

CURRICULUM VITAE

PERSONAL DETAILS

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I am a photography teacher and artist based in Madrid. My projects try to deepen some of my obsessions: the relationships between word and image, the transformations that technology provokes in the experience of art, the mystery of identity and the nature of representation.

I am the founder and director of LENS School of Visual Arts (Madrid).

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- *Art for Cyborgs*, Albert Hall Museum, Jaipur, 2017.
- *Lo Inevitable*, CEART, Fuenlabrada, 2015.

SELECTED GROUP SHOWS

- *Conciencia2*, Ministerio of Development, Madrid, 2019
- *Best Photography Books of the Year*, PhotoEspaña 2019, National Library, Madrid, 2019
- *Enaire Foundation Photography Prize – PhotoEspaña 2019*, Royal Botanic Garden, Madrid, 2019
- *Photobook Exhibition*, Benaki Museum, Athens, 2019.
- *Here I live*, Hermitage Museum, Saint Petersburg, 2018
- *Self-Published Photobooks Show*, Griffin Museum of Photography, Winchester, 2019.
- *City of Mostoles 4th Artist Book Award*, Móstoles, 2018
- *Scan Photobooks*, Festival Scan, Tarragona, 2018
- *9th Annual Self-Published Photobooks Show*, Davis Orton Gallery, Hudson, 2018.
- *#homecasahome2*, Mondo Galería, Madrid, 2016.
- *La New Fair*, La New Gallery, Madrid, 2015.

AWARDS AND HONOURS

- *Enaire Foundation Photography Prize*, second award, Madrid, 2019
- *City of Mostoles Artist Book Award*, winner, Móstoles, 2018.
- *Best Photography Books of the Year*, finalist, PhotoEspaña 2019
- *FOLA Photobook Award*, finalist, Buenos Aires, 2018.
- *Felifa International Photography Award*, finalist, Buenos Aires, 2018.

- *Fotobookfestival Dummy Award*, shortlisted, Kassel, 2017.
- *Descubrimientos PHotoEspaña*, selected, Madrid, 2016.
- *Primer Encuentro de Artistas de Castilla y León*, San Rafael, 2016.
- *Descubrimientos PHotoEspaña*, selected, Madrid, 2013.
- *Photolreland Portfolio'13*, selected, Dublin, 2013.
- *Emergentes DST, Festival Encontros da Imagem*, selected, Braga, 2013.

BOOKS

- *Masterpieces - Obras Maestras*, LENS Books, Madrid, 2018.

TEACHING

- Founder and Director, LENS Escuela de Artes Visuales (Madrid) since 2011.
- Guest Lecturer, Master of Fine Arts (University of Hartford, Connecticut), 2015.

LECTURES

- *Conservation and dissemination of photographs*, III Seminario de Fotografía Almayso, Madrid, marzo 2018
- *Photography up in arms*, Fundación Pablo Iglesias, octubre 2017.
- *War & Photography*, Espacio B, Madrid, 2014.
- *Behind the Lens: New Spanish Photo& Multimedia& Books*. Krakow, 2013.
- *The didactics of photography: Theories about photography*. La Central del Museo Reina Sofía. Madrid, 2013.
- *Spanish photography: yesterday, today, tomorrow*. Feria Entrefotos. Madrid, 2013.

PUBLISHING

- Publisher, *My house is my castle*, Alexa López de Hierro, July 2014.
- Publisher, *Jeannette*, Giusy Rizzi. September 2013.
- Publisher, *The Family Project*, Matías Costa. September 2012.