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Charlotte Burgmans:

"The Organized Chaos Series is the result of my desire to create connection and order in chaos"



Organized Chaos 5 Clay, Acrylic, MDF, Ink, Plexi cover 30-30-6 cm / 12-12-2" 2018 Awarded 3rd prize at the Laguna Beach (USA) Juried Exhibition, Nov-Dec 2018



**Charlotte Burgmans** (1964, Bergeyk, The Netherlands) took art classes before she even could write. Art is part of her life since then. Burgmans is considered a self-taught artist however throughout her career she has always followed art classes in different disciplines such as ceramics, drawing, master classes painting, glass blowing and printmaking.

Moving to the United States in 2003 brought an important boost to her art career. In California she followed master classes in painting and printmaking and took successfully part in so-called juried shows (in California, Texas, New York etc.). She has spent much of her career in California, where she had her first solo show in October 2004, San Clemente. Currently she works from her studio in Hilversum, The Netherlands.

Burgmans work is collected in corporate and private collections around the globe. Dutch and American Film producers such as Touchstone, Paramount en Warner Brothers use Burgmans' artworks in their productions, such as Beauty and The Geek, Desperate Housewives etc.

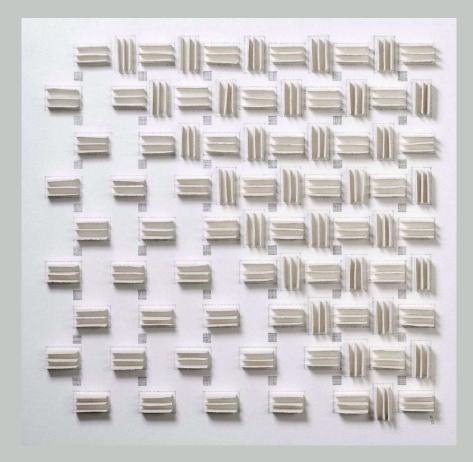
# **Development of work and style**

Currently Burgmans' works consists of wall reliefs and abstract paintings. Previously she was working organic and figurative, but always taken into abstraction. Burgmans has always been intrigued by the ZERO art movement and minimalism, which certainly affected her work. Since 2017 Burgmans focuses mainly on abstract works, in which lines, light and shadow play an important role.

## **Organized Chaos**

Her Organized Chaos Series has been a success since day one. Burgmans designs a geometric pattern, which she applies to the surface. She uses clay to make the tiles. Different lengths of tiles for each design, but always 1 to 2 mm thin. During the drying process, Burgmans adjusts the tiles to her liking. The tiles have been deliberately made irregular by means of ridges. The lightweight wafer-thin tiles are sanded and cut after the drying process. Finally the tiles are fixed into the pattern. The artworks are composed with hundreds of tiles. The spaces between the tiles, allow light and shadow to contribute to the artwork. Every artwork has something unexpected. This could be a broken pattern, an unexpected side view etc. For the important finishing touch, a museum-quality UV-Plexi glass cover is placed over the artwork. The artworks can be hung on the wall or placed on a pedestal or table.

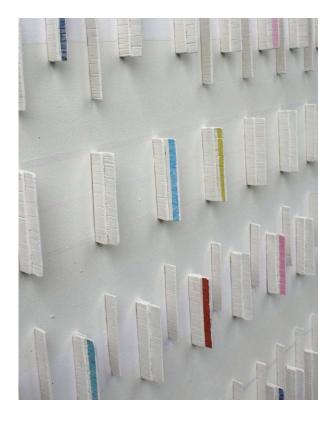
A selection of the Organized Chaos White Series



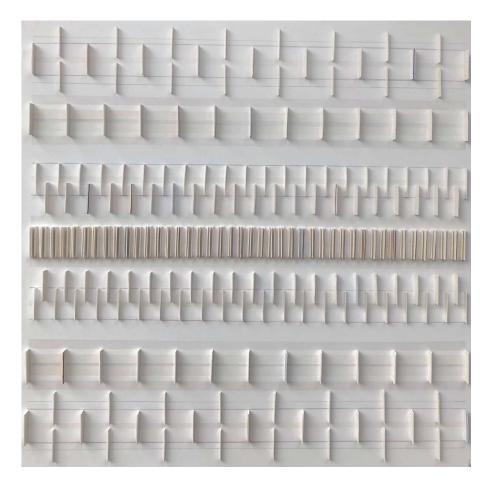
Organized Chaos 14 Clay, Acrylic, MDF, Ink, Plexi cover 50-50-6 cm / 20-20-2" 2019



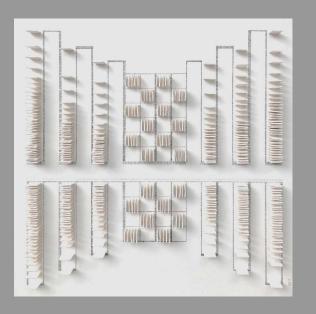
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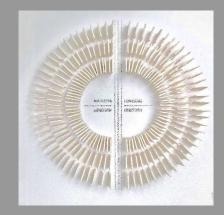


Organized Chaos 28 & 27 Clay, Acrylic, MDF, Plexi cover 90-90 6 cm / 36-36-2" 2020 Front view white, pastel tones Side view colorful

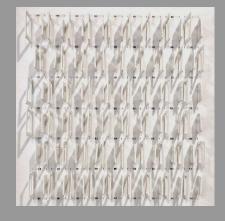












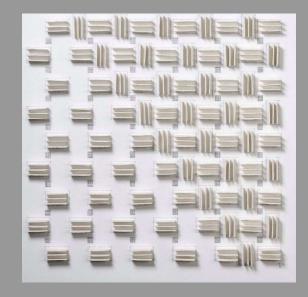
Installation of 9 wall reliefs 3 wall reliefs 50-50-6 cm 6 wall reliefs 30-30-6 cm

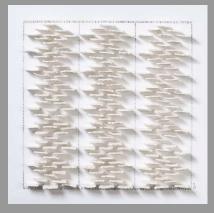










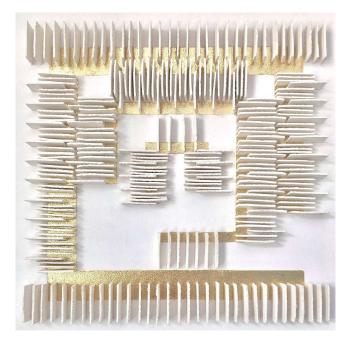




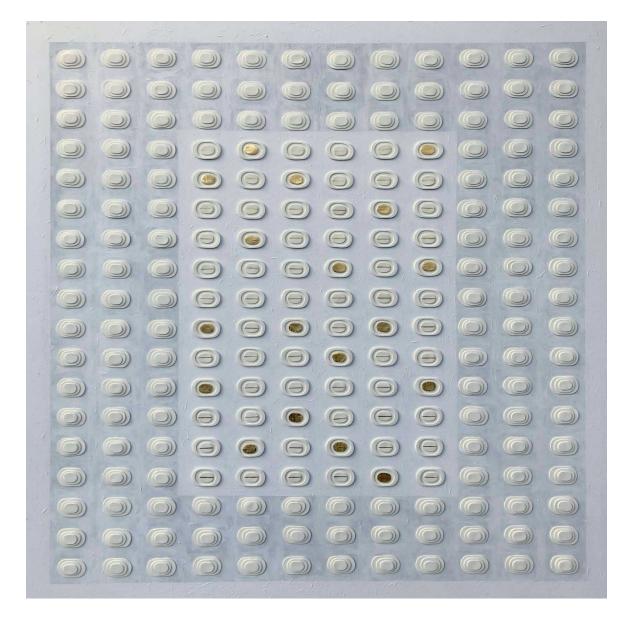
Organized Chaos Gold 7 Clay, Acrylic, MDF, 23,8 k gold plate, Plexi cover

60-90-6 cm / 24-36-2" 2019





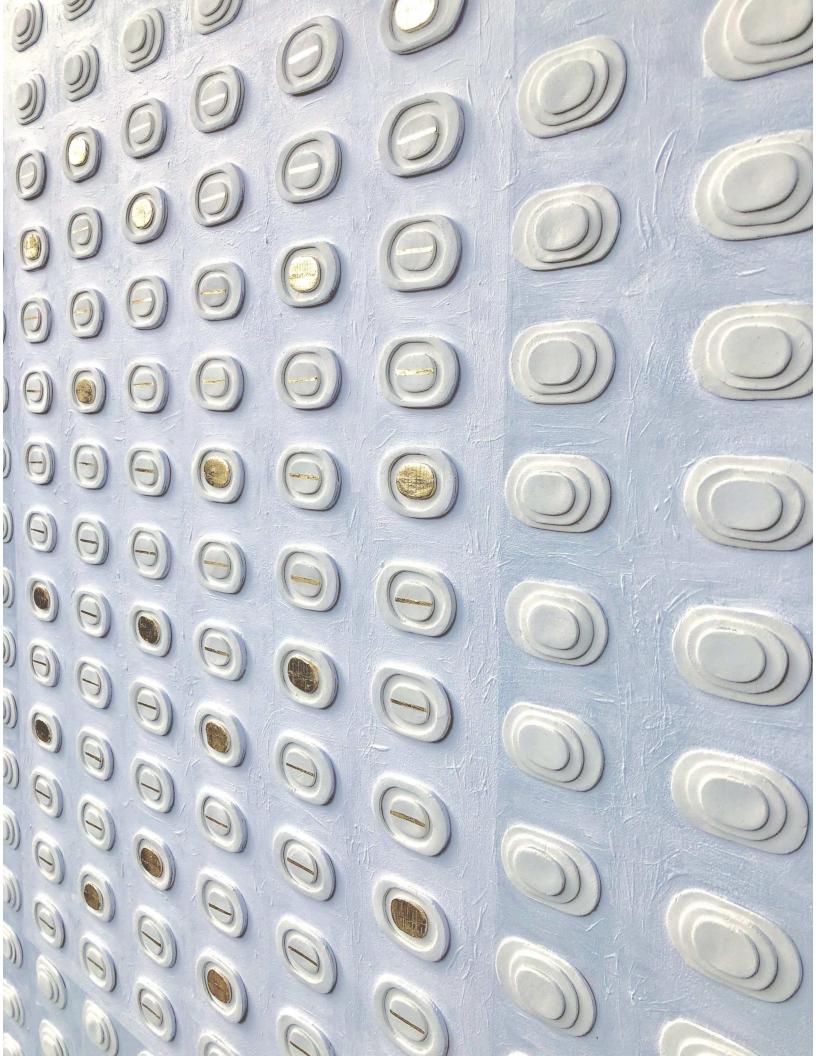
Organized Chaos Gold 1 and 2 Clay, Acrylic, MDF, 23,8 k gold plate, Plexi cover 30-30-6 cm / 12-12-2" 2019



Organized Chaos Gold 11

Clay, Acrylic, MDF, 23,8 k gold plate, Plexi cover

100-100-6 cm / 39-39-2" 2020



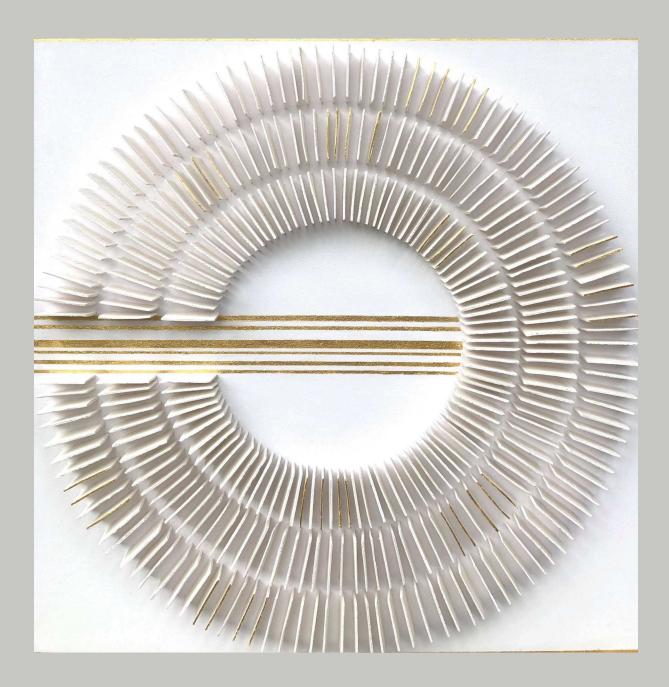


Organized Chaos Gold 11 Clay, Acrylic, MDF, 23,8 k gold plate, Plexi cover 60-90-6 cm / 24-36-2" 2020





Organized Chaos Gold 9 & 10 Clay, Acrylic, MDF, 23,8 k gold plate, Plexi cover 50-50- 6 cm / 20-20-2" 2020







Organized Chaos Gold 6 - Circle of Life Clay, Acrylic, MDF, 23,8 k gold plate, Plexi cover 50-50- 6 cm / 20-20-2" 2020

Inspired by a Circos Plot of 3 genomes; father, mother, child. The golden tiles represent genes or important traits. The human genome is comprised of 22 pairs of chromosomes 1-22 and the pair of sex chromosomes X,Y. From inside out: the first circle represents the mother, the child is the second circle and the father the third. The golden line in all 3: the child has inherited the specific trait from both father and mother. If the first and second circle is in gold, the child has inherited the trait from the mother. In case the second and the third circle is in gold the child has inherited the trait from the father. The tiles / stripes in the fourth circle represent the 22 chromosomes, the X and Y.

# A selection of the Organized Chaos Color Series

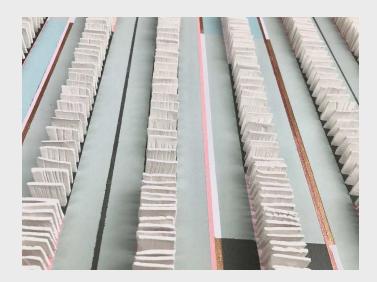


Organized Chaos Color 5

Clay, Acrylic, MDF, Plexi cover

60-90-6 cm / 24-36-2" 2020



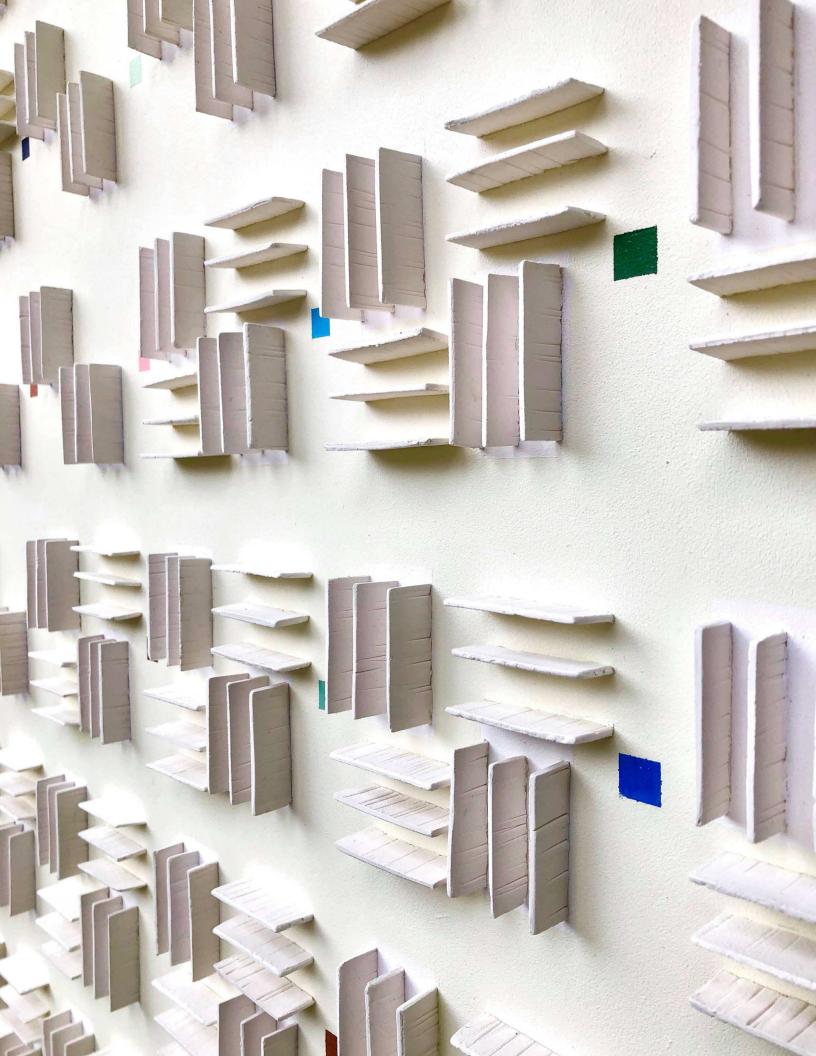


Organized Chaos Color 6 Clay, Acrylic, MDF, Plexi cover 50-50-6 cm / 20-20-2" 2020

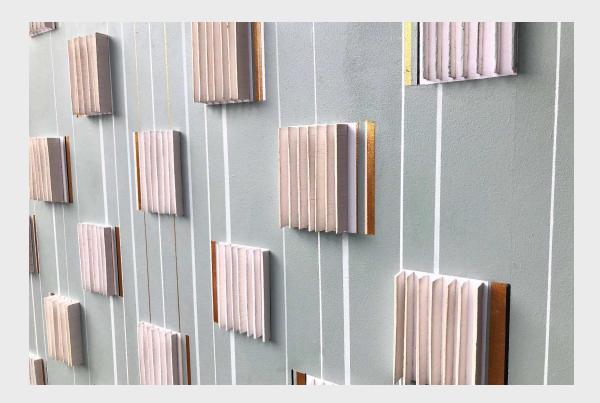




Organized Chaos Color 8 Clay, Acrylic, MDF, Plexi cover 90-90 6 cm / 36-36-2" 2020



Organized Chaos Color 7 Clay, Acrylic, MDF, Plexi cover 90-90-6 cm / 36-36-2" 2020









Organized Chaos Color 1 and 2 Clay, Acrylic, MDF, Plexi cover 50-50-6 cm / 20-20-2" 2020





### **Curriculum Vitae**

**Group Shows** 2020 Essentie, virtual Gallery Bos fine Art The Hague Nicholson Art Gallery, Brussels 2019 Essentie, Zonnestraal, Hilversum Nicholson Art Gallery, Brussels Essentie, Dingemanshuys, Utrecht Loods 6, Amsterdam, with Artists' Association De Onafhankelijken Gallery Art Pic, Hollywood USA De Bonte Zwaan, Amsterdam Art Stable, Amsterdam Gallery Bos fine Art The Hague 2018 City Hall, Laguna Beach, USA Gallery SFWA San Fransisco, USA Gallery Art Pic, Hollywood USA Loods 6, Amsterdam, with Artists' Association De Onafhankelijken City Museum Harderwijk, project Heelmeesters Gallery Tuur, Venlo Gallery Salon West, Amsterdam 2017 Gallery Josilda, Amsterdam Artemis, Amsterdam Loods 6 Amsterdam, with Artists' Association De Onafhankelijken Gallery Salon West Amsterdam Castle Groeneveld Baarn Gallery HazArt, Soest 2016 Raadhuis Hilversum, project Heelmeesters Dutch Art Fair Amsterdam Gallery HazArt, Soest University of Human. Utrecht, project Heelmeesters Museum Anatomy & Pathology Nijmegen Salon West Amsterdam 2015 Art Ankeveen Brinkhuis Laren 2014 Raadhuis Hilversum Art Ankeveen Raadhuis Hilversum GSA Gallery Hilversum 2013 Brinkhuis Laren Museum Hilversum

Gallery GSK Gallery Art Ankeveen RAI, Jumping Amsterdam 2012 Gallery Art Ankeveen Gallerie Loeviera Gallery GSK Hilversum GAG Hilversum 2011 't Spant Bussum Gallery GSK Hilversum NL Gallery Art Pic, Hollywood USA 2010 Gallery Art Pic, N. Hollywood USA Huizer Museum, Huizen Gallery GSK Hilversum 2009 Gallery ArtPic, N. Hollywood USA Gallery N'Joy Art, Tilburg Gallery GSA, Hilversum Gallery Orangerie, Amsterdam 't Spant, Bussum 2008 Gallery ArtPic, N. Hollywood USA Gallery La Chamotte, Laren Gallery N'Joy art, Tilburg Dick Preesman Artworks Gallery GSA, Hilversum 2007 Artpic Gallery, N. Hollywood USA Long Beach Arts, Long Beach, USA juried by Jessup director Pasadena Museum of Art Micro Museum, Brooklyn New York Cove Gallery, Laguna Beach USA 2006 Artpic Gallery, Hollywood USA Sunset Gallery, S Clemente USA Catharine Lorillard Wolfe Art Club, New York uSA Texas Artists' Museum, Port Arthur USA Santa Cruz Art League Gallery, USA Juried by G. Riviera director Triton Museum of Art, Santa Clara Joyce Gordon Gallery, Oakland USA Juried by Y. Lopez, Dana Point Coastal Arts, Dana Point USA 2005 Californian Art Foundation, Laguna Niguel USA 2004 Art at Monarch Bay, Laguna Niguel USA

Solo - Duo Shows 2020 Gallery Bos Fine Art, The Hague Nassau 42 Fine Arts, Antwerp 2016 Andros Arnhem Dennenheuvel Hilversum De Bank Harderwijk 2015 De Bank Harderwijk Hilton Paris Hilton Stockholm Hilton Copenhagen 2012 Eva Muller, Laren 2010 Gallery Glazen Huis, Amsterdam 2009 Gallery De Rechtspraak Maastricht NL 2008 Gallery N'Joy Art, Tilburg NL 2007 Irvine Fine Arts Center, Irvine City Hall, USA Beverly Hills, Dutch Consulate, USA Townley Fine Art, Laguna Beach, USA 2006 Dutch Consulate, Los Angeles, USA Gallery Vine, San Clemente, USA Gallery N.C., Aliso Viejo, USA 2004 St. Regis, Dana Point, USA Gallery 104, San Clemente , USA



#### **Art positions**

2013 – Project Manager 'Kunst Zaken'. Organization of art projects (together with Claudia de Vos) , such as 'Kunst van het Ondernemen' and 'Heelmeesters' 2012-2014 - Board Art Hilversum

#### **Art Education**

2004 - 2006 Master classes painting by Wayne Horvath Saddleback College, Mission Viejo, USA 2006 Print making, Saddleback College, by Vinita Voogd, Mission Viejo, USA

# Studio visits and inquiries

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