

MANUEL ZOIA GALLERY

ALESSANDRO COSTANZO

Alessandro Costanzo (b. 1991, Catania) lives and works between Catania and Brussels. He studied at the Academy of Fine Arts in Urbino and obtained a second level diploma in Painting at the Academy of Fine Arts in Catania in 2016.

He is a visual artist whose practice is formalised in installations that hybridise different media. Alessandro Costanzo's research is heterogeneous, like a work in progress of thought that investigates, deconstructing, different aspects linked to the contemporary self. Identity, places, memory and the relationship with time and space come together in a sort of journey into what constitutes the fluidity of being.

EDUCATION

2013 - 2014	BFA Academy of Fine Arts of Catania
2014 - 2016	MFA Academy of Fine Arts of Catania
2010 - 2012	Academy of Fine Arts of Urbino, New languages of painting.

SOLO SHOW

2021	Accumulare il deserto, with a text by Lorenzo Madaro, On the Contemporary, Catania IT
2019	En courant me reposer, Musumeci Contemporary, Bruxelles, BE.
2018	La sostanza del ricordo, with Andrea Cereda, curated by Matteo Galbiati, Galleria Bonioni Arte, Reggio Emilia, IT.

GROUP SHOW

2022	Systema Naturæ, curated by Anna Guillot, On the Contemporary - In the Garden, Caltanissetta, IT. The Jolly House, curated by Margherita Verzocchi, Benedetta Nassini, Jennifer Regalia, Beatrice Timillero, Villa Verlicchi, Ravenna, IT. Let's review archive, curated by Giuseppe Mendolia Calella, 2LAB space, Catania.
2021	Segni Elementari, Iconica Unesco 25, curated by Francesco Carofiglio, Lorenzo Madaro, Brizia Minerva, Concettina Ghisu, Alberobello, IT. The Others Art Fair, Attiva Cultural, curated by Martina Campese and Raffaella Ferraro DISCONTINUO an open studio #4, curated by Collettivo Flock, DISCONTINUO space, Barcellona Pozzo di Gotto, IT.

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All'ombra del gelso in fiore prima che i frutti macchino, curated by Emmanuel Lambion, Rosa Anna Musumeci and Philippe Terrier-Hermann, Villa Iblea, Modica, IT.

2020

REA! Fair, Fabbrica del Vapore, Milano, IT.

Combat prize, curated by Paolo Batoni, Museo Giovanni Fattori, Livorno, IT.

Same green, same sky, curated by Emmanuel Lambion, Maison Grégoire, Uccle, BE.

In ambiente, curated by Anna Guillot, On the Contemporary, Catania.

Rēliquiae, curated by Anna Guillot, On the Contemporay, Catania.

2019

Ho sempre cercato il paradiso, ma ora punto sull'arte with Stefan Milosavljevic, curated by Martina Campese and Raffaella Ferraro, Galleria Punto sull'Arte, Varese, IT.

Acinque, un archivio di immagini e parole per la Sicilia, curated by Giuseppe Mendolia Calella, Oratorio San Mercurio, Palermo, IT.

2018

La città, curated by A. Dall'Asta SJ, D. Astrologo Abadal, C. Canali, S. Castelli, M. Galbiati, C. Gatti, M. Marchetti, K. McManus, G. Salvaterra; Galleria San Fedele, Milano, IT.

(s/t + i/m) x generazioni, curated by Giuseppe Frazzetto, Palazzo Platamone, Catania.

Arteam Cup, curated by Matteo Galbiati and Livia Savorelli, Fondazione Dino Zoli, Forlì, IT.

2017

Arteam Cup, curated by Matteo Galbiati and Livia Savorelli, BonelliLab, Canneto sull'Oglio, IT.

2016

Segni Agathae, Le Ciminiere, Catania.

2015

Art Factory 05, Academy of Fine Arts of Catania, Le Ciminiere, Catania.

2014

Gender Society 2, Palazzo Platamone, Catania.

ArtFactory 04, Le Ciminiere, Catania.

RESIDENCY

2021

Discontinuo #4, curated by Collettivo Flock, Barcellona Pozzo di Gotto, Messina, IT.

2019

Musumeci Contemporary, Rosa Anna Musumeci, Bruxelles.

2018

Fondazione San Fedele, Milano.

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2016 RAMO/Ritratto a mano 3.0, curated by Giuliana Benassi, Giuseppe Pietroniro, tutor Gianni Caravaggio, Caramanico Terme, IT.

AWARDS

2020 Combat prize, (Finalist), Museo Giovanni Fattori, Livorno.

2018 Premio San Fedele, (Finalist), Galleria San Fedele, Milano.

Arteam Cup, (Special Prize), Galleria Punto sull'Arte, Varese.

2017 Arteam Cup, (Special Prize), Galleria Bonioni Arte, Reggio Emilia.

Arteam Cup, (Special Prize), Bergamo Arte Fiera, Bergamo.

Premio ORA, (Special Mention), chairman Alberto Zanchetta, Venezia, IT.

2011 Premio INAIL - 1 prize, curated by Ludovico Pratesi and Luigi Carboni, Pesaro, IT.

WORKSHOP

2022 Webinar, "Alessandro Costanzo, Metriche del vuoto", Academy of Fine Arts of Catania, January 20, 2022.

2021 - 2022 Tutor / subject expert, "Tecniche e tecnologie delle arti visive" , Academy of Fine Arts of Catania.

2020 Webinar, "CONNESSIONI - Alessandro Costanzo, Assecondare l'attrito", project curated by Stefania Perna, Academy of Fine Arts of Naples, Fondazione Pistoletto - Città dell'Arte.

2019 Michel Couturier, Un Royaume sans Frontière terraferma, Zo'CCC | On The Contemporary, Catania.

2018 Collective VOID, Biennal "MIROIRS #2 - "Tout est paysage", Parc d'Enghien - BE

Workshop Premio San Fedele visiting professors: Silvano Petrosino, Giorgio Bonomi, Giacomo Costa SJ, Ugo La Pietra, Manuela Gandini, Francesco Tedeschi, Andrea Dall'Asta SJ, Emma Zanella and Gigliola Foschi, Fondazione San Fedele, Milano - IT.

2017 - 2018 Tutor / subject expert, "Tecniche extramediali" , Academy of Fine Arts of Catania.

2016 - 2017 Tutor / subject expert, "Tecniche pittoriche" , Academy of Fine Arts of Catania.

2012 Workshop with Ludovico Pratesi, Academy of Fine Arts of Urbino, IT.

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