

## LAURA MOSQUERA

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### EDUCATION:

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- 1999 School of the Art Institute of Chicago, MFA, Painting and Drawing  
1996 School of the Art Institute of Chicago, BFA, Painting and Drawing  
1984-87 University of Illinois at Chicago, Architecture Program

### SELECTED SOLO AND TWO and THREE-PERSON EXHIBITIONS:

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- 2018 *Close to the Bone and Skin*, Rosefsky Gallery at Binghamton University, Binghamton, NY. (upcoming)  
Mosquera, Tortora and Wren, 3-person exhibition, Kirkland Art Center, Clinton, NY. (upcoming)
- 2017 *Flatbed Picture Planes*, Georgia Southern University's Center for Art & Theatre, Statesboro, GA.
- 2015 *Selected Work*, Iloveyoubedford, Brooklyn, NY.
- 2012 *A Visceral Dialogue*, ThincSavannah, Savannah, GA.
- 2010 *The Thick Of It*, Hall Street Gallery, Savannah, GA.
- 2007 *Another Again*, sixspace, Los Angeles, CA.
- 2006 *in the deep end*, moniquemeloche Gallery, Chicago, IL.
- 2005 *Beauty In the Breakdown*, sixspace, Los Angeles, CA.
- 2004 *Duo*, w/ John Sparagana, BRIGHT group, Chicago, IL.  
*Editor's Choice*, w/ John Sparagana, moniquemeloche Gallery, Chicago, IL.
- 2003 *Someone Like You*, Centro de Arte de Salamanca, Salamanca, Spain
- 2002 *Another Side Of You*, Feigen Contemporary, New York, NY.
- 2001 *12 x 12: New Artists/New Work*, Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago, IL.  
*We Know What Makes You Feel Good*, moniquemeloche Gallery, Chicago, IL.  
*Love What You Don't See*, Savannah College of Art & Design, Savannah, GA.
- 2000 *You Got Your Wish*, Bodybuilder & Sportsman, Chicago, IL.
- 1999 *A Tangle Free Relationship*, Artemisia Gallery, Chicago, IL.
- 1998 *Moments*, Contemporary Art Workshop, Chicago, IL.

### SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS:

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- 2017 *Transform*, Alfa gallery, Miami, FL.  
*Structural Probability*, 4-person exhibition, Greenville Center for Creative Arts, Greenville, SC.  
*Known Unknowns*, 86 Orchard Street, New York, NY.  
*White On*, Alfa Gallery, Miami, FL.
- 2016 *Structural Underpinnings*, LeRoy Neiman Gallery, Columbia University, New York, NY.  
*Art From the Boros*, Denise Bibro Fine Art, New York, NY.  
*Small Works*, Trestle Gallery, Brooklyn, NY.  
*12<sup>th</sup> National Juried Exhibition*, Ceres Gallery, New York, NY.  
*BWAC Wide Open 7*, BWAC Gallery, Brooklyn, NY.  
*Between Clock and Bed*, Yale School of Divinity, New Haven, CT.
- 2015 *Homegrown*, Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL.
- 2014 *Pulse Miami Beach art fair*, Voltz Clarke Gallery  
*Painting Now*, Florence Quater Gallery, Southwest University of Visual Arts, Tucson, AZ.  
*35 Years of Public Art*, Chicago Cultural Center, Chicago, IL.  
*The Last Brucennial*, 837 Washington St, New York, NY.
- 2013 *Group Show*, The Center for Contemporary Art, Bedminster, NJ.  
*Curious Deviations*, Non-Fiction gallery, Savannah, GA.  
*Can We Talk*, Le Snoot gallery, Savannah, GA.  
*De Madonna a Madonna, DAZ*, Salamanca Spain, curated by Paco Barragan  
*Art Papers Invitational Benefit*, Mason Murer Gallery, Atlanta, GA.
- 2012 *Small Works Show*, 440 Gallery, Brooklyn, NY.  
*Small Works*, Gutstein Gallery, Savannah, GA.  
*Painters Painting Paint*, Todd Hall Art Gallery, Murfreesboro, TN.  
*It's a Small, Small World*, Family Business Gallery, New York, NY.  
*Art Papers Invitational Benefit*, Mason Murer Gallery, Atlanta, GA.
- 2011 *Spectrum*, Gutstein Gallery, Savannah, GA.
- 2010 *Art Papers Invitational Benefit*, Mason Murer Gallery, Atlanta, GA.  
*13th annual SECAC/MACAA member show*, 1708 Gallery, Richmond, VA., curated by Joe Seipel  
*Why Go Anywhere Else*, traveling exhibition. Contemporary Art Centre of Montenegro Podgorica Petrovic Castle; Modern Gallery Budva; Gallery Josip Bepo Benković Herceg Novi; Kod Homena Gallery Kotor; National Gallery Belgrade, Serbia; Vojvodina Contemporary Art Museum Novi Sad; catalog.

- Why Go Anywhere Else* - drawing exhibition, Velimir Lekovic gallery, Bar, Montenegro.  
*Selected Works from the MCA Collection: Focus on UBS 12x12*, Museum of Contemporary Art Chicago, Chicago, IL.
- 2009 *ANTIDOTE*, Verge Art Fair, Miami, FL.  
*Axis 4<sup>th</sup> National Juried Exhibition*, Axis Gallery, San Francisco, CA.
- 2007 *Year 07 art fair*, sixspace, London  
*Double X: Women Representing Women*, UAB Visual Arts Gallery, Birmingham, AL.  
*Pulse New York art fair*, moniquemeloche Gallery
- 2004 *Strange Days*, Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago, IL.  
*Wonderland*, Judy-Ann Goldman gallery, Boston, MA., curated by Edward Saywell  
*Mental Space*, Wendy Cooper Gallery, Madison, WI., curated by JJ Murphy
- 2003 *I Need Something For Over My Sofa*, moniquemeloche Gallery, Chicago, IL.  
*The Drawing Show*, sixspace gallery, Los Angeles, CA.  
*LISTE 03 The Young Art Fair*, moniquemeloche Gallery, Basel, Switzerland  
*Art Chicago*, moniquemeloche Gallery  
*ARCO up and coming booth*, moniquemeloche Gallery, Madrid, Spain curated by Victor Zamudio-Taylor
- 2002 *Stray Show art fair*, moniquemeloche Gallery  
*Torino Art Fair*, moniquemeloche Gallery, Torino, Italy  
*Behavior Patterns*, Three Arts Club, Chicago, Illinois curated by John Brunetti  
*Art Chicago*, moniquemeloche Gallery
- 2001 *FFWD: Miami art fair*, moniquemeloche Gallery  
*Stray Show art fair*, moniquemeloche Gallery  
*Slice of Life*, DeChiara Gallery, New York, NY.  
*Mixer*, moniquemeloche gallery, Chicago, IL.  
*Platypus*, Lawrence Rubin Greenberg Van Doren Fine Art, New York, NY.  
*Armory Art Fair*, Lawrence Rubin Greenberg Van Doren Fine Art, New York, NY.  
*Art Miami art fair*, Bodybuilder & Sportsman and monique meloche, Miami, FL.
- 2000 *Figured Out*, Spencer Brownstone Gallery, New York, NY.  
*Homewrecker*, MW Projects, Chicago, IL.  
*A Big Picture Show*, Bucheon Gallery, San Francisco, CA.  
*The Figurative Show*, FGA Space, Chicago, IL.  
New Art Examiner Benefit, *Carnival Futura 2000 invitational auction/exhibition*, Chicago, IL.  
*Mural*, Gallery 2, Chicago, IL., curated by Rene Arceo, Dan Gustin, Greg Sholette
- 1999 *crashpad*, Inn of Chicago Hotel, Chicago, IL.  
*POST CRAP* with Vito Acconci, Sandra Gering Gallery, New York, NY., curated by Kenny Schachter
- 1998 *Preview Invite: Part 4 Group Show, VANE 98*, Newcastle, England  
*Chicago Artists 98*, Gallery 312, Chicago, IL.  
*Group Show*, Contemporary Art Workshop, Chicago, IL.  
*Michigan Avenue and Oak Street Windows Show*, Chicago, IL.  
*Group Show*, Gallery 2, Chicago, IL.
- 1997 *New Talent II*, Contemporary Arts Workshop, Chicago, IL.  
*Union League Civic Arts Foundation Exhibition*, Chicago, IL.  
*Figurative Small Works*, Armory Art Center, West Palm Beach, FL.  
*Ox-Bow Benefit 1997*, Chicago, IL.
- 1996 *1996 Stateline Vicinity Exhibition*, Rockford Art Museum, Rockford, IL.  
*Personal Visions IV*, An Art Place, Inc. Gallery, Chicago, IL.  
*% Show*, Gallery X, Chicago, IL.
- 1995 *Nippon Steel Exhibition*, Nippon Steel, Chicago, IL.  
*Ox-Bow Exhibition*, Galleria Marchetti, Chicago, IL.  
*Annual Women's Work Show*, Northwest Community Arts Council, Crystal Lake, IL.  
*Regional Art Exhibition*, Gallery Ten, Rockford, IL.

#### **SELECTED ARTIST LECTURES/PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:**

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- 2012 Presenter, SECAC Conference, Raleigh Durham, NC
- 1993-2007 Assistant Director of Faculty Services, School of the Art Institute of Chicago
- 2007 MCA as Muse panel participant, Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago, IL.
- 2004 Artists Connect lecture, Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL.  
Lecturer, *Art on the Move*, Chicago, IL.
- 2001 Visiting Lecturer for 12 x 12: New Artists/New Work, Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago, IL.  
Visiting Lecturer, *Behind the Scenes Teacher Workshop*, Museum of Contemporary Art
- 1999 Student Lecturer, First Year Program, School of the Art Institute of Chicago
- 1998 Student Lecturer. Painting & Drawing, School of the Art Institute of Chicago
- 1996 Television appearance on "Enjoying the Arts"

## ACADEMIC POSITIONS:

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- 2011-13 **Professor of Painting**, *Professional Practices, Formal Aspects of Painting*, Visiting Artist Coordinator, Savannah College of Art and Design
- 2009-11 **Chair and Professor of Painting**, *Professional Practices*, Savannah College of Art and Design
- 2007-09 **Professor of Painting**, *Drawing I, Professional Practices, Formal Aspects of Painting, Landscape Painting, Developing a Sense of Place, Advanced Painting, Advanced Painting Studio Analysis, MFA Thesis, Field Internship*, Savannah College of Art and Design
- 2001-07 **Instructor**, *Figure Drawing; Multi Level Painting Studio; Graduate Projects, Painting and Drawing; Figure Painting: Multi Level Painting Studio* the School of the Art Institute of Chicago
- 2003-05 **Visiting Artist**, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, graduate group critique panelist
- 2002 **Visiting Artist**, Northwestern University, graduate group critique panelist
- Visiting Artist**, Ox-Bow, studio critiques with students, lecture of work, and graduate individual critiques
- 2001 **Visiting Lecturer**, DePaul University
- Visiting Artist**, Art & Design Program, University of Chicago, studio critiques with graduate students, lecture of work, and graduate group critique panelist
- Visiting Lecturer**, Grand Valley College
- Visiting Lecturer**, Northern Illinois University
- Visiting Lecturer**, First Year Program, School of the Art Institute of Chicago

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- 2015 Biggs, Caroline, *Uptown Social*, **Domino**, Winter, pages 110-111, (photo)
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- 2004 Vincent, Alyssa, *The Museum of Contemporary Art Lives Up*, **The Chronicle, North Central College**, Friday October 7th
- Denver Quarterly**, Volume 40, Number 2, cover, (photo)
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- Knight, Christopher, *Women In a Vulnerable State*, **LA Times**, Friday, March 4
- 2004 *Curator's Pick: Acquired Taste*, **Fnews Magazine**, September, page 13
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Undergraduate Catalogue, the School of the Art Institute of Chicago, pg. 21

#### **AWARDS AND RESIDENCIES:**

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- 2015 Ragdale Artist Residency, Lake Forest, IL.  
2013 Art in Embassies Program, Liberia.  
2012 The Hambidge Center Artist Residency, Rabun Gap, GA.  
2011 Virginia Center for the Creative Arts Artist Residency, Amherst, VA.  
2010 International Council of Fine Arts Deans Fellowship  
2009 Presidential Fellowship, Savannah College of Art and Design  
2003 Community Arts Assistance Program Grant  
2001 Community Arts Assistance Program Grant  
1999 Edward L. Ryerson MFA Fellowship  
1998 Roger Brown Residency, New Buffalo, MI.  
1997 Union League Civic Arts Foundation Scholarship,  
1996 Honorable Mention, 1996 Stateline Vicinity Exhibition, Rockford Art Museum  
1995 Nippon Steel Scholarship  
1995 The Lalla Anne Critz Zanzi Scholarship  
1st place, Gallery Ten Regional Art Exhibit

#### **PUBLIC PROJECTS/COMMISSIONS:**

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- 2006-8 Sand Creek Country Club, Fours Seasons paintings  
2004 Converse Billboard commission, Chicago, IL.  
2003-4 Chicago Public Library, Archer Heights  
2001 Federal Reserve Bank, Chicago, IL.
- 2001 Billboard project commission by the Museum of Contemporary Art and the Greater North Michigan Avenue Association as part of the CTA's Adopt-a-Station program. [www.chicago-l.org/stations/chicago-state.html](http://www.chicago-l.org/stations/chicago-state.html)  
Billboard painting commissioned by Sears at State St and Madison Ave, Chicago, IL.

#### **SELECTED COLLECTIONS:**

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| The Art Institute of Chicago       | The Capital Group                             |
| Centro de Arte de Salamanca, Spain | Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago, Illinois |
| Contemporary Art Museum, Houston   | The Savannah College of Art and Design        |
| And numerous private collections   |   |