**// Carlos Aires, Born in Ronda, Málaga, Spain, 1974**

**Lives and works in Madrid, Spain**

1992–1997 Bachelor in Fine Arts, sculpture department, Faculty of Fine Art Alonso Cano of Granada. Spain.

1998 - 1st Prize Jovenes Creadores Malagueños (Young Malaga Artists). Malaga, Spain

1997–2000 - Master in European Arts and Cultures. Leicester University (UK) and AVB, Tilburg (NL).

2000 - Manuel Rivera grant. Grant for Spanish artists to work in foreign countries. Palacio de Los Condes de Gabia. Diputacion de Granada

2000 - CERA Bank Subsidy for Art Projects. Brussels

2000 - De Pont Prize 2000. De Pont Museum. Tilburg. The Netherlands

2000–2001 - De Pont Atelier. De Pont Museum. Tilburg, The Netherlands

2001 - First Prize Young Artist 2001. San Fernando Bank.

2001–2003 HISK. Hoger Institute Schone Kunsten. Antwerp, Belgium.

2003 - Fulbright Fellowship to study in USA. Ministerio de Educacion y Ciencia. Madrid

2004 - 1st Award Young Andalusian Artists Awards 2004. Instituto Andaluz de la Juventud, Spain

2004 2º Price YounBeca Fulbright para estudiar en los Estados Unidos. Master de Fotografía en The Ohio State University. Ohio. Ministerio de Educación y Cultura Español. Madrid.

2004–2005 - MA in Photography. The Ohio State University. Columbus, Ohio, USA.

2005 - Edith Fergus Gilmore Award. Department of Art. The Ohio State University. Columbus, Ohio.

2005 - 2º Price Young Belgian Artist Awards 2005 (Prix de la Jeune Peinture Belge) Palais des Beaux–Arts. Brussels, Belgium

2004–2008 - PhD in Arts. Faculty of Fine Art Alonso Cano of Granada. Spain.

2008 - 1st Award Generación 2008. Caja Madrid.

2015 - Spain´s Public Agency for Cultura Action (AC/E) to participate at 5th Thessaloniki Biennale of Contemporary Art, Greece.

2016 - Fellowship for Artistic Excellence, OMI residency, NY, USA.

Walter Debrock Price. AZ-VUB. Brussels. Belgium.

//Exhibitions

**2017**

Sweet dreams are made of this. Museo Cerralbo, Madrid, Spain (upcoming) (solo exhibition)

Cartografías Líquidas, Museo de Arte Carrillo Gil, Mexico DF, Mexico, Curated by Blanca de la Torre (upcoming)

**2016**

Sweet dreams are made of this. El tanque, Tenerife, Spain (solo exhibition)

WePorn, Galerie Levy-Deval. Brussels, Belgium (cat)

Pavilion de L’Exile, Paris. Curated by Mounir Fatmi, Paris, France

The Act of Seditio, WhiteBox, NY. New York, USA

PIGS.Galeria Municipal do Porto, Portugal (cat)

Mundos (im)possibles. Centre d’Art la Panera, Lleida, Spain

El impacto de lo viejo. Fundación Cajasol. Seville, Spain

Quién es ese hombre? TEA, Tenerife Espacio de las Artes. Tenerife, Spain(cat)

PUNK. MACBA, Barcelona,Spain (cat)

Forever, BuBox, Kortrijk, Belgium

PIGS. Artium. Basque Museum-Center of Contemporary Art. Vitoria, Spain. (Cat)

Partner/You. Performance/collaboration with choreographer Chantal Yzerman. MUKHA. Antwerp Belgium

Solo es Sexo. Galería Fernando Pradilla., Madrid, Spain

InterraCtion. Centre dárt de Cugnaux, Toulouse, France

**2015**

Sweet dreams are made of this. Mauroner gallery, Vienna, Austria (solo exhibition)

Dark Ages. Aeroplastics Contemporary. Brussels, Belgium

TIME is love 8. International video art program. Itinerary for different countries

From madonna to Madonna. M100. Centro Cultural Matucana. Santiago, Chile

El llano en llamas. Festival de Arte Cotemporaneo de Saltillo, México

PUNK. Sus rastros en el arte contemporáneo. Artium. Vitoria (Cat)

5th Thessaloniki Biennale of Contemporary Art. State Museum of Contemporary Art, Greece. (cat.)

Les Mondes Inverses. B.P.S. 22, Charleroi, Belgium. Curated by Jean Pierre Olivier.(cat.)

Nel Mezzo del Mezzo. Palazzo Riso, Contemporary Art Museum of Sicil

The Trick in the Smile. Artium collection. Artium, Vitoria, Spain.(cat.)

Cine X. Me gusta Mirar. M100. Centro Cultural Matucana 100. Santigo, Chile

Tomorrow Today “It´s Money Jim, but not as we know it”. Mario Mauroner gallery, Viena, Austria

Imago Mundi. Luciano Benetton Collection. Fondazione Giorgio Cini, Venice, Italy

Éros c’est la vie. Javier Lopez gallery. Madrid, Spain

Wild Open Space/ Les moissons de la cité. Grand Curtius, Liege, Belgium

Icône(s). Maison Particulière, Bruselas, Bélgica (cat.)

PUNK. CA2M, Centro de Arte Dos de Mayo, Mostoles, Madrid. Curated by David G. Torres(cat)

Flatlander. Boulder Museum of Contemporary Art, Boulder, Colorado, USA

Engagements: collectionner /partager. Musée Sainte-Croix, Poitiers, France

**2014**

Centro de Arte de Alcobendas. Solo show. Alcobendas, Spain

**2013**

Scope Miami Beach 2013, Mario Mauroner Contemporary Art, Vienna, Austria

Viennafair 2013, Mario Mauroner Contemporary Art, Vienna, Austria

bilis negra, Museo de Arte Moderno y Contemporáneo de Santander y Cantabria, Spain

Coup de Ville. Sint-Niklaas.The exhibition is taking place in several buildings curated by Stef Van Bellingen. Watou Art Festvial, Watou, Belgium

MAF. Festival de Málaga

MAS. Museo de Arte Moderno y Contemporaneo de Santander y Cantabria (solo)

Inner Journeys. Maison Particulière. Brussels, Belgium

From madonna to Madonna. Domus Artium Salamanca. Salamanca, Spain

**2012**

Carlos Aires, CAC Málaga, Spain

**2011**

I´ve got you under my skin, Gallery Aeroplastics Contemporary, Brussels, Belgium

Let´s get physical, ADN Galeria, Barcelona, Spain

**2010**

Golden Tears, Mario Mauroner Contemporary Art, Vienna, Austria

Dreams, Mario Mauroner Contemporary Art, Salzburg, Austria

Viennafair 2010, Mario Mauroner Contemporary Art, Vienna, Austria

Coleccion de fotografía Alconbedas, Centro Andaluz de la Fotografía, Almeria, Spain

Procesos del Paisaje, Sala de exposiciones Caja Sol, Jerez, Spain

Project room, Art Jaen, That´s all Folks, Stadshallen, Bruge, Belgium

Arte Fiera, Galeria ADN, Bolonia, Italy

Arco 2010, Galería ADN y Alvaro Alcazar, IFEMA, Madrid, Spain

Kontroversen, Kunst Haus Wien, Museum Hundertwasser, Vienna, Austria

Cinema X: I like to watch, Museo de Arte Contemporáneo de Canada, Montreal, Canada

Pena, Penita, Pena, Galería Alvaro Alcazar, Madrid, Spain

Art Shangai, Contemporary Art Fair, Alvaro Alcazar Gallery, Shangai, China

Volta 6, Contemporary Art Fair, Galeria ADN, Basel, Switzerland

Parcour Saint Germain, Sonia Rykiel, Paris, France

Presente Perfecto, Centro Cultural Caja Granada, Granada, Spain

After Post, Más allá de la fotografía, Espacio Iniciarte, Sevilla, Spain

The Alchemy of delusion, Aeroplastics Contempary gallery, Brussels, Belgium

**2009**

Arco, Feria de Arte Contemporáneo, Galería Alvaro Alcazar y Sandunga, IFEMA, Madrid, Spain

Danzad, danzad, malditos, Exposición individual, Galería ADN, Barcelona, Spain

Maco. Feria de Arte Comtemporaneo, Galeria Alvaro Alcazar, Mexico DF, Mexico

How innocent is that? Pavilion Unicredi, Bucharest Biennale, Romania

Volta. Galeria ADN, Basel, Switzerland

JERK OFF, Festival des Cultures Alternatives, Paris, France

IIª Muestra de Videarte Andaluz SURVIDEOVISIONES, Espacio Iniciarte, Sevilla, Spain

Eutopía 09. IIª Muestra de Videarte Andaluz; Filmoteca de Andalucía, Córdoba, Spain

Non si uccidono così anche i cavalli?: Galería Allegra Ravizza, Milán, Italy

Scarpia. Proyectos en espacios públicos. El Carpio, Córdoba, Spain

ALTERARTE. Festival de Arte Emergente. Museo Arqueológico. Murcia, Spain

Fuori\_Nonluego. Novalis Contemporary Art. Turín, Italy

**2008**

The Trickster, Art Extra Gallery, Johannesburg, South Africa

Art Rotterdam, Aeroplastic Contemporary, Rotterdam, The Nertherlands

Generación 2008 Awards, Caja Madrid, La Casa Encendida, Spain

Now or Die, Spac Collection, Hotel de Vielle, Liège, Belgium

Pulse, Contemporary Art Fair, Kinz, Tillou + Feigen gallery, New York, USA

Art Brussels, Aeroplastics Contemporary, Brussels, Belgium

Espejos del alma, El retrato fotográfico en la España de nuestros días, Spain

Red Itiner, Concejalía de Cultura de la Comunidad de Madrid, Madrid, Spain

The No problem show, 1st floor gallery, Antwerpen, Belgium

Balelatina, Hot Art Fair, Galeria Sandunga, Basel, Switzerland

Unicaja Bank Awards, Palacio Episcopal, Málaga, Spain

Boys of summer, Colective, Monique Meloche gallery, Chicago, USA

Urbana 08, Sandunga gallery, Granada, Spain

Deadly seriously, Colective, Exprmntl Gallery, Toulouse, France

Rock my Religion, Domus Artium Contemporary Art Museum, Salamanca, Spain

Scope, Sandunga Gallery, London, UK

FotoMiami, Solo Project Room, Sandunga and ADN galleries, Miami, USA

Uit-thuis-eten, Spanish artists in Holland, Spanish Embassy, The Hague, The Netherlands

Slick, ADN gallery, Paris, France

Premios Jovenes Creadores Andaluces, Young Andalucian Artists Awards, Palacio Episcopal, Spain

**2007**

Arco 2007, Galería Sandunga, Madrid, Spain

Art Rotterdam, International Art Fair, Aeroplastics gallery, Rotterdam, The Netherlands

Kunstlokkal, Collective show, Indian Caps Kunstkamers, Curated by Bob Verelst, Antwerpen, Belgium

Art Brussels 2007, Aeroplastics contemporary gallery, Brussels, Belgium

A day without sunshine is like night, Aeroplastics Contemporary gallery, Brussels, Belgium

Phychic Realities, Lundbeck Austria, Vienna, Austria

Docks Art fair, 9th Lyon Bienal of Contemporary Art, Lyon, France

Rare Essence, Galería Aeroplastics Contemporary, Bruselas, Belgium

Objeto de Réplica. Colección VII. Artium, Vitoria, Spain

Monsters. Galería Art Extra, Johanesburgo, South Africa

Love is in the air, Collective, EXPRMNTL galerie, Toulouse, France

El Pensamiento en la boca, Una exposición sobre arte y cocina, Caja San Fernando, Jerez, Spain

**2006**

Carlos Aires, Jen Liu, Melvin Moti, Elodie Pong. Galleria Laurin. Zurich, Switzerland.

Y Fueron Felices. Solo show. Galeria Sandunga. Granada, Spain.

25 Pieces, Europart. Public Art Projects on the occasion of Austria's presidency in the European Union in 2006. Vienna, Austria. (cat.)

Blessed are the Merciful, curated by Jerome Jacobs. Feigen Gallery. New York. USA.

Dark Tales. Cokkie Snoei Gallery. Rótterdam, The Netherlands.

Presentation Tester. By Marina Grzinic. Produced by Arteleku. San Sebastian. Spain. (cat.)

**2005**

Double Check .Re-Framing Space in Photography. Camera Austria, Kunshal, Graz, Austria.(cat.)

Mensajes Cruzados. Parlamentar con lo real en el tiempo. Artium. Museo Arte Contemporáneo del País Vasco (Basque Museum of Contemporary Art). Alava Spain.

Photography Awards Purificación Garcia. Círculo de Bellas Artes. Madrid. itinerary (cat.)

Club Cube. Festiwal Sztuki Klubowej CCA, Centre for Contemporary Art, Varsovia, Poland

PhotoEspaña 2005. Descubrimientos. Plaza de Santa Ana. Madrid.

Prix de la Jeune Peinture Belga 2005. (Young Belgium Artists Awards 2004-2005). Palais des Beaux–Arts. Brussels, Belgium. (cat.)

Y Fueron Felices. Sala Siglo XXI. Museo de Huelva. Spain.(cat)

Nekad I Sad. Prodajna Galerija Beograd. Belgrade, Serbia y Montenegro (cat.)

Cataracts. Hitchcock Auditórium. OSU. Columbus, Ohio, USA.

ARCO 05 Stand Galería Sandunga.

**2004**

Go!. Espacio Liquido. Madrid. Spain.

After Hours. HISK. Amberes. Belgica.(Cat.)

Art Brussels. Kusseneers gallery. Amberes, Belgica.

Happily Ever After. Solo show. Kusseneers gallery. Amberes, Belgica.( Cat.)

Art Chicago. Kusseneers gallery. Chicago, USA.

Double Check .Re-Framing Space in Photography. Gallery of Contemporary Art, Celje, Slovenia. (Cat)

Projectos paralelos I Bienal de Arte Contemporaneo de Sevilla, Caja San Fernando. Sevilla (Cat)

La Realidad Contaminada. Universidad de Granada. Itinerante: Zaragoza, Sevilla, Granada (Cat).

Double Check .Re-Framing Space in Photography. Camera Austria, Kunsthaus Graz. Austria. (Cat)

**2003**

Open Ateliers. HISK. Hoger Institute Schone Kunsten. Amberes.

Certamen de Artes Plásticas Unicaja. Sala Italcable. Málaga.(Catálogo)

Certamen de Jóvenes creadores Malagueños 2003. ( Cat)

V Convocatoria Internacional de Jóvenes Artistas. Galeria Luis Adelantado. Valencia.

Sugar and Spice. Galería Annie Gentils. Amberes.

Hot. Censorated work. Tour&Taxis. Brussels. Belgium.

Very simple but very nice. Kokon gallery. Tilburg, The Netherlands.

**2002**

Mister Hyde. Exposición indivual beca Manuel Rivera. Palacio de los Condes de Gabia. Diputación de Granada.(Catalogo)

Continuará.. Exposición individual.Caja San Fernando. Sevilla.Cadiz, La Línea, Jerez (Catálogo)

IN-OUT. HISK. Amberes. Bélgica.

**2001**

Young Malaga Artists 2001, Ayuntamiento de Malaga, Malaga, Spain

Art Premier 2001, Dordrecht, The Netherlands

Kunst in the Keet. Krot & Co. Ossendrecht, The Netherlands

Interferences. De Overslag. Artixocla, Ghent, Belgium

**2000**

Salon Expositie, ABN-AMRO Bank, Tilburg, The Netherlands

Textile 2000, Close to the body, AVB, Tilburg, The Netherlands

Moveri Project, Personal Atelier, Tilburg, The Netherlands

Final Exhibition Master Program, Charlotte Landgoed, Tilburg, The Netherlands

**1999**

VI Biannual of Young European and Mediterranean Countries Artists, Roma, Italy

Instalaciones. Federico Garcia Lorca´s house, Valderrubio Granada, Spain

Weg van Lourdes. Lourdes Church. Tilburg, The Netherlands

Muestra Joven:Jovenes Creadores Andaluces, Palacio Episcopal. Malaga, Spain

Aduana 99. Biannual of Contemporary Art, Diputacion de Cadiz. Spain

DAGFRA. The Fabriek and Atelier Daglicht, Eindhoven, The Netherlands

//Public Collections

ARTIUM . Museo Vasco de Arte Contemporáneo. Álava, Spain

MACBA, Barcelona, Spain

Fondation Francès, Senlis, France

ARTER, Istanbul, Turkey

CAC. Centro de Arte Contemporáneo. Malaga , Spain

Maison Particuliere Art Center, Brussels, Belgium

MAS. Museo de Arte Contemporáneo de Santander, Spain

Museum Biedermann. Donaueschingen, Germany

Ministerio de Cultura de España, Spain

Progress Art, Saudi Arabia

Colección Caja Madrid, Spain

National Belgium Bank. Belgium

21c Museum, Kentucky, USA

Colección DKV, Spain

Colección de fotografía de Alcobendas, Spain

Iniciarte. Junta de Andalucía, Spain

MAK. Vienna, Austria

CAC. Centro Andaluz de Arte Contemporáneo. Sevilla, Spain

Frans Masereel Centrum. Belgium

Caja Sol, Sevilla, Spain

Diputación de Huelva, Spain

Diputación de Málaga, Spain

Ayuntamiento de Málaga, Spain

IAJ. Instituto Andaluz de la Juventud, Spain

Space Collection. Belgium

Unicaja Bank Collection, Spain