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Press release



*Artcurial supports the new exhibition la  
« May Love Overcome Hate »  
by Ana Pérez Grassano, at the Consulate  
General of Argentina in New York*

After the Orangery of the French Senate in Paris, Artcurial is proud to support the new exhibition *May Love Overcome Hate* by Franco-Argentinian artist Ana Pérez Grassano. From November 2 to 28, she will exhibit her work, this time in New York, at the Consulate General of Argentina.

Pérez Grassano is an artist counting residencies, exhibitions and collectors all over the world. Her paintings are part of prestigious art collections, notably that of the Presidency of France.

« *Que l'amour surpasse la haine/  
May love overcome hate/  
Que el amor venza al odio* »

On October 31st, 2017, a terrorist attack killed five of ten Argentinian friends: Diego Angelini, Hernán Mendoza, Ariel Erlj, Hernán Ferruchi and Alejandro Pagnucco. They were in New York to celebrate their 30th graduation anniversary of Polytechnic School.

This tragic story is deeply personal to Ana Pérez Grassano. She knew some of them from her student days at the University of Architecture in Rosario, their hometown.

Five years later, Ana is in New York with an art exhibition at the Consulate General of Argentina to honor her friends' memory, where she is presenting two new large-scale works dedicated to that tragedy.

The flag painting *Que el amor venza al odio* is a hymn to love, which shall always prevail over hate. The artist's best works from Paris, London, Venice, Shanghai and Istanbul will be also showcased.

100% of the proceeds of *Que el amor venza al odio* will benefit the families of the terrorist attack.

Ana has invited the dancer and choreographer Valeria Solomonoff and her partner Iakof Shonsky to perform on the opening night. Valeria is a wide-ranging innovator who uses her tango roots to reimagine possibilities of partnering. She is also from Rosario, Argentina.

## *Ana Pérez Grassano, franco-argentinian artist*

Franco-Argentinian artist Ana Pérez Grassano was born in Rosario, Argentina and lives and works in Paris, France.

Pérez Grassano's works are exhibited all over the world, from Paris to Buenos Aires, Venice, London and New York.

Her paintings are part of prestigious private and corporate art collections such as those of Mr. Laurent Dassault, Mr. and Mrs. Weill, Mr. and Mrs. Schmoll, Mrs. Karine Ohana and the Bouygues collection.

In 2021, she was received at the Élysée Palace by the First Lady Brigitte Macron, coinciding with the accession of her painting *Noches Tangueras* to the collection of the Presidency of the French Republic. In 2020, the artist was first selected for auction at Drouot, Paris. She collaborates with renowned galleries including the Jean-Marc Lelouch gallery in Paris, Ekavart at the Ritz hotel in Istanbul, and is featured at international fairs such as at Olympia Exhibition Center, London.

She is regularly invited to artistic residencies: to name a few, Four Seasons in the Maldives, Sofitel Palace in Buenos Aires and the Dragon Building in Songjiang in China with the sculptor and poet Chen Dapeng. She has established ongoing collaborations with public institutions such as the Embassy of the Argentinian Republic in France and the 6th Paris district's Town Hall (artists biennale).

Last July, she presented her exhibition *La Joie en Moi · The Joy in me* at the Orangery of the Senate in the Luxembourg garden of Paris, supported by Artcurial.

Ana Pérez Grassano's studio is preparing exhibitions at the Petit Palais in Paris (private event), the Pera Museum in Istanbul, the Soumaya Museum in Mexico City and the Museum of Contemporary Art in Buenos Aires (MACBA).



## PRACTICAL INFORMATION

Exhibition

From 2 to 28 November 2022

Argentine Consulate in New York  
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### *About Artcurial*

Founded in 2002, Artcurial, the Paris-based multidisciplinary auction house, consolidated its leading position in the international art market in 2021.

With 3 sales venues in Paris, Monaco and Marrakech, the house generated 169 million euros in sales in 2021. It covers the entire range of the major specialities: from fine arts to decorative arts, vintage cars, jewellery, collectible watches, fine wines and spirits, etc.

With a strong international focus, Artcurial is expanding its international network with representative offices in Brussels, Milan, Monte Carlo, Munich and Vienna.

Artcurial held its first auction in Hong Kong and Morocco in October 2015.

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