

MANUELA BENAİM

Born in 1996 in Caracas, Venezuela

Lives and works between Amsterdam and Barcelona

Solo Exhibitions

- 2026 BETA Contemporary, Barcelona (forthcoming)
- 2023 *OSMOSIS*, Door Open Space, Amsterdam

Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2026 Kristin Hjellegjerde, West Palm Beach, Florida (forthcoming)
- 2025 *Body Archive*, Kristin Hjellegjerde, Berlin
Habitar el cuerpo, Sorondo Projects, Barcelona
- 2024 *Echoes of Paradise*, Jane Lombard Gallery, New York
- 2023 *Shapeshifting*, W139, Amsterdam
51 años de desnudo, Spazio Zero, Caracas
- 2022 *Próxima*, Hacienda La Trinidad, Caracas
- 2021 *Interludio*, GBG Arts, Caracas
Luis Ángel Duque, Galería Freites, Caracas
- 2020 Textile Art Exhibition, Daesan Museum of Art, South Korea
- 2019 STAARTA, New York
- 2018 The Philadelphia Furniture Show, 23rd Street Armory, Philadelphia
Next Generation Crafts, The Kimmel Center for Performing Arts, Philadelphia
- 2017 *Back to Nature*, The Kimmel Center, Philadelphia
Chiaroscuro, Solmssen Court, Philadelphia
- 2016 *First Look*, Gallery One, The University of the Arts, Philadelphia

Education

- 2020 BFA Fine Arts with a Minor in Craft and Material Studies, University of the Arts, Philadelphia (Outstanding Student award)

Awards, Residencies, and Scholarships

- 2025 AFK – Amsterdams Fonds voor de Kunst, Amsterdam
- 2023 Arsenal Residency, Metz, France
- 2022 Door Foundation Residency, Amsterdam
TRANS Residency (with Ernesto Artillo), Cabo de Gata, Spain
- 2020 Rosalie Borowsky Belkin Award
Florence Whistler Fish Award (Honorable mention)
- 2017 Haystack School of Crafts residency, Maine
William Daley Fellow Award, Haystack School of Crafts