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## **U Bevindt Zich Hier (You Are Here)**

2019

The artwork 'U Bevindt Zich Hier' ('You Are Here') by Martijn Sandberg, honours prominent residents, groups or places highlighting the character of District Amsterdam Oost in the twentieth century.

Consisting of more than 20 columns, the artwork is located on the Oranje Vrijstaatkade, from City Office Oost, alongside the façade of the former Ooster gasworks and on the waterside of the residential area to the corner by the Polderweg.

The pedestals are provided with texts appropriate to the persons, groups or places in District Oost in the twentieth century. The accompanying names and background information are deliberately not mentioned in the figuration upon the artwork. The artwork on site invites one to contemplate and literally 'un-cover' the 'Legacy of the Twentieth Century' oneself.

The website [www.u-bevindt-zich-hier.nl](http://www.u-bevindt-zich-hier.nl) functions as an online guide and forms part of the artwork. The website offers background information about the person, group or location to which the pedestal refers.

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Artwork: 'U Bevindt Zich Hier' ('You Are Here')

Artist: Martijn Sandberg

Material: concrete

Measurements: (l x w x h) 80cm x 80cm x 40cm

Project: Legacy of the Twentieth Century

Location: Oranje Vrijstaatkade, Oostpoort, Amsterdam

Realisation and completion: 2019

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