

LOS CARPINTEROS

Los Carpinteros live and work in Havana, Cuba

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Education

1995 Graduate from the Superior Art Institute of Havana, Cuba

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Selected Solo Exhibitions

- 2015 *Parasol Unit Foundation for Contemporary Art*, London, UK
Globe, Victoria & Albert Museum, London, UK
Museo de Arte Contemporáneo de Monterrey, Nuevo León, Mexico
Galeria Fortes Vilaça, São Paulo, Brazil
Ocupacion//Occupation Colateral XII Bienal de La Habana, Estudio de Los Carpinteros, Havana, Cuba
- 2014 *Bazar*, Ivorypress Space, Madrid, Spain
Pellejo, Prefix Institute of Contemporary Art, Toronto, Canada
Cardboard Beach, Luminato Festival, Toronto, Canada
Yelmo, Folkwang Museum, Essen, Germany
Globo, Victoria & Albert Museum, London, UK
- 2013 *Los Carpinteros | Heterotopias*, Edouard Malingue Gallery, Hong Kong
Pataphysics, A theoretical exhibition, Sean Kelly Gallery, New York, USA
Everywhere but now, Central Exhibition at the 4th Biennial of Thessaloniki, Greece
Bola de Pelo, Galerie Peter Kilchmann, Zurich, Switzerland
Moving Norman Foster on Art, Carré d'Art. Musée d'art Contemporain de Nimes, France
Irreversible, Sean Kelly Gallery, New York, USA
Politics: I don't like it but it likes me, Laznia Centre for Contemporary Art, Gdaks, Poland

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- Candela*. Abierto por Obras, Matadero de Madrid, Spain
- 2012 *Los Carpinteros at Project Space*, Galerie Peter Kilchmann, Zurich, Switzerland.
Los Carpinteros, Faena Art Center, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Silence your eyes, Kunstmuseum Thun, Thun, Switzerland.
- 2011 *Los Carpinteros. Handwork-Constructing the world*. Obres de la col.lecció Thyssen - Bornemisza Art Contemporary. Es Baluard Museu d' Art Modern i Contemporani de Palma.Mallorca, Spain.
Casa e Aviao, Fortes Vilaça Gallery, Sao Paulo, Brazil
El gran Picnic, Galeria Habana, Havana, Cuba
Rumba Muerta, Sean Kelly Gallery, New York, New York
- 2010 *Drama Turquesa*, Ivorypress, Madrid, Spain
Centro Dragão do Mar de Arte e Cultura, Fortaleza, Brasil
Galpão Fortes Vilaça, São Paulo, Brasil
Opener 19: Los Carpinteros, Tang Teaching Museum, Saratoga Springs, New York
- 2008 *Los Carpinteros, La Montaña Rusa*, Sean Kelly Gallery, New York, New York
La Montaña Rusa, Sean Kelly Gallery, New York, New York
Sub-Urbano, Galpão Fortes Vilaça, São Paulo, Brasil
- 2007 *New Dimensions*, John Berggruen Gallery, San Francisco, California
Primitivism Revisited, After the End of an Idea, Sean Kelly Gallery, New York, New York
- 2006 *Sel et Poivre*, Galerie In SITU, Paris, France
Faro Tumbado, Galería Habana, Havana, Cuba
Los Carpinteros, Contemporaneamente, Milan, Italy
Los Carpinteros, Unosunove and IILA, Rome, Italy
- 2005 *Los Carpinteros: Inventing the World / Inventar el mundo*, USF Contemporary Art Center, South Florida University, Tampa, Florida; Chicago Cultural Center, Chicago, Illinois; Contemporary Arts Center, Cincinnati, Ohio
En el Jardín, Fortes Vilaça Gallery, São Paulo, Brazil
- 2004 *Downtown*, Anthony Grant Inc., New York, New York
Manual de Trabajo, dibujos. Esculturas Recientes, Galería Servando Cabrera, Havana, Cuba

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- 2003 *Novos Desenhos*, Galeria Fortes Vilaça, São Paulo, Brazil
Fluido, Museo Nacional de Bellas Artes, Havana, Cuba
- 2002 *Los Carpinteros' intervention at B. Opening*, Baltic The Center for Contemporary Art, New Castle, United Kingdom
Ciudad Transportable, Contemporary Art Museum of Hawaii, Honolulu, Hawaii
- 2001 *Túneles Populares*, Palacio de Abrahante, Salamanca, Spain
Los Carpinteros, Galeria Camargo VilaVa, São Paulo, Brazil
Ciudad Transportable, PS1 Contemporary Art Center, New York, New York
Los Carpinteros, Grant Selwyn Fine Art, Los Angeles, California
Ciudad Transportable, Los Angeles County Museum of Art, Los Angeles, California
Los Carpinteros, San Francisco Art Institute, San Francisco, California
- 2000 *Los Carpinteros*, Grant Selwyn Fine Art, Los Angeles, California
- 1999 *Tania Bruguera/Los Carpinteros*, Vera Van Laer Galerie, Antwerp, Belgium
- 1998 *Los Carpinteros. Project Room, Feria Internacional de Arte Contemporáneo ARCO'98*, Parque Ferial Juan Carlos I, Madrid, Spain
Mecánica Popular, Galería Habana, Havana, Cuba
Los Carpinteros, Ludwig Forum für Internationale Kunst, Aachen, Kunsthalle, Berlin, Germany
Bili Bidjocka/Los Carpinteros/Rivane Neuenschwande, The New Museum of Contemporary Art, New York, New York
Los Carpinteros, Iturralde Gallery, Los Angeles, California
- 1997 *Construimos el puente para que cruce la gente, construimos paredes para que el sol no llegue*, Galería Angel Romero, Madrid, Spain
Viejos métodos para nuevas deudas, Convento de San Francisco de Asís, Havana, Cuba
- 1996 *Todo ha sido reducido a la mitad del original*, Castillo de los Tres Reyes del Morro, Havana, Cuba
- 1995 *Carpinteros. Obra Reciente*, Galería Angel Romero, Madrid, Spain
Ingeniería Civil, Galería Habana, Havana, Cuba
- 1992 *Arte-sano [Fernando Rodríguez Falcón/Alexandre Arrechea/Dagoberto Rodríguez]*, Casa del Joven Creador, Havana, Cuba

No sitios pintados, Galería Arte 7, Complejo Cultural Cinematográfico
Yara, Havana, Cuba
Pintura de Caballete, Centro de Arte 23 y 12, Havana, Cuba

1991 *Para Usted*, Fábrica de Tabacos Partagás, Havana, Cuba

Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2015 La Tercera Orilla, Kir Royal Gallery/Universidad Politécnica de Valencia.
Valencia, Spain
Contingent Beauty: Contemporary Art from Latin America, Museum of Fine
Arts, Houston, Texas, U.S.A.
Sleepless. Beds in History and Contemporary Art, 21er Haus, Wien, Austria
By the Book, Sean Kelly Gallery, New York, NY
Daros Latinamerica, Fundacion PROA, Buenos Aires, Argentina
Drawing Now, Albertina Museum, Austria, Vienna
- 2014 *Before Day Break*, Scotiabank Nuit Blanche, Toronto, Canada
Triennale of Contemporary Art, Sion, Switzerland
Contemporary Drawings from the National Gallery of Canada, Mendel Art
Gallery in Saskatoon, Canada
Illusions, Daros Exhibitions, Latinamerica, Zurich, Switzerland
Buildering: Misbehaving The City, Blaffer Gallery, The Art Museum of the
University of Houston, Houston, TX
- 2013 *The Ghost of Architecture: Recent and Promised Gifts*, Henry Art Gallery,
University of Washington, USA
- 2012 *Cartografías Contemporáneas. Dibujando el Pensamiento*, Caixa Forum
Barcelona, Barcelona, Spain
Art Parcours, Predigerkirche, Basel, Switzerland
Art and the City, Zurich, Switzerland
XI Havana Biennale, Havana, Cuba
HB2, Pabexpo, Havana, Cuba
Caos, Galeria Habana, Havana, Cuba
- 2011 *L'art del Menjar. De la natura morta a Ferrán Adriá*, La Pedrera,
Barcelona, Spain
Sala de Juntas, STAND El País, ARCO2011, Madrid, Spain
Conversations, John Berggruen Gallery, San Francisco, California
- 2010 *Puntos de Fuga. Arquitecturas posibles*, Museo de Arte Moderno de
Medellín, Colombia
Pasajes. Viajes por el hiper-espacio, Laboral Centro de Arte y Creación
Industrial and Thyssen Bornemizsa Art Contemporary. Gijon, Spain
Lugar Algum, SESC Pinheiros, Sao Paulo, Brazil

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- 100 Acres: The Virginia B. Fairbanks Art and Nature Park*, Indianapolis Museum of Art, Indianapolis, Indiana
New Décor Hayward Gallery, London, United Kingdom
Al calor del pensamiento. Obras de la Daros Latinamerica Collection, Sala de Arte Ciudad Grupo Santander, Madrid, Spain
- 2009 *Confluencias Inside*, National Hispanic Cultural Center Art Museum Albuquerque, New Mexico, Mexico
Automatic Cities: The Architectural Imaginary in Contemporary Art, Museum of Contemporary Art, San Diego, California
The Kaleidoscopic Eye: Thyssen-Bornemisza Art Contemporary Collection, Mori Art Museum, Tokyo, Japan
HB Arte Contemporáneo Cubano, Pabexpo, Havana, Cuba. During 10th Havana Biennial, Havana, Cuba
Mutual: On Collaboration, Samson, Boston, Massachusetts
- 2008 *Cuba. Art et Histoire. De 1868 a nos jours*, Musée des Beaux-Arts de Montréal in collaboration with Museo Nacional de Bellas Artes and Fototeca de Cuba, Pavillon Jean-Noel Desmarais, Montréal, Canada
Surrounded By Water: Contemporary Cuban Art, Boston University Art Gallery, Boston, Massachusetts
Thyssen-Bornemisza Art Contemporary. Collection as Aleph, Kunsthaus Graz, Landesmuseum Joanneum, Graz, Austria
Psycho Buildings: Artists Take On Architecture, Hayward Gallery, London, United Kingdom
The Way Things Are... Works from the Thyssen-Bornemisza Art Contemporary Collection, Center of Contemporary Art Znaki Czasy, Torun, Poland
- 2007 *New Dimensions*, John Berggruen Gallery, San Francisco, California
- 2006 *Havana Factory*, Á Chocolatería, Santiago de Compostela, Spain
Nuit Blanche, Paris, France
Arte de Cuba, Centro Cultural Banco do Brasil, São Paulo, Brazil; Centro Cultural Banco do Brasil, Río de Janeiro, Brazil; Centro Cultural Banco do Brasil, Brasilia, Brazil
La Huella Múltiple, Convento San Francisco de Asís, Havana, Cuba
Collateral to Dinámicas de la Cultura Urbana, 9th Havana Biennial, Havana, Cuba
- 2005 *Manipulations on Economies of Deceit*, Prague Biennale of Contemporary Art, Prague, Czech Republic; Laznia Centre for Contemporary Art, Gdansk, Poland
Biennale de Venecia, ILLA Pavilion; Palazzo Franchetti, Venice, Italy.

- Arte Américas*, UPAEP/União Postal das, Spain and Portugal, Río de Janeiro, Brazil
Desedos Fluidos. Positions Between Reality and Fantasy in Cuban and Brazilian Art, Thyssen-Bornemisza Art Contemporary, Vienna, Austria
The Hours. Visual Arts of Contemporary Latin America, Irish Museum of Modern Art, Dublin, Ireland
4to Salón de Arte Contemporáneo, Centro de Desarrollo de las Artes Visuales, Havana, Cuba
- 2004 *Paper*, Barbara Mathes Gallery, New York, New York
Ahora es el Futuro/The future is now. Contemporary Cuban Artists – Part I, The Durst Organization with Paul Sharpe Contemporary Art PSCA, New York City, New York
MOMA at El Museo. Latin American and Caribbean Art from the Collection of the Museum of Modern Art, Museum of Modern Art and El Museo del Barrio, New York, New York
Just On Time, Galería Habana, Havana, Cuba
Islands, Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, Rhode Island
Art and Architecture 1900-2000, Palazzo Ducale, Padua, Italy
Miami Art Basel, Miami, Florida
- 2003 *Rest in Space*, Künstlerhaus Bethanien, Berlin, Germany
Dreamspaces – Entresueños, Deutsche Bank Lobby Gallery, New York, New York
Sentido Común, Galería Habana, Havana, Cuba
Kaap Helder, Oude Rijkswerf Willemsoord (ORW), Den Helder, Holland
Stretch, The Power Plant Contemporary Art Gallery, Toronto, Canada
4ta Bienal de Artes Visuales de Mercosur, Porto Alegre, Brazil
- 2002 *Shanghai Biennale*, Shanghai Art Museum, Shanghai, China
Drawing Now: Eight Propositions, Museum of Modern Art, New York, New York
Rest in Space, Kunstnernes Hus, Oslo, Norway
Dwelling Project, Gallery Optica, Montreal, Canada
With Eyes of Stone and Water, Helsinki Art Museum, Helsinki, Finland
The 25th Bienal de Sao Paulo, Sao Paulo, Brazil
- 2001 *Valencia*, Valencia, Spain
- 2000 *Playground & Toys. An International Project for Art for the World*, Geneva, Switzerland
Christian Andersen Museum, Rome, Italy; travelled to New York
7ma Bienal de La Habana, Fortaleza de la Cabaña, Havana, Cuba

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- 1999 *Arte Cubano. Obra sobre papel*, Centro Cultural Conde Duque, Madrid, Spain
- 1998 *Trasatlántico*, Centro Atlántico de Arte Moderno (CAAM), Las Palmas de Gran Canaria, Spain
The Garden of Forking Path, Kunstforeningen, Copenhagen, Denmark; Nordjyllands Kunstmuseum, Aalborg, Denmark; Edsvik Konst & Kultur, Sollentuna, Sweden; Helsinki City Art Museum, Helsinki, Finland
The Edge of Awareness, WHO's Headquarters, Geneva, Switzerland; PS1, New York, New York; SESC de Pompeia, Sao Paulo, Brazil; New Delhi, India, Triennale di Milano, Milan, Italy
Barro de América. III Bienal Latinoamericana de Arte, Museo de Bellas Artes, Caracas, Venezuela
La Dirección de la mirada, Stadhaus, Zurich; Musée de Beaux Arts, La Chaux-des-Fonds; Switzerland
Contemporary Art from Cuba: Irony and Survival on the Utopian Island, Arizona State University, ASU Museum, Tempe, Arizona, Yerba Buena Center for the Arts, San Francisco, California
- 1997 *The Rest of the World*, Haus der Kulturen der Welt, Berlin, Germany
Zona Vedada, private residence, Calle 8 y 13, Vedado, Havana, Cuba
Arte y Ciudad. Festival Internacional de Arte, Museo de Arte Moderno, Medellín, Colombia
Así está la cosa. Instalación y arte objeto en América Latina, Centro Cultural Arte Contemporáneo A.C., Mexico City, México
- 1996 *Feria Internacional de Arte Contemporáneo Arco'96*, Pabellón de Cristal, Madrid, Spain
Mundo Soñado. Joven Plástica Cubana, Casa de América, Madrid, Spain
Río Almendares. Ni fresa, ni chocolate, Centro de Conservación, Restauración y Museología (CENCREM), Havana, Cuba
Domestic Partnerships: New Impulses in Decorative Arts from the Americas, Art in General, New York, New York
Family. Nation. Tribe. Community. Shift. Haus der Kulturen der Welt, Berlin, Germany
- 1995 *New Art from Cuba*, Whitechapel Art Gallery, London, Tullie House Museum and Art Gallery, Carlisle, Cumbria, United Kingdom
Havanna/São Paulo. Junge Kunst aus Lateinamerika, Haus der Kulturen der Welt, Berlin, Germany
Una de Cada Clase. Fundación Ludwig de Cuba, Centro de Conservación, Restauración y Museología (CENCREM), Havana, Cuba
- 1994 *Paisajes*, Galería La Acacia, Havana, Cuba

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- Utopía*, Galería Espada, Casa del Joven Creador, Havana, Cuba
Artistas cubanos invitados a la Quinta Bienal de La Habana 1994, Centro Wifredo Lam, Havana, Cuba
Multimedios (collateral to la *Quinta Bienal de La Habana*), Galería Plaza Vieja, Fondo Cubano de Bienes Culturales, Havana, Cuba
XI Bienal Internacional de Arte Valparaíso, Galería Municipal de Arte, Valparaíso, Chile
- 1993 *Las metáforas del templo*, Centro de Desarrollo de las Artes Visuales, Havana, Cuba
Nacido en Cuba, Centro Cultural Mexiquense, Ex Hacienda La Pila, Toluca, Estado de México, México
- 1992 *Cambio de Bola*, Galería Habana, Havana, Cuba
- 1991 *Miss Expo*, Galería "El Pasillo", Instituto Superior de Arte (ISA), La Habana, Cuba
Si TIM tiene TIM vale (collateral to la *Cuarta Bienal de La Habana*) Galería
El Pasillo, Instituto Superior de Arte (ISA), Havana, Cuba
- 1990 *El Objeto Esculturado*, Centro de Desarrollo de las Artes Visuales, Havana, Cuba

Awards

- 2002 *Medalla por la Cultura Nacional*, Ministerio de Cultura. Havana, Cuba.
- 2000 *Premio Fomento de las Artes, UNESCO. 7ma Bienal de La Habana.* Havana, Cuba.
- 1997 Premio de encuesta popular, Revista El Mundo. Feria ARCO. Madrid, Spain.
Endowment. Departamento de Exposiciones y Colecciones, Ministerio de Cultura Español. Madrid, Spain.

Collections

Arizona State University, ASU Art Museum, Arizona,
Centro de Arte Contemporáneo Reina Sofía, Madrid, Spain.
Centro Cultural Arte Contemporáneo A.C., Mexico City, México
Daros Foundation, Zürich, Switzerland
Fundación ARCO, Museo Galego de Arte Contemporáneo, Spain
Los Angeles County Museum of Art LACMA, Los Angeles, California
Ludwig Forum für Internationale Kunst, Aachen, Germany
Museum of Modern Art, MOMA, New York, New York
Museo Nacional de Bellas Artes, Havana, Cuba

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Ulrich Museum, Wichita State University, Kansas
University of California at Santa Barbara Museum, California
Fredrick Weissman Foundation Beverly Hills, California
Cincinnati Museum of Contemporary Art Cincinnati, Ohio

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