

About.

Aníbal Vallejo

(B. 1975) Medellín, Colombia

Studies

1999 Fashion Design, Colegiatura Colombiana de Diseño, Medellín, Colombia

1996 Visual Arts, Universidad de Antioquia, Medellín, Colombia

Collections

Colección de Arte del Banco de la República, Museo de Arte Miguel Urrutia (MAMU), Bogotá, Colombia

Museo de Arte Moderno MAMM, Medellín, Colombia

Museo de Antioquia, Medellín, Colombia

Colección Chehebar, Colombia

Related Group, Miami (FL), USA

Solo Shows

2024 *The Figure Unravelled*, Art Of The World Gallery, Houston (TX), USA

2021 *Narciso y lo que no vemos en el espejo*, Galería José Amar+Studio 180, Medellín, Colombia

2019 *El espacio pictórico*, Aurora Espacio de Arte, Bogotá, Colombia

2018 *La inminente tensión*, La Casita | Colección Chehebar, Bogotá, Colombia

2016 *Apuntes para el salón de Madame B. o la búsqueda del Gesamtkunstwerk*, Lokkus Arte Contemporáneo, Medellín, Colombia

2016 *Memoria entre líneas*, Fabien Castanier Gallery, Bogotá, Colombia

2016 *Entretiempos*, Aurora Espacio de Arte, Bogotá, Colombia
 2015 *Progresión-Gradación*, Museo de Arte Moderno de Pereira, Pereira, Colombia
 2015 *Progresión*, Lökkus Arte Contemporáneo, Medellín, Colombia
 2013 *Paisaje sin lugar*, Galería Duque Arango, Medellín, Colombia
 2012 *Hobnobbing at the Garden of Earthly Delights*, Black Square Gallery, Miami (FL), USA
 2009 *De bichos y modas entre telas*, Galería La Oficina, Medellín, Colombia
 2008 *Is the glass half empty or half full?*, Museo El Castillo, Medellín, Colombia

Group Shows (Selected)

2023 *Global Contemporary - A Collective Exhibition*, Art Of The World Gallery, Houston (TX), USA
 2023 *Mirada a lo contemporáneo*, Galería José Amar, Medellín, Colombia
 2021 *Pintura Inmortal*, Galería El Museo, Bogotá, Colombia
 2020 *6ème Luxembourg Art Prize*, Exhibition of the ten finalists artworks, Pinacothèque, Luxembourg
 2020 *El que busca encuentra y sigue encontrando*, White Columns, NY, USA
 2019 *Pintura Inmortal*, Galería El Museo, Bogotá, Colombia
 2018 *Archipiélago*, Sala de Arte de Suramericana, Medellín, Colombia
 2018 *Gabinete 13*, Bogotá Auctions, Bogotá, Colombia
 2017 *Le 6B dessine son salon*, Colombie invitée d'honneur, Paris, France
 2016 *Friends & Family*, Fabien Castanier Gallery, Los Angeles (CA), USA
 2016 *Abstraccion-Creación*, Vilorio Blanco Gallery, Maracaibo, Venezuela
 2016 *Transborder*, Fabien Castanier Gallery, Los Angeles (CA), USA

- 2015 *Qué es el presente?*, Museo de Arte Moderno MAMM, Medellín
- 2015 *Paralelo*, Lökkus Arte Contemporáneo, Medellín, Colombia
- 2014 *Línea Blanda: New abstraction in Colombia*, Galería Sextante, Bogotá
- 2014 *Reserva Expuesta*, Museo de Arte Moderno MAMM, Medellín, Colombia
- 2013 *Sans lieu ni tête / Sin lugar ni cabeza*, Mark Hachem Galerie, Paris, France
- 2013 *La gente en la colección del museo, 35 years of the Museum*, Museo de Arte Moderno MAMM
- 2013 *Latin American Art Showcase*, ION Art Gallery, Singapore
- 2012 *This room is a Cage, John Cage Tribute*, Galería Sala U, Universidad Nacional sede Medellín
- 2011 *Dream Catcher II*, Black Square Gallery, Miami (FL), USA
- 2011 *Colombia en Mérida*, Museum of Contemporary Art of Yucatán, MACAY, Mérida, México
- 2010 *Florilegio*, Dancing Elephant Projects, Bogotá, Colombia
- 2010 *Dorado*, FIART (Fondo Internacional de las Artes), Madrid, Spain
- 2009 *Casa de Citas*, Museo de Antioquia, Medellín, Colombia
- 2009 *CORTE 50*, Collection of the Museum, Museo de Arte Moderno MAMM, Medellín, Colombia
- 2008 *New Acquisitions*, Museo de Arte Moderno MAMM, Medellín, Colombia
- 2008 *Imagina+A Umbral Gráfico Colombiano*, Museo de Arte Moderno MAMM, Medellín, Colombia
- 2006 *Summer group show*, Biagiotti Progetto Arte, Florence, Italy
- 2005 *Spring Group Show*, Earl McGrath Gallery, Los Angeles (CA), USA
- 2005 *Small Treasures*, Group Show Biagiotti Progetto Arte, Florence, Italy
- 2004 *Summer Group Show*, Earl McGrath Gallery, New York (NY), USA
- 2003 *Spring Group Show*, Biagiotti Progetto Arte, Florence, Italy
- 2002 *Endematt - Boxbarter*, Milan, Italy

Art Fairs

2024 Art Miami, USA

2021 Art Miami, Miami, USA

2020 ArtBo, Bogotá, Colombia

2017 ArtBo, Bogotá, Colombia

2016 Feria Odeón, Bogotá, Colombia

2016 Art Lima, Lima, Perú

2015 Contemporary Istanbul, Turkey

2015 Feria Odeón, Bogotá, Colombia

2014 Feria Odeón, Bogotá, Colombia

2014 Pulse New York, New York (NY) USA

2013 Pulse Miami, Miami (FL), USA

2013 Cutlog, Paris, France

2013 Art Copenhagen, Denmark

2012 Context Miami, Miami (FL), USA

2012 Houston Fine Art Fair, Houston, TX, USA

2011 Art Chicago, Chicago (IL), USA

2011 Scope New York, New York, NY, USA

2010 Artefiera - Art First, Bologna, Italy

2010 The Affordable Art Fair New York, NY, USA

2007 ArtBo, Corferias, Bogotá, Colombia

2006 Artefiera - Art First, Bologna, Italy

2005 Artefiera - Art First, Bologna, Italy

2004 Artefiera - Art First, Bologna, Italy

Special Projects (Selected)

2019 *Tres décadas de arte en expansión*, 1980 al presente, Permanent Collection of Banco de la República, Museo de Arte Miguel Urrutia MAMU, Bogotá Colombia

2017 *Contrarrelatos en la colección MAMM*, Museo de Arte Moderno MAMM, Medellín, Colombia

2016 *Sin Título #351*, Temporary Installation en el Museo de Arte Moderno MAMM, Medellín, Colombia

2016 *Estampilla de la paz*, contest finalist, Cámara de Comercio de Bogotá, Bogotá, Colombia

2014 *ProjectArt NYC*, Temporary Installation at PULSE NEW YORK 2014, New York (NY) USA

2009 *Creóle*, wall painting installation, Bonuar Restaurant, Museo de Arte Moderno MAMM, Medellín

2008 *Myne Name Is Lubbert Das*, Installation, Museo de Arte Moderno MAMM, Medellín, Colombia



My artistic journey is a continuous exploration of the intersections between form, color, texture, and space. Drawing from my background in visual arts and fashion design, I navigate through various artistic forms, including geometric abstraction and figuration, weaving together threads of personal experience and cultural influences. Over the span of my career, I've ventured into different territories, experimenting with materials and techniques that transcend traditional boundaries. Stitched fragments of fabric, bold strokes of paint, and meticulous lines converge on my canvases, inviting viewers into a dialogue that oscillates between nostalgia and contemplation.

Color, for me, is a language unto itself—a tool for inquiry rather than mere representation. Whether applied with precision or spontaneity, each hue carries its own narrative, engaging in a dance of light and shadow that speaks to the complexity of human experience. Through my exploration of various artistic forms, I seek to distill the essence of emotion, capturing fleeting moments of introspection. Each brushstroke, each thread woven into the fabric of my work, becomes a conduit for exploration, inviting viewers to journey alongside me into the domain of the ineffable.

My art is not merely a static object to be observed, but a living, breathing entity that evolves with each encounter. It is a reflection of the perpetual dialogue between intuition and intellect, a testament to the enduring power of creativity to transcend boundaries and connect us all.

Sketch series:

I Fiumi dopo Ungaretti
2022