

Fernando Casasempere

Curriculum Vitae



Born 1958, Santiago, Chile

1982-1986 Scola Forma, Barcelona, Spain
1985-1986 Escuela de Arte y Oficios, Barcelona, Spain, specialising
 in sculpture

Working in London

"The Salare series is inspired by the landscapes of the salt flats of the Atacama Desert of northern Chile. Part of my aim is to enrich or complete my historical work, which has been based on the geology and the tectonic activity of this region. With these paintings, I want to talk about the surface of this terrain. With the accompanying organic pieces, I have tried to construct the rock formations that complete this three-dimensional landscape."

Solo Exhibitions

2022	<i>Terra</i> , The San Diego Museum of Art, California, USA <i>Scratching The Surface</i> , London Mithraeum, Bloomberg SPACE, London
2020	<i>Ensemble</i> , HS Projects, Howick Place, London
2019	<i>Geology</i> , Ivorypress, Madrid, Spain
2018	<i>Natura Morta</i> , Parafin Gallery, London
2017	<i>Remains – Reminders</i> , Tomio Koyama Gallery, Tokyo, Japan <i>Migration</i> , CV Galería, Santiago, Chile
2016	<i>Mi Andadura</i> , Museo Nacional Bellas Artes, Buenos Aires, Argentina
2015	<i>A Death</i> , Parafin Gallery, London <i>Camino</i> , German Clinic, Santiago, Chile <i>Masa Blanca</i> , Santiago, Chile <i>Out of Sync</i> , Atacama Desert, Chile
2012	<i>Out of Sync</i> , Somerset House, London <i>Out of Sync</i> , Palacio La Moneda, Santiago, Chile <i>Falla Ideologica</i> , Museo de Arte Contemporaneo, Santiago, Chile
2011	<i>Bricks and Mortar</i> , New Art Centre, Roche Court, Salisbury
2008	The Economist Plaza, London
2007	Galleria Carlo Orsi, Milan, Italy
2006	Galerie Carla Koch, Amsterdam, The Netherlands
2004	L'Eclaireur Space, Paris, France
2003	AMS Marlborough, Santiago, Chile
2002	Galerie Besson, London
2001	Galerie Besson, London Clara Scremini Gallery, Paris, France Showcase, Canary Warf, London
2000	Galerie Besson, London
1996	AMS Marlborough, Santiago, Chile
1993	Galeria Jorge Carroza, Santiago, Chile
1991	Museo Chileno de Arte Precolombino, Santiago, Chile
1990	Galeria Praxis, Santiago, Chile
1985	Espan~a Galeria Forma, Barcelona, Spain

Selected Group Exhibitions

2023	<i>Adrian Sassoon</i> , Design Miami, Miami Beach, USA <i>Adrian Sassoon</i> , The Treasure House Fair, London
2022	<i>Adrian Sassoon</i> , TEFAF Maastricht, The Netherlands <i>Adrian Sassoon</i> , Salon of Art & Design, New York, USA <i>Adrian Sassoon</i> , Masterpiece London, The Royal Hospital Chelsea, London <i>LOEWE Foundation Craft Prize 2022 - Finalist Exhibition</i> , Seoul, South Korea
2021	<i>Adrian Sassoon at Parham, a House of History</i> , Parham House, West Sussex Ivorypress, Kettle's Yard, Cambridge
2020	<i>Adrian Sassoon at The London House of Modernity</i> , London
2019	<i>Adrian Sassoon</i> , Salon of Art & Design, New York, USA
2018	<i>The Precious Clay</i> , Museum of Royal Worcester, Worcester <i>New Work Part II: Material</i> , Cob Gallery, London

Selected Group Exhibitions (continued)

- 2016 *Frieze Sculpture Park*, The Regent's Park, London
 *Adrian Sasso*n, Masterpiece London, The Royal Hospital Chelsea, London
- 2015 *Adrian Sasso*n, Salon of Art & Design, New York, USA
 *Adrian Sasso*n, Pavilion of Art & Design London, London
 *Adrian Sasso*n, Masterpiece London, The Royal Hospital Chelsea, London
 *Adrian Sasso*n, COLLECT, Saatchi Gallery, London
- 2014 *Adrian Sasso*n, Salon of Art & Design, New York, USA
 *Adrian Sasso*n, Pavilion of Art & Design London, London
 *Adrian Sasso*n, Masterpiece London, The Royal Hospital Chelsea, London
- 2012 CHACO Art Fair, Santiago, Chile
- 2008 *Beyond Limits*, Sotheby's, London,
 Excerpts from the Thought Provoking Machine, New Art Centre, Salisbury
- 2007 *Venice: City of Dreams?*, Sotheby's, London
 Under the Forest, Jerwood Foundation Ragley Hall, Alcester
- 2005 *Back to the Earth*, New Art Centre, Roche Court, Salisbury
- 2004 *Domestic (F)utility*, New Art Centre, Roche Court, Salisbury
- 1999 *Millennium Mugs*, Galerie Besson, London
- 1998 Schwartz & Martinez Gallery, Miami, USA
- 1996 Centro Extencion Universidad Catolica, Santiago, Chile
 Olympic Games, Escultura Coca Cola, Atlanta, USA
- 1995 Galeria Arte Espacio, Santiago, Chile
 Centro Cultural Mapocho, Santiago, Chile
- 1993 Contemporary Art Museum, Osaka, Japan
- 1992 Hara Museum, Tokyo, Japan
- 1991 Galeria Praxis, Santiago, Chile
- 1990 Galeria El Cerro, Santiago, Chile
 Museo de Bellas Artes, Santiago, Chile

Awards

- 2022 Finalist, LOEWE Foundation Craft Prize, Seoul, South Korea
- 2004 Residency, International Ceramic Centre, Guldagergård, Denmark
- 1992 Scholarship Prize, Andes Foundation, Colombia

Large Scale & Public Commissions

- 2014 *Trajectory*, monumental sculpture, Clínica Alemana private hospital,
 Santiago, Chile
- 2006 *Under the Forest*, monumental sculpture, Jerwood Sculpture Park, Warwickshire
- 2008 *The Thought-Provoking Machine*, The Economist, London

Public Collections

Victoria and Albert Museum, London
Museo Internazionale delle Ceramiche, Faenza, Italy
Harvard Art Museums, Cambridge, Massachusetts, USA
Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, Massachusetts, USA

Selected Bibliography: Books & Catalogues

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| 2019 | <i>Casasempere, F., Fernando Casasempere: Geology</i> , Ivorypress |
| 2016 | Graves, A., Lilley, C., de Waal, E., <i>Fernando Casasempere Works / Obras 1991-2016</i> , Hatje Cantz Verlag |
| 2014 | Walker, E., <i>Fernando Casasempere: Out of Sync</i> , New Art Centre |