

PRESS RELEASE

EXHIBITION: "TO BE SO SILENT" OF CONCHA ROMEU
GALLERY ABA ART CONTEMPORANI, PALMA DE MALLORCA
OPENING: TUERSDAY 8TH OF APRIL, 8PM
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THE GALLERY ABA ART IN PALMA DE MALLORCA WILL WELCOME THE SPRING WITH AN EXHIBITION OF WORKS OF CONCHA ROMEU - THE SINGULARITY OF HER ARTISTIC WORK, ESPECIALLY THE REALIZATION IN SILK WILL CHANGE THE SPACE AND CHARM THE VISITORS.
AND LIKE THE GALLERY CHANGES, THE WORKS OF CONCHA ROMEU ALSO TALK ABOUT TRANSFORMATIONS. THE DRESSES MADE OF SILK APPEAR MOVEABLE AND ALTERABLE, PARTS OF IT TRANSPARENT AND OTHERS INPENETRABLE. BECAUSE CONCHA ROMEU USES SILK THE SURROUNDING INFLUENCES LIKE THE LIGHT OR THE WIND ARE ABLE ANIMATE THE MATERIALS AND BY THIS TRANSFORM THE OBSERVED PIECE OF ART. AN EXPERIENCE BETWEEN MEMORIES AND FEMININITY EXPRESSED THROUGH THE DELICATENESS AND THE IMAGE.
THROUGH ALL THIS CONCHA ROMEU GENTLY SHOWS, THAT LIFE - BEGINNING WITH BIRTH IS A PERMANENTE TRANSFORMATION. IT'S LIKE A ROSE THAT LOSES HER PETALS, MAYBE IT'S DYING, MAYBE IT'S JUST CHANGING.

CONCHA ROMEU STARTED HER ARTISTIC CARREER IN MADRID, WHERE SHE RECEIVES HER DEGREE IN APPLIED ART AT THE ESCUELA DE ARTES APLICADAS Y OFICIOS ARTÍSTICOS IN 1974 AND IN FINE ARTS AT THE UNIVERSITY COMPLUTENSE IN 1983
SINCE THEN CONCHA ROMEU HAS PARTICIPATED IN NUMEROUS COLLECTIV EXHIBITIONS. DURING THE LAST YEARS THE ARTIST HAS REALIZED DIVERSE INDIVIDUAL EXHIBITIONS AMONG WHICH IS THE CERTAMEN INTERNACIONAL DE PINTURA DE BINISSALEM (MALLORCA).

cuando los pétalos caen
muere la rosa
(las rosas lloran pétalos)

¿cuántos pétalos tiene una rosa?
¿cuántos días tiene una vida?
(calendario, rosa de papel)

la rosa ¿muere o se transforma?

when the petals fall
dies the rose
(the roses cry petals)

how many petals has a rose?
how many days has a life?
(calendar, paper rose)

The rose dies or transforms?