

## ROEL VAN HEESCH

R.B van Heesch (NL, 1991) creates films, poetry and photographs.

"Born in 1991, R.B. van Heesch is a Dutch filmmaker and artist. His video works make you descend into dreamscapes, the personal narratives, peels away at layers of your soul, till we unite as one homogenous state of human being stood in front of the screen. The fragments of images and text illustrates a form of cinema beyond a formula we are familiar with, in which we weave together disparate stories of varying beings. So we realize this world is paved with many beings with their own voice, dreams, stories, ways of seeing, and being and ultimate journey's in which we too reflect on our own." Text by Molly Haviland.

### WEBSITES

[familyunitproductions.com](http://familyunitproductions.com)

### SOCIAL MEDIA

[instagram.com/rbvanheesch](https://instagram.com/rbvanheesch)

[soundcloud.com/user-487612110](https://soundcloud.com/user-487612110)

### OPLEIDINGEN

2020 - Clinical hypnotherapy, level 2 Life Practice  
2020 UK

2016 - Buddhism, Retreat Dae Sung Shakya,  
2016 Korean Temple

2012 - Buddhism, Apprentice Kopan Monastery  
2012

2012 - Beeldende Kunst Den Haag, Koninklijke  
2016 Academie van Beeldende Kunsten Diploma  
behaald

### TENTOONSTELLINGEN

2023 RIPENED ON A TREE Fitzrovia Gallery  
Londen, Verenigd Koninkrijk  
[fitzrovigallery.co.uk/myportfolio/ripened-on-a-tree/](http://fitzrovigallery.co.uk/myportfolio/ripened-on-a-tree/)  
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2022 The Amazing Stoner Movie Festival  
Cinema Oasis Bangkok, Thailand  
[amazingstonermovie.com/](http://amazingstonermovie.com/)  
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### PRIJZEN EN STIPENDIA

2022 Finalist European Cinematography Awards  
Amsterdam, Nederland The European Film  
Award for Best Cinematographer, also  
known as Carlo Di Palma European  
Cinematographer Award, is an award given  
to cinematographers working in the motion  
picture industry by the European Film  
Academy.

2021 Pro Research (sinds 2004) Stroom, Den

2021	PROSPECTS & CONCEPTS Art Rotterdam Rotterdam, Nederland <a href="#">Groep</a>	2021	Haag Den Haag, Nederland
2021	PAME INT. FILM FESTIVAL. Pokhara, Nepal <a href="http://pamefestival.com/">pamefestival.com/</a> <a href="#">Groep</a>	2019	Artist Project Grant Mondriaan Fonds (voorheen Fonds BKVB) Amsterdam, Nederland
2020	Onze Ambassade Festival West Den Haag, Nederland <a href="http://www.westdenhaag.nl/exhibitions/20_09_Onze_Ambassade_Festival">www.westdenhaag.nl/exhibitions/20_09_Onze_Ambassade_Festival</a> <a href="#">Groep</a>	2017	STIPENDIUM FOR EMERGING ARTISTS Mondriaan Fonds (voorheen Fonds BKVB) Amsterdam, Nederland
2018	Ho Ho Ho MV Studio New York, Verenigde Staten Night of performances. Collaboration with Caleb Addison. <a href="#">Groep</a>	2017	Pre-Invest (sinds 2004) Stroom, Den Haag Den Haag, Nederland
2018	Passive Activists III Moose Space Den Haag, Nederland <a href="http://www.hoogtij.net/en/galerie/moose-space-2/">www.hoogtij.net/en/galerie/moose-space-2/</a> <a href="#">Groep</a>		
2017	Curse of the Dark Safeness Parkstraat 107 Den Haag, Nederland Experimentele expositie evenement van één nacht op geheime locatie. <a href="#">Groep</a>		
2016	Who Am I? What's My Name? SID YOUNG ART INITIATIVE Glasgow, Verenigd Koninkrijk 'Who am I what's my name?' is the debut exhibition of the Sid Young artist initiative, featuring video works of Molly Haviland, Roel van Heesch, Katerina Sidorova and Debbie Young. Each dig to the very core of what is it to be human ; investigating language and narrative, for it is a passtime for solely the human species. The works presented deal with the matters of love but as an illness; choice but as a rollercoaster ride; skill as genetic memory and consciousness as the sign of insanity. <a href="http://www.sid-young.space">www.sid-young.space</a> <a href="#">Groep</a>		
2016	AS CLOSE TO BLACK AS BLUE CAN BE Megastores Groepsexpositie. Den Haag. <a href="#">Groep</a>		
2016	Bring Your Own Beamer The Lighthouse Glasgow, Verenigd Koninkrijk The		

Lighthouse is hosting our very own BYOB: Bring Your Own Beamer (Projector) with the theme Architecture! BYOB was created by the artist Rafaël Rozendaal in 2010 as a DIY open source, non-commercial exhibition idea. Since then over 350 exhibitions all of the world have taken the idea and created their own exciting events. This will be the third time it has been held in Glasgow. The Lighthouse has kicked off 2018 by opening up Gallery 1, our largest space, for 2 weeks (19th January - 2nd February 2018). We invited designers, architects, artists, and filmmakers to submit films and bring along their equipment to create projections and works responding to architecture in all forms.

[www.thelighthouse.co.uk/visit/exhibition/byob-bring-your-own-beamer](http://www.thelighthouse.co.uk/visit/exhibition/byob-bring-your-own-beamer)

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2016 FILLER Groningen, Nederland Filler vult zich met visies en reacties op aspecten van de populaire cultuur. Aan bod komen engagement, beïnvloeding, reclame, schijn en werkelijkheid, mode verschijnselen, idolen, (sociale) identiteit. Binnen Filler vinden meer activiteiten plaats die geassocieerd kunnen worden met dit onderwerp, die daardoor elkaar's context vormen en elkaar aanvullen. [sign2.nl/events/filler/](http://sign2.nl/events/filler/)

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2014 Uitgelicht #28 Den Haag, Nederland Filmprogramma met korte films van studenten van de Koninklijke Academie van Beeldende Kunsten, afdeling Beeldende Kunst.  
[www.filmhuisdenhaag.nl/agenda/event/uitgelicht](http://www.filmhuisdenhaag.nl/agenda/event/uitgelicht)

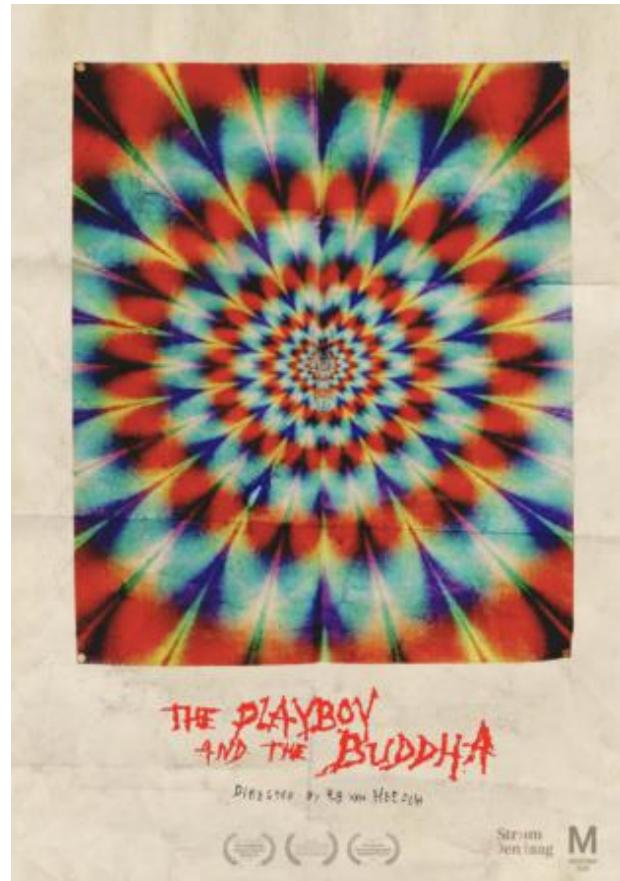
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2014 ReVersed Poetry Film Festival Amsterdam, Nederland Film festival where artists explore the intersection between poetry and film.  
[pamefestival.com](http://pamefestival.com)

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+/-, 2022  
Video



The Playboy and the Buddha, 2021  
Video en film



Eclipse, 2021  
Video



The Cheerleader {Prologue}, 2017  
video, 5 min



The Finger, 2016  
video, 2 min



The Transhuman, 2016  
film, 5 min

**The Astronaut**  
*REVISIONS OF THE PAST*

The Astronaut: Revisions of the Past, 2016  
video, 5 min



Dear Lord, I dream of a flower petal

The Mother, 2015  
video+super 8, 2 min



The Dancer, 2015  
video, 2 min



The Speedballer, 2015  
video, 1 min