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For more than two decades, I've been developing a work cross-disciplinary that alternates photography, painting, sculpture and digital processes. The questioning of the limits of pictorial medium, using sculptural elements and the rupture of the traditional frame of Painting, is a constant in my work. And it is from the beginning of the new century when you can observe a whole series of new methodologies and creative processes that lead to paintings sometimes sinuous and synesthetic, other geometric and at the same time organic. In its origin we find the articulation of the line and the plane playing with the concepts of deconstruction, symbiosis, the reference to the most elementary biological processes, overlapping color fields or the folding of the surface.

## EDUCATION AND TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Bachelor of Fine Arts from the University of Salamanca in 1989. Doctor of Fine Arts from the University of Vigo in 1998. Research fellow of the Ministry of Education and Science (Program of training of teaching and research staff) from 1992 to 1996, doing through this same program, research stays at the Heriot Watt University in Edinburgh, for three consecutive years.

He has also developed teaching and research at the Faculty of Fine Arts of Pontevedra (University of Vigo) and Faculty of Arts of Altea (Miguel Hernández University). Since 2006, he is currently a professor in the Department of Painting at the Polytechnic University of Valencia.

He has also published books, texts, publications of aesthetic content, articles, and essays; gave conferences, participations in papers and funded research projects.

## SOLO EXHIBITIONS (selected)

- 2019** • Black Square Folded. Shiras Gallery. Valencia. Spain
- 2012** • Ileonarte Gallery. Valencia. Spain
- 2009** • Infinity Drawings. DF Gallery. Santiago de Compostela. A Coruña. Spain
- 2008** • May Moré Gallery. Madrid. Spain
  - Project Room. Stand Casaborne Gallery. Art Fair "Arte Lisboa 08". Lisbon. Portugal
- 2007** • Pabellón de Mixtos Gallery. Pamplona. Spain
  - Casaborne Gallery. Antequera. Málaga. Spain
- 2005** • May Moré Gallery. Madrid. Spain
- 2003** • Luis Adelantado Gallery. Valencia. Spain
  - May Moré Gallery. Madrid. Spain
- 1997** • LA FÁBRICA. Centre of Contemporary Art. Abarca de Campos. Palencia. Spain
- 1992** • Casa de Cultura Gallery. Zamora. Spain
  - Evelio Gayubo Gallery. Valladolid. Spain

- 1991 • Evelio Gayubo Gallery. Valladolid. Spain

## GROUP EXHIBITIONS (selected)

- 2022 • ARTMADRID '22. Art Fair. Stand Galería Shiras. Madrid
- 2021 • The Other Side. Shiras Gallery. Valencia. Spain
  - Art Diagonale IV. Wels. Austria
  - Olor de Castelló. Colección Olor Visual. Fundación Caja Castellón. Castellón. Spain
  - ARTMADRID '21. Art Fair. Stand Galería Shiras. Madrid. Spain
  - Tension and balance. Six artists between the MUSAC and the Museum of Zamora. Museum of Zamora. Spain
- 2020 • Senyera Award for visual arts. Museum of the City. Valencia. Spain
  - II Biennial of Painting M<sup>a</sup> Isabel Comenge. Royal Shipyards. Valencia. Spain
  - Collective V Aniversary. Galería Shiras. Valencia. Spain
  - ARTMADRID '20. Art Fair. Stand Galería Shiras. Madrid. Spain
  - Lockdown Collective. Galería Shiras. Valencia. Spain
- 2019 • Holly Hunt Miami. Florida. EEUU
  - ARTSevilla 2019. Centenary of Bauhaus. Casa de la Provincia. Sevilla. Spain
  - Art Fair ESTAMPA. Stand Shiras Gallery. Madrid. Spain
  - Expedition\_13OM. Calimart'19. Gilet. Valencia. Spain
  - Collective. Shiras Gallery. Valencia. Spain
- 2018 • Orígens. CADA. Center for the Arts. Alcoy. Spain
  - Sobre papel. Shiras Gallery. Valencia. Spain
  - -PLEX. Museum of Fine Arts. Castellón. Spain
- 2017 • New acquisitions. Zamora Cathedral Museum. Spain
  - The Perfect Game. Calimart'17. Gilet. Valencia. Spain
- 2016 • Pepe Esteve Painting Prize. Alberto de Amberes Foundation. Madrid. Spain
  - Forjando el espacio. Patrimonio Municipal Museum. Málaga. Spain
  - Dejarse pintar. State Public Library. Zamora. Spain
  - Wet Paint. Área 72 Galleru. Valencia. Spain
  - Hipocamps. MUA Museum of the University of Alicante. Spain
- 2015 • *Con el velo en vela*. State Public Library. Zamora. Spain
  - *Hacia la geometría desde la abstracción*. Vimcorsa exhibition Hall. Córdoba. Spain
  - Pepe Esteve Painting Prize. Jerez de la Frontera. Spain
  - *God Save The Queen*. MUSAC. Museum of Contemporary Art of CyL. León. Spain
  - *Encapsulados*. Hotel Chamarel. Dénia. Spain
- 2014 • DKV Drawing Collection. Casal Solleríc. Palma de Mallorca. Spain
  - Contemporary Drawing in DKV Collection. Domus Artium Museum (DA2) Salamanca. Spain
- 2013 • DKV Drawing Collection. CDAN. (Art & Nature Centre) Huesca. Spain
  - *200 years of Art in Zamora*. Old Palace of Diputación de Zamora. Spain
  - DKV Drawing Collection. Valentín de Madariaga Foundation. Sevilla. Spain
  - DKV Drawing Collection. Barjola Museum. Gijón. Spain
- 2012 • *Arte y salud*. DKV Collection. Museum Centro del Carmen. Valencia. Spain
  - *Arte y salud*. DKV Collection. Casino exhibition Hall.. Sevilla. Spain
  - DKV Drawing Collection. Galatea exhibition Hall. Córdoba. Spain
- 2011 • *Arte y salud*. DKV Collection. Diputación Provincial Palace exhibition Hall. Cádiz
  - CAM Contemporary Art Collection. Lonja del Pescado Exhibitions Hall. Alicante.
  - *ENLACES + 5*. Museum of Contemporary Art PATIO HERRERIANO. Valladolid. Spain
- 2010 • *Arte y salud*. DKV collection. Museum of Contemporary Art Unión Fenosa. MACUF. Coruña. Spain
  - GRAFIC. Casino Liberal Exhibitions Gallery. Algemesí. Valencia. Spain
  - KABINETT DER ABSTRAKEN. La Perrera Gallery. Valencia. Spain

- GRÀFIC. Molinos del Río-Caballerizas Exhibitions Hall. Murcia. Spain
- SALTO DE SIGLO. Public Library Exhibitions Gallery. Zamora. Spain
- 2009**
  - ABSTRACCIONS. UPV Gallery. Valencia. Spain
  - ARTMADRID. Stand May Moré Gallery. ART FAIR Madrid. Spain
  - GRÀFIC. Jaume I University Gallery. Castellón. Spain
- 2008**
  - GRAFIC. Polytechnic University of Valencia Gallery. Valencia. Spain
  - SPRINGTIME 1. Henningsen Contemporary Gallery. Copenhagen. Denmark
  - ARTESANTANDER 08. Stand Gallery Casaborne. ART FAIR Santander. Spain
  - ART COPENHAGEN. Stand Henningsen Contemporary Gallery. Copenhagen. Denmark
  - ESTAMPA. Stand Gallery May Moré. ART FAIR Madrid. Spain
  - ARTE SALAMANCA. Stand Gallery 36. Salamanca. Spain
- 2007**
  - *Existencias*. MUSAC. Museum of Contemporary Art. León. Spain
  - IV International Painting Awards. EACC. Museum of Contemporary Art. Castellón. Spain
- 2006**
  - ARTESANTANDER 06. Stand May Moré Gallery. Santander. Spain
  - *Diversidades Formales*. CAB. Centre of Contemporary Art, Caja Burgos Bank. Burgos. Spain
  - *Pintura Mutante*. MARCO. Museum of Contemporary Art. Vigo. Spain
- 2005**
  - ARCO. Stand Luis Adelantado Gallery. ART FAIR Madrid. Spain
  - *Other optical labyrinths*. White Box @ The Annex Gallery. New York. USA
  - ARTESANTANDER 05. Stand May Moré Gallery. ART FAIR Santander. Spain
  - II BIENAL DE VALENCIA. Convento del Carmen Museum. Valencia. Spain
  - II International Painting Awards. EACC. Museum of Contemporary Art. Castellón. Spain
  - VII Painting Awards "Ángel". Council Congress Pavilion. Madrid. Spain
  - ART COLOGNE. Stand May Moré Gallery. Cologne. Germany
- 2004**
  - *Colección Testimonio* de La Caixa. Centre of Art Palacio Almuñí. Murcia. Spain
  - *Toño Barreiro-Sergio Barrera*. Casaborne Gallery. Antequera. Málaga. Spain
  - MIART. Stand May Moré Gallery. ART FAIR Milán. Italy
  - MACO. Stand Casaborne Gallery. ART FAIR México DF.
  - FIAC. Stand Luis Adelantado Gallery. ART FAIR Paris. France
  - Premio de Pintura Caja España. Caja España Bank Exhibition Hall. Zamora. (Touring exhibition). Spain
  - VI Premio Angel de Pintura. MUVIM. Valencia. Spain
- 2003**
  - Luis Adelantado Gallery (Gallery 1), Valencia. Spain
  - FIAC. Stand Luis Adelantado Gallery. ART FAIR París. France
  - ARTISSIMA. Stand Luis Adelantado Gallery. ART FAIR Turín. Italy

## GRANTS & AWARDS

**1984.** 2nd Engraving Award. Fase Autonómica. Certamen Nacional Juvenil de Artes Plásticas. **1985.** 1st Painting Award. Fase Provincial. Certamen Nacional Juvenil de Artes Plásticas. / 1st Drawing Award. Fase Provincial. Certamen. Nacional juvenil de Artes Plásticas. / 3rd Painting Award. Fase Autonómica. Certamen Nacional Juvenil de Artes Plásticas. 1987 Beca-Simposio II Encuentro de Jóvenes Artistas Plásticos de Castilla y León. / Accésit de Photography. I Certamen Universitario de Artes Plásticas. Salamanca. **1988.** 1st Painting Award. III Muestra de Arte Joven de Castilla y León. / Award Aquagest. IX "Ciudad de Zamora". **1989.** 2º Painting Award. IV Muestra de Arte Joven de Castilla y León. **1991.** 1st Award. II Biennial of Painting. "Ciudad de Avila". **1992.** Finalist Banesto Awards. / Acquisition de Obra. XI Biennial of Painting "Ciudad de Zamora". **1996.** Artistic creation grant."Florian de Ocampo" Zamora. / **1998.** Honor Mention. XIV Bienal Ciudad de Zamora./ **1999.** Finalista "Premio Fray Luis de León 1999" de Pintura./ **2000.** Honor Mention. XV Biennial of Painting Ciudad de Zamora./ **2004.** Honor Mention. Painting Award Caja España 2004/ **2005.** Honor Mention. II Certamen Internacional de Pintura Diputación de Castellón. **2018** Finalist Senyera Award. Valencia. **2020.** 2nd Price. II Biennial of Painting Mª Isabel Comenge. Valencia. Spain / Honor Mention Senyera Award. Valencia. Spain

## PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

Regional Government of Castilla y León. Valladolid. Spain. / LA CAIXA Foundation. Testimonio Collection. Spain. / Caja Duero Bank. Spain. / MUSAC. Museum of Contemporary Art of Castilla y León. León. Spain. / CAM Caja de Ahorros del Mediterráneo Bank. Spain. / Aquagest Enterprise. Zamora. Spain. / Edinburgh College of Art. Edimburgh. UK/ Fundación Avila del Rey. Avila. Spain / Public Library de Zamora. Spain. / Caja España Bank. Zamora. Spain / Diputación de Zamora. Spain. / City Council of Zamora. Spain. / INE. National Institute of Statistics. Madrid. Spain. / Polytechnic University. Valencia. Spain. / CAB. Center of Art Caja Burgos Bank. Burgos. Spain./ DKV Collection. Spain. / Museum of Contemporary Art PATIO HERRERIANO, Valladolid, Spain / REPSOL Collection. Madrid. Spain / JJCC Foundation. Valencia. Spain / MAC. Museum of Contemporary Art of Madrid. Spain