



Press Release

Madrid, February the 22nd, 2023

ART MADRID DONATES 4 ARTWORKS TO THE MUSEUM OF CONTEMPORARY ART

- › Art Madrid, which takes place from February the 22nd to the 26th at the Galería de Cristal del Palacio de Cibeles, has made a selection of 4 artworks that will be donated to the Museo de Arte Contemporáneo (MMAC), part of the Madrid City Government.
- › The selected pieces are: 'Riego' by Juana González; 'Chandelier' by Pablo Genoves; 'Cumbre vieja 3, 2022' and 'Verano 049, 2020' by Rafael Canogar.
- › The three Spanish artists will present a career already consolidated in the contemporary art scene of our country and with a significant international presence.

Madrid, February the 22nd, 2023.- The Museum of Contemporary Art will present 4 new artworks in its collection, thanks to the donation made by the ART MADRID fair. The pieces are currently on display at the fair and once finalized, this Sunday, February the 26th, they will be transferred to the museum.

The pieces selected are:

"Riego" by Juana Gonzalez (Arma Gallery) made in oil on canvas in 2021. Juana Gonzalez's work is developed in the disciplines of painting and drawing. The paintings of impressive sizes are stagings of characters involved in mysterious tasks in a complex and original set. Her style is inscribed at the same time in expressionism, surrealism and narrative figuration.

"Chandelier" by Pablo Genovés (Aurora Vigil-Escalera) is a digital photographic assembly printed in pigmented inks on Hahnemühle Photo Rag Baryta in 2017. The artist resorts to photographic-digital techniques to create images charged with a sublime furor in which overflowing rivers, raging seas and waves, burst into architectures such as cathedrals, palaces, theaters, libraries or museums. Visually impressive and of great poetic beauty, his photographs invite the viewer to reflect on them.

"Cumbre vieja 3" created with acrylic on methacrylate in 2022 and "Verano 049" made with acrylic on acetate and paper, are the two works of Rafael Canogar (Shiras Galería). One of the main representatives of Spanish Informalism and member of the group El Paso (Madrid). A constant throughout his extensive work are the gesture, the material and the color.

More information and images can be downloaded directly from the online Press Area: <https://www.art-madrid.com/es/prensa>.

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Dates: From February 22nd to 26th, 2023

Location: Galería de Cristal de CentroCentro Cibeles

Address: C/ Montalbán, 1 (next to Plaza de Cibeles)

Hours: from 11:00 h to 21:00 h.