

## Xavier Cambre

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### EDUCATION

*Master of Fine Arts*, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, 1998

*Diploma de Arquitecto*, Universidad Pontificia Bolivariana, Colombia, 1995

*Bachelor in Environmental Design (Magna Cum Laude)*, School of Architecture, Universidad de Puerto Rico, 1993

### EXHIBITIONS

2016

***metadATA (20 años de programación cultural, Alta Tencnología Andina)***, Centro Cultural Ricardo Palma, Miraflores, Lima, Perú, curated by José-Carlos Mariátegui y Jorge Villacorta

2015

***From Remake to Restage***, M100-Centro Cultural Matucana, Santiago de Chile, curated by Paco Barragán

***Faculty Exhibition***, QCC Art Gallery, City University of New York, Queens, NY

2013

***Muestra Nacional de Arte***, Instituto de Cultura Puertorriqueña, San Juan, Puerto Rico, curated by Marilú Purcell and Cheryl Hartup (Catalogue.)

2012

***Lens on Twelve***, Connaught Brown Gallery, London, (Catalogue)

***Pasiones Contemporáneas:Colección Serapión & Belk***, Museo de Arte de Ponce, Ponce, PR, (Catalogue)

2011

***FotoMAC***, Museo de Arte Contemporáneo de Puerto Rico, San Juan, PR

***35 Años de Fotografía en Puerto Rico***, curated by Mercedes Trelles, Instituto de Cultura Puertorriqueña, San Juan, PR, (Catalogue)

***An Exchange with Sol Lewitt***, curated by Regine Basha, MASS MoCA, North Adams, Mass (catalogue)

***Deconstrucciones: Convivencias y convergencias hacia una antropología urbana***, Museo del Arsenal, Instituto de Cultura Puertorriqueña, San Juan, curated by Ralph Vazquez

2010

***The Last Book***, Curated by Luis Camnitzer, Zentral Bibliothek, Zurich, Switzerland

***Sex Sells***, Galería Obra, San Juan, PR, curated by Raimundo Figueroa

***Cine de Barrio***, Veladas de Santa Lucía, Maracaibo, Venezuela, Curated by Paco Barragán

2009

**Muestra Nacional de Arte '09**, Instituto de Cultura Puertorriqueña

San Juan, PR (Catalogue)

**Facing Locality**, Curated by Luis Camnitzer,

Caribbean Museum Center for the Arts, Frederiksted, St. Croix, US Virgin Islands

**The Vault**, Curated by FGA , Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago

**NJ State Council on the Arts Fellowship Exhibition**

Visual Arts Center of New Jersey, Summit, NJ (Catalogue)

2008

**Screenings**, Curated by Edgar Orlaineta, Sara Meltzer Gallery, NYC

**Videografías invisibles**, Museo de Arte Contemporáneo, San Juan, PR

Centro Cultural de España, Montevideo, Uruguay

2007

**Infinite Island**, Brooklyn Museum, Brooklyn, NY (catalogue)

**We Love Cinema**, Center for Curatorial Studies, Bard College,  
Annandale on Hudson, NY

**Red Badge of Courage**, Newark Arts Council, NJ

**Videografías invisibles**, Museo de Arte Moderno, Buenos Aires, Argentina

2006

**Tiempo Irreal**, Espacio Liquido, Gijón, Asturias, Spain

**Tropicalisms**, Jersey City Museum, Jersey City, NJ

**Muestra Nacional de Arte-2006**, Instituto de Cultura Puertorriqueña,  
San Juan, PR (Catalogue)

**War impressions**, Zverev Center of Contemporary Art-Moscow

**Videografías (In)visibles**, CAAM, Palmas de Gran Canaria, Spain

**F(R)icciones, Vol 2-3, Rewind... Video Arte**, Arsenal,  
Instituto de Cultura Puertorriqueña, San Juan (Catalogue)

**Videotheque**, Art Basel 47, Basel, Switzerland

**Faculty**, QCC Art Gallery, City university of New York, Queens, NY (Catalogue)

2005

**Cerca a la Puerta del Sol**, Galería Comercial, San Juan, PR (**SOLO show**)

**Barrocos y Neo-barrocos**, Domus Artium, Salamanca, Spain, Curated by Paco Barragan

**Videografías (In)visibles**, Museo Patio Herreriano, Valladolid, Spain (Catalogue)

**Video Unplugged**, Galleri S.E, Bergen, Norway

**Video-Dumbo Festival**, Dumbo, Brooklyn, NY (Catatalogue)

**Cuerpos, Vol 1, Rewind... Video Arte**, Arsenal,

Instituto de Cultura Puertorriqueña, San Juan (Catalogue)

**None of the Above**, Museo de Arte de Puerto Rico, San Juan, PR, (Catalogue)

2004

**Don't Call it Performance**, El Museo del Barrio, NYC, (Catalogue)

and Domus Artium, Salamanca, Spain, Curated by Paco Barragan and Deborah Cullen

**Cambre & Dane** Sarah Bowen Gallery, Brooklyn, NY(**Two person show**)

**Papelería**, Galería Comercial, San Juan , PR

**None of the Above: Contemporary Puerto Rican Art**, Curated by Silvia Cubiña and Deborah Cullen

Real Art Ways, Hartford, Connecticut (Catatalogue)

**José Campeche, Javier Cambre, Chemi Rosado, Michael Linares**

Galería Comercial, San Juan, PR

2003

**Breaking away**, MOMA-PS1 Contemporary Art Center, NYC

**Global Priority**, The Herter Art Gallery, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, (Cat.)

**Contempt**, Sixtyseven Gallery, Brooklyn, NY, (**Solo Show**)

**Interplay 2**, Museo de Arte de Puerto Rico, San Juan, PR,

Curated by Silvia Cubiña and Patrick Charpenel

2002

**2002 Whitney Biennial**, Whitney Museum of American Art, NYC, (Catalogue)

Curated by Larry Rinder

**Hábitat en Tránsito (In Situ)**, Piñones Beach, PR, (Cat) (**Solo show**),

Organized by Silvia Cubiña

**Interplay**, Moore Space, Miami, (Catalogue), Curated by Silvia Cubiña and Patrick Charpenel

**2002 S-Files**, Museo del Barrio, NYC, (Cat)

**Four Square**, Gallery Korea, NYC

2001

**Weak Architecture**, Midway Contemporary Art, St. Paul, MN,

**Tomorrow**, Cuchifritos-Essex St. Market Gallery, NYC

**Transposed: Analogs of Built Space**, The Sculpture Center, NYC, (Cat.)

**Utopistas**, Galería de la Universidad del Sagrado Corazón, San Juan, PR

## PUBLICATIONS

**Chamber Music**, artist book by Xavier Cambre, Hardcover, 64 pages, text, color and b&w images, ISBN: 9781714283767. Printed in the USA, 2020. Published by the artist.

**Soundtrack**, artist book by Xavier Cambre, Softcover, 96 pages, text, color and b&w images. ISBN: 9781389058172. Printed in the USA, 2018. Published by the artist.

**Vacuus Bacchus**, photo book by Xavier Cambre. Softcover, 92 pages, color and b&w images, with text by A. Coffey. ISBN: 9781367180246. Printed in the USA, 2016.  
Published by the artist.

**Black Box**, photo book by Xavier Cambre. Hardcover, 96 pages, b&w and color images, with text by Tristan Chevremont. ISBN: 9781367851856. Printed in the USA, 2016.  
Published by the artist.

## COLLECTIONS

**Whitney Museum of American Art**, NY, USA

**Museo de Arte de Puerto Rico**, San Juan, PR

## AWARDS AND RESIDENCIES

2017- **PSC-CUNY Research Grant (Photography)**, City University of NY  
2008-2013 **PSC-CUNY Research Grant (Photography)**, City University of NY  
2007 **NJ State Council for the Arts Award**, Sculpture Fellowship, NJ  
2006-07 **PSC-CUNY Research Grant (Video)**, City University of NY  
2005 **NALAC, Artist Grant**- San Antonio, Texas  
2004 **Headlands Center for the Arts**- Artist in Residence, Sausalito, Ca  
2003 **New York Foundation for the Arts**, Fellowship, NYC  
2002-03 **MOMA-PS1 Contemporary Art Center**, National Studio Residence, NYC

## BIBLIOGRAPHY (Selection)

-**Notes on the Leica M-6/Leica News and Rumors**

<http://leicarumors.com/2015/06/26/notes-on-the-leica-m6-film-and-digital.aspx/>

-**Hycide**, edited by Akintola Hanif, Rutgers University Press,2014, p.90

-**Muestra Nacional de Arte 2013, ICP**, San Juan, PR (exhibition Cat.) 2013

-**Architectural Inventions** (ISBN 9781780670058) edited by Matt Bua and Maximillian Goldfarb, 2012

Mercedes Trelles, **35 Años de Fotografía en PR, ICP**, San Juan, PR (exhibition Cat.),2011

-**Transition**, Issue 105, Indiana University Press, 2011, p.148-155

-**On Drawing** (The Lines of Contemporary Art), edited by Tracey, I.B. Tauris, UK, 2008

-Tumelo Mosaka, **Infinite Island, Brookyn Museum** (exhibition catalogue), 2007, NY

-Elvis Fuentes, **Rewind-Rewind:Video Arte**, Instituto de Cultura Puertorriqueña (exhibition catalogue) 2006

-Dr. Jo Ann Wein, "Javier Cambre", Faculty, **QCC-CUNY** (Exhibition Cat.) 2006

- Wanda Martir, "Huella Boricua en Art Basel", **El Nuevo Dia**, Junio 20, 2006, pp72-73

-Emma Rosenblum "Biennial Stars (and Detractors)", **New York Mag**, Feb27, 2006

-Elaine King, "None of the Above", **Sculpture Mag**, Num 1, Vol 25,feb 2006, p.74-76

-Elvis Fuentes, "Javier Cambre", **Art Nexus**, Miami, Num 59, Vol 4, 2005, p.177-178

-Ralph Vazquez, "Javier Cambre", **Art Premium**, San Juan, Vol 2, Num 9, Julio-Agosto, 2015 p.19-22

-Tatiana Perez Rivera, "Los Creadores Nuestros, Ahora", **El Nuevo Día**, San Juan, PR, Jan 25, 2005, p5

-Holland Cotter, "None of the above" **The New York Times**, June 4, 2004,

-Michaela Giovannotti, "The S-Files at El Museo del Barrio", **Tema Celeste**, Milan,No. 95, Jan/Feb 03,p114

-Holland Cotter, "The S-Files", **The New York Times**, Jan 17, 2003, pE48

-Pablo Helguera, "The S Files", **Art Nexus** , N.48,Vol 2, 2003 p.147-148

-Richard Leslie,"WhitneyBiennial 02", **Art Nexus**, N.45/vol3 2002,p73-74

-James Trainor, "The Whitney Biennial", **Tema Celeste**, Milan, No. 91, May/June 2002, p.108-109

-Jeffrey Kastner, "Concerning the Spiritual in Art", **Art Monthly**, London, No. 256, May 2002, p1-6,

-Hollad Cotter, "Spiritual America, From Ecstatic to Transcendent" **The New York Times**, March 8, 2002,p.E35

-Blake Gopnick,"Whitney Biennial : American as Jambalaya"**The Washington Post**, March 7,2002, pC1

-Mark Stevens, "Irony Lives On", **New York Magazine**, March 18, 2002

-Lawrence Rinder,"Javier Cambre", **Whitney Biennial '02** (exhibition catalogue), NY, 2002

-Silvia Cubiña, "Uncertain Terrain", **Habitat en Tránito:Piñones** (exhibition cat.), San Juan, PR, 2002

- Mario Alegre Barrios,"Tránsito entre Piñones y NY", ***El Nuevo Día***, January 26, 2002, p72-73
- Stefano Pasquini, "Interview with Javier Cambre", ***New York Arts Magazine***, May 2000, p.41
- Betty Sue Hertz, *Transposed: Analogues of Built Space* (exhibition Cat.), **Sculpture Center**, NY, 2000