

DANIELA MEJIA

Colombia, 1962

Slow Art



As if defying the passage of time, Daniela Mejía's works quietly capture a moment of peace and tranquility in nature. Her landscapes inspire serenity, inviting the viewer to pause and simply observe. The slow and deliberate execution of her work mirrors this invitation—each brushstroke is a meditative act, a conscious effort to breathe, reflect, and disregard the relentless passing of time. This cycle of calm, born in the act of painting, does

not end when the work is completed; it lingers, drawing the viewer into contemplation.

Slow art emerges as a response to a fast-paced world that has given rise to fast food, fast art, and fast life. A life that discourages stillness and observation has led to a growing disconnection from nature and a profound disregard for it. It seems that no one has time for things that require time anymore, let alone to gaze at the stars or watch a sunset.

Through the permanence and transformative power of art, Mejía calls on the viewer to reclaim a sense of wonder for nature. After all, nature is deeply tied to memory—our recollections are always linked to a river, a tree, a landscape, or a path. On canvas, nature—ever-changing in reality—becomes still, unaffected by time and human intervention. Water, a recurring element in her work, symbolizes this eternal flow.

Through the powerful tool of art, the artist seeks to restore nature's rightful place in our lives. Only by rekindling our interest in it can we regain the respect it deserves.

EXHIBITIONS

1991

- NOMA Concourse, Japón.

2000

- Casa del Valle, Bogotá, Colombia.

2001

- Club el Nogal, Bogotá, Colombia.

2002

- Club el Nogal, Bogotá, Colombia.

2003

- Nuevos Nombres, Arte Consultores, Bogotá, Colombia.
- Midiendo el Dorado, Archivo general de la nación, Bogotá, Colombia
- Navidarte, Museo de Arte Moderno Bogotá, Colombia.

2004

- Horizontes, Beatriz Esguerra Arte, Bogotá, Colombia.
- La Messura de'l Dorado, Palazzo Santa Croce, Roma, Italia
- Cuestión de corazón, Galería el Museo, Bogotá, Colombia
- Fashion Art, Cartagena, Colombia
- Coleccionarte, Museo de arte moderno, Bogotá, Colombia
- Flora y fauna, pequeño formato, Arteconsultores, Bogotá, Colombia

2005

- Espacios para el arte, JMB y Arteconsultores, Bogotá, Colombia
- ArtBo, Arteconsultores, Bogotá, Colombia

2006

- Atmósferas, Beatriz Esguerra Arte, Bogotá, Colombia

2007

- Subasta American Society, Club El Nogal, Bogotá, Colombia
- Espacios abiertos, colectiva, Bogotá, Colombia
- Pintemos juntos por Colombia, Fundación Matamoros Club El Nogal, Bogotá, Colombia

2007

- El Té, Beatriz Esguerra Arte, Bogotá, Colombia

2008

- Natura, Beatriz Esguerra Arte, Bogotá, Colombia
- Colectiva, Beatriz Esguerra Arte, Bogotá, Colombia
- Pintemos juntos por Colombia, fundacion Matamoros, Club el Nogal, Bogotá. Colombia
- Subasta Grupo de los 16, Ciudad de Mexico, Mexico
- Colectiva de fin de año, Beatriz Esguerra Arte, Bogotá, Colombia

2009

- Noche con las artes, American Society, Bogotá
- Corazón Verde, Bogotá

2010

- Subasta Organización Matamoros, Miami, USA
- Naturalmente, Beatriz Esguerra Arte, Bogotá, Colombia

2014

- Waves of Days, Days of Sand, Beatriz Esguerra Arte, Bogota, Colombia

2015

- Art Wynwood, Miami, Estados Unidos

2016

- Calispone Wine labels, Bibenda Prize for the best wine in Italy 2017

2017

- Edición jaguares para Boots n'Bags
- Maison Art 2017, Bogotá, Colombia
- Fundación Corazón verde-máscaras 2017, Bogotá, Colombia
- Lamazone- El destape-feria de arte y diseño, Bogotá, Colombia
- Subasta Solidarte, Bogotá, Colombia

2018

- Edición Limitada-MaisonArt, Bogotá, Colombia
- Collective Exhibition Pre Art Basel- Art Concept Alternative/ Canvas Miami Gallery, Miami, FL

- Mart- Colectiva . septiembre 2018
- "Amazonas", Galería Lamazone, Bogotá, Colombia
- Boston International Fine Art Show, Art Concept Alternative, octubre 2018
- Women in Art, Art Concept Alternative, Vero Beach, Florida

2019

- Collective, Raw Space, Vero Beach, Florida, julio, 2019
- Edición Limitada, M Art, Bogotá, Colombia
- Subasta A la Rueda Rueda, Bogotá, Colombia
- Artbo Aurora Espacio de Arte, Bogotá, Colombia
- Women by Women, Abbington College Gallery, Pennsylvania, octubre 2019

2020

- Exposición colectiva Galería Baobab, Bogotá, Colombia
- Subasta A la Rueda Rueda, Bogotá, Colombia

2021

- Edición limitada, Mmaison, Bogotá, Colombia
- Ocre Galería, Bogotá, Colombia
- Caracol Televisión artista elegido Navidad 2021, Bogotá, Colombia
- Subasta A la Rueda Rueda, Bogotá, Colombia

2022

- Dog Show, Maison Galería, Bogotá, Colombia
- Subasta Lefebre, Bogotá, Colombia
- Pura vida, Maison Galería, Bogotá, Colombia
- Subasta A la Rueda Rueda, Bogotá, Colombia

2023

- En Serie, Ocre Galería, Bogotá, Colombia
- El paisaje nos une, Christopher Paschall Galería, Bogotá, Colombia
- Subasta A la Rueda Rueda, Bogotá, ColombiA

2024

- Santuarios Beatriz Esguerra Arte, Bogotá, Colombia

2025

- Dallas Art Fair, Beatriz Esguerra Art, Dallas, TX

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Colección JP Morgan

Colección Bancolombia

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