

Pablo Atchugarry

Pablo Atchugarry was born in 1954, in Montevideo, Uruguay. From a young age, Atchugarry began to train as painter and was greatly encouraged by his father who was passionate about the arts.

Atchugarry began exhibiting his paintings at the tender age of eleven, and shortly after he started to explore alternatives to express his creativity.

In 1971 the artist produced his first cement sculpture entitled *Caballo*, and shortly after he participated in various group exhibitions both in Montevideo and Buenos Aires.



After having experimented with diverse materials such as cement, iron and wood, in 1979 Atchugarry went to visit Carrara in Italy and he discovered the extraordinary elegance of marble. This great fascination bought him to create the marble sculpture entitled *La Lumière*.

In 1982, Atchugarry was commissioned by the city of Lecco to create his debut monumental work made of Carrara marble, the great statue of *Pietà* housed at the Basilica of San Nicolò. It was around this time when Atchugarry decided to settle in the Italian city of Lecco. In 1999 Museo Pablo Atchugarry was opened by the city of Sirone, in Brianza (Italy).

In 2001, the city of Milan organized a retrospective of the previous ten years of the artists career, entitled *The infinite evolution of marble*, the exhibition was presented at

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Palazzo Isimbardi. Between 2000 and 2001 Atchugarry worked on the remarkable six metre marble sculpture entitled *Obelisco del Terzo Millennio*, located opposite the bank ‘Cividale del Friuli’ in Manzano, Udine (Italy).

In celebration of his artistic career, in 2002 the artist was awarded the Michelangelo prize in the city of Carrara. In 2003, Atchugarry represented Uruguay at the 50th Biennale di Venezia d’Arte with his installation *Sognando la Pace* which comprised of eight marble sculptures some of which were Carrara marble and others grey Bardiglio marble.

In 2016 he held a solo exhibition “*Pablo Atchugarry. Eternal City, eternal marble*” which took place at the Fori Imperiali Museum and Mercati di Traiano of Rome. This was an important exhibition for Atchugarry in which he exhibited 40 of his works.

Pablo Atchugarry's works have been widely exhibited across various museums, institutions and public spaces around the globe, and he continues to work on an international level. Today, he lives and works between Lecco and Manantiales (Uruguay) where the Foundation of Pablo Atchugarry opened in 2009, housing his sculptures.

Exhibitions:

Solo Exhibitions

2019 The Movement of Light, Galleria d’Arte Contini, Venice, Italy The Evolution of a Dream, Pietrasanta, Italy

2018 Opera Gallery, Paris, France

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2017 Fundación Pablo Atchugarry, Manantiales, Uruguay

Palazzo del Parco, Imperia, Italy

2016 Boon Gallery, Knokke - Heist, Belgium

Hollis Taggart Galleries, New York, USA

Albemarle Gallery, London, UK

2015 Mercati di Traiano - Museo dei Fori Imperiali, Rome, Italy

Expo Internazionale Uruguayan Pavilion, Milan, Italy

Paulo Darzé Galeria de Arte, Salvador de Bahia, Brazil

Costantini Art Gallery, Milan, Italy

Art Stage Singapore, Singapore, Singapore

2014 Bologna Fiere SH Contemporary, Shanghai, China

Museu Brasileiro da Escultura, São Paulo, Brazil

Arte Fiera, Bologna, Italy

Albemarle Gallery, London, UK

2013 Museo MIIT, Turin, Italy

Fundación Pablo Atchugarry, Manantiales, Uruguay

Hollis Taggart Galleries, New York, USA

2012 Albemarle Gallery, London, UK

2011 Hollis Taggart Galleries, New York, USA



2010 Albemarle Gallery,

London, UK

Bienvenu Gallery, New Orleans, USA

2008 Albemarle Gallery, London, UK

Museo Nacional de Artes Visuales, Montevideo, Uruguay

2007 Museu Oscar Niemeyer, Curitiba, Brazil

Museu Brasileiro de Escultura, São Paulo, Brazil

Centro Cultural Banco do Brasil, Brasilia, Brazil

Lagorio Arte Contemporanea, Brescia, Italy

Frey Norris Gallery, San Francisco, USA

2006 Albemarle Gallery, London, UK

Groeninge Museum, Bruges, Belgium

Galeria Sur, Punta del Este - La Barra, Uruguay

Gary Nader Fine Art, Miami, USA

2005 Museo Nacional de Bellas Artes, Buenos Aires, Argentina

Park Ryu Sook Gallery, Seoul, South Korea

Gary Nader Fine Art, Miami, USA

2004 Galeria Tejeria Loppacher, Punta del Este, Uruguay

Galleria Rino Costa, Alessandria, Italy

Villa Monastero, Lecco, Italy

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2003 Fondation Veranneman, Kruishoutem, Belgium

50° Biennale di Venezia- Padiglione dell' Uruguay, Venezia, Italy

Fondazione Abbazia di Rosazzo, Udine, Italy
Galleria Les Chances de l'Art, Bolzano, Italy

2002 Ellequadro Documenti, Genua, Italy

2001 Palazzo Isimbardi, Milan, Italy

Albemarle Gallery, London, UK

Fondazione Il Fiore, Florence, Italy

2000 Galerie Le Point, Monte Carlo, Monaco

1999 Inter- American Development Bank, Washington, USA

1998 Ellequadro Documenti, Genua, Italy

Fondation Veranneman, Kruishoutem, Belgium

1996 Valente Arte Contemporanea, Savona, Italy

1997 Centro Fatebenefratelli, Lecco, Italy

1994 Galleria Nuova Carini, Milan, Italy

1992 Galerie L'Oeil, Bruxelles, Belgium

1991 Galleria Carini, Milan, Italy

1989 Biblioteca Civica di Lecco, Lecco, Italy

1988 Galleria Carini, Milan, Italy

1983 Villa Manzoni, Lecco,
Italy

1982 Galeria Felix, Caracas, Venezuela

Galleria Visconti, Lecco, Italy

Galleria Comunale, Monza, Italy

1981 Ibis Gallery, Malmö, Sweden

Galerie L' Art et la Paix, Paris, France

Galeria la Gruta, Bogota, Colombia

1979 Maison de l' Amerique Latine, Paris, France

1978 Galleria Visconti, Lecco, Italy

Galleria La Colonna, Como, Italy

1974 Galeria Lirolay, Buenos Aires, Argentina

1972 Subte Municipal, Montevideo, Uruguay

Selected group exhibitions

2011 Art First, Bologna, Italy

Tefaf, Maastricht, Netherlands

ArteBa, Buenos Aires, Argentina

2010 Art First, Bologna, Italy

Tefaf, Maastricht, Netherlands

Fiac, Paris, France

2009 Art First, Bologna, Italy



ArteBa, Buenos Aires,

Argentina

Fiac, Paris, France

2008 Arco, Madrid, Spain

2007 Art First, Bologna, Italy

Arco, Madrid, Spain

Galeria Sur, Punta del Este, Uruguay

2006 Hollis Taggart Galleries, New York, USA

ArteFiera, Bologna, Italy

Art London London, UK

Gallery Bienvenu, New Orleans, USA

2005 ArteFiera, Bologna, Italy

Art Basel, Miami, USA

2004 Art London, London, UK Miart, Milan, Italy

Arco, Madrid, Spain

Arte Fiera, Bologna, Italy

2003 Arco, Madrid, Spain

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2002 Galerie Le Point, Monte Carlo, Monaco

Tefaf, Mastricht

Arco, Madrid

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Arte Fiera, Bologna
2001 Tefaf, Maastricht, Netherlands

Arco, Madrid, Spain

Arte Fiera, Bologna, Italy

2000 Xenobio Exhibition, Bologna, Italy

Tefaf, Maastricht, Netherlands

Arco, Madrid, Spain

Arte Fiera, Bologna, Italy

1999 Orion Art Gallery, Bruxelles, Belgium

Art Basel, Basel, Switzerland

Tefaf, Maastricht, Netherlands Arco, Madrid, Spain

Arte Fiera, Bologna, Italy

1998 Biennale di Aldo Roncaglia, Modena, Italia

Scultura 98, Sondrio, Italia

Castle of Bourglinster, Luxembourg, Luxembourg

Arte Fiera, Bologna, Italy

1997 Gildo Pastor Center, Monte Carlo, Monaco

Arte Fiera, Bologna, Italy

1996 Palazzo Ducale, Genua, Italy

1995 Ellequadro Documenti, Genua, Italy

1994 Venice Design Art Gallery, Venezia, Italy

4a Biennal de Sculpture Contemporain, Paris, France

1992 Palazzo Crepadona, Belluno, Italy

9° Salon d' Art Contemporain, Bourg en Bresse, France

1991 Contemporary Art International, Milan, Italy

1990 Simposio di sculture - Castello di Nelson, Catania, Italy

1989 IX Bienal de Arte Internacional Valparaiso, Chile

1988 Ternate Sculture, Varese, Italy

1987 Esibizione Internazionale di sculture Castellanza, Varese, Italy

Esibizione di Arte Sacra- San Francesco, Como, Italy

Esibizione Internazionale " Como Illustrazioni", Como, Italy

7a Esibizione d' Arte Sacra- Basilica San Sempliciano, Milan, Italy

1984 XIX Esibizione Internazionale di Scultura, Legnano, Italy

1a Esibizione di piccole sculture, Varese, Italy

1983 3a Esibizione d' Arte Sacra- Basilica San Sempliciano, Milan, Italy

1980 VII original Drawing Biennal, Rijeca, Bosnia and Erzegovina

1979 "Alessandro Volta" Pittura internazionale, Como, Italy

1977 XL Salón Nacional - Premio Adquisicion, Montevideo, Uruguay

International Exhibition of Applied Arts Bella Center, Copenhagen, Denmark

1976 Galeria Aramayo, Montevideo, Uruguay

Salón de Miniescultura, Montevideo, Uruguay



1975 XVI International Salón

Paris -Sud, Juvisy-sur-Orge, France

1974 XXII Salón Municipal, Montevideo, Uruguay

XV International Salón Paris- Sud, Juvisy-sur-Orge, France

1973 XXVI Salón Nacional de Artes Plásticas, Montevideo, Uruguay

1972 XXVI Salón Municipal de Artes Plásticas, Montevideo, Uruguay

1965 IGE Salón de Artes Plásticas para la juventud, Montevideo, Uruguay

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