

MORÁN MORÁN

RJ MESSINEO

b. 1980, West Hartford, CT
Lives and works in Brooklyn, NY

EDUCATION

2002 BFA, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY
2009 MFA, University of California, Los Angeles, CA

SOLO AND TWO-PERSON EXHIBITIONS

2021 CANADA, New York, NY
2020 *4:00 Universe*, Morán Morán, Los Angeles, CA
2018 *Fellow Feeling*, CANADA, New York, NY
2011 *Two Halves*, with Farrah Karapetian, Artist Curated Projects, Los Angeles, CA
2010 *Perfectly Fucked Up for You*, Los Caminos, St. Louis, MO
Attached, Steve Turner Contemporary, Los Angeles, CA
2009 *IMPRENTA*, Organized by Wu Tsang and Ryan Inouye, Los Angeles, CA

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2019 *Pleasure in Precariousness*, Thomas Erben Gallery, New York, NY
2017 *Feed The Meter, Vol II*, Curated by Wallace Whitney, Ceysson & Benetiere, Wandhaff, Luxembourg
Does the Moon Move, Curated by Bannerette, Orgy Park, Brooklyn, NY
We the watchers are also bodies, Curated by Natasha Marie Llorens, Hercules Art, New York, NY
Vanishing Points, Curated by Andrianna Campbell, James Cohan Gallery, New York, NY
2013 *Set Design with Devynn Emory*, Issue Project Room, New York, NY
Stand Close it's Shorter Than You Think: A show on feminist rage, Curated by Katie Brewer Ball, One National Gay & Lesbian Archive with Artist Curated Projects, Los Angeles, CA
2012 *My head is falling out so I'm standing on my stomach*, Curated by Eve Fowler and Lucas Michael, Armory Center for the Arts, Pasadena, CA
Approximate Alter: Life Chances, with Wu Tsang, Clifton Benevento Gallery, New York, NY
Queer Abstraction, Curated by Eve Fowler, Artillery Magazine, Los Angeles, CA
2011 *Violence*, Curated by Corrina Kirsch and Francesca Wilmott, The Exhibition Agency, Chicago, IL
2010 *Never Very Far Apart*, Curated by Ryan Inouye, REDCAT, Los Angeles, CA
The First Thing, Curated by Matthew Siegle, Redling Fine Art, Los Angeles, CA

PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

Dallas Museum of Art, Dallas, TX

BIBLIOGRAPHY

Cooper, Ashton. "RJ Messineo at Morán Morán." *Artforum*, Summer 2020.
Willis, Raquel. "Motha is Preserving Transgender Hirstory One City at a Time." *Out Magazine*, April 29, 2019.
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