MERCEDES BALLE

Born in 1991, based between London and Mallorca.

EDUCATION

2023-2025 Fine Art Sculpure MFA at Slade School of Fine Arts.

2016-2020 Fine Art (Hons) BA at The Art Academy, London.

SOLO AND TWO-PERSON EXHIBITIONS

2024 London Guts, The Stone Space, London

2021 Breaching the Boundary, part of Estuary 2021 Associated Programme & Gravesham Estuary Fringe, online show.

2018 Untitled, Taylor & James Ltd, London.

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2024 Perder la Mirada, Casal Solleric y Ca'n Balaguer, Palma de Mallorca.
- 2024 Blue tack on a spicke is no good, a construction site in EC2, London.
- 2024 Incart, Sa Quartera, Inca, Mallorca.
- 2023 UnCommon Grounds, Space Collective, The Koppel Project Station, London.
- 2023 Sinking my toes, Calcio Studios, London.
- 2022 Remnants and the Breached Boundary, Blake Gallery, Gravesend.
- 2022 Spaces, Places and the Everyday, Group Show, The Crypt Gallery, London
- 2021 12 Voices, Studio Weil, Mallorca
- 2021 Health & Climate & Ecological Emergency, UCLH NHS Fundation Trust, London.
- 2021 Riparian, Proposition Studios Gallery.

2021 Facade, The Holy Art, London

2020 Art Academy London Graduate Show, Former Newington Library, London

2020 Art Jove 2020, Casal Solleric, Palma de Mallorca.

2020 NOT The Grad Show, Online Exhibition.

2019 Untitled, Former Newington Library, London.

2019 Culture Shock, Cookhouse Gallery, London.

2019 JoanArt 2019, Calvià Council, Mallorca.

2019 Art Academy Graduated Show, Haywards Heath.

2018 Configuration, The Old Newington Library, London.

2018 Decke, Brondo Architect Hotel, Majorca.

AWARDS

2021 Finalist at Weil Art Exchange, Mallorca.

2020 Art Jove 2020, Palma de Mallorca.

2020 Semi-finalist at LSM Art Awards, London

2017 Runner up in Peers Prize at The Art Academy, London.

PRESS

UnCommon Grounds, Salon Exit, May 2023. Link here

Works of Renewal Inspired by Complex, Divided Urban Landscapes: With Mercedes Balle, FAYD Digital, November 2021.

Thames Walls, Salon Exit, October 2021. Link here.

COMMISSIONS

Kite String cover image, Poetry Magazine Hackney, Wordspace and The Guitar Social, 2023.

The Great Get Together Festival Mural, Bankside Open Trust, London, 2019.

CEIP Bendinat School Mural, with Maitak, Mallorca, 2018.

RESIDENCIES

2020 Artist in Isolation: A Residency, self directed residency