

## **Alberto Reguera**

**Born 1961, Segovia, Spain**

**Lives and works in Paris and Madrid**

**Karin Weber Gallery artist Alberto Reguera is a Paris and Madrid-based abstract artist who works in painting, sculpture and installation. The artist is well-known for his multi-layered, tactile works in rich tone and texture.**

Alberto Reguera's work across multiple media reveals a similar visual structure formed through the use of intense color and layering. The artist traces his influences to French lyrical abstract artists and to the romantic landscapes of his native Castile. Considered abstract landscapes, the artist's works bring together fragments inspired by nature in the form of shapes and colors.

The artist refers to his works as "poetry," and he celebrates the physical act of painting, which is revealed in his layering technique. The works are elevated beyond the two-dimensional as the works' multiple layers suggest not only depth but complexity. His works are both hung on the wall and can rest as objects on the floor.

Alberto Reguera was born in Segovia, Spain, in 1961. In 1984 he participated in a contemporary art seminar at the Louvre Art School entitled "L'art du XX<sup>ème</sup> siècle" and in 1985 he graduated from the University of Valladolid with a degree in Modern History.

The artist was then selected on several occasions to participate in various contemporary art workshops at the "Círculo de Bellas Artes" (Fine Arts Society) in Madrid, where he received invaluable help from some of the masters of contemporary Spanish painting such as Lucio Muñoz amongst others. In 1994 and 2001 his works were exhibited at Stedelijk Museum, Amsterdam, where famous Dutch musician Bart Spaan, performed some of his contemporary pieces inspired by the artist's paintings.

In 1995 Alberto Reguera received the Paris Fine Arts Academy Award for painting and in 1999 he designed a poster for the Paris Theatre Festival. In 2001 he won the "Ojo Crítico" Spanish Award in Madrid and in the same year, he participated in the "Relevos" project with Rafael Canogar, for the "Museo de Bellas Artes" (Fine Arts Museum) in Seville. In 2003, he was chosen by a jury as the only Spanish artist invited to join the "Exhibit E", which took place in Washington D.C. He has collaborated in painting and poetry projects with Francisco Pino and Andrée Chedid. In 2007 he showed his works in Asia for the first time in an exhibition in Singapore (Beyond Form) in Sculpture Square.

In 2010 he showed his project "Beyond Form II" in City Hall, Hong Kong sponsored by Consulate of Spain. In 2012 he staged under the auspices of Unesco, the "installation painting" at Place du Louvre in Paris. That same year he was "artist in residence" in Shanghai, where he produced two large expanded paintings for the China Europe International Business School (CEIBS) collection.

### **Solo Exhibitions**

2013 Karin Weber Gallery, Hong Kong Campus Eiffel 1, ESCE, París. 2012 Place du Louvre, París (Festival international de la Diversité Culturelle, under the auspices of Unesco.) Fernández-Braso Gallery, Madrid Olivier Nouvellet Gallery, París

2011 Karin Weber Gallery, Hong Kong

2011 Cervantes Institute, Brussels

2011 Pascal Polar Gallery, Brussels  
2010 Olivier Nouvellet Gallery, Paris  
2010 City Hall. Hong Kong  
2010 Claude Samuel Gallery, Paris  
2010 Nuble Gallery, Santander, Spain  
2009 Antonio Machon Gallery, Madrid  
2009 Cruz Herrera Museum, La linea, Cádiz, Spain  
2008 Claude Samuel Gallery, Paris.  
2008 Pascal Polar Gallery, Knokke, Belgium  
2008 Olivier Nouvellet Gallery. Paris.  
2008 'Expanding Painting', Antonio Prates Gallery, Lisbon  
2007 'Geometric Landscapes', Olivier Nouvellet Gallery, Paris  
2007 'Elemental Shift', Alberto Reguera & Jeffrey Kroll. Scream Gallery, London  
2007 'Beyond Form', Sculpture Square, Singapore  
2006 Antonio Prates Gallery, Lisbon  
2006 Robayera Espace, Cantabria, Spain  
2006 Scream Gallery, London  
2006 Sara Rooney Gallery, Sydney  
2005 2005 Monasterio Nª Señora del Prado, Valladolid  
2005 Pascal Polar Gallery, Brussels  
2005 Global Art Source, Zurich  
2005 Olivier Nouvellet Gallery, Paris  
2005 Zuloaga Museum, Segovia, Spain  
2004 First Floor Gallery. Hamburg  
2004 Antonio Machon Gallery. Madrid.  
2004 "Constelaciones". Fundación Caneja (Palencia) - Sala de Exposiciones F.E.C. (Burgos) - Centro  
2004 2004 Cultural san Agustín. El Burgo de Osma. (Soria). Monasterio de santa Ana. (Ávila).- Museo  
de Salamanca. (Salamanca.) Spain  
2003 Gallery K. Washington, DC  
2003 António Prates Gallery, Lisbon  
2003 'Atmósferas', Cervantes Institute, London  
2002 'Matière Flotante', Global Art Source, Zurich  
2002 Olivier Nouvellet Gallery, Paris  
2001 Pascal Polar Gallery, Brussels  
2001 'Silencios', Stedelijk Museum, Amsterdam.(with Bart Spaan)  
2001 Antonio Machón Gallery, Madrid  
2001 'Art Paris', Stand Pascal Polar  
2001 Gallery K, Washington D.C.  
2000 Olivier Nouvellet Gallery, Paris  
2000 Cervantes Institute, London  
2000 Antonio Prates Gallery, Lisbon  
2000 Cervantes Institute, Utrecht, Holland  
1999 Antonio Machón Gallery, Madrid  
1999 Sta. Joana Gallery, Aveiro, Portugal  
1998 Gallery K, Washington, D.C.  
1998 Olivier Nouvellet Gallery, Paris  
1998 Antonio Prates Gallery, Lisbon  
1998 Rubén Forni Art Gallery, Brussels  
1997 'Kunst-Rai '97', Cervantes Institute Stand, Amsterdam  
1996 La casa del Siglo XV, Segovia  
1996 Rubén Forni Art Gallery, Brussels.

1996 Le Sao Bento Gallery, Lisbon  
1996 Antonio Machón Gallery, Madrid  
1995 Javier Ochoa Gallery, Zaragoza  
1995 Olivier Nouvellet Gallery, Paris  
1994 Stedelijk Museum, Amsterdam. (with Bart Spaan)  
1994 Rubén Forni Art Gallery, Brussels  
1994 Antònio Prates Gallery, Lisbon  
1994 Olivier Nouvellet Gallery, Paris  
1994 Bárcena & Cía. Gallery, Madrid  
1994 Caja de Ahorros de Salamanca, Palencia  
1993 Olivier Nouvellet Gallery, Paris  
1993 Torreón de Lozoya, Segovia  
1993 Santa Cruz Palace, Valladolid  
1993 Trie gallery, Athens  
1991 Spanish Embassy Exhibition Hall, Utrech  
1991 'Las Francesas', Exhibition Hall, Valladolid  
1991 'Lineart', Arthur Gallery, Paris  
1991 Ruben Forni Art Gallery, Brussels  
1990 Eladio Fernández Gallery, Madrid  
1990 Bereshit Gallery, Toledo. Eugen-Lendl Gallery, Graz  
1990 Javier Ochoa gallery, Zaragoza  
1990 Caja de Ahorros de Salamanca, Palencia  
1989 Rubén Forni Art Gallery, Brussels  
1989 Bilbao-Vizcaya Bank, Valladolid.  
1988 La Casa del S.XV, Segovia  
1988 Ateneo de Madrid, Madrid  
1987 Rubén Forni Art Gallery, Brussels  
1985 Caja de Ahorros de Salamanca, Palencia, Spain

### **Group Exhibitions**

2013 (international Contemporary art fair)stand Nuble, Madrid Olivier Nouvellet Gallery, Madrid  
2013 AHAF Asia Top Hotel Art Fair, Karin Weber Gallery, Hong Kong  
2013 Growing together, Nuble Gallery, Santander, Spain. Visions. Pascal Polar Gallery, Brussels  
2011 Madrid Foto. Contemporary Art Fair, Madrid, Spain  
2011 Pacal Polar Gallery, Brussels  
2011 'Mestres de la Pintura', Cordeis Gallery, Porto, Portugal  
2011 Olivier Nouvellet Gallery, Paris  
2010 Morton Metropolis, London  
2010 'Just madrid', Contemporary Art fair  
2010 'Arte Moderna è  
2010 Olivier Nouvellet Gallery, Paris, France  
2010 Foro Sur, Càceres, Spain (Stand Nuble Gallery)  
2010 Antònio Prates Gallery, Lisbon  
2009 'Passion d art, collections privées', Mus`è Ephemere, Montèlimar, France  
2009 Oxigenarte, Segovia, Spain  
2009 Assises, Acri Museum, Italy  
2009 Arte Lisboa, Lisbon  
2008 ESTAMPA,'08. Feria Internacional de la Serigrafía y el Grabado. Madrid  
2008 CALIGARFIAS: Uma realidades Inquieta. Fundacao Portuguesa das Comunicacoes. Lisbon  
2008 'ASSISES', Ministere de la CULTURE et de la COMMUNICATION, Paris

2008 ARTE LISBOA 2008, Stand Antonio Prates  
 2008 ARCO ' 08, Stand Antonio Machón Gallery, Madrid  
 2008 Internationale Kunst-wett bevers der Extremadur fur Malerie, Berlin Friderichstrasse, Berlin  
 2008 'Arte Contemporânea Espanhola' da Fundacao et colecao Antonio Prates. Curattor: Graca  
 Fonseca 2008 aFundacion Antonio Prates, Ponte do Sor, Portugal  
 2008 Olivier Nouvellet gallery, Paris  
 2007 ARCO ' 07, Madrid. Feb. '07 Stand: Galería Antonio Machón.  
 2007 Elemental Shift', Alberto Reguera & Jeffrey Kroll. Two Man Show . Scream Gallery. London  
 2007 Summa 07, Galería Antonio Machón. Madrid  
 2007 'Painting & Photo', Galerie Pascal Polar. Brussels  
 2007 'Summer Scream', Scream London, London  
 2007 'Orexpo Paris', Les Elysees de l'Art moderne & contemporain, Paris  
 2007 'Arte Lisboa', Contemporary Art Fair. Stand Antonio Prates Gallery, Lisbon  
 2007 MACO' 07, Contemporary art fair. Emma Molina Gallery, Mexico D.F  
 2006 'ARCO ' 06', Stand Antonio Machón Gallery, Madrid  
 2006 Artelisboa. Feria del Arte Contemporáneo de Lisboa. Galería António Prates, Lisbon  
 2006 'Art Paris', Stand Galerie Pascal Polar. Grand Palais. Paris  
 2006 XXVII. Salón de Otoño de Pintura de Plasencia. San Jorge's Shows Center. Cáceres. Spain  
 2006 Olivier Nouvellet Gallery, París  
 2005 Arte lisboa. Contemporary art Fair. Galería António Prates, Lisboa  
 2005 'Caneja: Sus contemporáneos, sus amigos, su estela', Fundación Caneja. Palencia, Spain  
 2005 'Finalistas Premio Ángel de Pintura 2005', Palacio de Congresos. Madrid  
 2005 'Trois pinceaux venus d'ailleurs', Sehnaoui Building. 52, Riad El Solh. Solidere. Beirut

## **Collections**

CEIBS Collection , Shanghai ESCE, Collection, París Marc Moyens Collection, Washington D. C. Real  
 Madrid Foundation, Spain;; Juan March Foundation, Madrid; Phillipe Delaunay collection. Paris;  
 Zurich Financial Services, Zurich, Switzerland; Cordeiros Collection, Lisbon; Alcantara-Lansberg  
 Collection, New-York; Palace of the Zarzuela, Madrid; Premios Angel de Pintura Collection, Madrid;  
 Luis Arango National Library, Bogotá; Robayera Collection. Spain; Bangladesh National Museum,  
 Dakkar; Argentaria Collection, Madrid; Testimoni Collection, Barcelona Reinichehipothekek Bank  
 Collection, Madrid; Arte y Patrimonio, Madrid; Caja Segovia Collection; Art Collection of the  
 Government of Castilla-León; Antonio Prates Foundation, Lisbon; Musée de la Publicité. Collections  
 Nationales, Musée de Louvre, París; Diputación of Cádiz Collection; Diputación of Córdoba Collection;  
 Global Art Source Foundation, Zurich; Silverwood Collection,VA ,USA; Nicomedes G. Gómez  
 Foundation, Segovia. Spain; Dr. Urs. Schenker Collection, Zurich; Bianchi Collection, Zurich;  
 Wellington Collection, Madrid; El Adelantado de Segovia Foundation; Heger Collection, Oslo;  
 Acquisition of National contest of Plastic Arts. Alcorcón.Madrid; Brigitte et Jacques Gairard, France;  
 P.N. Dahl Naess Collection, Oslo