**MARY CHIRINOS**

**ARTIST STATEMENT**

My work tends to focus on the harmonic structure of the universe and the relationship with man evolution. I have been experimenting with images and the principles of Sacred Geometry, seeking mystical and metaphysical paths that would try to capture contemplation and meditation on the energy of the cosmic space, to open mystical channels and to explore the spiritual world where philosophy and divinity merge; where the mind and the soul are seduced between "the sacred and the profane".

**CV**

Mary Chirinos was born in Valencia, Venezuela. She began her inclination in art from an early age, entered the Cristobal Rojas School of Art where she could make sculptures and painting with different materials. Since 1989 she immigrated to the United States where she opted to pursue en education in art and design. Chirinos received her Bachelor in Fine Arts/architectural design from University of Texas in San Antonio, Texas in 1993. She currently resides in Miami, Florida where she participates with the art group of women W-10, also continues her career as an independent art actively involved in artistic events.

**W-10**

Being in a group such as the **W-10** is an honor for me, with them I learned the fine art of artistic exchange, our gatherings are rich in human content, every meeting we do is a world where each of us get the best of who we are with fellowship, brotherhood and love.

It makes me feel a woman who leaves an impression in the way of art.

**EDUCATION**

1975   Sculpture and Painting, Cristobal Rojas Art School, Caracas Venezuela

1993   BA Fine Arts and Architectural Design, University of Texas in San Antonio, TX

**ARTIST IN RESIDENCY**

**September 2014**, The Skopelos Foundation for the Arts, Greece.

**EXHIBITIONS (group shows)**

**March 2017**, UNCONVENTIONAL WOMEN , L/Mercado Studios, Hollywood, FL

**May 2015**, Being Skopelos, Greece”, Project by W-10 Art Emporium Gallery, Miami, FL

**October 2014**, Kaipoc”, Skopelos Foundation for th Arts, Greece

**May 2013**, Human Rights / Human Wrongs, The Artisan Lounge, , Miami, FL

**March 2012**, Hu-manos, Viernes Collective show, Bakehouse, Miami, FL

**September 2011**, Body Of Women, Viernes Culturales Art Gallery, Miami, FL

**Abril 2011**, Project Space, Viernes Mano Fine Art Gallery, Miami, FL

**March 2010**, What We Are, Installation Project by W10, Viernes Culturales Art Gallery, Miami, FL

**November 2009**  Installation Project by W-10, Miami Art Space, Miami, FL

**April 2004** Colors or Latinoamerica, New Professions Technical Institute, Miami, FL

**January 2000** Beyond the art,  The Florida Museum Of Hispanic And Latin American Art, Miami FL

**December 1999** ,Into the new Millennium   The Florida Museum Of Hispanic And Latin American Art, Miami FL

**October 1999**Goodbye to the Millennium, EuroAmerica Galleries- New York, NY

**August 1995**As we see our country,  Houston Engineering and Scientific Society, Houston TX

**July 1995**Venezuela Today, Consulate General of Venezuela, Houston TX

**February 1994**Contemplation and Meditacion in Art, Union Planters Bank, Miami Beach, FL

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