

**Adrian Ramos**  
Portuguese, b. 1963



Adrian Ramos exists through his art. In his own words: "In my journey in life I have found my passion and love in art. My work gives me freedom, freedom to explore and express how I feel." It is this freedom that enables the viewer to explore his paintings unimpeded by dogmatic or prescriptive narratives.

Abstraction is often combined with figurative elements in Ramos' canvases. He works freely and intuitively, allowing the composition of his painting to evolve during its creation. A master in the manipulation of materials, Ramos is able to create works on canvas, board and leather using oil paints, acrylics and sometimes less conventional materials such as lacquer and enamel.

Ramos invites us to enter his own surreal world, a place where line, colour and composition collide. Dreamlike scenes take us on unexpected journeys, allowing us the very same freedom that Ramos himself feels. A freedom to explore, experience and often lose ourselves, providing a respite from the day to day reality of the material world.

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## Education

1980 – 1983 BA Painting, Chelsea School of Art, London

## Solo Exhibitions

2018 The Black Earth, Hollywood Gallery, London UK  
2015 A Collection of Paintings, Julian Hartnoll Gallery, London UK  
2013 Hibernation, Julian Hartnoll Gallery, London UK  
2005 Tribute Paintings, The Galley, Carcassonne France  
Tribute Paintings, Shepherds Bush Pavilion, London UK  
2000 Artificial Intelligence Paintings, The National Arts Club, New York USA  
1999 Paintings of Artificial Futura, Gallery Galtung, Oslo Norway  
Paintings of Artificial Intelligence Forms, The Chelsea Arts Club, London UK  
1998 Paintings of Artificial Intelligence Forms, Gallery Galtung, Oslo Norway  
1997 The Fantastic Voyage, Gallery Galtung, Oslo Norway  
1996 Thailand Coral Reef Paintings, The Gallery Cork Street, London UK  
1994 Amazon Paintings, The Gallery Cork Street, London UK  
1993 ART-XIS exhibition, London UK  
1992 Amazon Paintings, ART-XIS studio Gallery, London UK  
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1988 Fiell Gallery, London UK  
1985 Lock Gallery, London UK

## Group Exhibitions

2024 Discoveries V, Fiumano Clase, London UK  
2023 Chelsea Arts Club, London UK  
Regeneration, Hansard Studio Gallery, London UK  
2016 Chelsea Arts Club, London UK  
Mixed Exhibition, Chelsea Arts Club, London UK  
2003 Mixed Exhibition, Chelsea Arts Club, London, UK  
2002 Mixed Exhibition, The National Arts Club, New York USA  
2001 Mixed Exhibition, Chelsea Arts Club, London UK  
1999 Mixed Exhibition, Chelsea Arts Club, London UK  
Mixed Exhibition, Gallery Galtung, Oslo Norway  
Mixed Exhibition, Chelsea Arts Club, London UK  
1989 Kunsthalle, Bonn Germany

## Professional Positions, Interviews, and Residencies

2015 Beating Art, television interview in connection with Channel 4 Arts  
1994 BBC World radio interview – The Amazon Rainforest  
1991 Thailand photography and painting residency.  
1990 Amazon Jungle photography and painting expedition.  
1986-87 Collaborator with Philip Turner  
1984 Collaborator with Malcom Poynter