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My Career has been in photography for over 30 years. I graduating with a Fine Arts Degree in 1991 from Savannah College of Art and Design and moved to New York City where I was based as an artist and editorial photographer. Then in 2001 I relocated to Madrid, Spain, born to a Spanish mother it was a natural choice.

Through out the years I have spanned many different platforms within the industry devoted to documenting the social landscape and portraiture in editorial, advertising, corporate, social media, academic, non-profit, personal and collaborative. I have directed campaigns, shot on assignment in over 80 countries, published in magazines worldwide, books, won awards, exhibited in solo and group shows, professing photography in workshops and classes, public speaking and creative consulting.

Currently, I am focused on my personal work by conceptualizing projects for exhibition and in pursuit of an academic environment of photography not only with institutions, universities, and organizations but also with companies.

Most recently I have incorporated ceramics into my dialogue along with the research of new techniques brought out from the past in order to preserve and learn from our past as I dive into the future, also incorporating photography, and more to come.

My work has always had a vision telling my own story. A story of the world through my journeys in heart and soul. As I walk this creative life I pursue the continuing opportunity to reflect and communicate the many footprints humanity leave behind. Not focusing on the vain, mundane or ordinary but giving a chance to the unseen and sometimes unrecognized perspective creating and maintaining new culture and opportunity in order to preserve the richness in our everyday lives.

I fluently speak Spanish and English.

Awards

Finalist 10° Bienal of Ceramics International "Cuidad de Talavera La Reina" Spain.
of Photography: Female in Focus Award 2020 "My Stepmother's Last Portait"

Foto Awards, Tifa Honorable Mention 2020. "My Stepmother's Last Portrait."

Prix de la Photographie Paris, State Of The World 2020, Certificate of Achievement, Honorable Mention, "The Astronaut Tapers"

Photography 36 Chosen Winner The Archive Al-AP Juried Collection "New Nomadic Royals"

Anteverti, "Cities To Be" Photo Award 2020 "Rising Up, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia."

Culture Project Selection Feature "Desolete and Romantic Port Sudan" 2018

Ari Editorial Photographer of the Year Madrid, Spain 2006

Education

Cum Laude B.F.A. Savannah College of Art and Design Photography Major, Art History Minor Savannah, Georgia, USA. **1987-1991**

Experience

Creator La__Tercera Nave Art Studios, Carabanchel, Madrid, Spain 2024 Leica SL3 Ambassador

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Guest Speaker Leica Park, Weitzler, Germany Februray 2024.

Art Residency Farm Studio, Rajasthan, India.

Current Program Leader and Professor IED Photography Master Program 2021-2024: Madrid, Spain.

Current resident at Nave Oporto Artist Collective, Madrid, Spain. www.naveoporto.com

Photography Workshop Leica Akademie Madrid, Spain, November 26-27, "The complete process".

Photography Workshop to HP worldwide employees, March 2022.

PhotoEspaña Master Class "Y Ahora Que" February 5, 2022.

Online Workshop at Madrid Content School. "How Photography is used in Branded Content"

Collaboration with Masters PHE: Student Work Study and Workshops

Creative Photography Image Consultant to UNWTO Communications and Members.

Includes:

- -Honorary Guest Visit Saudi Arabia and Conference Attendee May 2021
- -Speaker Panelist UNWTO Academy: Quo Vadis Webinar during Covid Quarentine April 17, 2020
- -Workshop Professor Chimelong Initiative on Wildlife Conservation through Photography, Guangzhou, China, October 2019.
- -Keynote Speaker World Tourism Day, New Dehli, India. September 29, 2019
- Honoree Invitations to UNWTO Events and Workshops in Saudia Arabia, Zambia/Zimbabwe, Mexico, Egypt, The Republic of The Sudan, Columbia, Rumania.

Freelance Photographer and Director of Photography to Advertising, Editorial Assignments, Commercial, Publishing, Social Media, Production Director, Video Directing, Art Direction, Branding.

Currently Represented by Redux Pictures New York City: Assignment Photographer and Archive Spain and USA

Since 2004

Collaborator of Condé Nast Traveler Magazine from 2014-2020.

Collaborator of El Pais Semanal Madrid, Spain 2001-2021.

Visual Production Collaborations with Ministries and Public Relations Agencies of more than 25 countries. Include: Mexico, South Korea, Thailand, Great Britain, Colombia, Chile, Bolivia, Nicaragua, Guatemala, South Africa, Kenya, Japan, New Zealand, and more.

Judge and Member of Club de Creativos, Madrid, Spain. Includes the Annual Advertising Festival and Workshops in San Sebastian, Spain.

Creative Consulting to Ethiopian Airlines, Asky and Ceiba Airlines on Media, Public Relations and Corporate Management for Advertising and Communications.

Savannah College of Art and Design: Keynote Speaker and Workshop Teacher 2015

Blonde Rock Productions New York City: Photographer and Production Director 2014-2016

Vault Archives New York City: Stock Photography Representation

2014-2019

Mad is Mad Gallery: Artistic Exhibition Representation

2012-2016

Pepe Pisa Gallery: Artistic Exhibition Representation

2009-2016

In-House Photographer/Editor/Consultant: Scholastic Publishing

1993-1998

Member of Photographers United: A Co-Op Photography Organization New York City 1992-1995

I.C.P. International Center of Photography New York City:

Teacher's Assistant and Darkroom Manager:

1991-1995

Sygma Pictures New York City:

Assistant to President Eliane Laffont

1991-1993

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Solo Exhibits

"Around The World" Leica Gallery, Madrid Spain, January 16, 2025.
"Horno Ciego" Nave Oporto, Madrid, Spain, June 21-July 7, 2023.
PhotoEspaña 2022 at B-Travel Experience "Alters: The alteration of altars." Madrid, Spain June 2022 Casa Árabe, "Fables and Faded Flags, Chapter 1." Arabia. Cordoba, Spain May 2022 Casa Arabe, "Fables and Faded Flags, Chapter 1." Arabia Madrid, Spain March 2022 "Survival", Pepe Pisa Gallery, Madrid, Spain June 2012 Silver House Gallery, Savannah, Georgia, April 1999
Nein Gallery, Myrtle Beach, South Carolina, August 12-25, 1991
The Atrium, Savannah, Georgia, April 4 – May 5 1999
La Casa Cultura, Elche De La Sierra, Albacete, Spain, September 5-20. 1990

Group Exhibits

"Jumble" Taksman 28 Gallery, Udaipur, India. February 2024.

"10° Aniversario Nave Oporto", Nave Oporto, Madrid, Febrero 2024.

"Despues De La Niebla, Primeras Flores" Casa Vicens 25 Abril 2023- 7 de Enero 2024. Comisariado por: Menene Gras con Casa Asia.

"Misión Región" Sala El Águila, Comunidad de Madrid. 10 Febrero – 7 de Mayo 2023.

"Herencia para el presente", Museum Zuloaga of Segovia Museum of Art. Curator: Enrique Martínez Glera, December 21, 2022 until April 15, 2023. Segovia, Spain.

"La risa de las flores", exhibition at Invernadero de los Bonsáis y el Patio del Tilo, Real Jardin Botanico, Casa Asia, Curator: Menene Gras Balaguer, 12 de junio al 25 de septiembre 2022.

"La Linea Discontinua", Exhibition during Carajillo ARCO Week 2022 at Nave Oporto, Madrid, Spain. Women Photographers International Archive (WOPHA), Womens Photographer Congress Exhibition, Miami, Florida, November 2021. "My Stepmother's Last Portrait"

10° Bienal Internacional de Cerámica Cuidad de Talavera, July 2021. "Electrical Storm"

ICP International Center of Photography, ICP Concerned Exhibition, June 2020. "This Is Not The End" Accion Por El Arte #05 "It's Such A Perfect Day, I'm Glad I Spent It With You" Online Exhibition Curated by: Gloria Oyarzabal, June 28, 2020. "Photographs From Ghana."

Musée National De L'Histoire de Límmigration, Palais De La Porte Dorée, Paris, France, May 2020.

""Women Porters Waiting to Cross the Border at Barrio Chino in Melilla, Spain, into Morocco, 2020"

Jääl Photo Festival 2013 Mad is Mad "El y Ella" with Alfredo Caliz Galeria Fernando Pradilla, "Lo Que Llevo Dentro ", Madrid, Spain, March 23- June 5, 2010 Pepe Pisa Gallery, Madrid, Spain, November 11, 2010 Watu, Madrid, Spain, Octubre 14 y 15, 2010 Mad is Mad, Madrid, Spain, Abril 15 – June 15, 2010 Espacio de las Aguas, Madrid, Spain, December 14-23, 2009 Art Benefit for 9-11, Drive In Studio, NYC, N.Y. December 2000 Open Your Heart Benefit for Bailey House, Puck Building, NYC, N.Y. Feb. 1998 Society of Publication Designers, Art Directors Club, NYC, N.Y. Nov. 1997 "Artwalk", Exhibition and Auction for Coalition for the Homeless, NYC, N.Y. Nov 1997 "Exposed", an Exhibition Curated by Nancy Jo Iacoi, Newport, R.I., Aug 1997 "Photoshow" an Exhibition Curated by Ann Livet, NYC, N.Y. Sept 1997 Life "Pow Wow" Curated by John Newsom, NYC, N.Y. March 1997

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"Children First" Exhibition, Auction and Publication, Curated by Paul West / Boss Models/ Warner Brothers, NYC, N.Y. 1997

407 Gallery "Band" NYC, N.Y. Oct 1996

Paradis Latin, Paris, France, January 1993

CBGB'S Gallery, NYC, N.Y. Aug. 1992

Photowork 91, Duthchess Art Association, Barrett House, Poughkeepsie, N.Y. March 1991

LaGrange National XVI Lamar Dodd Art Center, LaGrange, Georgia, May 1991

Galleria, International Art Zone, Atlanta, Georgia 1990

International SCAD Show, London, England, 1990

Bodi's, Savannah, Georgia, 1989

City market, Savannah, Georgia, 1989

The Venue, Myrtle Beach, South Carolina, 1989

Publications

Afar Magazine

Arthur Frommer's Budget Travel

Bloomberg Magazine Colors Benetton Condé Nast Traveler

D - La Repubblica delle Donne

El Pais Semanal Magazine, Spain

Elle Magazine
Esquire Spain
Forbes Magazine
Fortune Magazine
Gentleman Mazagine
GQ Magazine
Gourmet Magazine

Herald Tribune Huffington Post Blog Internazionale, Italy Institutional Investor Lonely Planet

Mademoiselle / Condé Nast Marie Claire Magazine Money Magazine

National Geographic Magazine

Neo 2 Magazine New York Magazine

New York Times Style Magazine

Newsweek Magazine Paper Magazine

Reader's Digest Magazine Rizzoli Publishing Rolling Stone Magazine Saveur Magazine Scholastic Publishing

Sony

Time Magazine
Time Out Magazine

Travel and Leisure Magazine Wall Street Journal Magazine

and more......

Advertising Campaigns

Bacardi Baileys Banco Popular Bankinter Cirque Du Soleil Coca-Cola

Down Sindrome Foundation Spain

Fanta Flex IB

Hewlett Packard Iberdrola Energy ING Direct Bank Mazda

Mercedes Benz Movistar

PP: Spain's Presidental Political Party

PSOE: Political Campaign

Pull & Bear

Nike

Real Madrid Soccer Club

Renault Repsol Rolex Seguros Pelayo Smart Cars

Telefonica Worldwide Trip Advisor

Visa Vodafone