
PAULO ALBUQUERQUE
(b. 1988, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil)

Paulo Albuquerque is a Luso-Brazilian artist who graduated from the Faculty of Fine Arts of the University of Lisbon. His work spans various artistic fields, including painting, illustration, and mural painting, and is distinguished by dynamic compositions where different elements, colors, and textures intertwine to tell stories.

The themes Albuquerque explores stem from human relationships, social habits, and the interactions between spaces and objects, often translated into visual metaphors that reflect his daily life and personal experiences.

In his creative process, he draws from a keen observation of his surroundings, gathering references through photographs, memories, and direct observation. These elements serve as a starting point for compositions where the balance of forms emerges spontaneously, yet is always guided by an intentional pursuit of harmony. Movement, light, and layering play a fundamental role in shaping his works, giving them depth and dynamism. The recurring presence of green tones in his work conveys the organic nature of things, reflecting the fluidity of relationships and experiences that inspire his art.

The artist seeks to express his vision of the world and society, as well as his personal concerns, and thoughts. The works are born from what he observes and absorbs. From these references, he aims to create atmospheres and tell stories.

PAULO ALBUQUERQUE | CV

SOLO SHOWS

[2025]

Same Tones, Different Stories – Pura Cal (Lisbon, Portugal)

[2024]

Lugar/Tempo, Campo Pequeno Art Gallery (Lisbon, Portugal)

Paths to An Imaginary Atmosphere, Atmosfera M (Lisbon, Portugal)

[2023]

Lugar, LX Lapa (Lisbon, Portugal)

[2021]

Spaces Between, Art Room Gallery (Lisbon, Portugal)

COLLECTIVE SHOWS

[2025]

30x30– 23A Gallery (Lisbon, Portugal)

QE Uma Nova Linguagem, National Society of Fine Arts (Lisbon, Portugal)

Corrente de Ar, Collective Corrente de Ar (Lisbon, Portugal)

Palma Project, Trindade Convent Palace (Lisbon, Portugal)

Cedrus Curated, Lisbon Design Week, Cedrus Av. da Liberdade (Lisbon, Portugal)

[2024]

Pequenos Formatos, Monumental Gallery (Lisbon, Portugal)

Design Futures, Gallery University of Fine Arts (Lisbon, Portugal)

Blimunda, Mad Marvila Gallery (Lisbon, Portugal)

Fragmentos Itinerantes, Comporta Culture House (Comporta, Portugal)

Corrente de Ar, Collective Corrente de Ar (Lisbon, Portugal)

Nós Acreditamos na Liberdade, Santa Maria Maior Gallery (Lisbon, Portugal)

Lisbon Lonely, Art Room Gallery (Lisbon, Portugal)

[2023]

Corrente de Ar, Collective Corrente de Ar (Lisbon, Portugal)

ECHO 2.0, Esquina Urban Lodge (Lisbon, Portugal)

[2022]

Pla'Arte, Nave Gallery (Óbidos, Portugal)

As Coordenadas Líricas, Apaixonarte Gallery (Lisbon, Portugal)

[2021]

Atlas of Ideal Landscape, Campo Pequeno Art Gallery (Lisbon, Portugal)

Ignição, Rastilho Gallery (Lisbon, Portugal)

A Clue to Reality, Campo Pequeno Art Gallery (Lisbon, Portugal)

[2020]

Desvio Cultural #3, Braço de Prata Factory (Lisbon, Portugal)

ECHO, Esquina Urban Lodge (Lisbon, Portugal)

[2019]

Perfect Strangers, Collective

Exhibition, Seed House Art Gallery (Lisbon, Portugal)

[2018]

Creative Debuts (London, UK)

ART FAIRS, COLLABORATIONS & BIENNIALS

[2025]

Lisbon Design Week, Cedrus Curated (Lisbon, Portugal)

[2021]

5th International Art Biennial of Espinho (Espinho, Portugal)

RESIDENCIES

[2026]

Artist residency TERRA developed by Associação P'LA ARTE and Craveiral Farmhouse (Portugal)