

Daan Oude Elferink (Daanoe)

Daan Oude Elferink also known as Daanoe was born in Dreumel, The Netherlands in 1978. Daan Oude Elferink takes you to the world behind the 'no entry' signs and locked doors. He offers us a glimpse of the beautiful, forbidden world of decay through his eyes.

Decay Ignites the Imagination

"You'd be surprised what people leave behind, often for unknown reasons. Beautiful villas, still fully furnished - everything covered in a layer of dust. Hospitals with patient files scattered in the hallways. Theaters and ballrooms, now empty of laughter. Castles where the family photo album still sits on the book shelf. Memories of what used to be.

How did these people live? Why is the place abandoned? What happened?

With time, nature starts to take over. As the years pass, buildings and the secrets they keep crumble and decay. On first glance you may see a pile of moldy debris, but look at it with different eyes and you'll find a breathtaking beauty."

EXHIBITIONS

Please see the file **Daanoe-Exhibitions.pdf**.

OTHER WORKS:

2016 Antonio Lysy is a cellist who was performing the solo Bach Suite in a theatre in Los Angeles USA. My work was projected on a big screen behind him and his cello.
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uT0aFWtiwE>

2016 Article in newspaper GelderlanderBetuwe.

2015 Radio omroep Gelderland interview with Peter van den Hout.
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DFXSUi7KmRI>

- 2015 Radio Click 'Up &Ut 7 maart 11:00 – 12:00, wind to 49:10
Friesland Up &Ut
<http://www.omropfryslan.nl/utstjoering/op-ut-fan-7-maart-2015-0900>
- 2015 During the benefit of the 'Foundation Help Direct' (organized by Hans Langhout), Jacques d'Ancona auctioned two of my artworks for schools in disadvantaged areas in Sri Lanka. My works have yielded € 10,000 for this wonderful cause.
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RnwRz_dYERw
- 2014 Publication of my second book "Gift of Time".
Trailer:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=s0wTo2LtdhA>
- 2013 AVRO Kunstuurtelevisioneisode 1/2.
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GxST-wrISQg>
- AVRO Kunstuurtelevisioneisode 2/2.
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VPb8QMYMtFO>
- 2013 During the benefit of the 'Foundation Help Direct' (organized by Hans Langhout), Jacques d'Ancona auctioned my artwork for schools in disadvantaged areas in Sri Lanka. My work has yielded € 5,000 for this wonderful cause.
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VjpBC4X_a-M
- 2013 VPRO radio interview with BotteJellema.
http://www.vpro.nl/speel.WO_VPRO_344001.html
- 2012 Publication of my first book 'Urban exploration and Photography'