

## CARLOS BUNGA

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### SOLO SHOWS

- 2025 Fundação Calouste Gulbenkian, Lisbon, Portugal (upcoming)
- 2024 *35ª Bienal de São Paulo – coreografias do impossível*, Instituto Guimarães Rosa, Luanda, Angola
- Manifesta 15 Barcelona Metropolitana: *Imagining Futures*, Les Tres Xemeneies, Barcelona, Spain
- Silence*, Galeria Vera Cortês, Lisboa, Portugal
- Citizen of the World*, The New Art Gallery Walsall, UK
- Performing Nature*, Museo de Arte Contemporáneo Helga de Alvear, Cáceres, Spain
- 2023 *Reassembling Spilt Light: An Immersive Installation*, Sarasota Art Museum, Ringling College Museum Campus, United States
- Performing Nature*, Bombas Gens Centre d'Art, Valencia, Spain
- 2022 *Luces y sombras*, Galería Elba Benítez, Madrid, Spain
- CAM in Motion: Carlos Bunga. Home, 2022*, Jardim Fundação Calouste Gulbenkian, Lisbon, Portugal
- El lloc on cada dia abandonem el món*, M|A|C Mataró Art Contemporani, Barcelona, Spain
- Against the extravagance of desire*, Palacio de Cristal, Museo Nacional Centro de Arte Reina Sofía, Madrid, Spain
- I always tried to imagine my home*, Schirn Kunsthalle, Frankfurt, Germany
- CAM in Motion: Carlos Bunga. Home, 2022*, Fundação Calouste Gulbenkian, Lisbon, Portugal
- 2021 *Mind awake, body asleep*, Secession, Vienna, Austria
- Carlos Bunga*, Bombas Gens Centre d'Art, Valencia, Spain
- Terra Ferma*, Glynn Vivian Art Gallery, Swansea, UK
- Casa*, Vera Cortês, Lisboa, Portugal
- 2020 *Carlos Bunga and Robert Kinmont*, Alexander and Bonin, New York, USA
- Hospital de cartón. Primož Bizjak – Carlos Bunga*, Galería Elba Benítez, Madrid, Spain
- #com01 (Carlos Bunga + Joana Roda + Pía Sommer)*, MAC – Mataró Art Contemporani, Spain
- Carlos Bunga. A Sudden Beginning*, MOCA Toronto, Canada
- Carlos Bunga: Something Necessary and Useful*, Whitechapel Gallery, London, UK
- 2019 *Fernanda Fragateiro and Carlos Bunga: a conversation on lines*, FdG Projects, Brussels, Belgium
- Carlos Bunga. Arquitetura da vida*, CIAJG - Centro Internacional das Artes José de Guimarães, Guimarães, Portugal
- Carlos Bunga. The Architecture of Life. Environments, Sculptures, Paintings and Films*, MAAT - Museo de Arte, Arquitetura e Tecnologia, Lisbon, Portugal

- 2018 *Carlos Bunga. Where I am Free*, Fundação Carmona e Costa, Lisbon, Portugal  
*Intuición*, Galería Elba Benítez, Madrid, Spain
- 2017 *Carlos Bunga: Doubled Architecture*, Museum of Contemporary Art Detroit (MOCAD), USA  
*Absence*, Alexander and Bonin, New York, USA
- 2015 *Capella*, La Capella dels Àngels, Museu d'Art Contemporani de Barcelona MACBA, Spain  
*Desplazamientos síquicos*, Museo de la Universidad Nacional de Colombia, Bogota, Colombia  
*I am a Nomad*, Museum Haus Konstruktiv, Zurich, Switzerland  
*Pintura*, Galería Elba Benítez, Madrid, Spain  
*Carlos Bunga & Olivier Mosset*, Christopher Grimes Gallery, Santa Monica, USA
- 2014 *Exodus*, Artes Mundi 6, National Museum Wales, Cardiff, UK  
*Por amor a la disidencia*, Museo Amparo, Puebla, Mexico
- 2013 *Ecosystem*, Grand Rapids Public Museum, Michigan, USA  
*Por amor a la disidencia*, MUAC, Mexico D.F., Mexico  
*Carlos Bunga: Desteritorialización*, Galería Casas Riegner, Bogota, Colombia  
*Carlos Bunga, Future Anterior*, Christopher Grimes Gallery, Los Angeles, USA
- 2012 *Sonae//Serralves Project: Patricia Dauder and Carlos Bunga*, Museu Serralves, Porto, Portugal  
*Em Construção. Carlos Bunga*, A Gentil Carioca, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil  
*Mausoléu*, Pinacoteca do Estado de São Paulo, Brazil  
*Laboratorio*, Galería Elba Benítez, Madrid, Spain
- 2011 *Carlos Bunga*, Hammer Museum, Los Angeles, USA
- 2010 *Espacio mental*, OPA, Guadalajara, Mexico  
*The Temporality of space*, Espaço Avenida, Lisboa Architecture Triennial, Portugal
- 2009 *Metamorphosis*, Miami Art Museum, USA  
*Heterotopías*, MARCO, Vigo, Spain  
*Marxitecture*, Krome Gallery, Berlin, Germany  
*Empty Cube*, Appleton Square, Lisbon, Portugal
- 2008 *Yuxtaposiciones*, Galería Elba Benítez, Madrid, Spain
- 2007 *Aldaba Aprt*, Mexico D.F., Mexico
- 2006 *Carlos Bunga*, Milton Keynes Gallery, UK
- 2005 *Culturgest*, Porto, Portugal  
*Proyecto Elba Benítez*, Galería Elba Benítez, Madrid, Spain

#### GROUP SHOWS

- 2025 *Un animal sin importancia: Una revisión crítica de la colección Collegium*, MUSAC, Museo de Arte Contemporáneo de Castilla y León, León, Spain
- 2024 *74 x Caldas = uma ideia clara? A partir da coleção da Caixa Geral de Depósitos*, Biblioteca da ESAD.CR, Caldas da Rainha, Portugal  
*La irrupción de lo impredecible*, Manifesta 15 Barcelona Metropolitana:  
*Imaginando futuros*, Les Tres Chimeneas, Barcelona, Spain

- Habitar el color*, Itinerâncias 35ª Bienal de São Paulo – coreografias do impossível, Instituto Guimarães Rosa, Luanda, Angola
- Concepts of the All-Over*, Museum Haus Konstruktiv, Zurich, Switzerland
- Uma Cadeira É Uma Cadeira É Uma Cadeira*, Galeria Luisa Strina, São Paulo, Brazil
- Hoje soube-me a pouco*, MAAT Museu de Arte, Arquitetura e Tecnologia, Lisboa, Portugal
- Co(r)respondências: Afinidades construtivas/Pintura como superfície*, Nara Roesler, New York, USA
- 2023 *Zonas de Transição*, Fundação PLMJ, Torreão Nascene da Cordoaria Nacional, Lisboa, Portugal
- Perspetiva 24*, Museu Bienal de Cerveira, Vila Nova de Cerveira, Portugal
- 35ª Bienal de São Paulo: *Coreografias do impossível*, Sao Paulo, Brazil
- MACBA Collection: Prelude. Poetic Intention*, MACBA Museu d'Art Contemporani de Barcelona, Spain
- 2022 *La guerra del tiempo. Proyecto de obra, tercer estado. Colección Kells*, Centro Párraga, Murcia, Spain
- Oneiroikos*, Brotéria, Lisbon, Portugal
- Europa, Oxalá*, Royal Museum for Central Africa, Tervuren, Belgium
- Sculpture as Verb*, Gund Gallery Kenyon College, Gambier, USA
- El món utòpic*, MercArt, San Justo Desvern, Barcelona, Spain
- Festa. Fúria. Femina. Obras da Coleção FLAD*, Arquipélago – Centro de Arte Contemporâneo, Azores, Portugal
- Interferências*, MAAT – Museu de Arte, Arquitetura e Tecnologia, Lisbon, Portugal
- 18 Maio 2022, 3+1 Arte Contemporânea*, Lisbon, Portugal
- Meia-Noite. Parte 2, Anozero'21-22* - Bienal de Arte Contemporânea de Coimbra, Portugal
- Europa, Oxalá*, Fundação Calouste Gulbenkian, Main Building – Main Gallery, Lisbon, Portugal
- 2021 *Meia-Noite. Parte 1, Anozero'21-22* - Bienal de Arte Contemporânea de Coimbra, Portugal
- Modus Operandi: Works from the Serralves Collection*, Fundação da Serralves - Museu de Arte Contemporânea, Porto, Portugal
- Inaspettatamente (Unexpectedly)*, Cloud Seven, Brussels, Belgium
- Europa, Oxalá*, Mucem Museo Nacional de las Civilizaciones de Europa y el Mediterráneo, Marseille, France
- Colección Helga de Alvear*, Museo Helga de Alvear, Caceres, Spain
- Sari Dienes*, Philadelphia Art Alliance, USA
- Index*, Alexander and Bonin, New York, USA
- 2020 *Público/Privado – Doce Calma ou Violência Doméstica?*, Centro de Artes de Sines, Portugal –
- a breath? a name? – the ways of worldmaking*, Biennale Gherdëina 7, Ortisei, Italy
- Hiperespacios. Colección Per Amor a l'Art*, Bombas Gens Centre d'Art, Valencia, Spain
- 2019 *Los tres estados*, OTR. espacio de arte, Madrid, Spain
- La pintura, un reto permanente. Colección "la Caixa"*, CaixaForum, Madrid, Spain
- CRITERIA. Obras en la colección Fundación ARCO/IFEMA, gallery of the Torreão de la Cordoaria Nacional, Lisbon, Portugal
- 2018 *En construcción*, CGAC Centro Galego de Arte Contemporânea, Santiago de Compostela, Spain

- 101 Drawings*, Alexander and Bonin, New York, USA  
*Equipo de mediación. Escala 1:1. 21 Artistas Contemporáneos Portugueses*, Tabacalera Promoción del Arte, Madrid, Spain
- 2017 *Hacer amar plantar árboles. Colección Valzuela*, Centro de Arte Alcobendas, Madrid, Spain  
*Quote/Unquote. Entre apropiação e diálogo*, MAAT - Museo de Arte, Arquitectura e Tecnologia, Lisboa, Portugal  
*Arte en el cambio de siglo*, Centro Botín, Santander, Spain  
*Olor de Málaga. Percepciones olfativas de la colección OlorVISUAL*, Salas de La Coracha, Museo del Patrimonio Municipal de Málaga, Spain  
*Variable Dimensions – Artists and Architecture*, MAAT Museu Arte Arquitectura e Tecnologia, Lisbon, Portugal  
*Este Lugar lembra-te algum sítio?*, CAPC Círculo de Artes Plásticas de Coimbra, Portugal. Travelling: CACPS Centro de Artes e Cultura de Ponte de Sor, Portugal; Espaço Adães Bermudes, Alvito, Portugal
- 2016 *The Collection of Hermann and Margrit Rupf*, Guggenheim Bilbao, Spain  
*Este Lugar lembra-te algum sítio?*, CAAA Centro para os Assuntos da Arte e Arquitectura, Guimarães, Portugal  
*Alt-architecture. Comisart*, Fundació "La Caixa", Barcelona, Spain  
*Materiais Transitórios – Núcleo de Escultura da Coleção da Fundação PLMJ*, Sociedade Nacional de Belas Artes, Lisbon, Portugal
- 2015 *The State of the Art of Architecture*, Chicago Architecture Biennial, USA  
*Múltiples mundos*, CarrerasMugica, Bilbao, Spain  
*25 años*, Galería Elba Benítez, Madrid, Spain  
*Au sud d'aujourd'hui. Art contemporain portugais [sans le Portugal]*, Fondation Calouste Gulbenkian, Paris, France  
*¿Por qué el arte abstracto?*, Galería Casas Riegner, Bogota, Colombia  
*Kaleidoscope: asbtraction in architecture*, Christopher Grimes Gallery, Santa Monica, USA
- 2014 *Beyond the Supersquare*, Bronx Museum, New York, USA
- 2013 *Individual Order*, KARST, Plymouth, UK  
*Open Monument*, Kunstraum Kreuzberg / Bethanien, Berlin, Germany
- 2012 *Guimarães 2012 - European Capital of Culture, ReaKt-Views and Processes*, Art & Architecture, Guimarães, Portugal  
*Ruins in Contemporary Art*, University of California, USA  
*Several Public Spaces | ASA - SECTOR J ReaKt-Views and Processes*, Guimarães, Portugal  
*Performing Abstraction*, Luciana Brito Galleria, São Paulo, Brazil  
*Selección del archivo. Restos Impresos*, LIMAC, Madrid, Spain  
*Delimitations*, Herzliya Museum of Contemporary Art, Israel
- 2011 *Subtle Construction*, Plataforma Revólver, Lisbon, Portugal  
*Estación experimental. Investigación y fenómenos artísticos*, CA2M Centro de Arte Dos de Mayo, Móstoles, Madrid, Spain

- The Draftsman Contract / El contrato del Dibujante*, Open Estudio 5.0., Carlos Garaicoa Studio, Madrid, Spain
- Contain Maintain Sustain*, Washington Project for the Arts, USA
- Selection of the São Paulo Bienal in Santiago*, MAC, Santiago de Chile, Chile
- The Future Lasts Forever*, Gävle Art Center, Sweden
- 2010 *Let's talk about houses: When Art Speaks Architecture*, Chiado Museum, Lisbon, Portugal
- Há sempre um copo de mar para um homem*, 29th Bienal de São Paulo, Brazil
- Post-Monument*, 14th Carrara International Sculpture Biennial, Italia
- 2009 *Time as Matter. MACBA Collection. New Acquisitions*, MACBA, Barcelona, Spain
- Warsaw Under Construction*, Warsaw Museum of Modern Art, Warsaw, Poland
- Lá Fora*, Museu da Electricidade, Lisbon, Portugal
- 2008 *Low Key*, Fundación Marcelino Botín, Santander, Spain
- Lá Fora*, Museu da Presidência da República, Lisbon, Portugal
- Construir, habitar, pensar*, IVAM, Valencia, Spain
- ArtUnlimited*, Art Basel, Switzerland
- Parangolé*, Museo Patio Herreriano, Valladolid, Spain
- Informed by Function*, Lehman College Art Gallery, New York, USA
- Where Are You From?*, Falconer Gallery, Grinnell, USA
- 2007 *Unmonumental, The Object in the 21st Century*, New Museum, New York, USA
- Mobility at work*, Justus Lipsius Building, Brussels, Belgium
- Fundación Marcelino Botín*, Santander, Spain
- Future Nomad*, Vox Populi Gallery, Philadelphia, USA
- 2006 *Architecture Au Corps*, Galerie Anton Weller, Paris, France
- En Voyage*, FRAC Île-de-France, Paris, France
- Frontera: Esboço para la creación de una sociedad del futuro*, MADB, Frontera, Mexico
- 2005 *Farsites: Urban Crisis and Domestic Symptoms in Recent Contemporary Art*, San Diego Museum of Art, USA
- Unspoken Destinies*, Convento de SS. Cosma e Damiano, Italy
- Things Fall Apart All Over Again*, Artists Space, New York, USA
- Portugal: Algumas Figuras*, Laboratorio de Arte Alameda, Mexico D.F., Mexico
- 2004 *No new artists (What about Les Levine?)*, W139, Amsterdam, Holland
- Pilot 1*, London, UK
- Manifesta 5*, Kursaal, San Sebastian, Spain
- Album*, Bartolomeu 5, Lisbon, Portugal
- Oh Dear*, Zé dos Bois, Lisbon, Portugal
- 2003 *Prémio EDP Novos Artistas*, Museo Serralves, Porto, Portugal
- 2002 *Jovens Criadores*, Coimbra, Portugal
- Caldas Late Night*, Caldas da Rainha, Portugal
- 2001 *Jovens Criadores*, Porto, Portugal

#### GRANTS, PRIZES AND RESIENCIES

- 2024 Prémio AICA/Ministério da Cultura/Millennium bcp 2023  
Visual Arts Prize, Asociación de Críticos de Portugal
- 2022 Artist in residency, The Josef and Anni Albers Foundation, West Cork, Ireland
- 2017 Artist in residency, The Watermill Center, Water Mill, USA
- 2015 #FundaciónARCO Award, ARCOMadrid, Madrid, Spain  
Finalist Artes Mundi 6 Award, Cardiff, UK
- 2014 Residency at Museum of Contemporary Art, Tucson, USA
- 2013 Artist ArtPrize, Grand Prize, Michigan, USA  
Stand Prize Winner, Frieze New York, Nueva York, Estados Unidos
- 2007 Residency in New York (Grant Fundación Ilídio Pinho) Porto, Portugal  
Residency at Aldaba Art, Mexico D.F., Mexico
- 2006 III Premio Internacional de Pintura Diputación de Castellón, Spain  
Fundación Marcelino Botín, XIII Convocatoria Becas de Artes Plásticas, Santander, Spain  
The International Studio & Curatorial Program, New York, USA
- 2005 Helsinki International Artist in Residence Program, Finland

#### WORKS IN COLLECTIONS

- Colección Banco de España, Madrid, Spain
- Colección Banco Sabadell, Barcelona, Spain
- Colección de Arte de la Fundación Botín, Santander, Spain
- Colección Banco Espírito Santo, Portugal
- Colección "la Caixa" de Arte Contemporáneo, Barcelona, Spain
- Colección Collegium, Arévalo, Ávila, España
- Colección Fundación ARCO, Madrid, Spain
- Colección Juan Roig, Valencia, Spain
- Colección OlorVISUAL, Barcelona, Spain
- Colección Patricia Phelps de Cisneros, New York, USA
- Frac des Pays de la Loire, Carquefou, Francia
- Fundação Carmona e Costa, Lisbon, Portugal
- Fundação EDP, Lisbon, Portugal
- Fundación Hortensia Herrero, Valencia, Spain
- Fundação Ilídio Pinho, Portugal
- Fundação PLMJ, Lisbon, Portugal
- Fundação Serralves, Porto, Portugal
- Fundación de arte Kablanc Otazu, Navarra, Spain
- Fundación Helga de Alvear, Caceres, Spain

Fundación Hortensia Herrero, Valencia, Spain

Glynn Vivian Art Gallery, Swansea, Wales

Hammer Museum, Los Angeles, USA

Hermann and Margrit Rupf Collection, Bern, Switzerland

Museu Calouste Gulbenkian, Lisbon, Portugal

Museu d'Art Contemporani de Barcelona (MACBA), Spain

Museum of Contemporary Art Detroit (MOCAD), USA

Museum Haus Konstruktiv, Zurich, Switzerland

Pérez Art Museum, Miami, USA

Pinacoteca do Estado de São Paulo, Brazil

The Museum of Modern Art, New York, USA

The Watermill Collection, Watermill, USA

The Museum of Modern Art, New York, USA