Rocío Asensi

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Born in Madrid. Spain

BA in Fine Arts by the Complutense University of Madrid with specialty in engraving and audiovisual. Spain. This training is complemented by attending various diploma courses both visual arts and performing arts,

- 2010 Technical Course on Scenic Lighting at the Teatro de Madrid. Artibus Consulting and Cultural Management. Madrid.
- 2003 Workshop on contemporary art with Medina Valcarcel at the Círculo de Bellas Artes, Madrid.
- 2002 Photography Workshop with Jordi Socías at the Círculo de Bellas Artes.
- 2000 Contemporary Art Debate. European University of Madrid and Círculo de Bellas Artes, Madrid.

Contemporary Art seen from the multidisciplinary of arts. Summer courses by the Autonomous University of Madrid.

- 1999 Contemporary art workshop. Lighting Projections by Daniel Canogar. Círculo de Bellas Artes, Madrid.

Solo Show

- 2017 "Memento Mori" in Libertad gallery. Querétaro, Mexico.
- 2016/2015 Solo Exhibition "Memory RROM". ArtSpace Mexico Gallery. Mexico City, Mexico
- 2013 "Memento Mori" at the Museum of Light. International Festival of Lights of Mexico, FILUX. Mexico City, Mexico
- 2012 Solo Exhibition "East and West", Asm28 art gallery. Miradas de Mujeres" Festival. Madrid, Spain.
- 2011 Solo Exhibition, at the Provincial Museum of Huelva, with the project "What's the difference between our dreams?". Huelva, Spain.
- 2009 Solo Exhibition, "What's the difference between our dreams?", Rafael Pérez Hernando art gallery. Madrid, Spain.
- 2005 Exhibition of the installation "Artificial Paradise", Rafael Pérez Hernando Gallery, Madrid, Spain,
- 2003 Exhibition of the installation "Artificial Paradise". La Sala Naranja. Valencia, Spain.

Group Show/Art Fairs

- 2023 La Iberoamericana, Women and Visual Arts of the 21st century, Caracciolos exhibition hall, UAH. Alcalá de Henares, Madrid, Spain.
- 2017 Yuxtaposiciones/ Arte y Antropología. Galería Libertad. Querétaro, Mexico.
- 2016 Participation in ZONAMACO art fair Photo, with the ArtSpace Mexico gallery. Mexico City, Mexico.
- 2014 "Paraíso en Sombra". Celda Contemporánea, Claustro de Sor Juana. Mexico City, Mexico.
- 2010 Participation in the V Fair of Modern and Contemporary Art, ART MADRID. Madrid, Spain.
- **2009** The video which belongs to this project is showed at OPTICA, International Videoart Fair, in Paz, Bolivia, and at ESTAMPA '09 in the Autonomous Region of Madrid space, representing the Artistic Creation Award. Madrid, Spain.
- 2008 Participant at FEM 08 in the Casa de Vacas Museum. Madrid, Spain.
- -Participant at TIAF 08, Toronto International Art Fair with the Rafael Pérez Hernando Gallery of Madrid. Toronto, Canada.
- 2007 Participant of the itinerant collective exhibit of Nordic and Spanish La Familia. La Sala Naranja, Valencia, Spain. Helsinki, Finland.
- 2005 Participation in the Art.fain.os with the Rafael Pérez Hernando Gallery. Cologne, Germany.
- -Exhibition in the installation Artificial Paradise with the Rafael Pérez Hernando Gallery. Madrid, Spain.
- **2004** Exhibition in the installation "The apparent and the occult" in Tentaciones by ESTAMPA. International Fair for Multiple Contemporary Art. Madrid, Spain.
- -Participant at the collective exhibit "what is not seen" within "The apparent and the occult" at the Sala Naranja, Valencia, Spain.
- 2003 Installation "Woods of Light" with pieces of industrial designers such as lacamara, Moroso and Luis Galliusi in the Young Art and Design Exhibit "No.mad.es. Madrid, Spain.
- -Participant in the collective exhibition "The Sick Side" (El Lado Enfermo) with Reflejos at the Sala Naranja, Valencia, Spain.
- -Exhibition at the installation "Artificial Paradise" in (encontre) art al voltant del mua. Museum of the Alicante University. Alicante, Spain
- 2002 Participant at the collective exhibition "Percances del presente" with Equilibrio, La Sala Narania, Valencia, Spain,
- **2000** Participant at the Installation "Equilibrio" in Tentaciones from Estampa. International Fair for Multiple Contemporary Art. Madrid, Spain.

Interventions

- 2023 Site-specific interventions with "Solar Landscape", at the European Council on the occasion of the Spanish Presidency of the EU, in collaboration with the architectural studio Re-Create Studio. July to December. Brussels, Belgium.
- -2020/2021 Intervention on the façade of the Casa de México with "Venus and the Feathered Serpent". Light, installation, video and sound. Madrid. Spain.
- 2020 Light intervention with the piece "Renaissance" on the facade of the Los Cubos building in Madrid. Spain.
- 2017 Intervention in the natural space at the Valdelarte Art and Nature Residence, with the piece "Aurea". Sierra de Aracena, Huelva, Spain.
- -Intervention in public space, through the "Extramuros project" of the Libertad gallery in Querétaro, Querétaro, Mexico

Awards and recognitions

- 2022 Winner of the competition for the artistic interventions of the European Council on the occasion of the Spanish Presidency of the EU in collaboration with the architecture studio ReCreate-Studio.
- **2018** Component of one of the five projects selected for production aids at the Bienal Miradas de Mujeres en las Artes Visuales MAV, "Female Ecologies through Contemporary Art" by Valdelarte. Spain.
- 2007 Award of Artistic Creation of the Community of Madrid for the project "What's the difference between our dreams?". Madrid, Spain.
- 2004 Prize She in the Temptations of ESTAMPA, for "The apparent and the hidden", issued by the General Directorate of Equal Opportunities of the City Council of Madrid, Spain.
- 2000 Honorable Mention of LA CASA DE VELAZQUEZ for the installation "Equilibrio" in Tentaciones de ESTAMPA, International Art Fair Multiple Contemporary. Madrid, Spain.

Conferences and courses

- **2020-present** Lecturer in the Master of Architecture Ephemera at the ETSAM, Higher Technical School of Architecture of Madrid (UPM). Spain.
- 2019 Workshop on "Interventions in space with image, light and sound" at UNAM, National Autonomous University of Mexico. CDMX, Mexico.
- 2018-2019 Member of the work team and participant in round tables of CONTEMPORARY MADRID: First conference on museums and contemporary art centers in the Community of Madrid. Organized by the IAC, Institute of Contemporary Art.
- 2018 Workshop "Space inhabited" pertaining to the collective proposal "Feminine Ecologisms from the Contemporary Art" imparted in Matadero, Madrid, and Valdelarte, space of Art and Nature, Huelva. Spain.
- 2016 Tutor of Interdisciplinary Art Residency at the Center for the Arts, CEART SLP, in August. San Luis Potosí, Mexico. Teacher and creator of Interdisciplinary Creativity workshops taught at the National Arts Center, CNART, of various states from Mexico; as well as spaces focused on design such as BOONKER in Querétaro or companies such as GNP in CDMX. Mexico.
- 2015 Participates with the UAM, Autonomous University of Mexico, as speaker at the international meeting Philosophy of the City 2015 with the project DAR. Mexico City, Mexico
- 2015-2014 Professor of the Interdisciplinary Curricular Offer, Theoretical-Reflective Area (Integral Culture), coordinated by the Subdirectorate of Interdisciplinary Studies belonging to the Academic Development Department of CENART. Mexico City.
- 2014 Workshop on Light and Audiovisual Media. Pedro Meyer Foundation. Mexico City, Mexico.
- 2013 Creative Process Workshop. Gymnasium of Art and Culture. Mexico City, Mexico.
- 2012 Lecturer at the Carlos III University and at the Juan Carlos I University in Madrid presenting Barilai Estudio at the Master of Economics Creative, Spain.
- **2011** Guest artist in the subject of Experimental Creation at the Faculty of Fine Arts of the Francisco de Victoria University. Madrid, Spain.
- 2007-2006 Master classes within the department of Emerging Art at the Higher Institute of Art I / Art, as a Multidisciplinary Artist. Madrid, Spain.