

CAROLINA MARTINEZ

1985. Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil.
Lives and works in Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil.



Throughout her creative process, Martinez investigates architectural spaces and urban surfaces. In her artistic production, she focuses on the viewer's gaze towards empty and seemingly uninhabited spaces. In this way, the artist reveals invisible perspectives - such as the passage of time and light - through paintings, collages, assemblages and site-specific installations.

Education

- 2018 Postgraduate degree in Brazilian History of Art and Architecture.
Pontifícia Universidade Católica – PUC, Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil
- 2016 Seminar "Time and Space in Installation".
Escola de Arte Visuais do Parque Lage – EAV, Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil
- 2013 Research Project, with Glória Ferreira and Luiz Ernesto.
Escola de Artes Visuais do Parque Lage – EAV, Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil
- Summer Course, with Paulo Sérgio Duarte.
Escola de Artes Visuais do Parque Lage – EAV, Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil
- 2012 Study Group, with Ivair Reinaldim.
Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil
- 2010 Advanced Painting Module, with Daniel Senise and Ivair Reinaldim.
Escola de Artes Visuais do Parque Lage – EAV, Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil
- Drawing, with Maria do Carmo Secco.
Escola de Artes Visuais do Parque Lage – EAV, Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil
- 2009 Engraving, with Thereza Miranda.
Escola de Artes Visuais do Parque Lage – EAV, Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil
- Bachelor's degree in Architecture and Urban Planning.
Pontifícia Universidade Católica – PUC, Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil
- 2007 Classes in the disciplines of Architecture, Landscaping and Drawing.
Universidad de Valladolid, Valladolid, Spain

Solo Exhibitions

2023	Todavia, caminhar. Curated by Diego Matos. Galeria Marília Razuk, São Paulo, SP, Brazil
2022	Alvorada (L'Aube). Curated by Fernanda Lopes Galerie Ilian Rebei, Paris, France
2017	Odeón, Portas Vilaseca Galeria - Curated by Jaime Portas Vilaseca. Espacio Odeón, Bogota, Colombia
	SP-Arte, Portas Vilaseca Galeria, Programa Solo - Curated by Luiza Teixeira de Freitas. Pavilhão Ciccillo Matarazzo, São Paulo, SP, Brazil
2016	Aquilo que não conseguia ver - Curated by Ivair Reinaldim. Portas Vilaseca Galeria, Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil
2015	Work in Progress: no lugar do ar - Curated by the artist Galeria Emma Thomas, São Paulo, SP, Brazil
	Fulfillment: Individual pop-up - Curated by Gisela Gueiros. Residency Unlimited, New York, NY, USA
2013	Às Avessas - Curated by Felipe Scovino. Galeria Laura Marsiaj, Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil

Collective Exhibitions

2021	Polígonos, Pórticos, Matéria e Desejo. Curated by Cadu Gonçalves. Galeria Janaina Torres, São Paulo, SP, Brazil
2020	AAA – Antologia de Arte e Arquitetura. Curated by Sol Camacho. Fortes D'aloia & Gabriel, São Paulo, SP, Brazil
2019	AAA, EXPO Chicago com Bergamin & Gomide - Curated by Sol Camacho Navy Pier, Chicago, USA
2018	Aproximações - Curated by Zalinda Cartaxo. Casa de Cultura Laura Alvim, Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil
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	MOLT BÉ! - Curated by Raphael Fonseca. Portas Vilaseca Galeria, Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil
2017	ENTRE - Curated by Fernanda Lopes.

Marquês 456, Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil

2016	O Muro: rever o rumo - Curated by Fernanda Basile Resstom and Daniel de Lavor. Central Galeria, São Paulo, SP, Brazil
	SOMA - Organization: Barrão. Fábrica Bhering, Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil
2015	Atributos do Silêncio - Curated by Felipe Scovino. Galeria Bergamin & Gomide, São Paulo, SP, Brazil
	Seeing through Abstraction - Curated by Shlomit Drod. Residency Unlimited, New York, NY, USA
2014	A Questão do Espaço na Arte - Curated by Glória Ferreira and Luiz Ernesto. Escola de Artes Visuais do Parque Lage – EAV, Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil
2013	Novíssimos - Selection jury: Ivair Reinaldim, Fernanda Lopes, Humberto Farias e Bernardo Mosqueira. Instituto Brasil- Estados Unidos – IBEU, Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil
2012	Somatório Singular - Curated by Cristina Burlamaqui. Galeria Murilo Castro, Belo Horizonte, MG, Brazil
	Programa de Exposições - Invitation: Nilton Campos. Museu de Arte de Ribeirão Preto, Ribeirão Preto, SP, Brazil
2011	Na Bhering - Curated by the artist. Fábrica Bhering, Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil
2010	35º Salão de Arte Contemporânea de Ribeirão Preto – SARP - Selection jury: Carla Chaim, Fernanda Pitta and Josué Mattos. Museu de Arte de Ribeirão Preto, Ribeirão Preto, SP, Brazil

Residencies / Special Projects

2024	Teaching Experience Parque Lage School of Visual Arts, Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil
	Commissions and Public Art Projects Anchieta Grajau Institute, São Paulo, SP, Brazil
2015	Residency Unlimited. New York, NY, USA

Scholarships / Awards

- 2010 35o Salão de Arte Contemporânea de Ribeirão Preto – SARP - Selection jury: Carla Chaim, Fernanda Pitta and Josué Mattos.
Museu de Arte de Ribeirão Preto, Ribeirão Preto, SP, Brazil
- Garimpo Award, Revista Das Artes.
Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil

Collections

Museu Nacional de Belas Artes
Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil

Publications

- 2015 Atributos do Silêncio [catalog].
Galeria Bergamin & Gomide, São Paulo, SP, Brazil
- 2013 Novíssimos [catalog].
Instituto Brasil-Estados Unidos – IBEU, Rio de Janeiro, RJ, Brazil
- 2012 Somatório Singular [brochure].
Galeria Murilo Castro, Belo Horizonte, MG, Brazil