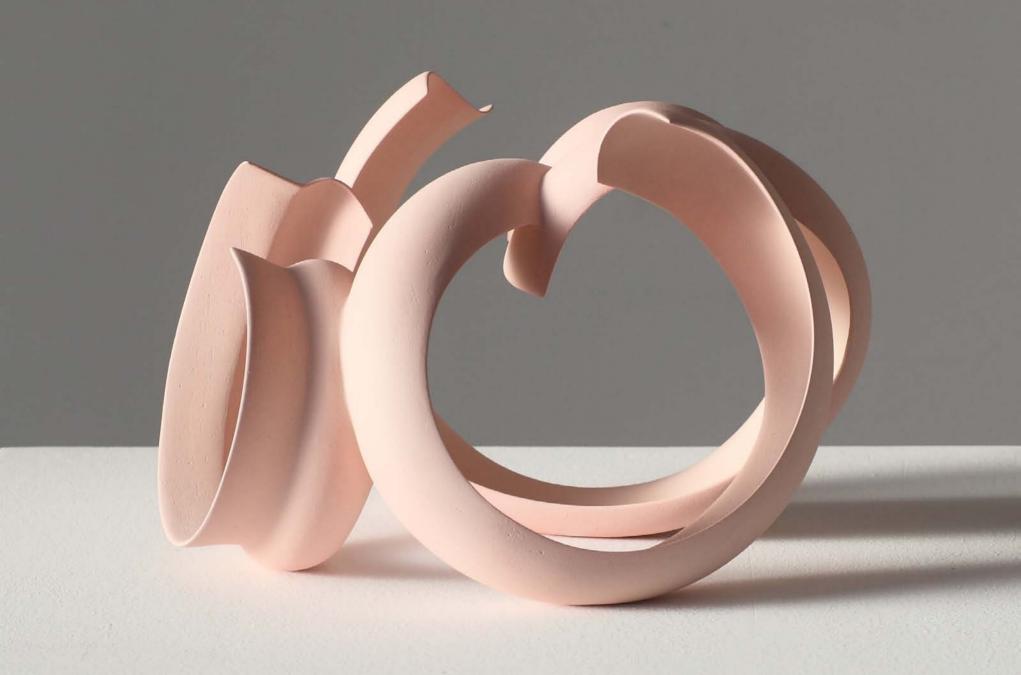




WOUTER DAM





02 Light Purple Sculpture, Wouter Dam, stoneware, 32 x 44 x 33 cm / 12.6 x 17.3 x 13 inch (2021)







04 Light Purple Sculpture, Wouter Dam, stoneware, 32 x 40 x 40 cm / 12.6 x 15.8 x 15.8 inch (2021)





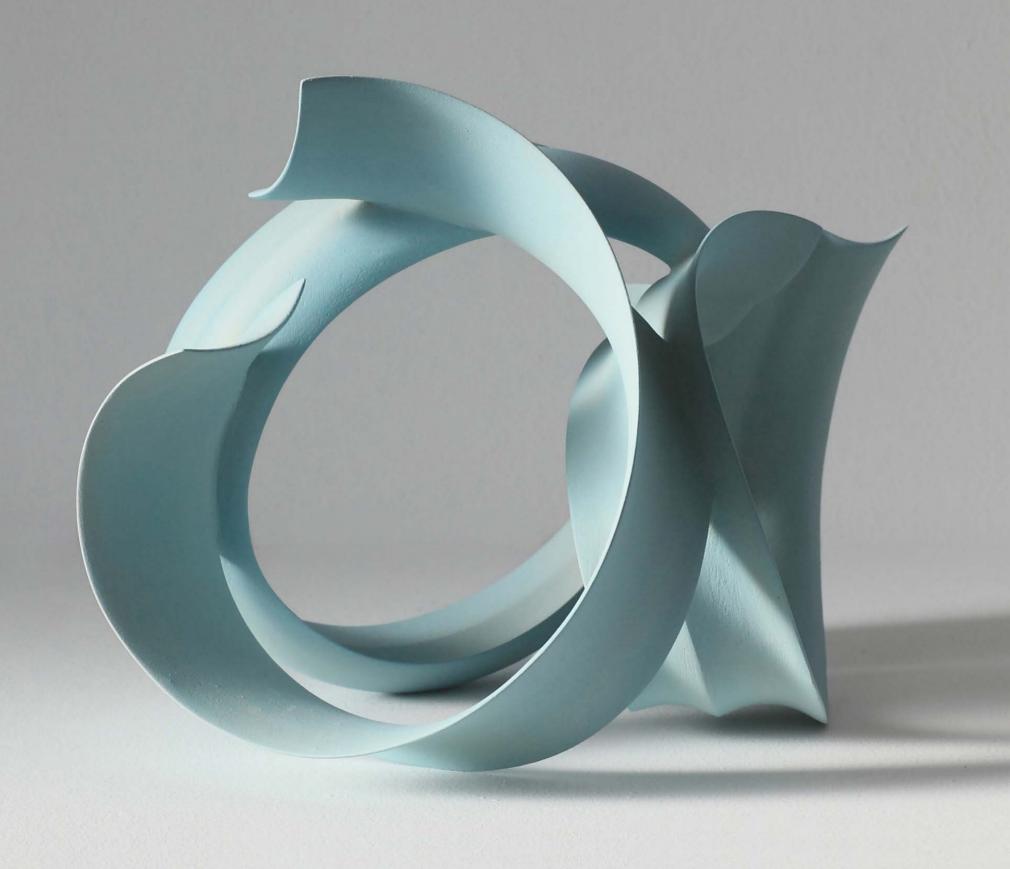














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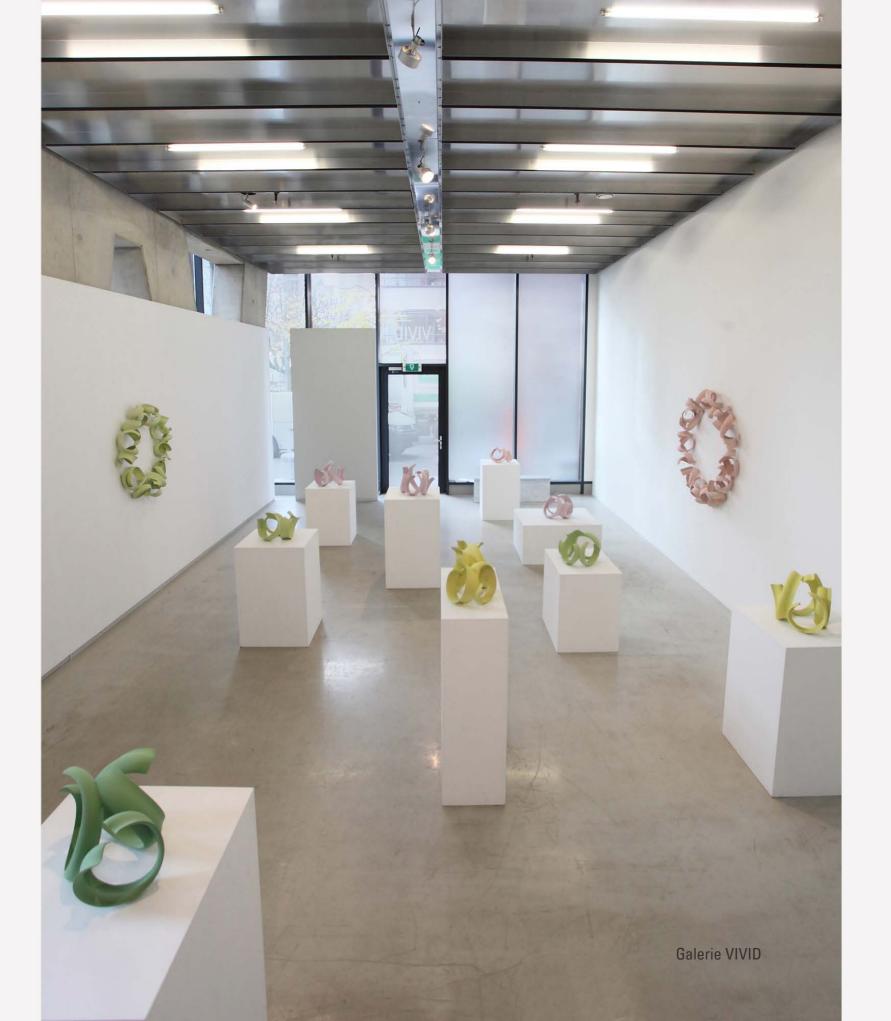
Galerie VIVID

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Wouter Dam (b. 1957) creates ceramic forms that have an architectonic clarity. Their surfaces attaining a degree of precision and evenness that seems unexpected in a handmade object. These qualities are nevertheless off-set by a sensuality present both in the curvature of the forms and in the velvety texture of their surfaces. The new sculptures, he made for Galerie VIVID, are shapes, assembled out of pieces made on the potters wheel. Each work is unique. By adding subtle color through matte pigments, sprayed on the surface, he enhances shape and shadow.

For the first time Wouter Dam made work consisting of several parts. Together they form a ring that hangs on the wall. At VIVID you can see a green ring out of 5 parts and a soft pink ring of 7 parts hung opposite of each other in the middle of the exhibition.

In 1975, he enrolled at The Gerrit Rietveld
Academy in Amsterdam where he began his
exploration of shape and volume, which
continues to fascinate him today. Dam's work
is exhibited internationally and is included in
numerous collections including the Stedelijk
Museum in Amsterdam, the Musée des Arts
Décoratifs in Paris, the Victoria and Albert
Museum in London, the National Museum of
Modern Art in Tokyo and the Detroit Institute
of Art among others.







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