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trans

is an independent annual magazine, zine and online content platform. Trans is made by (trans) gender diverse people about (trans) gender diverse people – for everyone to read.

By sharing different trans narratives - which create individual recognition and inspire self-development - TRANS wants to contribute to a society in which gender diversity is normalized.

TRANS gives everyone who identifies as trans the space to share a perspective. In the form of a personal article, a story, an interview, column, podcast, photo series, comic, poetry or video report. The print magazine is half Dutch, half English, the online magazine is in both Dutch and English.

participation = self-development

The editorial staff of TRANS magazine consists of a newly supplemented team of volunteer creators for each content production season. People can join the team all year round. Participants can develop in the areas of storytelling, marketing (how do you ensure that your story is picked up), design and publishing. TRANS magazine offers the team knowledge exchange with and substantive coaching by media professionals from the trans community.

PARTICIPANTS PER YEAR

team members | 20

external creators | 15-20

guest lecturers | 5

interns | 3

'I found it very inspiring to work with like-minded people towards a common goal. And very liberating not to have to explain or defend myself, but to just be myself.'

'In this project we could really learn by doing. I learned a lot from the editor-in-chief's feedback on my texts. It was sometimes confrontational, because you put a lot of yourself into the writing, but always constructive. The realization that your story is taken seriously motivates you to bring out the best in yourself.'



activities

TRANS magazine inspires and supports the makers with workshops and conversations with media professionals with trans experience. Examples of guests we received:

- MAXIM FEBRUARY, author of, among others, The Makeable Man, P.C.Hooft Prize-winning writer, philosopher, lawyer, art historian.
- ALEX BAKKER, historian and writer of, among others, 'Transgender in the Netherlands' and 'My false past'.
- ALEJANDRA ORTIZ, trans activist, author of 'The Truth Will Set Me Free'.
- CHRIS RIJKSEN and BART PETERS, artists and founders of the Transketeers.

- MOUNIR SAMUEL, journalist and writer of, among others, 'Uncomfortable Conversations'.
- MICHA MEINDERTS, writer of 'Aldus Sybren', an autobiographical novel about coming of age after transition.
- TAMMIE SCHOOTS, speaker, journalist and writer at OneWorld and LindaMeiden, among others.

print magazine

Annual | full color glossy | Half Dutch, half English

Size 190 mm x 260 mm $\,$

Circulation 3000 pieces

Number of readers | 5k

DISTRIBUTION

• distribution on reading tables of cultural catering establishments in Amsterdam and Utrecht, and Amsterdam and Utrecht libraries

 \cdot single sales online and via stockists (bookstores, museums, shops)

• education, government, transgender care waiting rooms



SOLD SINGLE

| 500 pcs.

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|2000 pcs.

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UTRECHT	Savannah Bay bookstore, Aleph Bookstore
ROTTERDAM	Donner Bookstore, World Museum
ALKMAAR	The Queer Bookcase

advertising in print

RELEASE DATE TRANS#5 NOVEMBER 2023

Number of possible advertising pages Inside cover page entry, spread Inside cover page entry, single Inside back page, spread Inside back page, single Inside page 1/1 Inside page ½ horizontal

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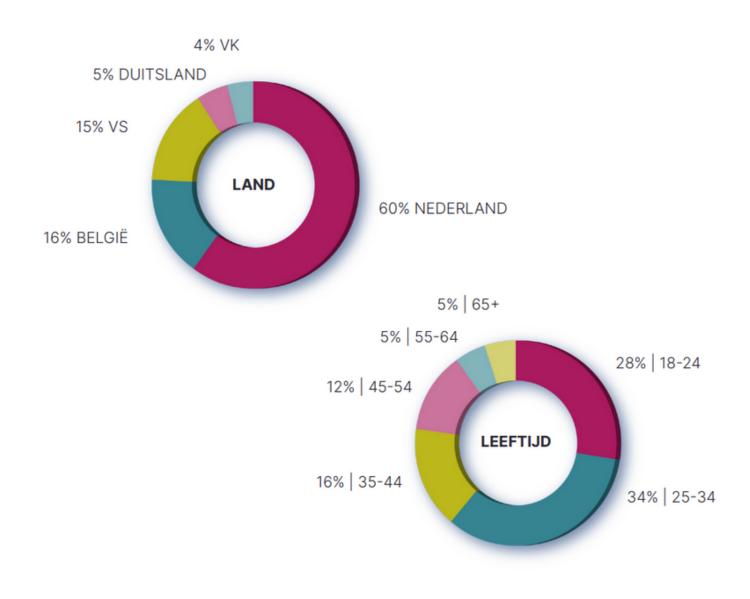
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our readers



QUOTES READERS

"TRANS magazine radiates that there is a place for everyone. Including for 'silent queers' like me."

"TRANS magazine shows that 'being trans' is only a small part of your identity."

"Thanks to TRANS magazine, I feel connected to other gender-diverse individuals."

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