

DIANA BELTRAN

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STATEMENT

I consider myself a full-time visual consumer. I have explored various artistic languages, recognizing myself in sculpture, in engraving and mainly in photography. In it, I restructure a new dimension and become an architect of bodies. I assemble photographs to find another truth. Photography is an illusion, a fictional reality. The guiding thread of my work is the construction of portraits and own identities. Each individual in his constant becoming led me to think about the fragility, structure and meaning of the body, as skin, as flesh, as deformable and modifiable figure. A political being, a son of his environment, of violence, of his own existential being, I am not talking about someone in particular, is any being that I see, that I am.

BIO

Diana Beltran was born in Bogota in 1978. She acquires the title of Master of Fine Arts at the National University of Colombia.

Beltran's work has been steady and wide, identified mainly in photography. She has had solo and group exhibitions in Colombia, Spain, USA, Germany, Peru, Venezuela and Singapore. Her work belongs to different collections of Chile, Colombia, USA, Panama, Spain, Peru and London.

Her first exhibition was in the Art Museum of the National University in a collective curated by Gustavo Zalamea, exhibiting her work with the leading figures of Colombian art as Beatriz Gonzalez and Bernardo Salcedo. After graduating with honors, she travels to Spain, where she makes a master's degree in fine art photography in EFTI School in Madrid, participating with her degree's work in Photoespaña2008. In the same year she wins the first prize of photography Novel Dove. In 2010 she returns to Colombia with an exhibition at the Chamber of Commerce entitled Photo Dimensions. In 2013 she participates in the exhibition Emerging Generation curated by Eduardo Serrano. Since then, Beltran exhibits regularly, focusing her work in a wide concept of photography and the existentialism of being. Currently she lives and works in Bogotá.

EDUCATION:

2008

MA in Photography
EFTI Madrid, Spain

2006

Faculty of Arts
National University of Colombia

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2018 *Entidades Duales*, Casa Cano Gallery. Bogota

2014 *La Ventana* Gallery. Bogota

2012 *Con_tacto*. Galería MÜ. Bogota

2008 *Donde reside la belleza*. EFTI ShowRoom. Madrid, Spain

JOINT EXHIBITIONS

2021 *Look Around*, with Liliana Toro and Martha Rivero in Proceso Art. Bogota

2019 *Definiciones Propias* in Estudio 74, with Miler Lagos and Rodrigo Echeverri. Bogota

2016 *Deconstrucciones*, CasaCano Gallery. Bogota

2009 *Photographic Dimensions*. Curated by Eduardo Serrano. Chamber of Commerce of Bogota
It's a Matter of Focus. Colombian Hispanic Center. Villaverde, Spain

2007 *Click 3*. El Garaje Gallery. Bogota, Colombia

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2021

Art Sunset Crónica Space. Bogota (upcoming)

Aura Arte Gallery. Medellín

Art Hunter Gallery. Bogota

Habitar el arte, Adrian Ibañez Gallery. Tabio, Colombia

2020

Art fair *SieteCinco*, Elsa Piñeres Gallery. Barranquilla, Colombia.

Artbo Artfair, Adrian Ibañez Gallery. Bogota

Abierto, Nuevos Nombres. Adrian Ibañez Gallery. Tabio, Colombia.

La Feria del Millón Virtual. Bogota

Opera de Colombia Auction. Bogota

Museo Nacional Auction. Bogota

Arte en cuarentena, Arte y Conexión Virtual space. Bogota

Fin de semana Artbo, San Felipe, Estudio 74 Gallery, Bogota

2019

Art fair *SieteCinco*, Elsa Piñeres Gallery. Barranquilla, Colombia.

Gallery CasaCano. Bogota, Colombia

Art fair *Barcu*, Montenegro Art Projects. Bogota, Colombia

Art fair *Barcu*, Okyo Gallery. Bogota, Colombia

Gallery Night San Felipe, Estudio 74, Bogota

In temporal, Zona L Gallery. Bogota

2018

Art fair *SieteCinco*, Elsa Piñeres Gallery. Barranquilla, Colombia.

ArteAlto Gallery. Medellín, Colombia

Art fair *Barcu*, Gallery CasaCano. Bogota, Colombia
Artistas, mujeres en el arte contemporáneo. Adrian Ibañez Gallery. Tabio, Colombia
Camino al andar, showroom CCEE Reyes Católicos. Spain Embassy.
Los Candidatos se exponen, Casa Cano Gallery. Bogota
Art-Lima, LGM Gallery. Lima, Peru
Il Bienal de Sur, Pueblos en Resistencia. Museum of contemporary art Caracas, Venezuela

2017

Mex-Call, Gabriel García Márquez Cultural Center. Bogota, Colombia
Barcú Art Fair, LGM Gallery. Bogota, Colombia
Al Limite sin Limites Collection. Arte al Límite. Chile
Art-Lima. Peru
Wynwood. LGM Gallery. Miami EEUU
Cuerpo a Cuerpo, *Poliedro* Independent space. Tabio, Colombia

2016

Barcu Art fair, LGM Gallery. Bogota
Homo Collector, *Poliedro* Independent space. Tabio, Colombia
NordArt2016. Büdelsdorf, Germany
Lima-Photo. *Okyo* Gallery. Peru
Afuera, *Poliedro* Independent space. Tabio, Colombia
Art-Lima, LGM Gallery. Lima, Peru
ArtStage, Singapur. LGM Gallery

2015

Art Context, LGM Gallery. Miami. EEUU
ArtSevilla, Spain
Barcu Art fair, LGM Gallery. Bogota
Casa Cano Auction. Bogota
No hay mal que dure cien años. *Textura* Creative Center, Bogota
Art-Lima. *Okyo* Gallery. Peru
JustMad06, Off Axis Colombia. Madrid, Spain
Art-Cartagena, *Okyo* Gallery. Colombia

2014

Imagen Regional 8. Republic Bank Showroom. Colombia
Okyo Gallery, Caracas, Venezuela
Sincronía Art Fair, Bogota
23 Iberoamericana Art fair. Caracas, Venezuela
SouthHampton Art Fair, New York, EEUU
Vitrina de Arte, FUGA. Bogota
La Metro Auction. Nueveochenta Gallery

2013

Lalocalidad Gallery's auction. Bogota
Odeon Contemporary Art Fair. Bogota
6º Salón de Arte Bidimensional. FUGA. Bogota
Periscope. Alzate Avendaño Foundation. Bogota
Even the Cat. Galería El Garaje. Bogota
Surgery Society Museum. Bogota
El cine del Arte, 30º Movie Festival Auction. Casa Schaller. Bogota
Emerging Generation. Eduardo Serrano curator. Cero Galería, Bogota

2012

Odeon Contemporary Art Fair. Bogota

Salón MÜ. Galería MÜ. Bogota

Miti-Miti2. Galería El Garaje. Bogota

2011

¼ Art Gallery, Bogota

Pathology, Anatomy and Contemporary Art. Surgery Society Museum, Bogota

2010

*CHIC*1 Format.* Cero Galería, Bogota

Furtive spaces. Intervention Continental, Bogota

III Young Artist Salon Colsanitas. Galería La Cometa. Bogota, Colombia

ARthropods. Surgery Society Museum, Bogota

2009

Vortice X. Municipal Center of Culture of Castellon. Castellon, Spain

2008

PhotoEspaña 2008. Madrid, Spain

De tal palo tal astilla. Tarazona, Spain

Selection 08. Alcorcon, Spain

2007

Fernando Botero Award. Claustro Enseñanza, Bogota, Colombia

Giacomettis o Langarutos. Galería El Garaje. Bogota, Colombia

2006

Sobre Papel. Art Room Gallery. Bogota, Colombia

Latin Lover. El Garaje Gallery. Bogota, Colombia

Libro Arte. National University of Colombia Art Museum. Bogota, Colombia

II National Art Contest French Alliance. El Museo Gallery. Bogota, Colombia

2005

Opening Fernando Botero Award. Bogota, Colombia

2004

Citiexposiciones. Citibank. Bogota, Colombia

Young Colombian Artists Foundation. Bogota, Colombia

XXXI Cano Salon. National University of Colombia Art Museum. Bogota, Colombia

2003

Senderos. Curated by Maria Helena Bernal and Cristobal Shlenker. Exhibition in the University field. Bogota, Colombia

XXX Cano Salon. National University of Colombia Art Museum. Bogota, Colombia

2002

Portable. Curated by Gustavo Zalamea. National University of Colombia Art Museum. Bogota, Colombia

AWARDS AND DISTINCTIONS

2014 Winner Arts Showcase with Idartes's program Bogotá FUGA

2010 Honorable Mention, III Young Artist Salon Colsanitas. Bogota, Colombia

2008 Winner I Nobel Photography Dove's Prize, Madrid (Spain)

2008 Special Mention, Masters in Photography EFTI, Madrid (Spain)

2007 Degree of Honor, National University of Colombia

2006 Meritory Thesis, Graduate students exhibition, National University of Colombia

2003 Honorable Mention, XXX Cano Salon, Bogota (Colombia)

CATALOGUES

- 2018 *Entidades Duales*, Casa Cano Gallery
- 2018 II Bienal del Sur
- 2016 NordArt Catalogue
- 2015 ArtSevilla Catalogue
- 2015 Casa Cano Auction
- 2014 Sincronía Art Fair
- 2014 La Metro Auction
- 2013 Odeon Contemporary Art Fair
- 2013 *6º Salón de Arte Bidimensional*
- 2013 *Belleza y Artificio*
- 2013 *Emerging Generation*
- 2012 Odeon Contemporary Art Fair
- 2010 III Young Artist Salon Colsanitas
- 2009 *Photographic Dimensions*
- 2008 *De tal palo tal astilla*
- 2008 *Seleccion08*
- 2007 *Fernando Botero Award*
- 2006 *Degree Works National University*
- 2004 *Citiexposiciones*
- 2002 *Portable*

LECTURES

- 2018 *Entidades Duales*, Casa Cano Gallery
- 2016 Fotojueves Ed.7
- 2015 Workshop Slideluck, Planetarium of Bogota
- 2014 *Días temáticos*, Invitation by Professor Julián Aldana
- 2014 Women Artist Lectures Series, ZonaCinco
- 2013 International College, Invitation by Professor Pamela Leon
- 2013 Photography specialization National University, Chromatic Variations Lectures
- 2013 Workshop 5 invitation by Professor Castel Diaz
- 2013 Fine Art Lecture Series, ZonaCinco – Galería MÜ
- 2012 National University, Invitation by Professor Ana Adarve
- 2012 Solo exhibition Galería MÜ
- 2011 Universidad Javeriana, Invitation by Professor Santiago Garcia

PHOTO EDITORIALS

Orlan <http://www.scielo.org.co/pdf/noma/n38/n38a13.pdf>

NEWS

2021

<https://www.las2orillas.co/como-el-mundo-de-la-imagen-tiene-otro-destino/> By AnaMaria Escallón
<https://www.facebook.com/diana.m.beltran.g/videos/609570436679294> press Caracol Channel

2020

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9GsLiGHQeWM> El juego de la identidad MAP

<https://www.facebook.com/arteriap/videos/2594720214190130/UzpfSTU4ODQ4NDQwMT0xMDE1ODYwMDQ2MjYyOTQwMg/> Otro día mas periódico arteria

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=avL3NgJadUE> Inaudita radial entrevista Otros Mundos

<https://vivirenelpoblado.com/exposicion-la-esencia-de-la-imagen-en-la-galeria-arte-alto/>

<https://artemapaz.org/es/event/diana-beltran-mid-career-retrospective/>

2019

Entrevista Arteria, el tinto envenenado. Feria Barcu 2019

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aH6lvHHd_1s&list=LLTrwtN67dwXLvKokPsC4ezA

<https://www.artealto.com/diana-beltran>

2018

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https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vWeJpYqEJZY&fbclid=IwAR3ZU8QTuTVUjrrGwtKuSdvZm0mira3DFF-kR9OWKho_NDzL0hzcusnMZY0

<https://culturabogota.com/entidades-duales-exposicion-la-artista-diana-beltran/>

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Nota editorial de Paula Muñoz en Canal Uno, Noticiero Primera Hora (2h 17 min)

<https://canal1.com.co/emision/primera-hora-8-mayo-2018/>

<http://www.colarte.com/colarte/ConsPintores.asp?idartista=27524&pest=busqueda>

2017

<http://www.castelmagazine.com/entrevista-diana-beltran>

<https://www.yumpu.com/es/document/view/58146429/edicion-39-version-latinoamericana/58>

<http://www.revistaenfoquevisual.com/la-buena-fotografia-territorio-de-inconformes/>

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<http://www.arteyconexion.com/directorio-de-artistas/diana-beltran/>

2016

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ieV4fTV3i_w&list=PL5mGICm7Cxkl-2Vh1-o2Ac7BxXiiYF7-O&index=11 - Personaje Panorama

<https://www.facebook.com/PoliedroArts/videos/1171060592918767/>

<http://www.periodicoarteria.com/arte-en-miami-6954>

Revista Enfoque Visual, Edición 33. Pág. 16

<http://www.revistaenfoquevisual.com/el-lado-fotografico-de-las-ferias/>

<https://www.arteallimite.com/2016/05/el-poliedro-del-arte-fuera-de-la-ciudad/>

<http://www.periodicoarteria.com/arte-en-miami-6954>

<http://www.fotografiacolombiana.com/tag/diana-beltran/>

<http://elperiodicodechia.com/region/inauguran-galeria-poliedro-en-tabio-con-la-exposicion-afuera/>

<http://www.elnuevosiglo.com.co/articulos/4-2016-deconstrucciones-cita-de-dos-generaciones.html>

<http://bogota.revistadc.com/casa-cano-presenta-exposicion-deconstrucciones/>

2015

<https://ticartes.wordpress.com/2015/05/03/diana-beltran/>

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2014

<https://ineditad.wordpress.com/2015/03/31/el-arte-contemporaneo-made-in-colombia-nos-conquista/>

<http://slideluck.com/interview-with-diana-beltran/>

<http://www.vanguardist.com/magazin/issue48/index.html?pn=102>

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2013

<http://www.fgaa.gov.co/3er-jueves-con-artistas-del-6%C2%BA-sal%C3%B3n-de-arte-bidimensional#.VBXucy55Or0>

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http://www.fotografiacolombiana.com/galeria-mu-inaugura-la-exposicion-con_tactos/

2011

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