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With Fabian Altenried, Nima Bahremand, Lou Benesch, John Bijnens, Christophe Clarijs, Rens Cools, Lisa Decavel, Sven Dehens, Kipras Dubauskas, Sibe Duijsters, Daan Gielis, Laetitia Jeurissen, Ekaterina Kaplunova, Jóhanna Kristbjörg, Saori Kuno, Astrid Mingels, Juan Pablo Plazas, Sanne Vaassen, Jelena Vanoverbeek, Charles-Henri Sommelette and others.

Marres Currents: *Wild Horses & Trojan Dreams* is the first edition of a new, annual exhibition series titled *Marres Currents*. With this series, Marres presents recent graduates from art academies in the Netherlands, Belgium and Germany. While offering emerging artists a platform outside of the educational context, *Marres Currents* also aims to build an international infrastructure for art academies and institutions.

For *Wild Horses & Trojan Dreams*, curators Laura Herman and Pieter Vermeulen selected artists that offer new perspectives on current forms of authorship, subjectivity, knowledge and artistic research. The participating artists challenge the boundaries of artistic freedom and explore the value of art today.

Opening:
December 17, 2013, 5pm

Pecha Kucha:
December 18, 2013, 10.30 am – 5 pm
at Lumière Cinema Maastricht

Ekaterina Kaplunova, *Frontal Image #1 (black)*, Orie, Arieve u Prawe na ramiona Om Piešu III, Series of 5 silkscreen prints on paper, 90x120 cm, 2012 — Kipras Dubauskas, *Suspension of Disaster*, 2013 — Rens Cools, *Doing nothing for 8 hours straight / Waiting for something to happen*, HDV-Color-Stereo, 2012

Participating academies:
Maastricht Academy of Fine Arts and Design (ABKM), Académie Royale des Beaux-Arts de Liège, AKV/Sint-Joost Breda, ENSAV/La Cambre Brussel, Hogeschool Gent/School of Arts (KASK), Sint Lucas Antwerpen, KASK Antwerpen, Kunstakademie Düsseldorf, LUCA/Sint-Lucas Brussel, LUCA/Sint-Lucas Gent, PXL/MAD-Faculty Hasselt.

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12 – 17 pm