

## ELENA ASCARI

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### CURRICULUM VITAE

Born in Modena in 1981.

Elena is currently based in Modena where she works as both artist and art teacher.

### Education:

- 2009 Harlem Studio Fellowship, New York, USA.
- 2005-2006 Ecole des Beaux Arts et Architecture de Marseille, France.
- 2001-2006 BA and MFA degree (Dist.) Academy of Fine Art Bologna, Italy.
- 1995-2000 Art Institute A. Venturi, Modena, Italy.

### Solo Exhibitions:

2020

*NOise*, Hangar Rosso Tiepido, Modena, Italy.

2009

*Cells*, Harlem Studio Fellowship by MontrasioArte, New York, USA.

2008

*Ouverture-Atto Secondo*, SanSalvatore Art Project, Modena, Italy.

*Soul-Searching*, Area Progetto, Galleria Civica di Modena, Italy.

### Collective Exhibitions:

2021

Mother Earth, Mercurdo 2021, Castelvetro di Modena, Italy.

2020

MASK ART- Creativity under lockdown: Unesco Beirut & Meadows artists against covid-19.

<https://en.unesco.org/news/mask-art-creativity-under-lockdown-unesco-beirut-meadows-artists-against-covid-19>

2019

Hackney WickED Group Show, Fish Island, London, UK.

2018

*Join The Dots/Unire le distanze*, Salone degli Incanti, Trieste, Italy.

*Artifact Prize*, a cura di Metronom Gallery, Castello di Levizzano, Modena, Italy.

2015

*Imago Mundi- Luciano Benetton Collection, Map of the New Art*, Fondazione Giorgio Cini, Venice, Italy.

*Imago Mundi – Luciano Benetton Collection: Praestigium Italia*, Fondazione Sandretto Re Rebaudengo, Turin, Italy.

*Vienna for Art's Sake!* – Winter Palace, Belvedere, Wienn, Austria.

2014

*Nuova Pittura Italiana*, “Fabrica Braco de Prata” Cultural Center, Lisbon, Portugal.

*Nuova Pittura italiana*, Parobrod Cultural Center, Belgrade, Serbia.

*Nuova Pittura Italiana*, Interno 18 Gallery, Cremona, Italy.

*Multipoint*, FOYER Gallery, Nitra, Slovakia.

*Multipoint*, SPP Gallery, Bratislava, Slovakia.

*Multipoint*, Oravska Gallery, Dolny Kubin, Slovakia.

2013

*Nuova pittura Italiana*, Cannaviello Gallery, Milan, Italy.

*Nuova pittura Italiana*, Opere Scelte Gallery, Turin, Italy.

*Nuova pittura Italiana*, Spazio Aquadro, Rome, Italy.

*Nuova pittura Italiana*, Associazione Culturale Luidig, Benevento, Italy.

*Step out of the ordinary*, Univerzum Gallery, Nitra, Slovakia.

2011

*Serious Matter*, Galleria 42 Contemporaneo, Modena, Italy.

*Combat Prize*, Bottini dell'olio, Livorno, Italy.

2010

*Italian Factory Prize* for the young painting in Italy, First Gallery, Rome.

*Razzano Prize for young artists*, Biennial of Benevento, Arcos – Museum of contemporary art in Benevento, Italy.

AW1, Spazio Gerra, Reggio Emilia, Italy.

*Skopje Emilia-Romagna, XIV Biennial of Young Artists from Europe and the Mediterranean 2009*, Palazzo Tassoni, Ferrara, Italy.

2009

*Skopje Biennial of Young Artists from Europe and the Mediterranean*, Skopje, Macedonia.

*Small Art*, Studio Iroko, Milan, Italy.

2008

*Strade BluArte*, Villa Beccadelli Grimaldi, Bologna, Italy.  
*ArtVerona*, Aletti Prize, Galleria De'Foscherari, Verona, Italy.

2007

Galleria Zaion, Lanificio Pria, Biella, Italy.  
*Salerno InVita*, meeting nazionale della creatività giovanile, Complesso monumentale di Santa Sofia, Salerno, Italy.

2005

*Urbana-La città in trasformazione*, Derive metropolitane, Zaion gallery and Museo del Territorio, Biella, Italy.  
*Gemine muse*, Galleria Estense, Modena, Italy.

Awards and Residencies:

2014

*Multipoint* art residency, Nitra, Slovakia.

2012

*Celeste Prize*, catalog selection, painting.

2011

*Combat Prize*, Bottini dell'Olio, Livorno.

2010

*Italian Factory Prize*, First Gallery, Rome, Italy.  
*Mario Razzano Prize*, ARCOS- Museo d'arte contemporanea, Benevento, Italy.  
*Celeste Prize*, catalog selection, painting.

2009

*Harlem Studio Fellowship*, residency program by MontrasioArte, New York.  
*Pagine Bianche d'Autore Prize*, Regione Lombardia, Italy.

2008

*Aletti Prize*, *ArtVerona*, Galleria De'Foscherari, Verona Fairs, Italy.

2007

*Salerno InVita*, national meeting of the youth creativity, Italy.

2005

*Socrates-Erasmus Scholarship*, Ecole des Beaux Art et Architecture, Marseille, France.