

Mathilde Hatzenberger Gallery  
presents

# New Waves

**Shanaz Roulin / Yoshie Sugito**

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MH Gallery is very pleased to announce **New Waves**, an exhibition premièring the solo works of two young artists **Shanaz Roulin** (BE) and **Yoshie Sugito** (JP). In perusing through their biographies, the term "young" becomes apparent through their youthful and fresh approach towards their work. Born and raised 7000 km apart from each other and far away from home, one in India and the other in Japan, both artists arrival point in Europe at the same age was in Germany. The association of the work sense can seem so uncanny that one would believe they might have been related in a past life.

Common choices of ammunition are: paper, wood, and ceramic with the exception of Shanaz Roulin use of strings and nails on fabric and occasionally on paper. The two artists share a very sensitive and fragile way of expression. It is also a style of nonchalance in the form of the intuitive balance of the figurative and abstract. Roulin's figurative motives exist as patterns or found forms. The conceptual walk through the aesthetics reveals the hidden subjectivity manifesting a form of universal language. On the contrary, the strategical configuration of Sugito's work alludes to cinematographic sequences in which the visitor can find an entrance to an improvised narrative.

The distant but intimate uses of their like-minded expressions connotes a different story yet intersecting common feelings and leaves the viewer with the desire to discover a new country not in our current map.

Practical informations :

**Opening reception with artists in attendance**

**Saturday, March 3, 3-6 pm  
and sunday, March 4, 11 am 5 pm**

OPEN op donderdag tot maandag 11 - 18 u. maar op ZONDAG 11 - 15 u.  
gesloten op dinsdag en woensdag

OPEN on tuesday to saturday 11am - 6pm except on SUNDAY 11 am- 3pm  
closed on Tuesday and wednesday

OUVERT du jeudi au lundi de 11 à 18h sauf le dimanche de 11 à 15h  
fermé mardi et mercredi

En op afspraak / And on appointment / Et sur RDV

**Catalog images and complete biographies send upon request.**

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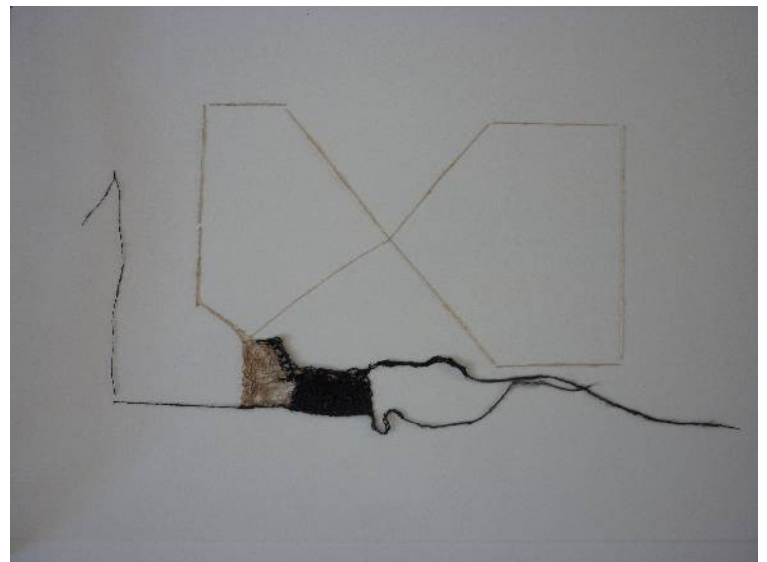
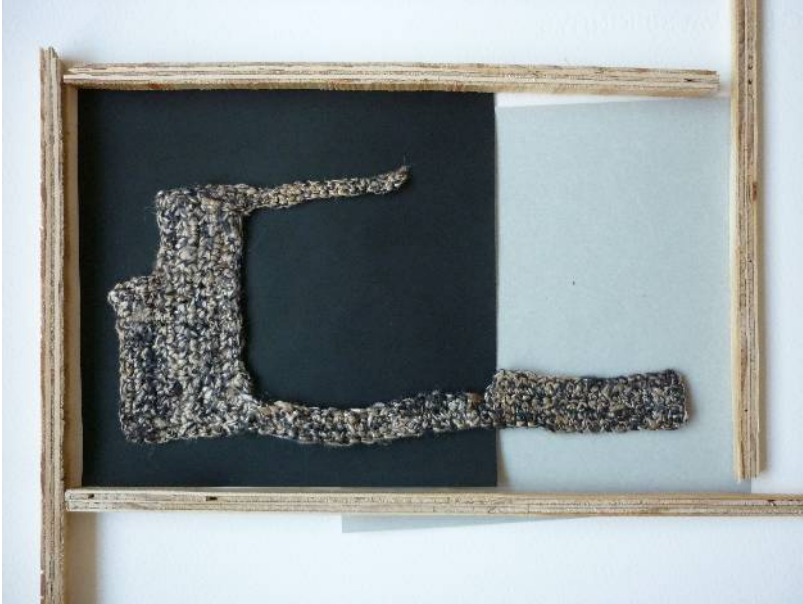
**Shanaz ROULIN**

Born in 1954 in Quilon, India. Lives and works in Brussels, but travel often in India.

**2012** *New Waves*, with Yoshie Sugito, MH Gallery, Brussels

**2011** *NineEleven*, group show, MH Gallery, Brussels

**Since 2008** Drawing and painting lessons at the académie of Uccle, brussels.



**Yoshie SUGITO**

Born in 1985 in Aichi, Japan. Lives and works currently between Braunschweig and Berlin.

**EDUCATION**

Since 2010 University of Art, Braunschweig, Germany

2009 BFA, Musashino Art University, Departement of painting

**EXPOSITIONS**

2011 *NineEleven*, group show, MH Gallery, Brussels

2009 "Degree show", MAU, Tokyo

2008 "recreation#01", Shinjuk-ganka gallery, Tokyo

2007

"Tokyo wonder seed 2009", Tokyo wonder site, Tokyo

"Toki-meki Yarimizu Rendezvous", Yarimizu Museum, Tokyo

**PRIZE**

2009 Hottaikuei scholarship



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