

CURRICULUM VITAE

BLANCA BOTERO

Academic background

- 2019 University of Los Andes, Bogotá. Master's degree Fine Arts, Electronic and Time-Arts, MAPET
- 2015 Southampton University, UK. 6-week course. Exploring our Oceans - *Introduction to Oceanography, Ocean Currents and Marine Biology*
- 2014 Museum of Modern Art, MAMBO, Bogotá. *Landscape Photography*. Theoretical and practical seminar at the Chingaza Paramus
- 2012 Javeriana University, Bogotá. Diploma *Difference and Repetition in the Act of Creating*
- 2011 University of Los Andes, Bogotá. Various courses in the Faculty of Arts and Humanities
- 2001 The Glassell School of Art - Houston Museum of Fine Art, HMFA. Houston, TX, USA. Various painting and drawing courses
- 2000 University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA, USA. Master of Laws, LL.M.
- 1998 Piedmont VA Community College. Charlottesville, VA, USA. Art History and Appreciation
- 1992 Universidad Javeriana, Bogotá. Lawyer, J.D.

International Artistic Residencies

- 2018 [AIRIE Fellow](#) Everglades National Park, USA
- 2016 [LABVERDE](#) Manaus, Brazil

Prize

- 2023 Winner of the contest [Proyecto Mural Uniandinos](#) to design a mural to be placed in the public space of Bogotá city

NGO Collaboration at [Amazon Aid Foundation](#)

- 2016 Artist for the Amazon and Member of the BOD 2016 to today

Participation the Future of the Humanities Project

- 2022 *Sintonía, Art and The Earth*. Presentation within *A Bent but Beautiful World* series. Joint project of Georgetown and Oxford Universities

Solo exhibitions

- 2022 *Oasis-Nordine's Trail*. LA Galería Arte Contemporáneo, Bogotá. Curatorship of A. Lozano
- 2020 *Continuo*. LA Galería Arte Contemporáneo, Bogotá. Curatorial text by Mario Opazo
- 2019 *Crucibles*. 1st sample of MAPET University of Los Andes, TX Intermedial, Bogotá
- 2017 *Selvando*. Artist's Garden, in the Alternate Salon to the National Salon of Artists, University Technological of Pereira, Pereira, COL. Curatorship of Oscar Salamanca
- 2016 *Implosions*. LA Galería Arte Contemporáneo, Bogotá. Curatorship of Álvaro Medina

Group exhibitions

- 2024 *Made out of affections*. LA Galería, Bogotá. Curatorship of Fredy Clavijo
- 2023 *Nos_Otros*, LA Galería, Bogotá. Curatorship of Caridad Botella
- 2023 *Picturesque*. Atrium Gallery, St. Louis, MO, USA. Curatorship of Carolyn Miles
- 2023 *Courage*. Casa Zirio Gallery, Bogota. Curatorship of María Elvira Ardila
- 2021 *Crossed Destinies*. Espacio Art Nexus, Bogotá. Curatorship of María Elvira Ardila
- 2021 *Photo Fest*. Atrium Gallery, St. Louis, MO, USA
- 2020 *Spiritual Amazon*. Bogota Planetarium. Week for the Colombian Amazon "Life, Territory, Spirituality". Curated by Susana Restrepo
- 2018 *La Huerta*. Intervention in the Cuervo Urisarri house, 2x1 exhibition pairs of portraits in Colombia with the collective *Arte y su Espacio*. Instituto Caro y Cuervo, Bogotá
- 2017 *People, Places & Things*. Atrium Gallery, St. Louis, MO, USA
- 2017 *La Riqueza*. LA Galería Arte Contemporáneo, Bogotá
- 2016 *The Print*. Atrium Gallery, St. Louis, MO, USA
- 2015 *Contemporary Art*. Casa Tafur Gallery, Bogotá
- 2015 *Group exhibition*. La Pared Gallery, Bogotá
- 2015 *Covalent Bonds*. Zona L Gallery, Bogotá
- 2010 *A Day in the Life of Colombia 200 Years Later*. Itinerant exhibition
Fotomuseo.org/Ministry of Culture
- 2009 *Eight artists*. FENALCO GAAF Gallery, Bogota. Curated by Alberto Gómez
- 2008 *Abstracts*. FENALCO GAAF Gallery, Bogota. Curated by Alberto Gómez
- 2007 *Art Hobby 2007*. Centro Colombo Americano (mention). Curated by Estefanía Sokoloff

Participation in art fairs and auctions

- 2024 ARTBO – Feria Internacional de Arte de Bogotá. Print series, Taller Arte Dos Gráfico
- 2024 ARTBO – *Contextualismo y Vulnerabilidad*, Site specific intervention in the San Francisco Palace, Bogotá. Curatorship of Ana María Lozano
- 2023 ARTBO - *Now Where?* Atrio Tower, Bogota. Curatorship of Carolina Cerón
- 2020 ARTBO Season - LA Contemporary Art Gallery - CCB (online due to pandemia)
- 2020 ARTBO New Collectors *SAMSUNG The Frame* (online due to pandemia)
- 2019 ARTBO BMW i *New Art Collectors* - Bogotá
- 2016 Su+Arte - Fundación Colombo Suiza, Bogotá
- 2016 *El Trueque* - Rincón Projects, Bogotá
- 2015 Art Chicó - Museo del Chicó, Bogotá
- 2013 Small Format Art - La Localidad Gallery, Bogotá
- 2011 A Collector's Gift - La Localidad Gallery, Bogotá
- 2010 Art in small formats - La Localidad Gallery, Bogotá

Artwork in public collections

Everglades National Park / US National Parks System
FENALCO – National Federation of Merchants of Colombia
Congress of the Republic of Colombia