

CARLOS VEGA

Born in Melilla, Spain, 1963

Lives and works between New York and Granada

EDUCATION

1990–1991 Art Institute of Chicago

1988–1990 Talleres de Arte Actual, Circulo de Bellas Artes, Madrid, Spain

1986–1988 University of Fine Arts, San Fernando, Madrid, Spain

1986 European Parliament Fellowship in Engraving, Summer Academy, Limpesberg, Luxembourg

1983–1986 University of Fine Arts, St. Isabel of Hungary, Seville, Spain

SELECTED ONE-ARTIST EXHIBITIONS

2019 *Correspondences*, Jack Shainman Gallery, New York, February 22 – March 30, 2019.

2015 *Carlos Vega: See You Now*, Orlando Museum of Art, Orlando, Florida, March 14 – June 14, 2015.
Carlos Vega: Faith Need Not Fear Reason, Jack Shainman Gallery, October 29 – December 5, 2015.

2013 Lux Art Institute, Encinitas, California, January 10 – March 2, 2013.

2012 *Carlos Vega: Tearing and Lifting*, Jack Shainman Gallery, New York, April 26–May 26, 2012.

2011 *Carlos Vega: In Plain Sight*, Jack Shainman Gallery, New York, January 6–February 5, 2011.

2008 *Apocrifos*, Instituto de América (Centro Damián Bayón), Granada, Spain
Carlos Vega: How Quiet, James Harris Gallery, Seattle, Washington

2007 *Carlos Vega: Pure Science*, Jack Shainman Gallery, New York, September 22–October 6, 2007.

2004 *Carlos Vega: Fables*, Jack Shainman Gallery, New York, November 18–December 23, 2004.

2003 *Carlos Vega: Idle Traveler*, Jack Shainman Gallery, New York, April 16–May 17, 2003.

2002 *Carlos Vega: If These Walls Could Speak*, Palacio de los Condes de Gabia, Granada, Spain

2001 *Carlos Vega: A Piece of Glass and a Sheet of Paper*, Jack Shainman Gallery, New York, NY

1994 Galeria Jorge Alberro, Madrid, Spain
Lorenzo Rodriguez Gallery, Chicago, IL

1993 *Ritos Privados*, Palacio de los Condes de Gabia, Granada, Spain

- 1992** *Polyphonico: Pictures and Objects*, Scheideggstrasse 32, Zurich, Switzerland
Visionario: Instalacion/Passage through the interior of Viacrucis, Sala Joan Miro, Palacio Congressos y Exposiciones, Madrid, Spain
Lorenzo Rodriguez Gallery, Chicago, IL
- 1990** Traveling exhibition, Caja Postal, Guadalajara and Salamanca, Spain

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2025** *GENERAL CONDITIONS*, The School | Jack Shainman Gallery, Kinderhook, New York, May 17 – November 29, 2025.
- 2023 – 2025** *Kindred Worlds: The Priscila & Alvin Hudgins Collection*, Hudson River Museum, Yonkers, NY, November 10, 2023 – March 2, 2025.
- 2023** *Prima Materia: The Periodic Table in Contemporary Art*, The Aldrich Contemporary Art Museum, Ridgefield, CT, February 6 – August 27, 2023.
- 2022** *Stressed World*, The School | Jack Shainman Gallery, Kinderhook, New York, June 5 – December 3, 2022.
- 2021** *Subliminal Horizons*, Alexander Gray Associates, New York, NY, July 1 – August 14, 2021.
- 2021** *Anti/Body*, Jack Shainman Gallery, New York, NY, May 20 – July 2, 2021.
- 2019** *King of the Hill*, Jack Shainman Gallery, New York, NY, July 12 – August 9, 2019.
- 2018 – 2022** *Shifting Gaze: A Reconstruction of the Black & Hispanic Body in Contemporary Art*, The Menello Museum of American Art, Orlando, FL, October 19, 2018 – January 13, 2019. Traveled to: Virginia Museum of Contemporary Art, Virginia Beach, VA, March 21, 2020 – January 3, 2021; Galleries at Peeler, Depauw University, Greencastle, IN, March 1 – June 20, 2021; Opalka Gallery, Russell Sage College, Albany, NY, October 22, 2021 – February 3, 2022.
- 2017** *Home Room: A Multimedia Group Exhibition*, The School | Jack Shainman Gallery, Kinderhook, New York, January 7 – April 2017.
- 2015** *SELF: Portraits of Artists in Their Absence*, National Academy Museum, New York, NY, January 29 – May 3, 2015.
Status Quo, The School | Jack Shainman Gallery, Kinderhook, NY, January 31 – April 12, 2015.
- 2011 – 2014** *Remix: Selections from the International Collage Center*, Samek Art Gallery, Bucknell University, Lewisburg, Pennsylvania, October 14–December 4, 2011. Traveled to: Katonah Museum of Art, New York, June 30–October 13, 2013; Bates College Museum of Art, Lewiston, Maine, January 17–March 21, 2014.
- 2014** *Mise En Scène*, The School, Kinderhook, NY, August – December 2014.
- 2009** *Chelsea visits Havana*, Havana Bienal De La Havana
- 2008** *Art in Richard Meier on Prospect Park*, Richard Meier on Prosepct Park, Brooklyn, NY

- 2007** *De Granada a Gasteiz Un Viaje de ida y Vuelta* Fundacion Artium, Alava, Spain
- 2006** *-poiesis*, Jack Shainman Gallery, New York, June 29–July 28, 2006.
The Beautiful Game; Contemporary Art and Futbol, Roebling Hall, New York, NY
Becados Manuel Rivera Palacio de los Condes de Gabia, Granada, Spain
Black Panther Rank and File, Yerba Buena Center for the Arts, San Francisco, CA
The Whole World is Rotten, The Arts Center, Cincinnati, OH
- 2005** *The Whole World is Rotten: Free Radicals and the Gold Coast Slave Castles of Paa Joe*, Jack Shainman Gallery, New York, February 10, 2005–March 12, 2005.
2005 Collectors Show and Sale, Arkansas Art Center, Little Rock, AK
The City: Contemporary Views of the Built Environment, Lehman College Art Gallery, Bronx, NY
- 2003** *Travelers* Islip Art Museum, Islip, NY
- 2002** *Doors: Image and Metaphor in Contemporary Art*, New Jersey Center for Visual Arts, Summit, NJ
Untitled, Jack Shainman Gallery, New York, NY
- 2001** *Realidad al Vacio*, Salvador Diaz Gallery, Madrid, Spain
Starry Night, Jack Shainman Gallery, New York, NY
- 2000** *Simultaneous*, Jack Shainman Gallery, New York, NY
XVI Premio De Pintura L'Oreal, Centro Cultural del Conde Duque, Madrid, Spain
Deven Golden Gallery, New York
- 1999** *Talavera Contemporanea*, Centro Cultural San Francisco, Puebla, Mexico
- 1998** *Absolute Secret*, McKee Gallery, New York, NY
Domain, Islip Art Museum, curated by Karen Shaw, East Islip, NY
Interiors and Their Objects, The St. Paul Companies, Minneapolis, MN
U.N.E.D. Recent Acquisition, Casa de Velazquez, Madrid, Spain
- 1997** *The Curiosity Room*, Jack Shainman Gallery, New York, NY
- 1996** Galeria Jorge Albero, Madrid, Spain
- 1991** *Moving the Body Forward, Pintures en Verano*, Lorenzo Rodriguez Gallery, Chicago
The Dome Room, curated by Gail Forrest, Chicago, IL
- 1990** Studio of Contemporary Art (with Soledad Sevilla and John Armleder), Circulo de Bellas Artes, Madrid, Spain
- 1988** *Los Circuitos*, I Convocatoria, Comunidad de Madrid, Spain
Studio of Contemporary Art (with Miguel Navarro), Circulo de Bellas Artes, Madrid, Spain
- 1987** European Art School Biennial, Toulouse, France
- 1986** Summer Academy Exhibition, Limpesberg, Luxembourg

- 1985** *En Granada*, Museo Casa de los Tiros, Ministerio de Cultura, Granada, Spain
 Joven Plastica ante Europa, Palacio de los Reales Alcaceres, Ministerio de Cultura, Seville, Spain

PUBLIC AND PRIVATE COLLECTIONS

Columbia Business School, New York, NY
Instituto Cervantes, New York, NY
The Krupp Family Foundation
Progressive Art Collection, Mayfield Village, OH
Harvard Business School, Boston, MA
Nerman Museum of Contemporary Art, Overland Park, KS
Palacio de los Condes de Gabia, Grenada, Spain
Rennie Collection, Vancouver, Canada
The Pizzuti Companies, Columbus, OH

OTHER ACTIVITIES

- 2013** Lux Art Institute, Encinitas, California, Resident artist
- 1999** Beca-Manuel Ribera, Granada, Spain
- 1998** Artist Residency, Universidad de las Americas, Puebla, Mexico
- 1994** *Water Cosmology*, Terrazo mural floor, The Historic Watertower, Chicago, IL
 Water Frieze, 42 outdoor mosaic panels, Headquarters of H2O Plus, Chicago, IL