# Luisa V. Cohrs

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## **EDUCATION**

1995 California State University Long Beach (M.F.A., Drawing and Painting), Long Beach, Ca

Wolverhampton University (Graduate studies, Drawing and Painting) Wolverhampton,

England, U.K.

1992 California State Polytechnic University Pomona (B.A., Fine Arts, Minor in Art History) Pomona,

California

# **SOLO EXHIBITIONS**

2019	Mural Commission "paper Air Planes" Spring View middles school, Huntington Beach, CA
2019	We are One, Parkview Gallery, Los Angeles, CA
2018	Painting Commission, Steel Cranes Co. Mr. Bob Kass, Los Angeles /Huntington Beach , CA
2018	Translations, Solo Exhibition ,Series Pañuelos, New York City Colombian Consulate Gallery, New York, NY
2018	Painting Commission, Mr. Alessandro Pirozzi , Pelican Hill, CA
2017	Magic Realism, Art Space Vincennes, Solo Exhibition, Art Space Vincennes, Vincennes, Indiana
2017	Commission, triptych and space design for Q3, Huntington Beach, CA
2017	Art showcase, Solo Exhibition, Eurika Gallery, Irvine California
2016	Fresco Commission, Salerno Ristorante, Laguna Beach, California
2016	Mural Commission, Mr and Mrs Buley, Costa Mesa, CA
2015	Mural Commission, Carson High Steam School, Carson City, CA
2015	Solo Exhibition, Art Space Vincennes, Vincennes, Indiana
2015	Art Commission, Swe Company ,Costa Mesa, CA
2015	Mural Commission, Mare' Lounge, Laguna Beach, CA
2015	Mural Commission, Tea Aria, Huntington Beach, CA
2014	Mural Commission, Aleassa Cucina, Laguna Beach, CA
2014	Mural Commission, Pirozzi Cucina, Corona del Mar, CA
2014	Mural Commission, Café Caldo, Laguna Beach, CA
2013	"A Passage to Venice", Solo Exhibition, Caos Art Gallery, Venice Italy. Exhibition & catalog supported by all' Amarone Vineria. May, 2013
2006	Solo Exhibition, Bluebird Gallery, Whittier, California
2002	Resurgimento, Arte_Klan-Destino Gallery, Bogota, Colombia
2000	Crossings, Solo Exhibition, Gjethuset Museum, Denmark
1997	Exotic Painters, Solo Exhibition, Gallery One Spacex Galleries, Exeter, England, United Kingdom

Fuego Lento, Fuego Encendido, Exeter & Devon Arts Centre & Museum, Exeter, England, United Kingdom

Tender Solo Exhibition, LAArtcore Little Tokyo Art Gallery, Los Angeles, California 1996

The Scent of Bitter Almonds Always Reminded Him of the Fate of Unrequited Love, MFA 1995

Exhibition, Gallery "B", California State University Long Beach, Long Beach, California

GROUP EXHIBITIONS	
2020	De-Fence Airport Ave, Santa Monica CA. May 30-June 30 Curated by Luigia Gio Martelloni
2020	Thai- Los Angeles international workshop and art exchange. Curated by Lore Eckelberry. Art
	Gallery Chiang Mai University . Chiang Mai, Thailand.
2019	Alive in the Universe. Venice Biennale, Palazzo Pesaro Papafava, Venice, Italy. Aldeburgh
	Foundation.
2019	We Are One. Parkway Gallery , Los Angeles, CA
2018	5 years the artist return. Art Space, Vincennes , Indiana.
2018	Synergy Where we Are, Gallery Western, Los Angeles, CA
2015	All You Can Eat Invitational, Bunny Gunner, Pomona, California
2013	Global Hybrid Women"s Exhibition, Lotus Gallery, Battambang, Cambodia, August 2013.
	Global Hybrid Women"s Exhibition, MetaHouse-German Cambodian Cultural Center,
	Phnom Penh, Cambodia July 2013.
2012	Dramatic Reading from 54 by Finishing School (Venice Biennale) at the Eternal
	Telethon at the MAK. 05/12
2011	"Art-ful Gifts" Rheeway Gallery, Los Angeles, CA, 12/3 – 1/3 2011
	"A novel Approach" Rheeway Gallery, Los Angeles, CA 01/2 – 02 / 26, 2011
2010	10 years Art Auction Invitational, HBAC 6/4/10- 6/11/10 Commission of public art.
	"Driven to Abstraction" Curator Alex Brown.SCA Gallery, Pomona, Ca 04/10-04/24/10
	"The Future Belongs to You" Renee Gallery, Miami, Florida 01/26/10-02/26/10
2009	Potential Visual, ASTO Museum of Art, Los Angeles, California 06/06 – 06/27
	GIAF, Sejong Center, Seuol, Korea
	GIAF, ASTO Museum, Seuol , Korea 04/09 – 04/2
	Rio Rancho Inn, New Mexico, 08/28/09-09/28/09 , Curator Gustav Yim
	IBK, Beijing, China 08 -09
	"The City Reconsider", HBAC, Huntington Beach, California, Curator Darleen DeAngelo
	All U can eat, Bunny Gunner, Pomona, California
	Overhung, Concrete Walls Gallery, Los Angeles, California
2008	School is out forever, Bunny Gunner, Pomona, California
	Difference and Coexistence, ASTO Museum of Art, Curators Seong Tae Hun, Gustav D. Yim
	and Gina Han, Wrightwood, California
	1 <sup>st</sup> B-day, Bunny Gunner, Pomona, California
	OC Eco Broker, Newport Beach, California
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	Artini Time, Huntington Beach Art Center, Huntington Beach, California
2007	Bird Feeder, Founders Building Pomona Art Colony, Curator Michael Pucket, Pomona,
	California
2006	Centered on the Center, Huntington Beach Art Center, Huntington Beach, Ca.

California Holiday Art Exhibition, Bluebird Gallery, Whittier, California

In Color, Bluebird Gallery, Whittier, California

Project Cuddle, Huntington Beach Mother Club, Huntington Beach, California

2005 Centered on the Center, Huntington Beach Art Center, Huntington Beach, Ca. Jewel Box, Touring Exhibition, Cypress and San Pedro, California Hangin' for the Holidays, Acuna-Hansen Gallery, Los Angeles, California Faculty Exhibition, Rio Hondo Art Gallery, Rio Hondo College, Whittier, California Presentacion, The Consulate General of Colombia and the Office of Commerce, Curator Marisol Rendon, San Diego, California 2004 Centered on the Center, Huntington Beach Art Center, Huntington Beach, California Away for the Land, The Consulate General of Colombia, Curator Hilda Piedrahita, Beverly Hills. California Mural Commission, Huntington Beach Medical Center, Huntington Beach, California 2002 Centered on the Center, Huntington Beach Art Center, Huntington Beach, California

2001 Faculty Exhibition, Rio Hondo Art Gallery, Rio Hondo College, Whittier, California 2000 East of the River, Santa Monica Museum of Art, Los Angeles, California

Four International Artists, Stoberihallen Museum, Denmark

1999 Faculty Exhibition, Rio Hondo Art Gallery, Rio Hondo College, Whittier, California 1998 Dynamite: The Faculty Exhibition, Kellogg University Art Gallery, California State

Polytechnic University Pomona, Pomona, California

1997 Visiting Artists Exhibition, The Reserve Gallery, Topsham, England, United Kingdom 1994 Bone Fragments, Griffin Fine Arts Gallery, Curator Meg Linton, Costa Mesa, Ca.

Romance with Aids, Garland Fine Arts Center, Pasadena Polytechnic School, Pasadena,

California

Intercollegiate Graduate Show, Arts Gallery, California State University Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California

Insights '94, University Art Museum, California State University Long Beach, Long Beach, California

Tierra de Oro, University Union Gallery, California State University Long Beach, Long Beach, California

Inaugural Exhibition, Little Toyko Art Gallery, Los Angeles, California

20th Annual ink & Clay Exhibition, Kellogg Art Gallery, California State Polytechnic University

Pomona, Curators P. Liashkov and G. Myers, Pomona, California

Baking Cookies, Orange County Center for Contemporary Art, Curator S. Vassalli, Santa Ana,

California

1993

Joseph Maruska & Luisa Cohrs, Curators Charles and Martha Canales, Alhambra, Ca

California State University Long Beach, Gallery B, Curator Peter Frank, Long Beach, Ca

Focus Women, A.R.T. Gallery, Hollywood, California Group 693, Gallery B, Long Beach, California

Art Festival '93, Square, Daniel Smith Incorporated, Costa Mesa, California

Fresh Paint II, California State University of Long Beach, Gallery C, Curators Gregory Amenoff

& Marie Thibeault, Long Beach, California

19th Annual Ink & Clay Exhibition, California State Polytechnic University Pomona, Kellogg Art

Gallery, Curator Gene Burg, Pomona, California

1992 Invasion-Resistance Exhibition, California State University Long Beach, University

Union Gallery, Curator Ana Christianson, Long Beach, California

Photography & Intermedia Exhibition, California State University Long Beach, Gallery B & C,

Curator Beverly Nadius, Long Beach, California

From Real to Surreal, Brea Civic Center Art Gallery, Brea, California

18th Annual Ink & Clay Exhibition, California State Polytechnic University Pomona, University

Union Gallery, Juror Barbara Thompson, Pomona, California

1991 Mixed Media Blues, California State Polytechnic University Pomona, University

Union Art Gallery, Curator Stanley Wilson, Pomona, California

2D/3D Annual Art Exhibition, California State Polytechnic University Pomona, ASI/UU Gallery,

Juror Suzanna Lago, Pomona, California

2nd Western Collegiate Photography Exhibition, California State Polytechnic University

Pomona, ASI/UU Gallery, Juror Dr. Wayne Rowe, Pomona, California

1990 Desert Dreams, California State Polytechnic University Pomona, University Art Gallery, Juror

Joe Hannibal, Pomona, California

2D/3D Annual Art Exhibition, California State Polytechnic University Pomona, ASI/UU Gallery,

Juror Rebecca Guzak, Pomona, California

Re-Union Art Exhibition, California State Polytechnic University Pomona, ASI/UU Gallery,

Pomona, California

1989 2D/3D Annual Art Exhibition, ASI/UU Gallery, California State University Pomona, Pomona,

California

### PRIVATE COLLECTIONS

Q3 Design & Construction, Inc.

Quang Xuan Nguyen and Ann Mong, Huntington Beach, CA

Mr. & Mrs. Alfredo Dipietri, Venice Italy / Bacaro Jazz

Tyler Di Giovanni, Huntington Beach, CA

Mr. Alejandro Angarita, Cali, Colombia, VP of Colgate and Palmolive

Felicia Gilbon, Long Beach, CA

Mr. & Mrs. Harvey and Ruth Geller, Huntington Beach, CA

Carlos Lazaro, Waldport, Oregon

Veronica Martinez, Blue Bird Art Gallery, Whittier, California

Ms. Rachel Elnar and Micheal Stinson from Ramp Creative, Los Angeles, California

Mr. & Mrs. Mary and Kevin Smith, Fountain Valley, California

Mr. Mark Williams, London, England

Mr. & Mrs. Carlos Garcia, Bogota, Colombia. Architect

Mr. Orlando Gomez, Bogota, Colombia, Dean of the Univ. Autonoma de Colombia.

Mr. Christopher Cook, Exeter, England, Reader Exeter College.

Mr. & Mrs Roberto Ardizon, Venice, Italy

Ms. Gloria Valencia, San Antonio, Texas

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Mrs. Anita Holguin-Miranda, Pico Rivera, California

Mr. Antanio Saldarriaga, Bogota, Colombia

Colonel James Jones, San Francisco, California

James & Marina LeLeux, Tustin, California

Mrs. Lydia Takeskita, La Crescenta, California

Jones Collection, Kellogg Art Gallery, Pomona, California

Ms. Sandra Gonzalez, Los Angeles, California

Charles & Martha Canales, Alhambra, California

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Meyerson, Pasadena, California

Ms. Ernestina Madriles, Whittier, California

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Mr. & Mrs. Julian Adadia, Lake Forest, California

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Mr. Muddy K. Wassan, Westminster, California

Mr. Albert Chun, Los Angeles, California

Ms. Taline Avedissian, Irvine, California

Mr. Jeff Di Toro, Santa Clara, California

Mr. and Mrs, Lehman, Monterey, California

Mr. and Mrs. Shumi Mano, Big Bear, California

### **Publications**

Charged Images: Luisa Cohrs, Andrew Jendrzejewski & Amy DeLap, Art Space Vincennes LLC, August 5,2015 Mc Neece, Jenny, "The Art that Artist Like", Vincennes Sun Commercial, July 2, 2015

Davis, Stacy. Driven to Abstraction, Inland Empire Weekly, April 2010

Chang, Richard. Artini Time, Blog, OC Register, May 2008

Video Interview, National TV coverage & private showing of One-man exhibition, Arte\_ Klan Destino Gallery, Bogota, Colombia. July 30,2002

Literary Criticism- by Nelly S. Gonzalez, 2003 – 498 pages; The Scent of Bitter Almonds Always Reminded Him of the Fate of Unrequited Love.

Artificial Insemination. Interview on private Mural Commission, Huntington Beach, California. Broadcasted on TLC documentary, Late 2001&2002

*Multiple Births*. Interview on private Mural Commission, Huntington Beach, California. Broadcasted on Discovery Channel documentary, late 2001&2002

East of the River. Curated Invitational of Latino Artists. Santa Monica Museum of Art, Bergamot Station, Los Angeles, California. Work included in catalog. November, 2000

Four International Artists. Stoberihallen Museum, Denmark, October, 2000

Frederiksvaerk Ugeblad and two other publications. "Crossings", One-Person Exhibition, Gjethuset Museum, Denmark, May, 2000

Interviewed on opening solo exhibition at Devon Art Museum, England. Broadcast on BBC2-TV during the month of January, 1997.

Protester in the Picture. Express & Echo Newspaper. a critical analysis of the exhibition at the Devon Art Museum. January 3, 1997