



BERTO

Born 1985, Lives in Los Angeles, CA and Lisbon, Portugal

Artist Statement

My paintings are a vibrant and soulful exploration of spiritual and nature-based themes. With richly, colored layers of mixed media that hover somewhere between the abstract and representational, I create an immersive visual experience that breathes life into imagined worlds.

Berto is an American artist living and working in Santa Monica, California. At the age of 38, he has met the challenges of young adulthood and developed the skills that support his vision, which includes a deep appreciation of nature's intricate patterns and a love of vivid color. As a child, Berto's art teachers recognized his talent and gave him the freedom to thrive at artmaking.

Berto has always been an artist and enjoyed making art, which subsequently has made him flourish in other creative endeavors. An ideas man, he has delved into creative stands such as acting, directing, and writing for commercials. Which has led him to travel substantially throughout the world. Additionally, setting up home in culturally vibrant cities such as Athens, Canggu, Hamburg, London, Los Angeles, Milan, New York City and Paris. Always, it's his artistry that fuels his successes. Originality informed by his ability for diverse thinking which is implemented irrespective of the circumstance for the creative endeavors.

Furthermore, he has followed spectacular surf opportunities around the globe. Since childhood, he's been a devout surfer. An integral side of him that also caters to his need to be free is underlined with focus and clear intent. You'll find his murals in many countries around the world... Australia, Bali, Costa

Rica, Indonesia, New Zealand and Senegal. His large site-specific works are also in many cities throughout the United States. Currently, his works are in private collections and will have international exhibitions in the coming years

Exhibitions:

2024

Salon Style, TEW Galleries, Atlanta, GA

Berto and Sara Pittman, TEW Galleries, Atlanta, GA

2023

Berto Solo Exhibition, TEW Galleries, Atlanta, Georgia

Salon Style, TEW Galleries, Atlanta, Georgia

2022

Observational Abstractions, TEW Galleries, Atlanta, GA

Salon Style, TEW Galleries, Atlanta, GA

Reflections Art Show

Show Gallery, Los Angeles, California

2021

Centerline, Seattle, Washington

Sutivan Elementary School, Brac , Croatia

2020

Commercial Bay, Auckland, New Zealand

Michron, Irvine, California

2019

Hopper Lofts, Richmond, Virginia

Art House, West Adams, Los Angeles, California

Osa Cladestina, Matapalo, Costa Rico

2018

Nadeau, West Hollywood, California

Goods Market, New York, New York

2017

ROW DTLA, Los Angeles, California

Goods Market, Silver Lake, Los Angeles, California

2016

Broadway and Electric, Venice Beach, California

Second Harvest Event, Carrol Gardens, Brooklyn, New York

The Factory, Long Island City, Queens, New York

N'gor Island, Dekar, Senegal

2015

McCarren Hotel, Williamsburg, Brooklyn, New York

Lincoln and Ocean, Venice Beach, California

Loosie Rouge, Williamsburg, Brooklyn, New York

2014

Broadway Wine and Spirits, Santa Monica, California

The Other Room, Venice Beach, California

2013

Porch and Parlor, Bondi Beach, Sydney, Australia