



MELISSA DE VOS

Melissa is a social textile- and material designer, with a heart for finding sustainable solutions to contemporary environmental challenges. With her work, she finds beauty in the unexpected and shows the possibilities of new materials.

General skills

Fast learner	Sustainable thinking
Teampayer	Leadership and Organization
Professional	Hospitality driven
Enthusiastic	Community minded

Identification

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Education

2013 - 2017	Bachelor of Design: Fashion Design, Willem de Kooning Academy, Rotterdam. Graduated in July 2017.
2016	Minor in Social Practices: Sustainability. Succeeded in January 2017.
2015	Practice in Sustainability, Willem de Kooning Academy, Rotterdam.
2014	Practice in Branding, Willem de Kooning Academy, Rotterdam.
2013	Spatial Design, 3 months course, Willem de Kooning Academy, Rotterdam.
2010 - 2013	Pre-university education, Culture and Society, Het Goese Lyceum, Goes. Graduated in June 2013.
2006 - 2010	Pre-university education, Arts and Culture, Het Goese Lyceum, Goes. Succeeded in June 2010.

Work experience

August 2019 - now	Receptionist, Spaces Hofplein, Rotterdam.
August 2017 - August 2019	Barista and kitchen staff, Lebkov Rotterdam.
February 2018 - November 2018	Sales Advisor, Sweet Rebels (vintage clothing store), Rotterdam.
September 2015 - March 2018	Cooking assistent, hostess, waitress at Keizer Culinaire, Rotterdam and The Hague.
September 2016 - July 2017	Leader of the Communication department of the Rotterdam Graduates '17, presenting a show and exhibition called UNUSUAL, at ZOHO Rotterdam.
August 2016	Internship at knitwear label Nanette Lindeman, Rotterdam. (fashion design, concept development, production, knitting)
February 2016 - July 2016	Internship at Faustine Steinmetz, London. (fashion design, concept development, production, weaving)
July 2011 - December 2015	Sales advisor and waitress at Bakker Boer, Goes, Kloetinge and Heinkenszand.
Juli 2009 - August 2011	Waitress at Restaurant Oranjeplaat, Arnhem.

Presentations / Publications

January 2018	Participated in Zeeuwse Lichting 2017, an exhibition at CBK Zeeland, Middelburg.
July 2017	Publication SLASH-zine / pictures of my graduation project FISK were published online.
July 2017	Participated in UNUSUAL, an interdisciplinary show and exhibition at ZOHO Rotterdam.
December 2015	Collective "de Nieuwe Kleren van de Kooning" present Genderdigs / Goethe Institut / Rotterdam / Marketing and Communication team.
June 2015	Tableau Vivant / FISH / Maritiem Museum Rotterdam
May 2015	Fashionshow / TWINS V2 / "Nice to Meet You" organisation / the Student Hotel The Hague
April 2015	Fashionshow / TWINS V2 / "The New Fashion Society"

November 2014	organisation / The Student Hotel Rotterdam
November 2014	Photoshoot at Nen Xavier / Cocoon design photographed by Cedric Pradel and styled by Guiliano Bolivar / Rotterdam
January 2014	Organized a store-for-one-day with STUDIO NOVO / Schiedam.
September 2013	Interviewed designer Marina Yee for my project during my first year in Fashion Design / Antwerp
September 2011	Fashionshow / previous collections / UIT!Markt Middelburg
January 2011	Publication / Zeeuwse klederdracht - design / PZC
2011	2 days of fashionshows at Festival Onderstroom / collection for Kunstbende / Vlissingen
2010	Fashionshow / "VVKloetinge collection" commissioned by Raimond van Soest / Rabobank Goes. With a publication in their magazine and the PZC newspaper
2010	Fashionshow / selection of my own work / commissioned by Kunstbende / Theatre "De Maagd", Bergen Op Zoom
2010 & 2009	Kunstbende Zeeland, won the second prize in Fashion twice.

Professional skills

Photoshop	InDesign
Illustrator	Premiere Pro
Microsoft Office	
Sustainable thinking	
Concept development	
Visualisations & Presentations	
Fashion Design	
Material Design	
Knitwear design	
Weaving	
Communication	
Branding	

Other

Dutch and English (both written and spoken)