

EDUCATION

- 1997–1998** Internship sculpture, Lucio Carusi marble quarry, Carrara, Italy
1991–1997 Self-taught short films and photography during a stay in the Amazonian rainforest, Venezuela
1990–1991 Intership sculpture, Cementerio del Sur, Caracas
1985–1987 Drawing and sculpture, Art Students League of New York
BA, the Fashion Institute of Technology (FIT), New York
1982–1984 Drawing and sculpture, the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2019** *The Space Beyond*, Chapel of La Merced, Miami
2018 *Mirror, Mirror on the Wall*, TBBBox Art & Ideobox Artspace, Miami
2017 *Like Ether*, TBBBox Art & Ideobox Artspace, Miami
2010 *An Idyllic World*, Dot Fiftyone Gallery, Miami
2007 *Amazilias*, Galería La Cuadra, Caracas
1989 *Aqua que me muero de sé*, Galería Vía, Caracas

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2024** *The Future of America*, Pan American Art Projects, Miami
2019 *For Now: Contemporary Venezuelan Art of the Miami Diaspora*, Coral Gables Museum, Miami
2019 *Art Living*, for the Delano Hotel, Miami Beach
2017 Collective Art Exhibition, TBBBox Art & Ideobox Artspace, Miami
2015 *Art on the Green*, Winter Park, Florida
2013 *Whisky and Rye*, The Nightclub itinerant venue, Miami
2012 *Olivier Mestre and María Cristina Carbonell*, Ricard Gallery, Miami
2010 *In Wolves Clothing: Re-imagining the Doll*, SHOWstudio, London
Hip & Cool, Il Picknic Film Festival, Fundación Botín, Santander, Spain
Visionarios: Video y Cine Experimental Latinoamericano; Museo Nacional Centro de Arte Reina Sofía, Madrid
A Time to Bloom, VideoArtWorld, Basilea Foundation, Hot Art Fair, Basel
2008 *Visionários: Audiovisual Na América Latina*, Instituto Itaú Cultural, São Paulo
2006 *63 Edición del Salón Bienal Arturo Michelena*, Valencia, Venezuela
Perfect Timing, Douz and Mille Gallery, Art Taipei & Ela-Asia, Taipei
Itinerantes, Museo Jacobo Borges, Caracas
2004 *Retomando el Volumen*, Museo Alejandro Otero, Caracas
V Bienal Barro de América, Centro de Arte Contemporáneo Lía Bermúdez, Maracaibo, Venezuela
2003 *Arte Venezolano Siglo XX, Década de los 90*, Museo de Arte Contemporáneo de Caracas Sofía Imber
2001 *IV Bienal Barro de América*, Museo Alejandro Otero, Caracas
2000 *X Edición del Premio Eugenio Mendoza*, Caracas

1998 *III Bienal Barro de América*, Museo de Arte Contemporáneo de Caracas Sofía Imber

El Norte del Sur: Venezuelan Art Today, Philbrook Museum of Art, Tulsa, Oklahoma

V Bienal Nacional de Guayana, Museo Jesús Soto, Ciudad Bolívar, Venezuela

Así Está la Cosa: Instalación y Arte Objeto en América Latina, Centro Cultural / Arte Contemporáneo, Mexico City

III Bienal del Caribe y Latino America, Museo de Arte Moderno, Santo Domingo

1996 *249 Projets pour Uni Dufour*, Musée d'Art et d'Histoire, Geneva

I Bienal Nacional del Paisaje, Museo de Arte Contemporáneo Mario Abreu, Maracay, Venezuela

1995 *Seis formas de Mirar*, Sala Uno, Museo de Arte Contemporáneo de Caracas Sofía Imber

II Bienal Barro de América, Museo de Arte Contemporáneo de Caracas Sofía Imber

1994 *IV Bienal Nacional de Guayana*, Museo Jesús Soto, Ciudad Bolívar, Venezuela

VII Edición Premio Eugenio Mendoza, Caracas

1993 *II Edición Salón Pirelli*, Museo de Arte Contemporáneo de Caracas Sofía Imber

1992 *Memorias de la Visión*, Museo de Arte Contemporáneo de Caracas Sofía Imber

III Bienal Nacional de Arte de Guayana, Museo Jesús Soto, Ciudad Bolívar, Venezuela

1991 *I Bienal de Artes Plásticas de Puerto La Cruz*, Galería Municipal de Arte Moderno, Puerto la Cruz, Venezuela

1990 *Salón del Encuentro Americano*, Galería Espacios Cálidos, Ateneo de Caracas: traveling exhibition presented in Museo Nacional de Bellas Artes de Cuba, Havana; Museo de Bellas Artes, Santiago de Chile; Galería Praxis, Buenos Aires; Galería Carré D'or Paris; Francia Centro Cultural Jacques Prévert, Harnes, France; Centre Culturel de la Visitation de Périgueux, France; Maison de l'Amérique Latine, Brussels

VIDEO SCREENINGS & FILM FESTIVALS

2024 *Always On My Mind*, documentary screening, Universidad Católica Andrés Bello (UCAB), Venezuela

2022 *Always On My Mind*, Tulum World Environment Film Festival

2021 *Always On My Mind* Berlin Lift-Off Film Festival

2020 *Always On My Mind*, Flickers' Rhode Island International Film Festival, Providence

2019 *Heaven Can Wait*, Indie Short Fest, Los Angeles International Film Festival

Heaven Can Wait Georgia Documentary Film Festival, Atlanta

Heaven Can Wait, Best Short Fest, Ontario, Canada

Heaven Can Wait, Tokyo Lift-Off Film Festival

2011 *The Mermaid*, Close Up International Film Festival, Puerto Vallarta

2010 *Amazilias*, Hip & Cool, II Picknic Film Festival, Botín Foundation, Santander, Spain

Porca Miseria, International Film Festival Cine a Contracorriente: Latinoamérica y España, Xcèntric, Barcelona

2009 *Porca Miseria*, Visionarios: Video y Cine Experimental Latinoamericano, Museo Nacional de Arte Reina Sofía, Madrid

2008 *Porca Miseria*, Visionários: Audiovisual Na América Latina, Instituto Itaú Cultural, São Paulo

2006 *Cuentos de Niños*, Close Up International Film Festival, Centro de Arte Casa Vecina, Mexico City

The Art of Dealing, Selected video for Diva Container, Video and Art Festival, New York

PUBLIC ART & PRIVATE ART INSTALLATIONS

2019 *Art Living*, the Delano Hotel, Miami Beach

2015 *Art on the Green*, Winter Park

2014 *Spiral*, Nadder family private residence, Caracas

2007 *La Dama y el Unicornio*, private residence, Caracas

2000 *Fountain*, Otero's family private residence, Caracas

1999 *Flight*, Centro Ciudad Comercial Tamanaco, Caracas

AWARDS & RECOGNITIONS

2022 *Always On My Mind*, film, Jury's Award Winner, Tulum World Environment Film Festival

2021 *Always On My Mind*, film, Official Selection, Berlin Lift-Off Film Festival

2020 *Always On My Mind*, film, Semifinalist, Flickers' Rhode Island International Film Festival

2019 *Heaven Can Wait* film, 2019, Best Short Documentary, Indie Short Fest, Los Angeles International Film Festival

Heaven Can Wait film, Semifinalist, Best Short Documentary, Georgia Documentary Film Festival, Atlanta

Heaven Can Wait film, Semifinalist, Best Short Documentary, Best Short Fest, Ontario, Canada

2013 *María Cristina Carbonell: Works 1990–2012* book, Gold Award, The Toronto Club of Printing House Craftsmen Gallery of Superb Printing competition

2006 *The Art of Dealing* video, First Prize, 63 Salón Bienal Arturo Michelena, Valencia, Venezuela

Selected Artist for Diva Container New York

1996 *Paisaje de un Paisaje* installation, First Prize, I Bienal del Paisaje, Maracay, Venezuela

Landscapes, Photography Award, V Edición Bienal Nacional de Guayana, Ciudad Bolívar, Venezuela

1994 *Epicedio*, Sculpture Award, IV Edición Bienal Nacional de Guayana, Ciudad Bolívar, Venezuela

1991 *Books*, installation, Honorable Mention, VII Edición Premio Eugenio Mendoza, Caracas

Atormentada Yo? sculptural ensemble, Honorable Mention, I Bienal de Artes Plásticas de Puerto La Cruz, Venezuela