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# Henrique Oliveira

Born in 1973 in Ourinhos, SP BR  
Lives and works in New York US and São Paulo BR

- 2019** *Un Eté au Havre*, curator: Jean Blaise, Le Havre, France
- 2018** *XI Enku Grand Award*, Museum of Fine Arts of Gifu, Gifu, Japan
- 2017** *The Other Side - Tales of the Unconscious*, Wilhelm-Hacke Museum, Ludwigshafen, Germany  
Henrique Oliveira, Van de Weghe Gallery, New York, USA ♥
- 2016** *Small Gestures*, Műcsarnok - Kunsthalle, Budapest, Hungary \*  
Henrique Oliveira, Galeria Millan, São Paulo, Brazil ♥  
Bizarre Spaces «Attacks, Transformations, Explosions», Marta Herford Museum, Herford, Germany  
The End of The World, Centro Pecci, Prato, Italy
- 2015** *Fissure*, Galerie GP & N Vallois, Paris, France ♥  
4th Lubumbashi Biennial, Congo  
Fusion: Art of the 21st Century, Virginia Museum of Fine Arts, Richmond, USA  
Crafted: Object in Flux, Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, USA
- 2014** *Transarquitetônica*, Museum de Arte Contemporânea - MAC, São Paulo, Brazil ♥  
*Momento fecundo*, Domaine de Chaumont-sur-Loire, Chaumont-sur-Loire, France ♥  
Henrique Oliveira, Projective Eye Gallery, UNC University of North Carolina, Charlotte, USA ♥  
Henrique Oliveira, Arthur Ross Gallery, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, USA ♥  
Do Valongo à Favela: imaginário e periferia, Museu de Arte do Rio - MAR, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil  
Made by... Feito por Brasileiros, Matarazzo Hospital, São Paulo, Brazil \*
- 2013** *Baitogogo*, Palais de Tokyo (SAM Arts Projects), Paris, France ♥\*  
*Brasiliana*, Schirn Kunsthalle Frankfurt, Frankfurt, Germany \*  
*La distance juste*, Galerie GP & N Vallois, Paris, France \*  
*L'arbre de vie*, Collège des Bernardins, Paris, France \*
- 2012** *Inside Out and from the Ground Up*, MoCA, Cleveland, USA  
*Sculpture is Everything*, Queensland Art Gallery ; Gallery of Modern Art, Brisbane, Australia \*  
*Ursulines Prolapse*, Offenes Kulturhaus, Linz, Austria ♥\*  
*Realidade Líquida*, Galeria Millan, São Paulo, Brazil ♥  
Henrique Oliveira, Centro Hélio Oiticica, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil ♥
- 2011** Henrique Oliveira, Galerie GP & N Vallois, Paris, France ♥\*  
Henrique Oliveira, Boulder Museum of Contemporary Art, Boulder, USA ♥\*  
Artists in Dialogue #2, Henrique Oliveira, Sandile Zulu, Smithsonian Institution, Washington DC, USA ♥
- 2010** 29<sup>th</sup> São Paulo Biennial, São Paulo, Brazil \*  
9<sup>th</sup> Monterrey Biennial, FEMSA, Casa de la Cultura de Puebla ; Centro Cultural, Tijuana, Mexico  
3<sup>rd</sup> Edition of Prize CNI SESI Marcantônio Vilaça for Arts, Museum of Modern Art, Salvador;  
Museum of Modern Art, Rio de Janeiro; Museum of Contemporary Art of São Paulo;  
Juvenal Antunes Gallery, Rio Branco, Brazil  
One of each one, Silvia Cintra & Box 4 Gallery, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
- 2009** *Tapumes*, Rice University Art Gallery, Houston, USA ♥\*  
*Solo Show*, Flying Circus Gallery, Monterrey, Mexico ♥  
7<sup>th</sup> Mercosul Biennial, Porto Alegre, Brazil
- 2008** *Seja marginal, seja herói*, Galerie GP & N Vallois, Galerie Natalie Seroussi, Paris, France \*  
*Something from Nothing*, Contemporary Arts Center, New Orleans, USA  
Studio Project, Baró Cruz Gallery, São Paulo, Brazil
- 2007** 11<sup>th</sup> Festival of English Culture, British Council, São Paulo, Brazil  
*Future of the Present*, Instituto Itaú Cultural, São Paulo, Brazil \*  
CTRL,C + CTRL\_V/ Recortar e Colar, Sesc Pompeia, São Paulo, Brazil  
*La Espiral de Moebius o los límites de la pintura*, Centro Cultural Parque de Espana, Rosário, Argentina \*
- 2006** 1<sup>st</sup> Exhibitions Program Biennial, Centro Cultural, São Paulo, Brazil ♥  
*Fiat Mostra Brazil*, Porão das Artes, Pavilhão da Bienal, São Paulo, Brazil \*  
*Paralela 2006*, Parque do Ibirapuera, São Paulo, Brazil  
*Prêmio Projéteis FUNARTE de arte contemporânea*, Palácio da Cultura Gustavo Capanema,  
Rio de Janeiro, Brazil  
Henrique Oliveira, Baró Cruz Gallery, São Paulo, Brazil ♥
- 2005** *Tapumes*, Casa de Cultura da América Latina, Brasília, Brazil ♥  
*Projeteis d'Art Contemporain*, Espace Brésil ; FUNARTE ; Year of Brazil in France, Paris, France  
*In Transit* - graduated artists from ECA/USP, Olido Gallery, São Paulo, Brazil
- 2004** *Projéteis FUNARTE*, Palácio da Cultura Gustavo Capanema, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil  
9<sup>th</sup> Santos Visual Arts Biennial, Santos, Brazil \*  
Annual Program, Museu de Arte, Ribeirão Preto, Brazil
- 2003** *Arte do Novo Milênio*, Centro Cultural Guimarães Rosa, Jundiaí, São Paulo, Brazil
- 2002** 5<sup>th</sup> Revelation Prize, Museu de Arte Contemporânea, Americana, Brazil  
Miolo, FUNARTE, São Paulo, Brazil
- 2000** *Desenhos e Pinturas*, FUNARTE, São Paulo, Brazil ♥



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## CAPTIONS

1 - EXLP 10, 2016

2 - *The Origin of the Third World*, 29th São Paulo Biennial, 2010

♥ Solo exhibition

\* Catalogue



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The Brazilian artist Henrique Oliveira (born 1973) transfers the dynamic decay he finds at the borders of his native São Paulo to the very heart of Paris. Working with painting, sculpture and installation, Oliveira unleashes a vibrant series of organic (almost parasitic) forms, textures and colors. He combines the very flesh of his native city (through the use of found wood scraps) with a wide spectrum of art historical and scientific references. (...) The Penetrables that Oticica exhibited at London's Whitechapel Gallery in 1969, at once a snapshot of Brazilian favelas and a cohesive development of Color Field Painting, were vivid environments in microcosm. In much the same way, in Oliveira's work, "gestures become landscapes," he says, or "fluid environments, little universes inside other universes."

Lillian Davies

3 - View from the exhibition *Seja marginal, Seja herói*, Galerie GP & N Vallois, 2008

4 - *Desnatureza*, Galerie GP & N Vallois, 2011

5 - *Tapumes* - Casa dos Leões, Mercosul Biennial, 2009

6 - *Baitogogo*, Palais de Tokyo, 2013