

# SICARDI GALLERY

## THOMAS GLASSFORD

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## EDUCATION

1987 Bachelor of Fine Arts, University of Texas at Austin, TX, USA

## SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2016 *Siphonophora*, Museo Universitario del Chopo, Mexico City, Mexico.  
2015 *Solar Plexus*, Quint Gallery, La Jolla, CA, USA  
2014 *Thomas Glassford: Afterglow*, Arts Brookfield, Houston, TX, USA  
*Afterglow*, Sicardi Gallery, Houston, TX, USA  
2013 *Afterglow*, Moore College of Art and Design, Philadelphia, PA, USA  
2012 *Thomas Glassford*, Galeria Il Ponte Contemporanea, Rome, Italy  
2011 *Pteridomania*, Sicardi Gallery, Houston, TX, USA  
2010 *Xipe Totec*, Centro Cultural Universitario Tlatelolco, UNAM, Mexico City, Mexico  
*Afterglow*, Museo Experimental El Eco, Mexico City, Mexico  
2008 *Implosion is Compulsory*, Quint Contemporary Art, San Diego, CA, USA  
*Between Earth and Sky*, Sicardi Gallery, Houston, TX, USA  
2006 *Cadáver Exquisito*, Museo Universitario de Ciencias y Artes (MUCA), UNAM, Mexico City, Mexico  
2004 *Thomas Glassford*, Finesilver Gallery, San Antonio, TX, USA  
*Pleasure Garden*, Galería OMR, Mexico City, Mexico  
*Desdoblamientos*, Galería Principal de La Escuela de Artes. UAEMéx, Toluca, Mexico  
*Thomas Glassford*, Arcaute Arte Contemporaneo, Nuevo León, Mexico  
2003 Museo Carrillo Gil, Mexico City, Mexico  
*Event Horizon*, Laboratorio Arte Alameda, Mexico City, Mexico  
2002 Finesilver Gallery, San Antonio, TX, USA  
*Stripes and Solids*, Quint Gallery, La Jolla, CA, USA  
*Fuente/ Exhibition Agua – Wasser*, Temple of San Agustín (Ex National Library), Mexico City, Mexico  
2001 *DESIRE*, Galería OMR, Mexico City, Mexico  
*ASTER*, La Torre de los Vientos, Mexico City, Mexico  
2000 *Fuente Parabólica*, Museo de La Alhóndiga, Festival International Cervantino, Guanajuato, Mexico  
1998 *Neoprene Dreams*, Sala Diaz, San Antonio, TX, USA  
1997 *Diversiones*, Galería de Arte Contemporáneo, Mexico City, Mexico  
1996 *Autogol: Oaxaca*, Museo de Arte Contemporáneo de Oaxaca, Mexico  
*New Work*, Milagros Contemporary Art, San Antonio, TX, USA  
*The Privilege to Contemplate the Theories of Black Holes*, ExpoArte '98, Guadalajara, Mexico  
1995 *Autogol Monterrey*, Museo de Monterrey, Mexico  
1994 *Autogol*, Ex-Convento del Carmen, Guadalajara, Mexico  
1993 *Natural Acts*, Moody Gallery Houston, TX, USA  
1992 *Arteria, Curare: Espacio Crítico Para Las Artes*, Mexico City, Mexico  
1991 *Laredo*, Laredo Junior College Art Gallery, Texas  
*Hydraulics and Mechanics*, N. No. O Gallery, Dallas, TX, USA  
1990 *Obra Nueva*, Estudio Lic. Verdad, Mexico City, Mexico

1986 *Drawings and Wall Pieces*, Flood Gallery, Austin, TX, USA

## GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2016 *Mirando la Flor*, Sicardi Gallery, Houston, TX, USA  
*El orden natural de las cosas*, Fundación/Colección Jumex, Mexico City, Mexico.
- 2015 *Strange Currencies: Art in Action in Mexico City, 1990-2000* The Galleries at Moore.  
*Under Construction*, Galería Paramo, Guadalajara, Mexico.
- 2014 *Presentación del libro: Arquitectura en México, 1900-2010*, Palacio de Cultura Banamex, Palacio de Iturbide, Mexico  
*El Hombre al desnudo: Dimensiones de la masculinidad a partir de 1800*, Museo Nacional de Arte, Mexico City, Mexico
- 2013 *Mexico Inside Out: Themes in Art Since 1990*, Modern Art Museum of Fort Worth, TX, USA  
*Opening*, Fundación Jumex Arte Contemporáneo, Mexico City, Mexico  
*Mesocosmos*, Museo de Arte Contemporáneo de Monterrey (MARCO), Monterrey, Nuevo León, Mexico
- 2011 *¿Neomexicanismos? Ficciones identitarias en el México de los ochenta*, Museo de arte Moderno, Mexico City, Mexico  
*Cimbra, formas especulativas y armados metafísicos*, Museo de arte Moderno, Mexico City, Mexico  
*Destello*, La Colección Jumex, Mexico City, Mexico
- 2010 *Cosmopolitan Routes: Houston Collects Latin American Art*, The Museum of Fine Arts, Houston (MFAH), Houston, TX, USA  
*The Traveling Show y El Gabinete Blanco*, Fundación/Colección Jumex, Mexico City, Mexico  
*Todo a Nada*, Museo Universitario de Arte Contemporáneo (MUAC), Mexico City, Mexico  
*Efecto Drácula/Comunidades en Transfromación*, Museo Universitario del Chopo, Mexico City, Mexico
- 2009 *Hecho en casa: Una aproximación a las practicas objetuales en el arte mexicano contemporáneo*, Museo de Arte Moderno, Mexico City, Mexico  
*Quint: Three Decades of Contemporary Art*, California Center for the Arts Museum, Escondido, CA, USA  
*Color Into Light: Selections from the MFAH Collection*, The Museum of Fine Arts, Houston (MFAH), Houston, TX, USA
- 2008 *SHOW DOWN*, Quint Contemporary Art, La Jolla, CA, USA  
*An Unruly History of the Ready Made*, La Colección Jumex, Mexico City, Mexico  
*La invención de lo Cotidiano*, Museo Nacional de Arte, Mexico City, Mexico  
*Recursos Incontrolables y Otros Desplazamientos Naturales*, Museo Universitario de Arte Contemporáneo, Mexico City, Mexico  
*Second Lives: Remixing the Ordinary*, Museum of Arts and Design, New York, NY, USA  
*Tlatelolco and the localized negotiation of future imaginaries*, Museum as Hub, New Museum, New York, NY, USA
- 2007 *Ephemeral: Explorations in Light*, Claremont Museum of Art, Claremont, CA, USA  
*Constructing A Poetic Universe: The Diane and Bruce Halle Collection of Latin American Art*, The Museum of Fine Arts, Houston (MFAH), Houston, TX, USA  
*La Era de la Discrepancia*, Arte y Cultura Visual en Mexico 1968-1997, Museo Universitario de Ciencias y Artes (MUCA), UNAM, Mexico City, Mexico
- 2006 *PLATFORMA*, Galería de Arte Contemporáneo y Diseño, Puebla, Mexico  
*Limbo a la Comodidad del Medio*, Museo de Arte Carrillo Gil, Mexico City, Mexico  
*Esquiador en el Fondo de un Pozo*, La Colección Jumex, Mexico City, Mexico  
*Los Ángeles/México, Complejidades y Heterogenidad*, La Colección Jumex, Mexico City, Mexico  
*XTRA – ORDINARY*, Arthouse at the Jones Center, Austin, TX, USA  
*PINK NOT DEAD*, Garash Galería, Mexico City, Mexico
- 2005 *Polysemia*, Arcaute Arte Contemporáneo, Monterrey, Mexico  
*Barrocos y Neobarrocos*, Domus Artium 2002, Salamanca, Spain  
*Erotic*, Centro Cultural Banco de Brazil, Sao Paulo; Centro Cultural Banco de Brazil, Brazil  
*EXPOSICION ITINERANTE*, Centro Cultural Banco do Brasil, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

- In Site '05*, San Diego, CA, USA; Tijuana, Mexico  
*I'm He as You are He as Are Me as We Are All Together*, Central de Arte, Guadalajara, Mexico  
*Eco. Arte Mexicano Contemporáneo*, Museo Nacional Centro de Arte Reina Sofía, Madrid, Spain  
*Contiene Glutamato*, Galería OMR, Mexico City, Mexico
- 2004 *Made in Mexico*, The Institute of Contemporary Art, Boston, MA, USA  
*Multitasquin*, OMR, Mexico City, Mexico  
*Pulso de Los 90*, Colección MUCA Arte Contemporáneo, Mexico City, Mexico
- 2003 *Construcción*, Julie Saul Gallery, New York, NY, USA  
*Amarga Belleza*, Fundación Televisa, Mexico City, Mexico  
*Mexico, Identidad y Ruptura*, Fundación Telefónica, Madrid, Spain  
*Upwards*, Haggerty Gallery, University of Dallas, Dallas, TX, USA
- 2002 *Sensitive Negotiations*, Mexican Consulate, Miami, FL, USA  
*Zebra Crossing*, Mexartes Festival, House of World Cultures, Berlin, Germany  
*Invasión Extraterrestre*, Universidad de Guanajuato, Guanajuato, Mexico  
*Libre Albedrio. La colección de Arte Contemporáneo de la UNAM y otros encuentros*, Casa de La Cultura de Monterrey, Nuevo León, Mexico  
*Es 2002*, Centro Cultural Tijuana, Baja California, CA, USA  
*Un Lugar en Otro Lugar*, Centro Cultural de Mexico en París, France  
*The X-Files*, la Pandería, Mexico City, Mexico  
*Teoría del Ocio*, La Colección Jumex, Mexico City, Mexico  
*Casa, Vestido, Sustento*, Mexico City, Mexico  
*Tridimensional*, Arena México, Guadalajara, Mexico
- 2001 *Do It*, Museo de Arte Carrillo Gil, Mexico City, Mexico  
*Operativo*, Museo Rufino Tamayo, Mexico City, Mexico  
Phoenix Triennial, Phoenix Art Museum, Phoenix, AZ, USA  
*La Persistencia de La Imagen*, Museo de Arte Carrillo Gil, Mexico City, Mexico; Sonje Art Center Museum, Seoul, South Korea  
*Road to Aztlán; Art From a Mystical Land*, Los Angeles County Museum of Art (LACMA), Los Angeles, CA, USA  
*Escultura Mexicana (Tercera Parte)*, De La Academia a La Instalación, Museo del Palacio de Bellas Artes, Mexico City, Mexico  
*Mutations, La Vidéo Mexicaine Actuelle*, Palais des Arts de Toulouse as part of Rencontres, Toulouse, France  
*Cinémas d'Amérique Latine*, Toulouse, France; Hangar de Barcelona, Barcelona, Spain  
*Tendencias*, VII Salón de Arte Bancomer, Museo de Arte Moderno, Mexico City, Mexico
- 2000 *Chromatoform: Color in Sculpture*, Santa Barbara Contemporary Arts Forum, Santa Barbara, CA, USA  
*Caleidoscopio: Lenguajes Contemporáneos*, Banco Nacional de Comercio Exterior (BANCOMEXT), Mexico City, Mexico  
*Territorios Abstractos*, Museo del Chopo, Mexico City, Mexico  
*Última Generación del Siglo*, Antiguo Palacio del Ayuntamiento, Mexico City, Mexico  
*Room 1005*, Hotel San Francisco, Mexico City, Mexico  
*Erógena*, Museo Carrillo Gil, Mexico City, Mexico  
*Five Continents and One City*, Third International Salon of Painting, Museo de la Ciudad de Mexico, Mexico City, Mexico  
*VI Salón de Arte*, Grupo Financiero BBVA/Bancomer, Mexico City, Mexico  
*Imágenes Robados*, Museo Universitario del Chopo, Mexico City, Mexico
- 1999 *Fluid*, Bard College, Annandale on Hudson, NY, USA  
*Colección López Rocha*, Museo Carrillo Gil, Mexico City, Mexico  
*Yo y Mi Circunstancia*, Musée de Beaux Arts de Montreal, Canada
- 1998 *Hiper*, Museo de Arte Carrillo Gil, Mexico City, Mexico  
*Chromaform*, UTSA Art Gallery, San Antonio, TX, USA  
*Longitud de Onda*, Museo Alejandro Otero, Caracas, Venezuela
- 1997 *In Site '97*, San Diego, CA, USA; Tijuana, Mexico

- Our Ideas of the Perfect Are So Imperfect*, Ramapa College Art Gallery, Mahwah, NJ, USA  
*Así Está la Cosa*, Instalación y Arte Objeto en Latino America, Centro Cultural Arte Contemporáneo, Mexico City, Mexico  
*Hecho en Mexico*, Museo de las Artes, ExpoArte, Guadalajara, Mexico  
*Memory Frames*, Austin Museum of Art, Austin, TX, USA  
*Zona Verdad*, Sexta Bienal de la Habana, Cuba  
*Tres Proyectos Latinos*, Austin Museum of Art, Austin, TX, USA  
1996 *Video Faz, Art & Idea*, Mexico City/Expo Arte, Museo Regional, Guadalajara, Mexico  
*Masculine Measures*, John Michael Kholer Art Center, Sheboygan, WI, USA  
1995 *Morph*, Blue Star Art Space, San Antonio, TX, USA  
*...Moldavia Todavía Queda Mucho Por Decir...*, X' Teresa, Mexico City, Mexico  
*Juntos y Revueltos*, Hospicio Cabaña, Guadalajara, Mexico  
*It's My Life I'm Going to Change the World*, Acme Gallery, Los Angeles, CA, USA  
*Colección*, Museo Extremeño e Iberoamericano de Arte Contemporáneo, Bajadoz, Spain  
*No Soy Puto*, Rubén Gallo Gallery, Mexico City, Mexico  
1994 Quinta Bienal de la Habana, Cuba  
1er. Certamen de Escultura al Aire Libre, Mexico City, Mexico  
*50 Artistas*, Galería Marti's, Nuevo Laredo, Tamaulipas, Mexico  
*Neo*, Galería OMR, Mexico City, Mexico  
1993 *Texas Between Two Worlds*, Contemporary Arts Museum Houston (CAMH), Houston, TX, USA  
*Objeto/Sujeto*, Museo de Arte Moderno, Mexico City, Mexico  
*Fat*, Foster Freeman Gallery San Antonio, TX, USA  
*Lesa Natura*, Museo de Arte Moderno, Mexico City, Mexico  
*La Frontera / The Border*, Museum of Contemporary Art, San Diego, CA, USA; Centro Cultural de la Raza, Tijuana, Mexico  
1992 *Rueda: Como Naturaleza*, Hospicio Cabañas, Guadalajara, Mexico  
1991 *Profiles I: The Land*, Arlington Museum of Art, Arlington, TX, USA  
*D. F. Art from Mexico City*, Blue Star Art Space, San Antonio, TX, USA  
*Nuevas Adquisiciones*, Centro Cultural / Arte Contemporáneo, Mexico City, Mexico  
*Marcas*, Galería Arte Contemporáneo, Mexico City, Mexico  
*Target: South Texas / The World Outside*, Art Museum of South Texas, Corpus Christi, TX, USA  
*Material as Message*, The Glassell School of Art, The Museum of Fine Arts, Houston (MFAH), Houston, TX, USA  
1990 *Triangle*, Blue Collar Gallery, San Antonio, TX, USA  
*Light Well*, Site Specific Installation, Mariposa Park, Corpus Christi, TX, USA  
1986 *Dead Rays*, Blue Star Art Space, San Antonio, TX, USA  
*SAMA Open*, San Antonio Museum of Art, San Antonio, TX, USA

## COLLECTIONS

Art Center/Istanbul, Borusan Center for Culture and Arts, Turkey  
Associação Beneficente Alzira Denise Hertzog da Silva, Brazil  
Bruce and Diane Halle Collection, Scottsdale, AZ, USA  
Cisneros Fontanals Art Foundation (CIFO), Miami, FL, USA  
Colección Valdemarín, Madrid, Spain  
Collezione "La Gaia," Italy  
Des Moines Art Center, Des Moines, IA, USA  
Gelman Collection, Mexico  
Jerry I. Speyer Collection  
La Colección Jumex, Mexico City, Mexico  
Miami Art Museum, Miami, FL, USA  
Montblanc International Collection

Museo Extremeño e Iberoamericano de Arte Contemporáneo, Bajadoz, Spain  
Museo Universitario de Ciencias y Artes (MUCA), Mexico  
Museum of Fine Arts, Houston (MFAH), Houston, TX, USA  
Neeley Collection  
Phoenix Art Museum, Phoenix, AZ, USA  
Richard E. Peeler Art Center, DePauw University, Greencastle, IN, USA  
Televisa Collection, Mexico  
Vergel Foundation, New York, NY, USA