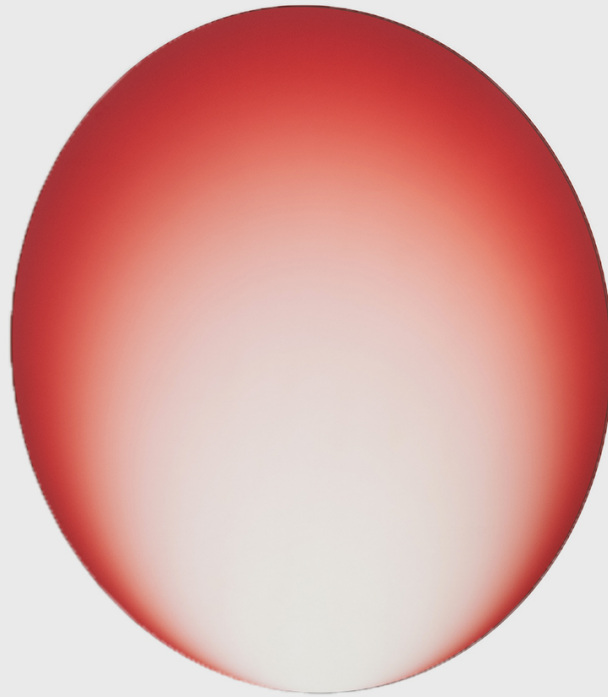


SIDE GALLERY

SABINE MARCELIS (1985-)



Fade Mirror From Fade Mirror Series

Manufactured by Sabine Marcelis Rotterdam, The Netherlands, 2023
Mirror, glass and invisible metal wall mounting system

Measurements
150 x 150 cm | 59 x 59 in

Biography

Sabine Marcelis is a Dutch/New Zealand product designer who has her studio based in Rotterdam, (NL). After graduating from Design Academy Eindhoven in 2011 she has been working as an independent designer and has received several awards for her work including the 2012 Braun Prize. The importance of collaborations are a big part of Sabine's vision for design, she has undertaken various collaborative efforts with other designers, industry and brands. Since graduating, she has been operating Studio Sabine Marcelis, working within the fields of product, installation and spatial design with a strong focus on materiality. Her work is characterized by pure forms and natural elements such as the reflections of light and water, which she believes highlight material properties. Growing up in New Zealand Sabine was surrounded by dramatic landscapes, always sensitive to the light of the sky, the ocean and the snow on the mountains, the artist was inspired by the communication of the natural elements. Her work captures these beautiful moments in nature on a smaller scale, as objects or installations.

Concept

Fade is the latest object within Sabine's ongoing exploration into optical interactions with glass. The layered glass sheets utilize colour and reflective treatments to create the illusion of depth within its flat surface. Fade specifically takes the idea of a spotlight being pointed onto the mirror, with its intensity fading directionally to the top. Each mirror pulls in its surroundings and the viewer and skews the perception of space as it is viewed from different angles.