

Marine DE SOOS

Marine de Soos evokes the possible chase of the impossible, the freeze of time. Her sculptures are inspired from her birth place of Geography and History: wisdom of Africa, Indonesian men and ancestral queen-like women throughout History. She is very good at restituting faraway emotions, making them immediately touchable. For example we can easily share the serenity of those little fishermans, of the Massai shepherds full of gentleness, of that man from Cape Verde who reminds us of our childhood... We try to discover the mystery of Burmese women, Massai, guru, whom faces can feel us but cannot see us, trapped in an incredible world which belong to them only. Marine de Soos is also keen on animals: sacred cows from India, elephants from Africa, full of symbolic meanings and majesty. Her art talks about a far away and vanished world, dreamed but realistic.

Born in 1967 in Paris, Marine de Soos spent a part of her childhood in Africa, whose influence can be seen in her work. Back in Paris, where she now lives and works, she started to work in marketing before devoting herself to sculpture in 1991.

EXHIBITIONS

2018

Couvent des Minimes, Mane-en-Provence
Hôtel du Castellet, Le Castellet
Hégoa Gallery, Paris
Jardins en art Gallery, Paris
Toulouse Lauwers Gallery, Nantes
Michel Estades Gallery, Paris, Lyon, Toulon
Sculpturs exhibitions, jardins du château de Villandry

2017

Biennale de Sculpt'en Sologne, Chaumont sur Tharonne
Artrimoine, Château de Lassay sur Croisne
Biennale du Jardin des Sculptures de Bois Guilbert
Parcours Saint Germain, Paris
L'Oréal, Clichy
Lille Art Up
Jardins en Art Gallery, Paris
Toulouse Lauwers Gallery, Nantes
Le Passage de la Cadène Gallery, Saint Emilion
Estades Gallery, Paris, Lyon, Toulon
Le Couvent des Minimes, Mane en Provence

2016

Envie d'Art Gallery, Paris VIII
EGOA Gallery at Carré Rive Gauche, Paris VII
Maison des Quais, île d'Yeu
L'Oréal, Clichy
Jardins en Art, Paris
Toulouse Lauwers Gallery, Nantes
Le Passage de la Cadène Gallery, Saint Emilion
Le Couvent des Minimes, Mane en Provence

2015

Envie d'Art Gallery, Paris
Le Cercle de l'Union, Lyon
L'Oréal, Clichy
Domaine des Crayères, Reims
Le Couvent des Minimes, Mane en Provence
Biennale du Jardin des Sculptures de Bois Guilbert
Fort du Vert Galant, Wambrechies
Jardins en Art, Paris
Toulouse Lauwers Gallery, Nantes

2014

Commission for L'Oreal Headquarters, Clichy
Glineur Gallery, Saint Martin de Ré
Enviedart Gallery, Paris 8
Hégoa Gallery, Paris
Star't, Strasbourg
Gallery des Lumières et des Ailes, Paris
Gallery 49, Saumur

2013

8eme Biennale of Sculpture, Chateau du Bois Guilbert
Sculpture exhibition, Maison des Quais, Ile d'Yeu
Gallery Marie-Laure de L'Ecotais, Paris (06)
Le Bon Marché, Paris
Gallery Emerald, Le Touquet

Natixis, Paris
Art Gent, Gand
Art Monaco
Gallery 49, Saumur

2012
Art Gent, Gand, Belgique
St Art, Strasbourg
Barnes, Neuilly sur Seine
Gallery 49, Saumur, Exhibition "Le bon Marche" in February
Montségur Finance, Paris
Glineur Gallery, Saint Martin en Ré
Emeraude Gallery, Le Touquet
Pont Neuf Gallery, Artlandowski, Paris

2011
Montségur Finance, Paris
Glineur Gallery, Saint Martin de Ré
Pont Neuf Gallery, Artlandowski, Paris
Lille Art fair, Lille
Emeraude Gallery, Le Touquet

2010
Taittinger, Demeure des Comtes de Champagne, Reims
Maison des Quais, Ile d'Yeu
Hotel Golf, Chateau de Chailly sur Armançon
Gilbert Dufois Gallery, Senlis

2009
Envie d'art Gallery, Paris 8ème
Le Chabichou, Courchevel
François Giraudeau Gallery, Les Portes en Ré
Gilbert Dufois Gallery, Senlis
Emeraude Gallery, Le Touquet

2008
Emeraude Gallery, Le Touquet
Oddo, Paris
Daniel Besseiche gallery, Courchevel
La Galerie, Saint Wandrille

2006
Cultural Center, Fatehpur & Ambassade de France, New Delhi
Galerie Hors Série, Bruxelles
Galerie Hors Série, Lille
Bertin-Toublanc Gallery, Paris
Emeraude Gallery, Le Touquet

2005
Bertin-Toublanc Gallery, Paris

2004
Ofivalmo, Paris

2003
Ebène Macassar, Paris
Martine Moisan Gallery, Paris
"Le Prieuré Saint Georges", La Chapelle en Serval

2002
"Ebène Macassar", Paris
"Salon Couleur et Forme du Mesnil-le-Roi" (Prix du Public), Le Mesnil-le-Roi

2001
Mairie du 5ème, Paris
"Ebène Macassar", Paris
Martine Moisan Gallery, Paris