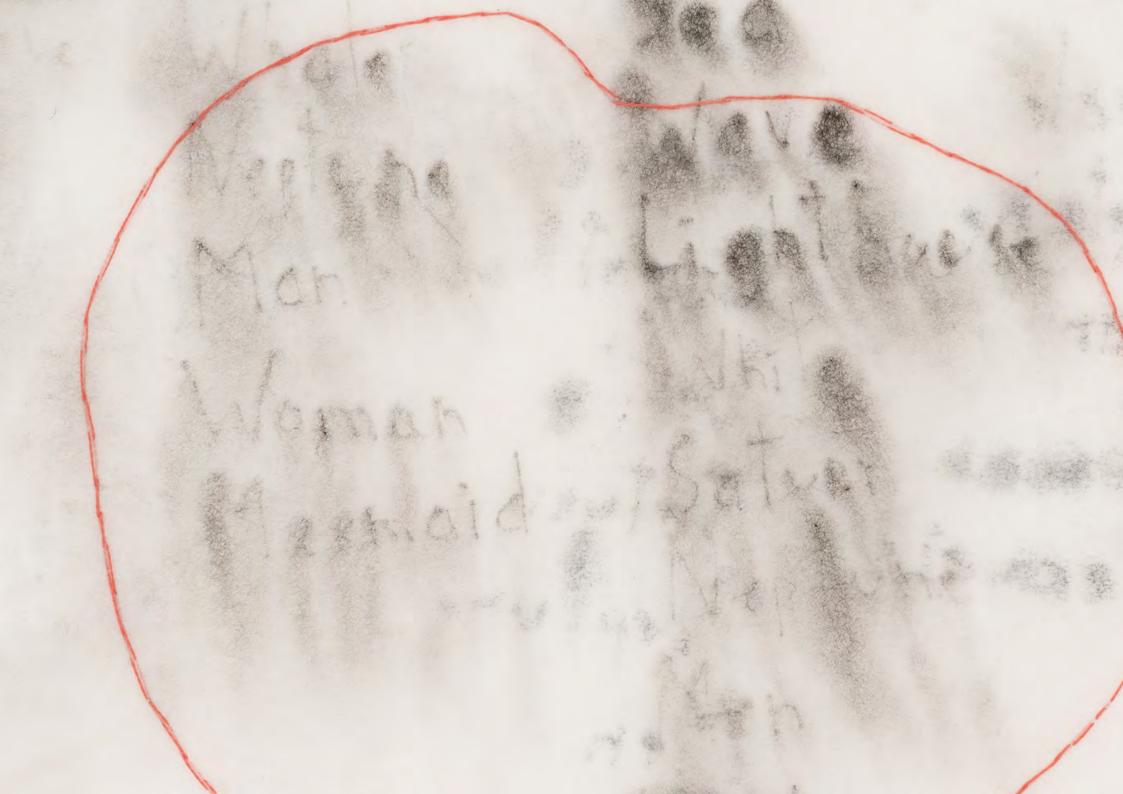
Karin Lambrecht: Winter

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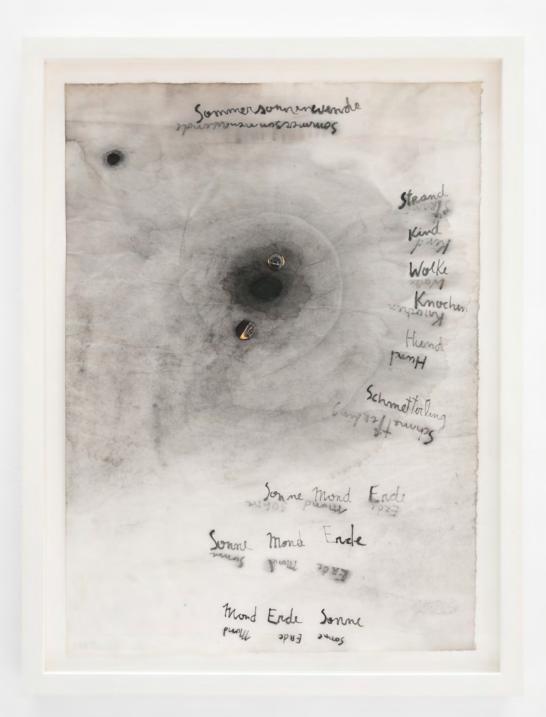






Untitled, 2019

charcoal and pigments in acrylic resin on canvas unframed: 50×31 cms (19 $3/4 \times 12$ 1/4 inches) framed: 61×42 cms (24 $1/8 \times 16$ 1/2 inches)



Untitled, 2020

ink and embroidery on paper unframed: 34×24 cms (13 $3/8 \times 9$ 1/2 inches) framed: 38.5×29.5 cms (15 $1/8 \times 11$ 5/8 inches)











Untitled, 2020

ink and embroidery on paper unframed: 49×24.5 cms ($193/8 \times 95/8$ inches) framed: 54×30 cms ($211/4 \times 113/4$ inches)

Sonne Mond Ende Schmetterling Wolke Strand Winterschlaf Kind Bar



Winter, 2019

copper, rainwater, charcoal and pigments in acrylic resin on canvas 160 x 159 cms (63 x 62 5/8 inches)

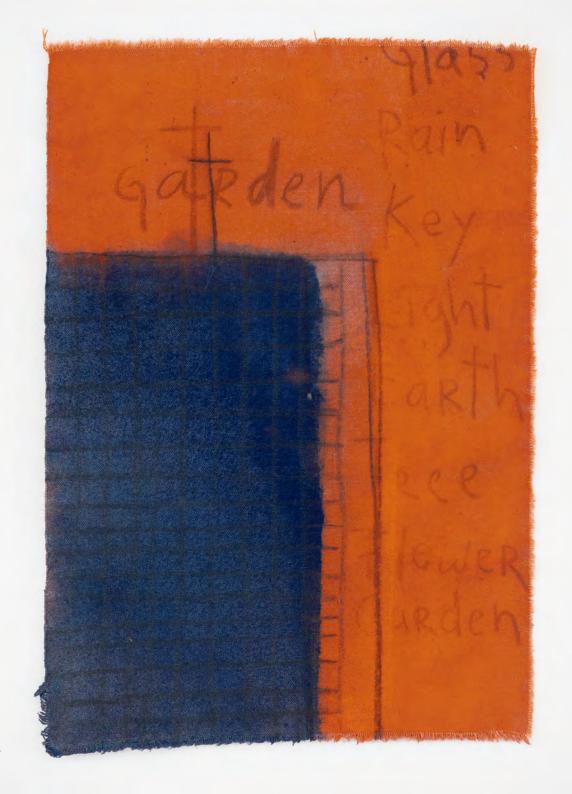






ink and embroidery on paper unframed: 34 x 20 cms (13 3/8 x 7 7/8 inches) framed: 40 x 26 cms (15 3/4 x 10 1/4 inches)

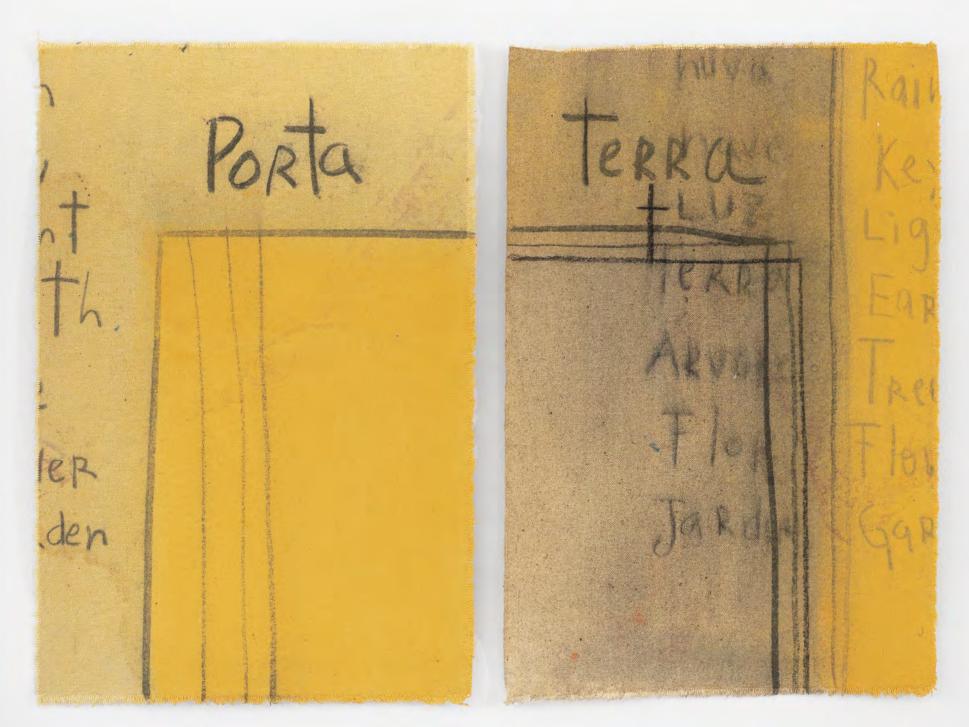


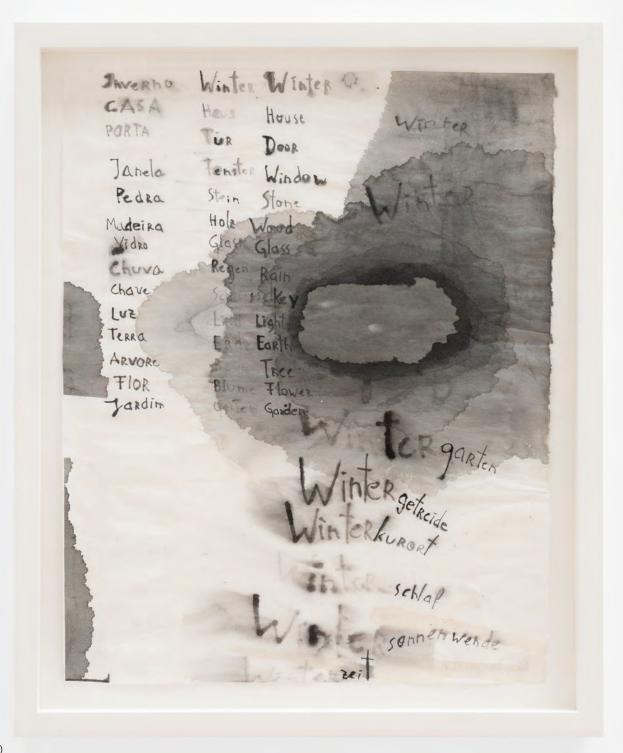




Amar [Love], 2020

copper, charcoal, pigments in acrylic resin on canvas 51 x 37.5 cms (20 1/8 x 14 3/4 inches)





ink and embroidery on paper unframed: 29×24.5 cms (11 $3/8 \times 9$ 5/8 inches) framed: 36×29 cms (14 $1/8 \times 11$ 3/8 inches)

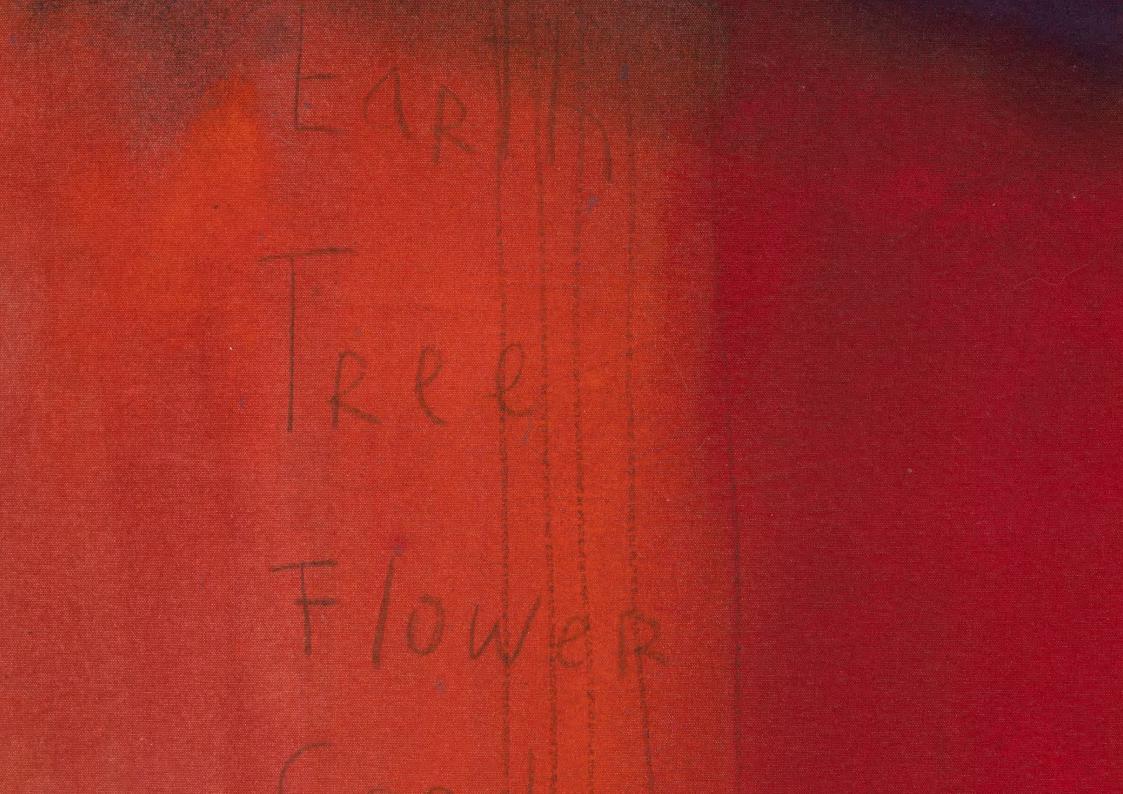
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ink and embroidery on paper unframed: 39 x 24 cms (15 3/8 x 9 1/2inches) framed: 44.5 x 29.5 cms (17 1/2 x 11 5/8 inches)







Cecilia Brunson Projects is delighted to present *Winter*, the first UK exhibition of Brazilian artist Karin Lambrecht.

Focusing on works produced since Lambrecht moved to Broadstairs, a coastal town in east Kent, England, in 2017, the exhibition explores Lambrecht's intuitive style and the patient process behind her work. The exhibition, which will be the first solo show of Lambrecht's work in the UK, includes a series of monochromatic ink on paper works as well as a selection of gestural, colourful paintings.

The title of the exhibition, *Winter*, is inspired by the frequent appearance of this word in Lambrecht's paintings and works on paper. Written in German, Portuguese and English, Lambrecht uses the word to explore the poetics of the seasons and to confront the starkness of winter in her new surroundings on the Kentish coast. Reflecting her environment, where winter brings cold weather, a lack of colour, and low light, the word "winter" appears in Lambrecht's monochromatic works and in the darker sections of her more colourful paintings. The word becomes attached to the idea of a chromatic deficit, urging the viewer to look harder (or elsewhere) for brighter colours.

The focus on the seasons in Lambrecht's work is attached to her interest in time and its systems of apprehension, whether personal, societal, or universal. In her ink on paper works, the artist depicts and references the sun, moon, and earth in order to expand the scope of our understanding of time. Lambrecht explores the astronomical factors which provide the basis for humanity's attempts to understand time, and to subsequently divide it into months, seasons and years.

The illustrated inclusion of the written word is a vital part of Lambrecht's work; words appear in all of the works in this exhibition. Her use of words — which can be written in, obscured, re-written and sometimes changed entirely — flows between English, Portuguese and German, in what appears to be a method of physical and psychological self-location and understanding.

The shape of the cross also recurs throughout Lambrecht's work, appearing both in the form of crucifixes and square crosses. Sometimes these crosses are written into the work as the letter "t", at other times

they are physically attached in the form of copper strips which pierce the canvas. This variation alludes to the ways Lambrecht attempts to occupy and explore a middle ground between the religious and the secular. Although not a religious person herself, Lambrecht is interested in religious tradition as well as alternative associations with the cross as a symbol of healing and health. For Lambrecht, the cross adds an element of comfort to her work; the cross's medical associations signal proximity to a place or person that can help or heal.

The potency of Lambrecht's production is found in the conviction and clarity that it conveys despite exploring nebulous themes such as religion, time, language and the liminal space between humans and nature. Lambrecht's work encourages viewers to engage with it spatially, chromatically and linguistically and in turn to consider how to situate themselves in relation to their own environment.

Karin Lambrecht

Born in 1957 in Porto Alegre Lives and works in Broadstairs, UK

Selected Solo Exhibitions

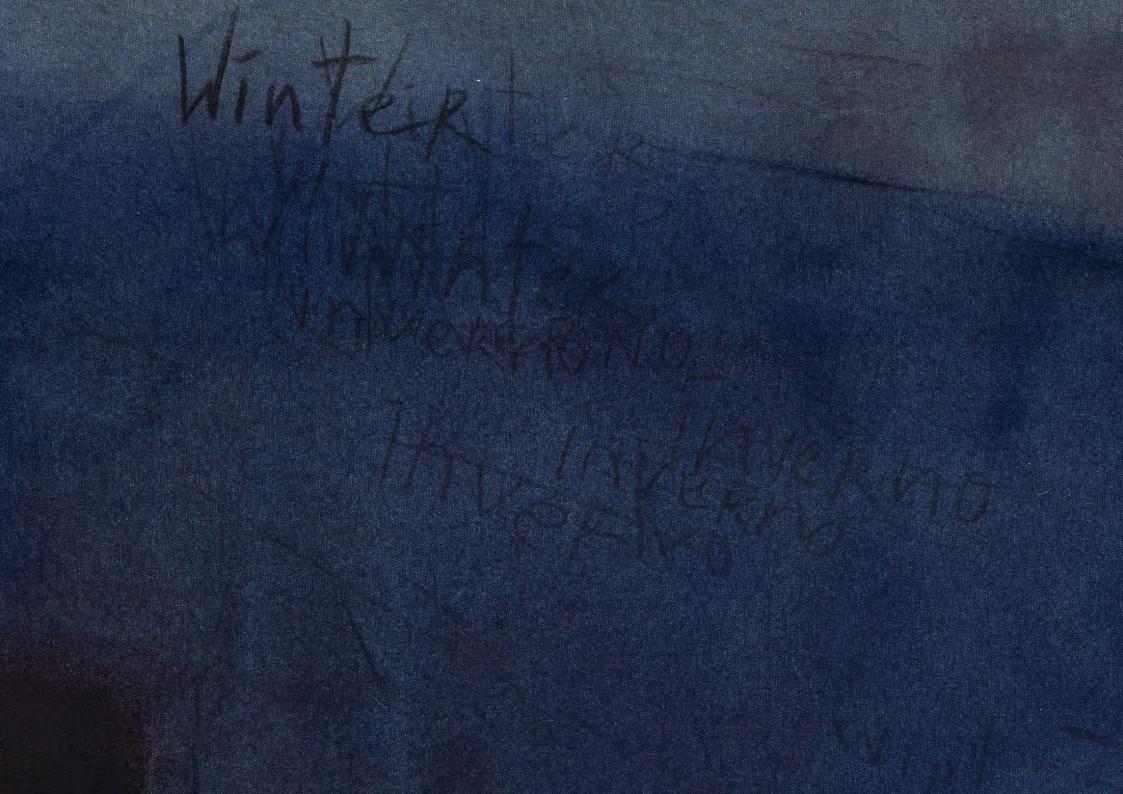
2018	Karin Lambrecht - Entre nós uma passagem, Instituto Tomie Ohtake (ITO), São Paulo/SP, Brazil
2017	Grande campo: Karin Lambrecht - Assim Assim, 2017, Oi Futuro, Rio de Janeiro/RJ, Brazil
2017	Nem eu, Nem tu: Nós, 2017, Espaço Cultural Santander, Porto Alegre/RS, Brazil
2013	Eclipse, Pinacoteca da Feevale, Novo Hamburgo, Brazil
2002	Museu de Arte do Rio Grande do Sul, Porto Alegre, Brazil
1996	Projeto Eventos Especiais, Funarte, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

Selected Group Exhibitions

Alegriα - A natureza-morta nas coleções, MAM Rio, Museu de Arte Moderna do Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
Ateliê de Gravura: da tradição à experimentação, Fundação Iberê Camargo (FIC), Porto Alegre, Brazil
Oito décadas de abstração informal, Coleções Museu de Arte Moderna de São Paulo, Brazil
Em polvorosα, Museu de Arte de Moderna do Rio de Janeiro (MAM Rio), Rio de Janeiro/RJ, Brazil
O Espirito de Cαdα Epocα, curated by-Rejane Cintrão, Instituto Figueiredo Ferraz, Ribeirão Preto, Brazil
5th Mercosul Biennial, Brazil
25th edition of the Bienal de São Paulo, Brazil
19th edition of the Bienal de São Paulo, Brazil
18th edition of the Bienal de São Paulo, Brazil

Selected Collections

Fundação Patricia Phelps de Cisneros, New York, USA Ludwig Forum für Internationale Kunst, Aachen, Germany Museu de Arte Moderna do Rio de Janeiro (MAM Rio), Rio de Janeiro, Brazil Pinacoteca do Estado de São Paulo, São Paulo, Brazil Itaú Cultural, São Paulo, Brazil



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