



Robinson Muñoz

In Praise of Love

November 3 –27, 2016

Opening Reception

Thursday, November 3
6:30 – 10:30 pm

Closing Reception

Sunday, November 27
2:00 - 5:00 pm

The Alchemy of Art
1637 Eastern Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21231

Gallery Hours:
Thursday –Saturday 12:30 – 6:30

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Les Fleurs du Mal 1
Acrylic on paper, 32" x 43" 2015



Les Fleurs du Mal 2
Acrylic on paper, 31" x 43", 2015



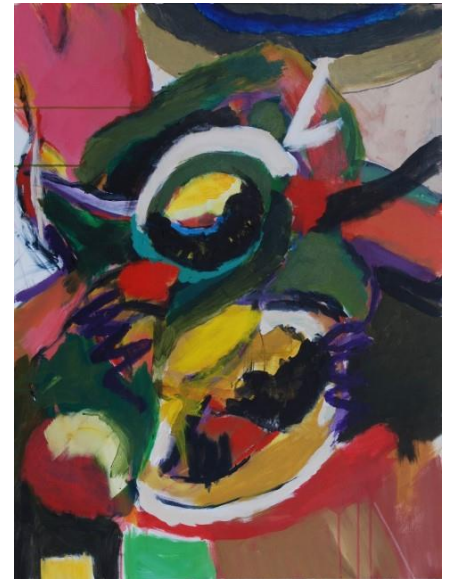
In Praise of Love
Acrylic on canvas, 50" x 50", 2016



Orfeo
Acrylic on canvas, 48"x 36", 2016



Soldier's Love
Acrylic on canvas, 48" x 36", 2016



Love the Magician
Acrylic on canvas, 40" x 30", 2016

Artists' Statement

Octavio Paz said, *"Reality is not what we see but what we discover."*

We discover by seeing in new ways, by removing the images previously engrained through habit, culture, or ideology that interpose themselves between our gaze and the world.

We discover by seeing as a child sees, unhindered by training or indoctrination.

We discover by trying to see as nobody has seen before. This is not an easy task. It is instead an apprenticeship that never ends.

It is said that one must write down one's ideas to know what one thinks. Similarly, one must paint to find out what one sees.

My paintings are the result of efforts to discover what one can see when doing so without preconceived intermediaries.

About the Artist

Robinson Muñoz was born in Chile in 1943. After receiving his medical degree, he moved to North America, where he studied Psychiatry and Psychoanalysis. He specialized in working with children and adolescents. Art played a significant role in his practice and he developed an interviewing technique which used drawing and painting as a medium of communication. Muñoz taught Psychiatry at the University of Maryland Medical School, and upon retirement enrolled in MICA, receiving his Post-Baccalaureate certificate in 2001. Since then, he has dedicated himself full-time to painting and drawing.



El Beso, acrylic on wood, 53" x 79", 2016

About the Gallery

Housed in a former convent, The Alchemy of Art was recently named one of Baltimore's top 8 must-see contemporary art galleries by theculturetrip.com. Owner Sheridan Costa hosts a variety of cultural events on site, in the gallery, as well as in her spacious interior courtyard. There is also a small boutique featuring vintage and craft items.