N.T.H.R.O.P.O.C.E.N.E
Ignasi Aballi, Vanessa Billy, Katinka Bock, Milena Bonilla, Susan Collis, Jordi Colomer, Lieven De Boeck, Ryan Foerster, Hreinn Fridfinnsson, Aurélien Froment, Ryan Gander, Filip Gilissen, Ellen Harvey, Adam Henry, Nicolas Lamas, Guillaume Leblon, Benoît Maire, Jorge Méndez Blake, Navid Nuur, Claudio Parmigiani, Tania Pérez Cordova, Wilfredo Prieto, Benoît Pype, Evariste Richer, Fabrice Samyn, Kelly Schacht, José Maria Sicilia, Lucy Skaer, Thu Van Tran, Maarten Vanden Eynde, Chaim van Luit, Leon Vranken
- 2015 LaM – Lille métropole musée d'art moderne, d'art contemporain et d'art brut, Lille
Where The Day begins
Lieven De Boeck among many
- 2015 Z33, Hasselt
Ways of Folding. Reconstructing the printed Book
Lieven De Boeck, Thomas Desmet, architecten de vylde vinck taillieu, Bert Hornikx, Tom Lambeens, Jelle Martens, Julie Peeters, Karen Vermeren
- 2015 Z33, Hasselt
Can You Feel it? Tactility and / in Print

- Sema Bekirovic, Matthieu Blanchard, Christopher Breu, Lieven De Boeck, Frederic Geurts, Alessandro Ludovico, Esther Krop / De Monsterkamer, Ulrike Mohr, Thomas Rentmeister, Marieke Sonneveld
- 2014 Gallery Meessen De Clercq, Brussels
Homo Ludens
Ignasi Aballí, Jordi Colomer, Lieven De Boeck, Hreinn Fridfinnsson, Filip Gilissen, Adam Henry, Rinko Kawauchi, Nicolás Lamas, Bruce Nauman, Sarah Ortmeier, Benoît Pype, Evariste Richer, Kelly Schacht, Maarten Vanden Eynde, Leon Vranken
- 2014 Kunsthal, Rotterdam
Museum op schaal 1/7
Lieven De Boeck among many
- 2014 The Baker Museum, Naples (Florida)
Museum op schaal 1/7
Lieven De Boeck among many
- 2013 Galeries Lafayette, Marseille
Caché derrière les apparences
Ignasi Aballi, Marcel Broodthaers, Giuseppe Caccavale, Lieven De Boeck, Fabien Giraud and Raphaël Siboni, Jaki Irvine, Pascal Martinez, Laurent Montaron, Evariste Richer, Arnaud Vasseux
- 2013 Lokaal 01, Breda
Einde. Final show.
Lieven De Boeck among many
- 2012 Muzeo, Oostende
Vinyl in the studio
Lieven De Boeck among many
- 2012 Gallery Meessen De Clercq, Brussels
Particles
Ignasi Aballí, Björn Dahlem, Lieven De Boeck, Hreinn Fridfinnsson, Filip Gilissen, Kris Martin, Claudio Parmiggiani, Paul Ramírez Jonas, Evariste Richer, Fabrice Samyn, Mungo Thomson, Thu Van Tran, Maarten Vanden Eynde
- 2012 Onomatopée 75.1 / Research Project, Eindhoven
Who told you so?!#1 Truth vs. Government
Aleksandra Domanovic, Foundland, Gokce Suvvari, Group R.E.P., Lieven De Boeck, Mauro Vallejo, Monika Löve, Slavs and Tatars
- 2011 Flying Saucers, Santa Monica
Small Works
Lieven De Boeck among many
- 2011 Galerie van der Mieden, Antwerp
Exhibition
Jacques André, Iñaki Bonillas, Manuel Burgener, Cieslik und Schenk, François Curlet, Koenraad Dedobbe leer, Lieven De Boeck, Denicolai & Provoost, Nico Dockx, Sylvie Eyberg, Dora García, Liam Gillick, Pernille Kapper Williams, Aglaia Konrad, Peter Lemmens, Jochen Lempert, Mark Luyten, Erwan Mahéo, Wobbe Micha, Jonathan Monk, Maurizio Nannucci, Sophie Nys, Willem Oorebeek, Steve Van den Bosch
- 2011 Gallery Meessen De Clercq, Brussels
La Vie Mode d'Emploi
Ignasi Aballí, Nina Beier, Mariana Castillo Deball, Susan Collis, Lieven De Boeck, Hreinn Fridfinnsson, Dora Garcia, Kris Martin, Jorge Méndez Blake, Jonathan Monk, Sarah Ortmeier, Cornelia Parker, Claudio Parmiggiani, Sarah Pickering, Kirsten Pieroth, Wilfredo

- Prieto, Evariste Richer, Damien Roach, Sylvain Rousseau & Benjamin Rondeau, Fabrice Samyn, Katrín Sigurðardóttir
- 2011 De kijkdoos, Amsterdam
Artistic Research when Squares [re]frame Meaning
 Lieven De Boeck, Paoletta Holst, Wendela Hubrecht, Sonja Lillebaek Christensen, Saron Paz, Stefanie Wels
- 2010 Gallery Meessen De Clercq, Brussels
Objects are like they appear
 Ignasi Aballí, Mar Arza, Lieven De Boeck, Jason Dodge, Patrick Everaert, Hreinn Fridfinnsson, Ellen Harvey, Mona Hatoum, Sofia Hultén, René Magritte, Claudio Parmiggiani, Bruno Perramant, Evariste Richer, Damien Roach, Fabrice Samyn, Maarten Vanden Eynde, Rachel Whiteread
- 2010 Stephan Stoyanov Gallery, New York
Sites of memory – Architecture and remembering
 Bernd and Hilla Becher, Nayland Blake, Amelie Chabannes, Rebecca Chamberlain, Eva Davidova, Lieven De Boeck, Terence Gower, Candida Höfer, Jonah Koppel, Dimitri Kozyrev, Rita McBride, Caoimhghin O’Fraithile, Thomas Ruff, Samuil Stoyanov, Darren Wardle, Jill Weber, Rachel Whiteread
- 2010 Gallery Meessen De Clercq, Brussels
Territories of Time
 Ignasi Aballi, Absalon, David Claerbout, Lieven De Boeck, Sofia Hultén, Alfredo Jaar, Bruce Nauman
- 2009 Shedhalle, Zurich
Translation Paradoxes and Misunderstandings
 Lieven De Boeck, Katharina Cibulka / Eva Jiricka, Josef Dabernig, Saskia Holmkvist, Nina Katchadourian, M.A.Numminen, Stefan Römer, Sean Snyder, Szuper Gallery, Gitte Villesen, Barbara Visser
- 2008 Extra City Kunsthal, Antwerp
Mimétism
 Pawel Althamer & Artur Zmijewski, Elisabetta Benassi, Charif Benhelima, Pierre Bismuth, Lieven De Boeck, Claude Cahun, Mircea Cantor, Andrea Cooper, Neil Cummings & Marysia Lewandowska, Mauricio Dias & Walter Riedweg, Harun Farocki, Marlon Fuentes, Tom Hole, Sofia Hultén, Yayoi Kusama, Ted Gaier & Peter Ott, Ria Pacquée, Jean Painlevé, Jean Rouch, Constanze Ruhm, Tomas Schmit, Isabell Spengler, Erik Steinbrecher, Javier Téllez, Barbara Visser
- 2007 Socrates Sculpture Park, New York
Float
 Lishan Chang, Lieven De Boeck, Sheila Ross & Laura Ten Eyck with Fletch, Todd Knopke, Ted McGurn & Derrick Wilson, Jan Rothuizen, Saya Woolfalk
- 2007 Luxe Gallery, New York
The Nightly News
 Robert Boyd, Caraballo-Farman, Jody Culkin, Lieven De Boeck, Al Fadhil, Liselot van der Heijden, Dominik Lejman, Ahmet Ogut, Pedro Lasch, Pia Lindman, Christodoulos Paniyatou, Jackie Salloum, Lydia Venieri, Michael Waugh, Fred Wilson, Michael Zansky among others
- 2006 ICA Institute of Contemporary Art, Philadelphia
Soft Sites
 Arias, Mary Ellen Carroll, Laura Carton, Lieven De Boeck, Peter Dudek, Seung Young Kim, Hironori Murai and Katrin Sigurdardottir, Jane Benson, Jimbo Blachly, Lytle Shaw, Katie Holten, McKendree Key, Sebastián Romo

- 2006 Z 33, Hasselt
EXCESS
 Sergei Bugaev Afrika, Saed Andoni, Herman Asselberghs, Heather & Patrick Burnett-Rose, Lieven De Boeck, Harun Farocki & Andrei Ujica, Kendell Geers, Jean-Luc Godard, Felix Gonzalez-Torres, Sagi Groner, Thomas Köner, Kuda.org, Teresa Margolles, Renzo Martens, Alice Miceli, Christof Migone, Rob Moonen & Olaf Arndt, Steve Mumford, Els Opsomer, OVNI, Dierk Schmidt, Alexander Sokurov, Terre Thaemlitz, Pierre-Yves Vandeweerd, Geert Van Moorter
- 2005 East 66, Amsterdam
Negation in Art and Architecture
 Mark Bain, Lieven De Boeck, Jasper de Haan
- 2004 Santa Monica Art Centre, Barcelona
Legal space / Public space
 Agency, Lara Almarcegui, Bureau de micro urbanisme, Santiago Cirugeda, Lieven De Boeck, Thierry Decuyper, Simona Denicolai & Ivo Provoost, N55, Nathalie Mertens, Nicolas Pinier, Christophe Terlinden, Jan Verheyden, Tristan Wibault

PUBLICATIONS (Selection)

Monographs and books

- 2017 Lieven De Boeck (ed.): X, Independence of character, novel figures perpetrating disappearance. Inscriptions by Lieven De Boeck. Published by Onomatopee, Eindhoven. With contributions by Tanguy Eeckhout, Chantal Pattyn, Pascal Neveux, Andre Gordts, Jannah Loontjens and Jamal Mahjoub, Zac Rose
- 2009 Onomatopee, Eindhoven (ed.): Lieven De Boeck / Public Space / I.e.t.t.e.r.s. Produced by Extra City Kunsthall, Antwerpen and Künstlerhaus Büchsenhausen, Innsbruck
- 2008 Onomatopee, Eindhoven (ed.): I.i.e.v.e.n.d.e.b.o.e.c.k. // p.o.r.t.f.o.l.i.o. # 2
- 2007 Onomatopee, Eindhoven (ed.): I.i.e.v.e.n.d.e.b.o.e.c.k. // texts # 1
 With contributions by Johnny Golding, Aaron Seeto, Sara Reisman, Cathleen Chaffee, Pieter Van Bogaert, Anselm Franke. Produced by Lmak projects, NY
- 2005 Lieven De Boeck: I.i.e.v.e.n.d.e.b.o.e.c.k. // p.o.r.t.f.o.l.i.o. # 1 (English)
- 2004 Lieven De Boeck: Wonen / Housing. Published by Jan van Eyck Academie, Maastricht (English / Dutch)
- 2004 Jan van Eyck Academie, Maastricht (ed.): Traces / memory / and space, with J. Murphy (English)

Catalogues

- 2018 Works from the Van Tuyckom-Taets Collection with the text 'The Nostalgia of the Collector' by André Gordts and Photographic Series by Kristien Daem
- 2018 Una Fornace a Marsiglia. Le Stanza del Vetro, Venice, 2018
- 2017 Une maison de Verre. Musées de Marseille, 2017
- 2016 Can you feel it? – Effectuating tactility and print in the contemporary. Onomatopee 118, Freck Lomme (Ed.)
- 2013 Who told you so?! – The collective story vs. The individual narrative, m.a. Onomatopee75/ research project.

- 2011 Life a Users Manual. Edited by Gallery Meessen De Clercq (English)
- 2010 Intimate Stories on Absence. Edited by Onomatopee (English / Dutch)
- 2006 Antipodes / Measuring the World. The Line of Desertion. Edited by Haecceity Papers, (English)
- 2005 Terra Reformatione and Fireworks II / le bleu du ciel, published in the Issues on Temporary Culture and Aesthetics (English)
- 2002 After-Sprawl, Research on the Contemporary City. (XDGA) Edited by NAI publishers and deSingel
- 2000 B-sites. À propos de la place d'un centre d'art et de recherche à Bruxelles. With W. Davidts, B. Balcaen, T. Vanmeirhaeghe, D. de Clercq. Edited by Bruxelles 2000

GALLERY

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PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

- 2017 Collection of the KINGDOM OF BELGIUM
- 2016 Collection FONDS M-ARCO, Marseille
- 2015 Collection FRANS MASEREEL CENTRUM, Kasterlee
- 2014 Collection CIRV A, Marseille
- 2014 Collection MUDAC, Lausanne
- 2013 Collection FRAC PACA, Marseille
- 2012 Collection of the KINGDOM OF BELGIUM
- 2010 Collection of the PINAKOTHEK DER MODERNE, Munich
- 2007 Collection of DE VLAAMSE OVERHEID, Belgium
- 2006 Collection of the MOMA LIBRARY, New York