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Selected Projects  
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**2018**

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THE OPERA OF CROSS-POLLINATION  
Commission for the first *Riga Bienial: RIBOCA1*  
Riga, Latvia

UNDER THE HORIZON  
Art and Olfaction Awards Winner 2018  
London / Los Angeles

**2017**

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EQUATIONS [OLFACTORY- ACOUSTIC SCULPTURE]  
CAAM \_Centro Atlántico de Arte Moderno  
Sala San Antonio Abad, Las Palmas, Gran Canarias, Spain  
[solo, catalogue]

SCENARIO IN CONSTRUCCION  
Public sculpture commission  
Calle 19, Carrera 3  
Bogotá, Colombia  
Winner of the first Open-Air Museum, international contest for public sculpture in the capital district  
[solo]

**2016**

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CONDUCTOR, SYMPHONY FOR A MUTE BIRD  
Commission for *Todo o Património é Poesia*  
Fórum Eugénio de Almeida  
Évora, Portugal

TRILOGY FOR THREE TIMBRES  
Commission for Museo Universitario Arte Contemporáneo  
Mexico City, Mexico  
[solo]

**2015**

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CALUMNY  
*10th Mercosul Biennial*  
Porto Alegre, Brazil  
[catalogue]

SOMETHING GOING ON ABOVE MY HEAD  
Tate Britain, London  
[solo]

CONFESION  
Commission for *Ocupación, Colateral 12th Bienal de La Habana*  
Estudio de Los Carpinteros, La Habana, Cuba

CONFESSION

*The Smell of War*

De Lovie-Poperinge, Belgium

[catalogue]

GARLIC SOAP

*Belle Haleine - The Scent of Art*

Museum Tinguely

Basel, Switzerland

[catalogue]

**2014**

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TRANSITION

*Here Today*

Old Post Office Building

London, UK

ANESTESIA

Commission for first *Cartagena Biennial of Art*

Cartagena, Colombia

[catalogue]

**2013**

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A LABORATORY OF CYNICAL PERCEPTION

Henrique Faria Fine Art,

NYC, New York, USA

[solo]

THE LIBRARY OF CYNICISM

Chelsea Space

London, UK

[solo, catalogue]

DARFUR

MACRO Audio-festival Helicotrema

Museum of Contemporary Art

Rome, Italy

VESPER

*Cantos Cuentos Colombianos*

Daros Latinoamerica

Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

[catalogue]

**2012**

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MARTINETE

Commission for *Manifesta 9*

Genk, Belgium

[catalogue]

FLYING GLASSHOUSE WITH AN AQUARIUM INSIDE

Galerie Coucou

Kassel, Germany

[solo]

ACTION VERSUS JUSTIFICATIONS/IWUANA  
Kunsthall KAdE  
Amersfoort, Netherlands

FROGS/AMBIGUITY AND AMPHIBIAN  
*Bruce Nauman's Days*  
ICA  
London, UK

## 2011

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SURROUNDED IN TEARS  
*XI Bienal de Cuenca*  
Cuenca, Ecuador  
Winner of First Prize  
[catalogue]

ESCENARIO PARA TRES CIRCUNSTANCIAS A, B, C.  
Museo de Arte Moderno Medellin  
Medellin, Colombia  
[solo]

MARTINETE,  
Commission for 8th *Bienal do Mercosul*  
Porto Alegre, Brazil  
[catalogue]

UNDER THE HORIZON, XVIII  
Rohkunstbau. Macht  
Schloss Marquardt Potsdam  
Berlin, Germany  
[catalogue]

EQUILIBRIUM  
*New Narrative*  
Digital Art Center  
Taipei, Taiwan

EQUILIBRIUM,  
*Robert Mapplethorpe Night Work*  
Alison Jacques Gallery  
London, UK

## 2010

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EQUILIBRIUM  
Espaivisor Gallery  
Valencia, Spain  
[solo]

EQUILIBRIUM  
*Daydreaming with James Lavelle*  
Haunch of Venison  
London, UK

ACTION VERSUS JUSTIFICATIONS/IWUANA  
*Bienal Pontevedra Utopias*  
Pontevedra, Spain

SOMETHING GOING ON ABOVE MY HEAD  
Fundacion Banco Santander  
Madrid, Spain

**2009**

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DARFUR  
Performa 09 Pandora's Sound Box  
White Box Gallery  
NYC, New York, USA

SURROUNDED IN TEARS  
*Nuit Blanche 09*  
Toronto, Canada

THE FOUNTAIN  
*IV Biennale de Jafre*  
Cataluna, Spain

TEN NOTES FOR A HUMAN SYMPHONY  
*2nd Thessaloniki Biennale*  
Thessaloniki, Greece

SOMETHING GOING ON ABOVE MY HEAD  
Pallant House Gallery  
Chichester, UK

SOMETHING GOING ON ABOVE MY HEAD  
Whitechapel Art Gallery  
London, UK

**2008**

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SOMETHING GOING ON ABOVE MY HEAD  
*41 Salon Nacional*  
Cali, Colombia

SOUFFLE  
The Gallery, Sketch,  
London, UK

SOUFFLE  
*Mediation Biennale*  
Poznan, Poland

SMELLSCAPE III  
*Odor Limits*  
Esther M. Klein Gallery  
Philadelphia, USA

VESPER  
Fondation Clement  
Martinique

CALUMNY and SURROUNDED IN TEARS  
Musee D'Art De Joliette  
Quebec, Canada

SOMETHING GOING ON ABOVE MY HEAD  
*Festival de Lanaudiere Joliette*  
Quebec, Canada

DIVERSION END  
Product  
Varna, Bulgaria

## 2007

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CALUMNY and DARFUR  
Fri-Art  
Fribourg, Switzerland

CALUMNY  
Marian Goodman Gallery  
Paris, France

VESPER  
Museum of Contemporary Art  
Sydney, Australia

DARFUR  
*2<sup>nd</sup> Moscow Biennale: Special Project 'We are the future'*  
Moscow, Russia

SURROUNDED IN TEARS  
Telefonica Buenos Aires. Negatec  
Buenos Aires, Argentina

DARFUR  
*'The dog barks, but it makes no difference to the Camel'*  
Madrid Abierto  
Madrid, Spain

CALUMNY  
*Abstraction: Extracting from the World*  
Sheffield Museum, UK

## 2006

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DARFUR  
*Urp! Dieci posizioni tra pubblico e privato*  
Cagliari, Italy  
[catalogue]

SMELLSCAPE  
Museum of Science  
Oxford, UK

SURROUNDED IN TEARS  
*Invisible Worlds*  
Kunstverein Freiburg  
Fribourg, Switzerland

SMELLSCAPE  
*Around the World in Eighty Days*  
South London Gallery  
London, UK  
[catalogue]

## 2005

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### DIVERSION END

Zoo Art Fair  
London Zoo  
London, UK  
[catalogue]

### VESPER

Museum of Modern Art, Dublin, Ireland  
[catalogue]

### SOMETHING GOING ON ABOVE MY HEAD

*51st Venice Biennial*  
Jardin - Palazzo Franchetti  
Venice, Italy  
[catalogue]

### VESPER and SOMETHING GOING ON ABOVE MY HEAD

*Cantos Cuentos Colombianos*  
Daros Collection  
Zurich, Switzerland  
[catalogue]

## 2004

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### SOMETHING GOING ON ABOVE MY HEAD

Animals  
Haunch of Venison  
London, UK  
[catalogue]

### SURROUNDED IN TEARS

with Jasper Morrison & Michael Nyman  
*III Liverpool Biennial*  
Tate Liverpool, Liverpool, UK  
[catalogue]

### VESPER

*Techniques of the Visible: Shanghai Biennale 2004*  
Shanghai, China  
[catalogue]

### E2 7SD

with choreographer Rafael Bonachela  
The Place  
London, UK  
Winner of The Place Prize

## 2003

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### SOMETHING GOING ON ABOVE MY HEAD

The Power Plant, Contemporary Art Gallery  
Toronto, Canada  
[catalogue]

### VESPER

*II Bienal de Lanzarote: El viaje inútil Arrecife*  
Lanzarote, Spain  
[catalogue]

VESPER and ES QUE NO ME OYEN O ES QUE NO ME VEN  
*VIII Bienal de La Habana: El arte con la vida*  
La Habana, Cuba  
[catalogue]

VESPER  
VTO Gallery  
London, UK

SOMETHING GOING ON ABOVE MY HEAD  
Museo Nacional Centro de Arte Reina Sofía  
Madrid, Spain

VESPER,  
with choreographer Rafael Bonachela  
The Place  
London, UK

## 2002

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SOMETHING GOING ON ABOVE MY HEAD  
*AfricAmérica*  
Port-au-Prince, Haïti

PROVOKES / EVOKES, with Jasper Morrison  
Artlab at Imperial College of Science, Technology and Medicine  
London, UK  
[catalogue]

## 2001

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PARA MAÑANA TENDREMOS UN DIA NUBLADO  
*Sinfonía anal auditiva. Tercer Festival Internacional de Arte Sonoro*  
Mexico City, Mexico

SOMETHING GOING ON ABOVE MY HEAD  
I Tirana Biennale  
Tirana, Albania  
[catalogue]

WHO CLEANS WHOM  
Ventana. Office in Madrid  
Madrid, Spain

## 2000

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ALGAE GARDEN  
*Continental Shift*  
Ludwig Forum für Internationale Kunst  
Aachen, Germany  
[catalogue]

SOMETHING GOING ON ABOVE MY HEAD  
12th Century Church of Gamla  
Uppsala, Sweden

## 1999

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SOMETHING GOING ON ABOVE MY HEAD  
ExTeresa Arte Actual, Cartucho  
Mexico City, Mexico

SOMETHING GOING ON ABOVE MY HEAD  
Whitechapel Art Gallery  
London, UK

## 1998

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FROM WITHIN  
Juliet Gallery  
Trieste, Italy  
[catalogue]

## 1996

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BAJANDO CAYENDO  
Museo de Arte Moderno  
Bogotá, Colombia  
[catalogue]

FAMILIARES ANONIMOS  
*Nuevos nombres. La lógica de los sentidos*  
Biblioteca Luis Ángel Arango  
Bogotá, Colombia  
[catalogue]

## 1995

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CLEANAWAY  
*Post Script*  
Lisson Gallery  
London, UK

GARLIC SOAP  
*Ideal Standard Summertime*  
Lisson Gallery  
London, UK

MEMORY SKYP  
Museum of Installation  
London, UK  
[catalogue]

## Education

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1993-94  
MA FINE ART  
Goldsmiths' College, University of London, UK

1990-93  
BA SCULPTURE  
Guildhall University of London, UK

1988-90  
DIPLOMA IN MURAL PAINTING  
Llotja School, Barcelona, Spain

1976-80  
BA FINE ART  
School of Fine Art, Cartagena, Colombia