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Giuseppe Palumbo

American, b. 1958

Giuseppe Palumbo's figurative bronze sculptures are textural, warm, spirited works that capture the essence of each being he portrays. Palumbo studied in Italy, Mexico, Loveland, CA, Scottsdale, AZ, and the Art Students League in Denver, CO. He maintains studios in Sausalito, CA and Eldorado Springs, CO and his work has been exhibited in many important shows throughout the US and can be found in several prominent collections.

Statement

My work is figurative, the objective is not to create a replica of the living, but to capture the essence of a being, not a frozen pose, but a sculpture alive in texture, spirit and warmth. My objective is to communicate in a language that words don't convey. If my work moves the viewer, stirs their soul, is a reflection of our times or pleases the aesthetic then I have achieved my goal. My chapter in the story of the sculpture is short, once finished with the piece it then becomes an endless tale as each viewer relives and creates their own story.

As the son of a professional artist from Italy, I have always been drawn to creating. Prior to sculpting fulltime I was involved in many architectural and building projects. Recently I have added furniture design to my interests. I view these mediums as being interconnected in the world of aesthetics and function.

Resume

Education

Art Students League, Denver
Loveland Academy Fine Art
Scottsdale Artists School
Instituto Allende, San Miguel Allende, Mx
Bellas Artes, San Miguel Allende, Mx
Pietrasanta, Italy
Brookgreen Gardens, S. Carolina

Exhibitions

2016 Art Expo New York City
2016 Coda Gallery, 2 Person Show, Palm Desert, CA
2015 RedDot Miami, FL
2015 Disruption, Grounds for Sculpture, Hamilton, NJ
2015 Beverly Hills Art Show
2015 Magic Carpet Ride, Athens, Greece
2015 Sugarman Peterson, 2 Person Show, Santa Fe NM
2015 Eldorado Springs Art Center, 15 year Retrospective
2015 Cole Gallery, Featured Artist

2014 SOFA, Chicago
2014 High Point Market, NC
2014 SeaFair, North Carolina
2013 RedDot Miami
2013 Beverly Hills Art Show
2013 Loveland Invitational Sculpture Show
2013 "Ocean" Stinson Beach Gallery
2013 Beverly Hills Art Show
2013 High Point Market, North Carolina
2013 Western Spirit Art Show, Cheyenne, Old West Museum
2013 Art Palm Beach
2012 "Seriously" I Wolk Gallery, St Helena Ca, Opening,
2011 San Francisco Fine Art Fair
2008 Deborah Young Gallery, Sausalito CA
2007 Solo Gallery, Los Gatos CA
2007 Palm Springs Museum National Show
2007 Englewood Museum Of Outdoor Art
2007 NY Art Expo International Biennale
2006 Santa Fe Art Brokerage, Santa Fe NM
2006 Wilder Nightengale Sculpture Show
2006 Santa Fe Fine Art Brokerage Solo Show
2006 Loveland Invitational Sculpture Show
2006 Palm Beach Biennale
2005 Colorado Art Open
2005 Englewood Museum of Outdoor Art
2005 Festival of Arts, Oklahoma City
2005 NY Art Expo
2005 Colorado Art Festival
2005 Eldorado Springs Art Center Group Show
2005 Loveland Invitational Sculpture Show
2005 Boulder Open Studios
2005 Abend Gallery Miniature Show
2005 Santa Fe Fine Art Brokerage Group Show
2004 Sculpture in the Streets, Mesa, AZ
2004 Art Students League Summer Show
2004 Loveland Invitational Summer Show
2004 Gallery 730 Group Show
2004 RL Fosters, Group Show
2004 Eldorado Springs Art Center Group Show
2003 Peak Art Alliance, Invitational
2003 Art Students League Summer Show
2003 Eldorado Springs Art Center Group Show
2003 Loveland Invitational Sculpture Show

Awards

2016 Art Expo New York City, Sculpture Award
2015 Beverly Hills Art Show, Second Place
2013 Beverly Hills Art Show, First Place Sculpture
2013 Marin Museum of Contemporary Art, Artfully Reclaimed, First Place
2010 Art of the West, First Place Bronze
2009 Palm Springs Art Museum, Sculpture
2008 Best Bronze, Heart of the West, Lander Wy

Memberships

Boulder County Art Alliance
International Sculpture Center
National Sculpture Society
Palm Springs Art Museum