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2019–present **Founded**
Sound Office
2019–2022 **STUDIOCALH**

Education
2022–2024 Certificate in Deep Listening, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, NY, USA
2017–2019 MA in Contextual Design, Design Academy Eindhoven, NL
2010–2013 BFA, School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston MA, USA
2010–2013 BFA, Tufts University, Boston MA, USA

Selected classes. lectures. workshops
2025 Performance Lecture, The Acoustic Continuum, -1 Space, Nieuwe Instituut, Rotterdam, NL
2025 Workshop, Future sounds of Healthcare, ArtEra, Erasmus MC, Rotterdam, NL
2025 Presentation and Panel, Reverberant Ecologies launch, Nieuwe Instituut, NL
2024 Workshop, Centering listening in designed spaces of care, Summer School at Erasmus MC, Rotterdam, NL
2024 Redesigning the Campus via sound workshop, Design Impact Transition at Erasmus University Rotterdam, NL
2024 Lecture and Deep Listening Workshop, MA Ecology Futures, St. Joost School of Art & Design, ENCI mine, Maastricht, NL
2024 Workshop, Sonic Friction, International Design Workshop week 2024, Faculty of Design Sciences of the University of Antwerp, Antwerp, BE
2023 Performance lecture, Sound–Office, Dutch Design Week, MU Space, Eindhoven, NL
2022 Performance Lecture, They'll Audiate Lilies Singing, Fiber Festival Mutation Conference 2022, Amsterdam, NL
2022 Tutor, Sonic Friction, DesignLab Gerrit Rietveld Academie, NL
2021 Presentation, Conversing Our Soundscapes of Fear by studiocalh, I'ENSA Paris Cal-de de Seine, FR
2021 Panel, Sound Design and the Spectrum of Fear by studiocalh, Temporary Art Center (TAC), Eindhoven, NL
2019 Lecture and workshop, Introduction to Soundscapes and Psychoacoustics, University of the Underground, Amsterdam, NL
2019 Lecture, The Mechaphony, Dutch Design Week, G19, Eindhoven, NL
2016 Workshop, with Festooning the Inflatable Beehive, Institute of Contemporary Art, Boston, MA, USA

Selected grants, awards and fellowships
2025 CBK Art Office, Praktijkbijdrage
2024–2025 Creative, Industries Fund NL, Experimental Grant
2024–2025 Creative Industries Fund NL, Design Grant
2024–2025 Amarte Foundation, Music Grant
2024–2025 Dutch Culture, Heritage Grant
2024 Culture Moves Europe, Individual Mobility Grant
2024 Processing Foundation, Processing Foundation Fellowship
2023–2024 Foundation We Are, Fellowship for Collaborations for Future
2024 CBK Art Office, Praktijkbijdrage
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2021–2022 Creative Industries Fund NL, Talent Development Grant
2020 Creative Industries Fund NL, Design Grant
2020 Z33 Kunstencentrum, Laureate

Selected exhibitions
2025 "Small Gestures, Big Systems", ArtEra, Erasmus MC, Rotterdam, NL
2025 "Noise Canceling", -1 Space, Nieuwe Instituut, Rotterdam, NL
2024 "Collaboration for Future", Foundation We Are, Dutch Design Week 2024, Eindhoven, NL
2024 "Wild Summer of Art", BRUTUS, Rotterdam, NL
2023 "Dancing with Trouble", MU Hybrid Art House, DDW22 Eindhoven, NL
2022 "FORMAT", Z33 Kunstencentrum, Hasselt, BE
2022 "GEO-DESIGN: COVID19", Eindhoven, NL
2021 "What A Time To Be Alive", Dutch Design Week, Temporary Art Center (TAC), Eindhoven, NL
2020 "G19", Dutch Design Week, Design Academy Eindhoven, Campina Fabriek, Eindhoven, NL

2019 "Overturning Othering", Electriciteitsfabriek, The Hague, NL
2019 "Form Of Touch", Pfizer Building, New York, NY, USA
2018 "Do I Contradict Myself?", SPRING/BREAK Art Show, 4 Times Square, NY, USA
2017 "FRAY", AIR Cycle 7 Final Exhibition, Gowanus Loft, Brooklyn, NY, USA
2016 "Systems ECONOMIES", 808 Gallery, Boston University, Boston, MA, USA

Selected residencies

2025 iTeam Artist Residency, Universitat Politècnica de València, Valencia, ES
2024 Atlas Initiatief, The North Sea, NL and UK
2023 IMAL, 25AV, Brussels, BE
2021 Sound Ecologies Lab, Fiber Festival 2021, Amsterdam, NL
2019 – 2021 Z33 Kunstencentrum, FORMAT, Hasselt, BE
2019 European Ceramic Work Center, Oisterwijk, NL
2015 – 2016 Textile Arts Center, Artist In Residence Cycle7, Brooklyn, NY, USA
2013 Zelený Les Artist Residency, Catskills, NY, USA

Selected Performances

2025 "The Acoustic Continuum", -1 Space, Nieuwe Instituut, Rotterdam, NL
2024 "Ambient Garden", Performance, VOLUME Magazine, Hortus Botanicus, Amsterdam, NL
2024 "Sound Office", Performance Lecture, Fate of Scitalis by Reveries, RESET Brussels, BE
2023 "Cook Quantitatively with Energy" with Noam Yourngrak Son, IMAL, Brussels, BE + Zirka, Munich, DE + Triennale, Milano, IT
2022 "They'll Audiate Lilies Singing", Performance Lecture, Fiber Festival Mutation Conference 2022, Amsterdam, NL
2021 "Conversing Soundscapes of Fear Podcast performance with Lauriane Heim and guests, Z33 Kunstencentrum, Hasselt, BE

Other

2024–2025 "Listening Exercises and Good Looks with Colette", Resident DJ and Artist, Stranded FM, Utrecht, NL

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[Moving in Stasis](#)

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