

MUSA PARADISIACA - BIOGRAPHY

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SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2023 *Solar*, co-production with Balaclava Noir, Appleton [Box], Lisbon
- 2021 *New People*, Galeria Quadrado Azul, Lisbon
An animal with a backpack, Galeria Quadrado Azul, Lisbon
- 2020 *The I of the Beeholder*, curated by Filipa Oliveira, Fundação Carmona e Costa, Lisbon
- 2018 *Curveball Memory*, Galeria Municipal do Porto, Porto, Portugal
Man with really soft hands, Colégio das Artes, Coimbra, Portugal
- 2017 *Man with really soft hands*, Frieze London, Galeria Múrias Centeno, London
Animal-house, BoCA - Biennial of Contemporary Arts, Complexo Municipal dos Coruchéus, Lisbon
Animal-house, Fórum Eugénio de Almeida / Sociedade Harmonia Eborense, Évora, Portugal
Man with really soft hands, Galeria Múrias Centeno, Lisbon
- 2016 *Masters of Velocity*, Dan Gunn, Berlin
Odd Objects: An Essay on Proto-Sculpture, CIAJG - José de Guimarães International Arte Centre, Guimarães, Portugal, 2016
- 2015 *Alma-Bluco*, CRAC Alsace - Centre Rhénan d'Art Contemporain, Altkirch, France
- 2014 *Come back Sir, you're not from that world. Please come back Sir, you're from this world*, Dan Gunn Gallery, Berlin
Flowers' audition, 3+1 Contemporary Art, Lisbon
Machines' audition, Kunsthalle Lissabon, Lisbon

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2022 *Meia Noite, Ano Zero*, Bienal de Coimbra, Portugal
Negócios Estrangeiros, CAC Torres Vedras, Portugal
Une communauté imaginée, Frac des Pays de la Loire, Nantes, France
- 2021 *Na Cohorte de De Chirico*, Colégio das Artes, Coimbra, Portugal
The Secret Life of Plants, Casa da Cerca, Almada, Portugal
- 2019 *European Dream: Works from the Norlinda and José Lima Collection*, Centro de Cultura Contemporânea de Castelo Branco, Castelo Branco, Portugal
The Path Finders, Rua da Bempostinha 64C, Lisbon
Trabalho Capital: Ensaio sobre gestos e fragmentos, Oliva Creative Factory, São João da Madeira, Portugal
Ghost of Chance, La Nave Sánchez-Ubiría, Madrid
- 2018 *Artists' Film International*, Whitechapel Gallery, London
SCHMALTZ, Guimarães, Vienna, Austria.
Artists' Film International, MAAT - Museu de Arte, Arquitectura e Tecnologia, Lisbon
Collaboration, Teatro Máximo, Jachthuis schijf, Schijf, The Netherlands.
Do Tirar Polo Natural. Inquérito ao Retrato Português, MNAA - Museu Nacional de Arte Antiga, Lisbon
A sedução de uma vírgula bem colocada, MACE _ Museu de Arte Contemporânea de Elvas, Elvas, Portugal
- 2017 *10000 Anos Depois entre Vénus e Marte*, Galeria Municipal do Porto, Porto, Portugal
Later is Now, Workplace Gallery, London
Collaboration, Teatro Máximo, Quetzal Art Centre, Vidigueira, Portugal
O Factor Cavalo, Bienal de Cerveira, Vila Nova de Cerveira, Portugal
Portugal em Flagrante - Operação 3, Calouste Gulbenkian Museum, Lisbon
- 2016 *Conversations: Recent Portuguese Art in the Serralves Collection*, Serralves Museum of Contemporary Art, Porto, Portugal

- Off the beaten track*, CIAJG - José de Guimarães International Arte Centre, Guimarães, Portugal
Odd objects: An Essay on Proto-sculpture, CIAJG - José de Guimarães International Arte Centre, Guimarães, Portugal
Labyrinth and Echo: Permanent Collection and Other Works, CIAJG - José de Guimarães International Arte Centre, Guimarães, Portugal
Ponto de Partida: Uma Selecção de Obras da Colecção de Arte Contemporânea Figueiredo Ribeiro, Galeria Municipal Quartel, Abrantes, Portugal
Colecção António Cachola: Musa paradisiaca and Mauro Cerqueira, Espaço Fidelidade Chiado 8, Lisbon
- 2015 *Sonae Media Art Prize*, MNAC - Museu Nacional de Arte Contemporânea, Lisbon
ISSO - In one way or another, Plataforma Revólver, Lisbon
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The Coming Museum, Fórum Eugénio de Almeida, Évora, Portugal
Le lynx ne connaît pas de frontières, Fondation d'Entreprise Ricard, Paris
El buen caligrama, The Goma, Madrid
- 2014 *Der Leone Have Sept Cabeças*, CRAC Alsace - Centre Rhénan d'Art Contemporain, Altkirch, France
- 2013 *EDP Novos Artistas Prize*, Galeria Fundação EDP, Porto, Portugal
Novo Novo México, Palha de Abrantes, Abrantes, Portugal
The perpetual interview, 1ª Avenida, Edifício Axa, Porto, Portugal
Apesar de tudo, nunca se sentia só ou triste, o futuro fazia-lhe companhia ou Le petit Lenormand (cartomancia e probabilidade), Galeria Vera Cortês, Lisbon
- 2012 *Tem calma o teu país está a desaparecer*, Galeria Zé dos Bois, Lisbon

SCREENINGS / EDITIONS

- 2018 *Mestres da Velocidade*, Neuer Berliner Kunstverein, Berlin
Emulation play, Fábrica de Pólvora de Vale de Milhaços - Ecomuseu Municipal do Seixal, Corroios, Portugal
- 2017 *Ecstasy and Eden*, Palais de Tokyo, Paris
Animal Hunger, Vdrome
Ecstasy and Eden, ISELP, Brussels
- 2016 *Caça, Êxtase, Fome*, Walk&Talk Gallery, Ponta Delgada, São Miguel, Portugal
- 2015 *Ecstasy and Eden*, Videoex Film Festival, Zurich
Ecstasy and Eden, Fábrica da Pólvora, Vale de Milhaços, Portugal
- 2014 *Souls' comission*, Palácio Foz, Lisbon
- 2013 *Emulation play*, Cinemateca Portuguesa, Lisbon
- 2012 *Drop shooting*, Old school, Lisbon
The permanence of speech and action, www.musaparadisiaca.net
- 2011 *The most beautiful party I've ever seen*, Galeria Quadrum, Lisbon
The speechless oracle, www.musaparadisiaca.net
- 2010 *First smell, first thought*, www.musaparadisiaca.net

TALKS

- 2018 *I AM*, Escola Secundária Artística António Arroio, Lisbon
I AM, Escola Superior de Artes e Design, Caldas da Rainha, Portugal
- 2017 *The House and the World. A Dialogue*, Open House - Lisbon Architecture Triennial, EDP Headquarters, Lisbon
- 2015 *I AM*, Malmö Art Academy - Moderna Museet, Malmö, Sweden
Musa paradisiaca in conversation with Heidi Ballet, Dan Gunn Gallery, Berlin
- 2014 *Valdevinos after dead*, Expedição, Maus Hábitos, Porto, Portugal

RESIDENCIES

- 2018-19 Fábrica de Pólvora de Vale de Milhaços - Ecomuseu Municipal do Seixal, Corroios, Portugal
2017-18 BoCA - Biennial of Contemporary Arts, Lisbon/Évora, Portugal
2016 Horanggasy Creative Studio, Gwangju, South Korea
Walk&Talk, São Miguel, Azores, Portugal
2015 RAUM, www.raum.pt / MNAC, Lisbon
2014 Fábrica da Pólvora de Vale de Milhaços - Ecomuseu Municipal do Seixal, Corroios, Portugal
2013 Essentia Foundation, Príncipe, São Tomé and Príncipe
2012 Portuguese Cultural Centre - Camões Institute, São Tomé, São Tomé and Príncipe
Novo Novo México, Palha de Abrantes, Abrantes, Portugal
Curator's Lab, European Capital of Culture 2012, Guimarães, Portugal

GRANTS / AWARDS

- 2021 FLAD Drawing Award 2021 (shortlisted).
2016 Grant to Visual Arts, Calouste Gulbenkian Foundation
2015 SONAE Media Art Prize (shortlisted)
2013 EDP Novos Artistas Prize (shortlisted)
2012 Grant to Visual Arts, Calouste Gulbenkian Foundation

COLLECTIONS

- Colecção António Cachola, Portugal
Collection de Bruin-Heijn, The Netherlands
Colecção Figueiredo Ribeiro, Portugal
Colecção Norlinda e José Lima, Portugal
Fundação Calouste Gulbenkian, Portugal
Fundação EDP, Portugal
Fundação de Serralves, Portugal