

# CAPA 3 \*Collective Automatic Painting Amsterdam\* 1998-2008



After the bifurcation of the CAPA-group in 1997 three of the members continued working together in Amsterdam: **Rik Lina, Dave Bobroske** and **Jan Giliam**, soon to be joined by other painters from the city: **GertJan Evelo, Ziad Haider** (Iraq), **Max Mink, Lex Kiellem** (Indonesia), and **Hettie Govers, José Wolters** and **Machteld Teekens** from Utrecht, the city of Dave. They held many studio-sessions over the decade, but no exhibitions were organized, only paintings were send to international surrealist exhibitions abroad.

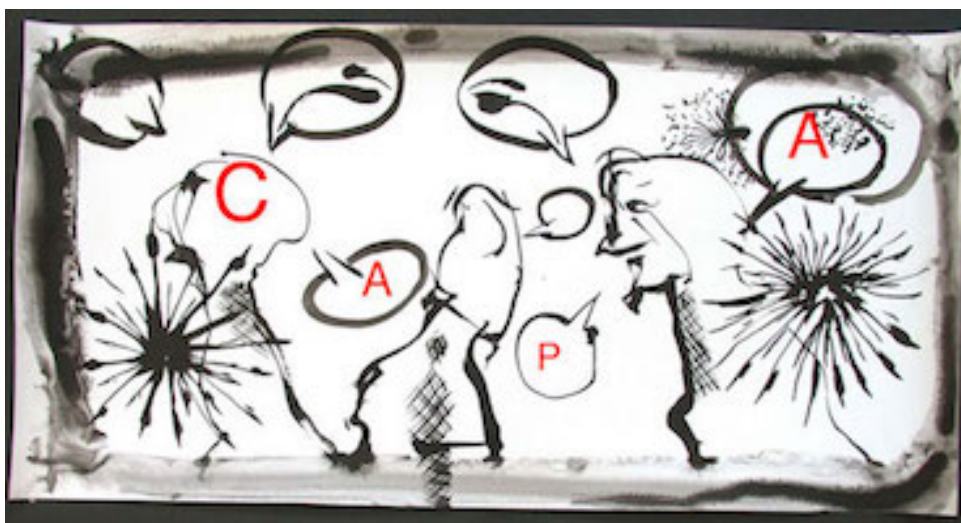
In 2008 one of these exhibitions was in Coïmbra, Portugal: “*O Reverso do Olhar - The Reverse of the Look*”, showing works of the several CAPA-groups. During the opening a performance took place where Jan, Dave and Rik were joined by former CAPA participants **Miguel Lohlé** and **Amirah Gazel**, and Spanish painter **António Beneyito**.

In 2001 the Portuguese painter **Mario Cesariny** visited Rik's studio in Amsterdam and they started to work together right away!

In 2006 in Chili, Rik Lina met **Jorge Leal-Labrin** again, one of the founders of the first CAPA-group, and they made a session at night in a mountain-forest near Valparaíso: “*Le Rito de Laguna Verde*”

Several collective paintings of Rik and Ziad were used to illustrate the publication of Dick Gevers: “Anarchism & Surrealism” IRIS-Amsterdam 2007.

CAPA's third period ended during 2008 with the meeting of the Cabo Mondego Section of Portuguese Surrealism: the start of a new creative period.





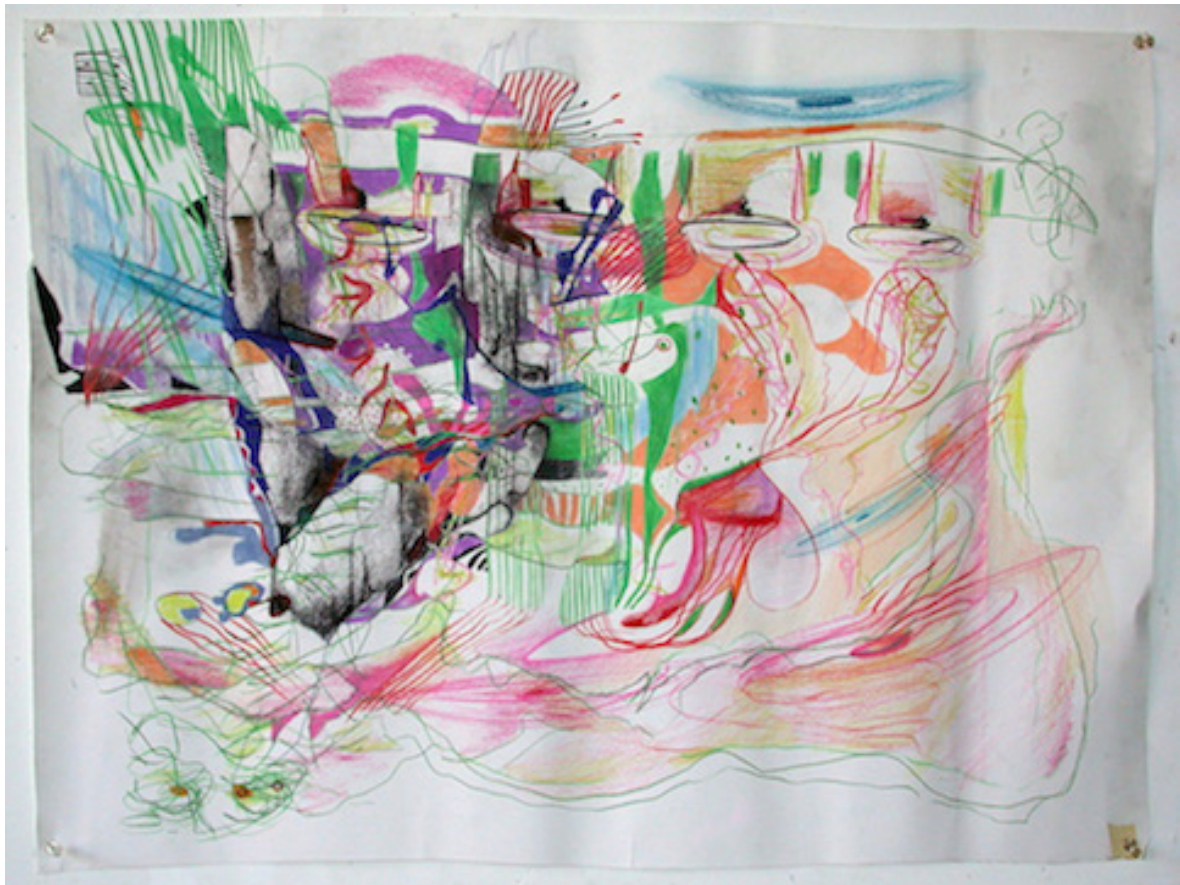


**FACE IS A NAME 1998** - gouache on paper - 116x100cm. - Dave Bobroske & Rik Lina





**NAME IS A FACE 1998** - gouache on paper - 116x100cm. - Rik Lina & Dave Bobroske

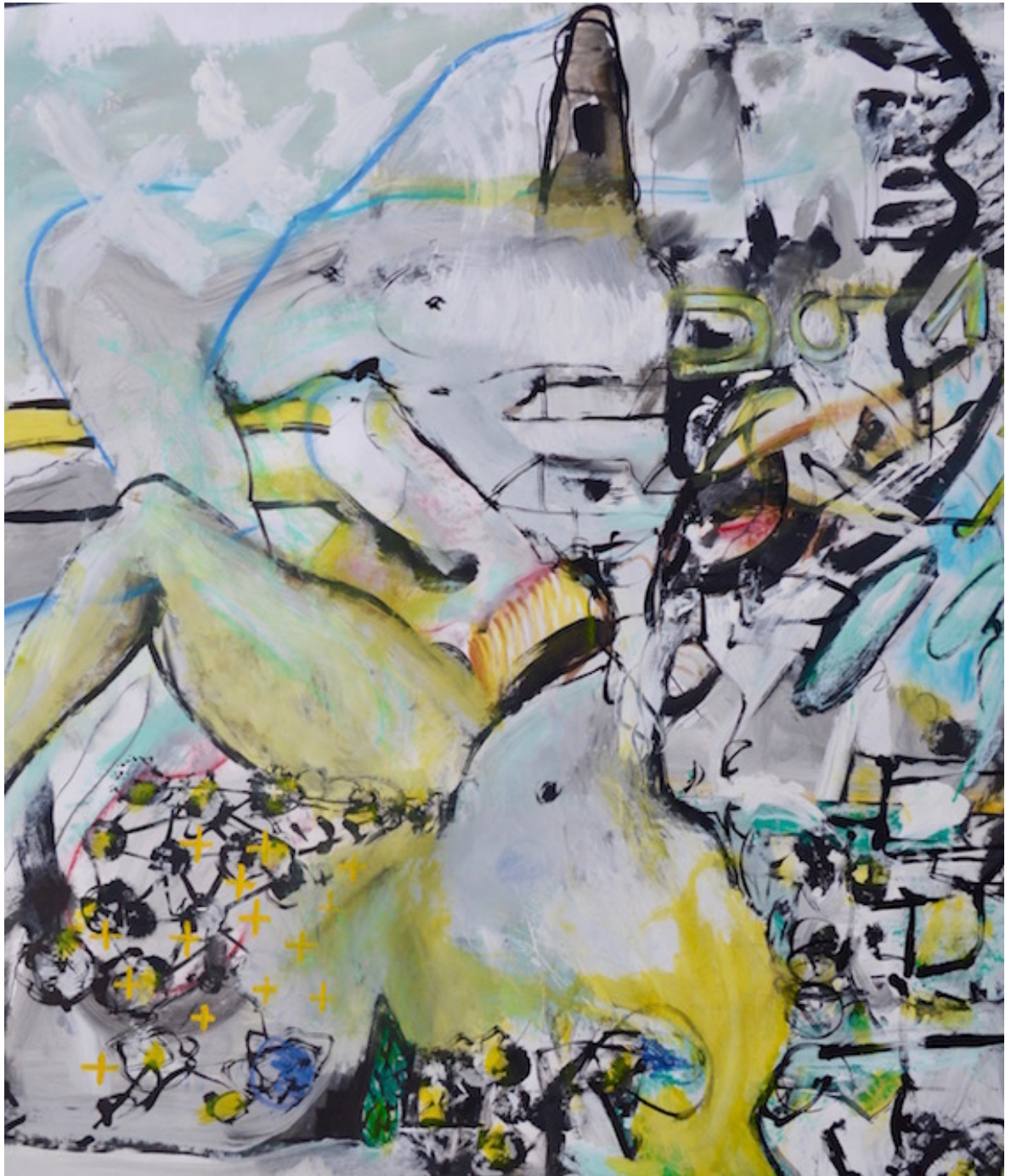


**LABYRINTH LANDSCAPE 1998** - color pencils and crayons on paper - 50x65cm. -  
Jan Giliam & Rik Lina



**UNFINISHED SYMPHONY 1998** - ink and acryl on paper - 125x105cm.  
Jan Giliam & Dave Bobroske & Hettie Govers





**HETTIE'S VISIT 1998** - ink and acryl - 130x125cm. - Hettie Govers & Dave Bobroske & Rik Lina



Hettie Govers - Dave Bobroske - Rik Lina - Jan Giliam  
opening of Rik's exhibition "**Maastricht Jungles**" 1999



**NUCOVE 1999** - acryl on paper - 150x230cm. - Jan Giliam & Rik Lina & Dave Bobroske



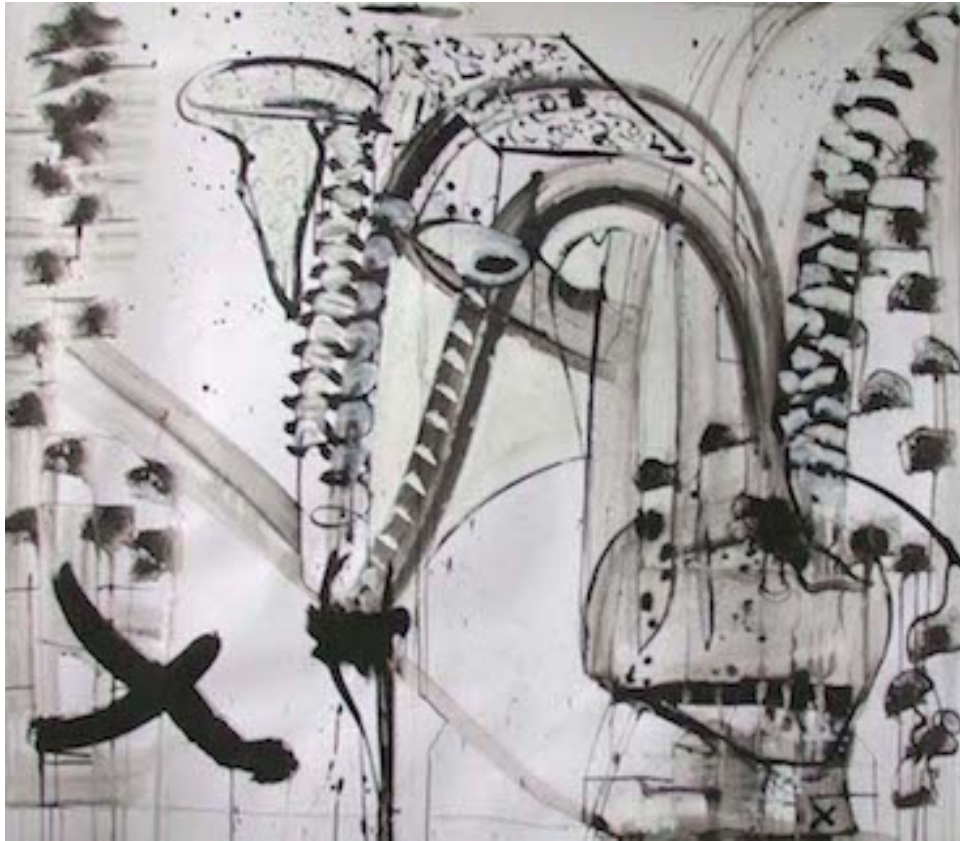


**A CLEVER DISTRICT 1999** - acryl on paper - 90x230cm. - José Wolters & Rik Lina & Dave Bobroske & Jan Giliam



**THE TREE FACES OF BLACK MADONNA 1999** - acryl and collage on paper - 3x 116x100cm. - Jan Giliam & Dave Bobroske & Rik Lina ( public collection Santiago de Chile)





*HELEN'S HORSE* 2000 - ink and acryl on paper - - Dave Bobroske & Jan Giliam & Rik Lina  
(published in “**Supérieur Inconnu**” Paris 2009)



*PORTRAIT OF HETTIE* 2000 - acryl and collage - 70x125cm. -  
Hettie Govers & Jan Gilam & Dave Bobroske & Rik Lina



***REAR WINDOW 2000*** - ink and acryl - 95x125cm. - Dave Bobroske & Rik Lina & Jan Giliam





***AUTOMATIC CONVERSATIONS 2001*** - acryl and ink on Tibetan paper - 56x78cm.  
Mário Cesariny & Rik Lina (one work in the public collection of Famalicao, Portugal)



***AUTOMATIC CONVERSATION 2001*** - acryl and ink on Tibetan paper - 65x78cm.  
Mário Cesariny & Rik Lina



*Lex Kiliem - Dave Bobroske - Rik Lina - Max Mink - GertJan Evelo - Jan Giliam - Ziad Haider*  
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***CAPA JUNGLE 2003*** - acryl on wood - 70x140cm.- Lex Kiliem & Dave Bobroske & Rik Lina & Max Mink & GertJan Evelo & Jan Giliam & Ziad Haider





Jan Giliam's studio - Amsterdam 2003



***THE CURTAIN IS NOT WHAT IT CONCEALS 2003*** - acryl on canvas - 100x300cm.  
Jan Giliam & Rik Lina & Dave Bobroske & GertJan Evelo & Ziad Haider & Max Mink  
& Lex Kiellem



Jan Giliam's studio - Amsterdam 2003







**THE HOUSE OF THE SUN & MOON 2003** - acryl on canvas - 150 x200cm. - Ziad Haider & Rik Lina  
(on the cover of “**Anarchism & Surrealism**” Amsterdam 2007)



**ZIJ ZIJN 2003** - acryl on canvas - 150x200cm. - GertJan Evelo & Jan Giliam & Dave Bobroske & Rik Lina





**SIX PANELS 2004** - acryl on wood - 6x 40x50cm. - Machteld Teekens & Dave Bobroske & Jan Giliam





***DANCE DANCE!* 2004** - watercolor and color pencils - 2x 50x65cm.  
Machteld Teekens & Jan Giliam & Rik Lina  
(drawings after a dancing nude model)





**A UNA VOZ 2004** - ink, crayon and collage - 40x50cm. - Jan Giliam & Dave Bobroske & Rik Lina  
(public collection Santiago de Compostela, Spain)



**PLASTIC CONVERSATION 2005** - ink, pencil and objects - 30x50cm. Rik Lina & Dave Bobroske & Jan Giliam





**THREE HANDS 2005** - ink and pencil - 30x55cm. - Rik Lina & Jan Giliam & Dave Bobroske



**BELLAMY BLUES 2006** - ink and collage - 4x 32x45cm. - Rik Lina & Jan Giliam & Dave Bobroske



Rik Lina & Jorge Leal Labrin - Valparaiso, Chile - 2006  
performance **"Le Rite de Laguna Verte"**







Dave Bobroske - Jan Giliam - Rik Lina - Miguel Lohlé - Amirah Gazel - - performance during the opening exhibition of “O Reverso do Olhar”, Coimbra 2008



in the back: Dave Bobroske - visitor - Amirah Gazel - Rik Lina - Jan Giliam - Miguel Lohlé - visitor — in front: visitor - António Beneyto



Collective works of the CAPA groups in the exhibition **“O Reverso do Olhar”** 2008





Collective works by CAPA-groups 1 and 3 in the exhibition “O Reverso do Olhar”  
Coimbra 2008

**DREAM SHARK 1992** - acryl on paper - 50x355cm. - Jorge Leal Labrin & Rik Lina

**SWINGING EMMA 1998** - acryl on paper - 50x150cm. - Rik Lina & Jan Giliam  
and 3 works of António Beneyto



**PELAGIC DRIFT 1998** - book with drawings - Dave Bobroske & Rik Lina