

# Gustavo Godoy

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## Lives and works in Los Angeles, CA

### Education

- 2005 M.F.A., Studio Art, Vermont College, Montpelier, VT
- 2000 UCLA, Dept. of Arch. and Urban Design, Los Angeles, CA
- 2000 B.A., Studio Art, UC Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara, CA
- 1995 Studio Art, UC Irvine, Irvine, CA

### Solo Exhibitions

- 2019 "Gustavo Godoy- The Prototype," Mt. San Jacinto College
- 2018 "Gustavo Godoy- The Prototype," Bakersfield Museum of Art, Bakersfield
- 2015 "Dance after Dark," Dance Camera West, The Music Center, Los Angeles
- 2014 "Restructure," Dance Camera West, The Music Center, Los Angeles  
"Abandoned Relics," Art on the Outside, City of West Hollywood
- 2013 "Fast-Formal Object: Big Blue," The Ranch Projects, Morongo Valley  
"Fast-Formal Metal Sculptures," Royale Projects, Palm Desert
- 2012 "Vacant Mounds and Markers," Honor Fraser Gallery, Los Angeles
- 2011 "Empty Altar/Empty Throne," MOCA Jacksonville, FL  
"Fast-Formal Object: Big Blue," Honor Fraser Gallery, Los Angeles  
"Empty Altar," Todd Madigan Gallery, CSU Bakersfield, CA  
"Fast-Formal Object: Flayed White," LA Mart, Los Angeles
- 2010 "Fast-Formal Object: Flayed White," Wexner Center for the Arts  
"Fast-Formal Object: Big Blue," Prism Gallery, Los Angeles  
"Fast-Formal Object: Act Two," Honor Fraser Gallery, Los Angeles  
"Fast-Formal Object: Big White," Honor Fraser Gallery, Los Angeles
- 2007 "What's the Big Idea?" The Happy Lion, Los Angeles

### Group Exhibitions

- 2022 "Art Fam," Feldman-Horn Gallery, Harvard-Westlake School, Los Angeles
- 2020 "Artist Series vol.1," Foam Corp. Gallery, Los Angeles
- 2017 "Pablo Rasgado: This Too Shall Pass," Pacific Standard Time, Steve Turner Gallery, Los Angeles  
"All The Small Things," Steve Turner Gallery, Los Angeles
- 2016 "Hello my name is...Los Angeles," Royale Projects, Los Angeles
- 2012 "NeoNatural," Steve Turner Gallery, Los Angeles  
"Tag, you're it!" Royal/T, Culver City, CA  
"Don't the Sun look Angry at Me: pictures and objects from Los Angeles now," Royale Projects, Palm Desert, CA  
"Urban Legends," LA Mart, Los Angeles
- 2011 "Sur: Biennial," Outpost For Contemporary Art, Cerritos College, Rio Hondo College, Los Angeles (catalogue)  
"Playtime," See Line Gallery, Los Angeles  
"Plenitude," Barbara Davis Gallery, Houston, TX
- 2010 "It Ain't Fair," OHWOW, Miami, FL  
"Baker's Dozen," Torrance Art Museum, Torrance, CA (catalogue)  
"You Can Heal Your Life!" Circus Gallery, Los Angeles
- 2008 "L.A. Confidential," Le Parc Saint Léger - Centre d'art contemporain, Pougues-les-Eaux, France
- 2007 "One Foot High And Rising," The Balmoral, Venice, CA  
"The Happy Lion at MACO," (site specific sculptural project) Mexico Arte Contemporaneo, Mexico City
- 2006 "Sculpture," Gagosian Gallery, Beverly Hills, CA

- "One of these things is not like the Other," Angela Hanley Gallery, Los Angeles  
 "Carmada," MAK Center Center for Art & Architecture, Schindler House, Los Angeles  
 "Five Sculptors," Workspace @ 91 Meserole St., Brooklyn, NY  
 "Young Americans," Chinatown Project Space, Los Angeles  
 "Drawing and Sculpture," The Happy Lion, Los Angeles  
 "TBA," Angela Hanley Gallery, Los Angeles  
 "A Single Channel Video Show," The Glendale College Art Gallery, Glendale, CA  
 "Uncontained," Wood Art Gallery, Vermont College, Montpelier, VT  
 2004 "General Store: The Four Color Pen Show," Locust Projects, Miami, FL  
 "General Store: The Four Color Pen Show," General Store Gallery, Milwaukee, WI  
 2002 "Public Space: Artist/Architect Collaboration," UCLA  
 1999 "En LA Casa," home takeover installation, West Hollywood  
 1998 "Gustavo Godoy: Paint/Wood," Fine Arts Gallery, UCSB  
 "Honors Last Show," UCSB  
 1997 "Inside Out," public installation, UCI  
 "Centered Around the Center," Huntington Beach Art Center, Huntington Beach

#### Exhibitions Curated

- 2007 "Fleeing the Scene," 5 Los Angeles artists: Robert Levine, Pentti Monkkonen,  
 Monique van Genderen, Tyler Vlahovich, and Brian Wills,  
 The Happy Lion, Los Angeles, CA

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- 2015 Campodonico, Christina. "Moves After Dark...," *LA Times*, July 15, 2015.  
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 July 13, 2015.
- 2014 Donelan, Charles. "Art and Design in the California Desert," *Santa Barbara Independent*, March 2014.  
 Levine, Debra. "Dance Camera West's 'Restructure' festival to kick off with stylish sculptural dance," *Arts  
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- 2012 Cerritos College Art Gallery, James MacDevitt. "Gustavo Godoy," *The 1st Los Angeles  
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- 2011 Acevedo, Alejandro. "Gustavo Godoy- Fast-formal Objects," *Taxi Art Magazine*, June 2011.  
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 White Cube*, September 2011.  
 Polednik, Marcelle. "Climbing To Higher Heights," *Arbus*, October/November 2011, pp. 62-66.  
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- 2010 *Beautiful Decay*. "Gustavo Godoy- Honor Fraser Gallery," January 2010.  
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 Nys Dambrot, Shana. "Gustavo Godoy," *Flavorpill*, 2010.  
 Schad, Ed. "Fast-Formal Object : Big White," *Artslant*, February 2010.
- 2008 Escalle, Clotilde. "Querques ames resistant au rythme des saisons," *Kultur Tageblatt*, Luxembourg,  
 August 25, 2008, pp. 21-22.  
 Joly, Jean-Mathias. "California Dream," *Le Journal du Centre*, France, June 27, 2008, p. 7.  
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 Ramade, Benedicte. "Los Angeles Sous Le Manteau," *Zero Deux*, No. 47, Automne 2008, p. 76.  
 Staff. "Pogues-Les-Eaux: La contre-culture californienne," *Le Journal du Centre*, France,  
 Septembre 10, 2008.
- 2007 *ArtSlant*, "Forget it Jake, it's Chinatown: My Day at Happy Lion and Black Dragon Society,"

March 2007.  
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 Satorius, Katherine. "Gustavo Godoy- The Happy Lion," artUS, Issue 19, Summer 2007.  
 Wulfsson, Jennifer. "Contemporary Sculpture in Los Angeles," Sculpture Journal, Vol. 17.1, Spring 2008.

### **Collections**

La Coleccion Jumex, Mexico City  
 MOCA Jacksonville, Jacksonville, FL  
 Palm Springs Art Museum, Palm Springs, CA  
 Tom Ford and Richard Buckley, Beverly Hills, CA  
 Phillip Niarchos, Paris, France  
 Chris McMillan, Los Angeles, CA  
 John McIlwee and Bill Damaschke, Los Angeles, CA  
 Honor Fraser and Stavros Merjos, Los Angeles, CA  
 Robert Galstian, Los Angeles, CA  
 Steven Biller, Palm Springs, CA  
 Sarah Watson, Los Angeles, CA  
 Taylor Thomson, Montreal, Quebec

### **Teaching/Lectures**

2015-Present	Head of Visual Arts, Harvard-Westlake School, Studio City, CA
2011	Visiting Artist Lecturer/Instructor, CSU Bakersfield Artist Lecturer, CSU Dominguez Hills Artist Lecturer, Wexner Center for the Arts, Columbus, OH Artist Lecturer, Museum of Contemporary Art, Jacksonville, FL
2010	Artist Panel, LA Sculpture: Panel with Ed Schad, Jeff Poe, Kathryn Andrews, Gustavo Godoy, and Piero Golia, Honor Fraser Gallery, Los Angeles KAMP (Kids Art Museum Project), Hammer Museum, Los Angeles
2007	Artist Lecturer, Thoughts on Abstraction for Kids (film and lecture series), Angela Hanley Gallery, Los Angeles Visiting Artist Project, UCLA Lab School