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Mirco Marchelli (b. 1963, Novi Ligure, Italy) a multidisciplinary artist whose practice seamlessly intertwines visual art, music, and memory. Originally trained as a musician, his work has evolved into a distinctive artistic language that fuses found objects, books, textiles, and furniture, all preserved in wax to create deeply evocative compositions. His use of muted palettes, layered textures, and abstract harmonies lends his pieces an almost archaeological quality, inviting the viewer into a world of nostalgia and poetic transformation.

Drawing inspiration from Dadaism and Arte Povera, Marchelli embraces an ethos of reinvention and preservation, where forgotten materials are given new life. His approach to composition mirrors musical structures, with rhythm, repetition, and tonal balance guiding the arrangement of his works.

Since the 1990s, Marchelli has exhibited widely across Europe, showcasing his work in major museums and galleries such as Palazzo Fortuny (Venice), the Juan March Museum (Palma de Mallorca), and Ingleby Gallery (Edinburgh). His pieces are housed in renowned public and private collections, including the Lercaro Foundation (Bologna) and Fundació Vila Casas (Barcelona).

Marchelli continues to explore the intersection of art, sound, and material transformation from his studio in Ovada, Italy, where he refines his singular approach to contemporary assemblage.

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS (from 2012)

SOLO SHOWS

- Se fosse sol da far, Alzueta Gallery, Barcelona, Spain (2025)
- Dovete aggiungere, Galerie Tourrette, Paris, France (2024)
- Iconiclash 03: An echo of flowers, Hilde Vandaele Gallery, Watou, Belgium (2024)
- Buoni Fruti, Gallery BR, Tetbury, UK (2024)
- Buoni Uffici, Tourrette Gallery, Paris, France (2024)
- An echo of flowers, Hilde Vandaele Gallery, Watou, Belgium (2024)
- Buoni uffici, Cardelli & Fontana, Sarzana, Italy (2024)
- Eco di fiori, MarcoRossi artecontemporanea, Verona, Italy (2023)
- Solo Show, Tourrette Gallery, Paris, France (2024)
- Voci in Capitolo, Fondazione Biscozzi Rimbaud, Lecce, Italy (2023)
- Motivi di Gioia, Alzueta Gallery, Madrid, Barcelona, Spain (2023)
- Lieti motivi, Museo Archeologico di Acqui Terme, Acqui Terme, Italy (2023)
- Tante Belle Cose, MarcoRossi artecontemporanea, Verona, Italy (2022)
- Solo Exhibition, Galerie Tourrette, Paris, France (2022)
- Riguardo ad un frastuono rimbombante, Sinagogue of Casale Monferrato, Casale Monferrato, Italy (2021)
- Opera Giocosa, Alzueta Gallery, Barcelona, Spain (2021)
- Nuove consonanze, Cardelli & Fontana, Sarzana, Italy (2020)
- A capo - ceramiche Albisola, MarcoRossi artecontemporanea, Milan, Italy (2018)
- Giocattoli, Cardelli & Fontana, Sarzana, Italy (2017)
- A due voci, MarcoRossi artecontemporanea, La Cappucina, Italy (2016)
- Canzoni in levare, Ettore Guatelli Museum, Parma, Italy (2016)
- Mirco Marchelli, Alzueta Gallery, Palau de Casavells, Girona, Spain (2015)
- A due voci, Eventinove Contemporary Art Gallery, Turin, Italy (2014)
- A due voci, MarcoRossi artecontemporanea, Turin, Italy (2014)

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Via Crucis, Lercaro Foundation, Bologna, Italy (2014)

Ballabili miniati, Cardelli & Fontana, Sarzana, Italy (2013)

Scena muta per nuvole basse, Palazzo Fortuny, Venice, Italy (2013)

L'ombelico del mondo, Marina di Scarlino, Scarlino, Italy (2013)

Mezza bellezza, MarcoRossi artecontemporanea, Pietrasanta, Italy (2012)

Belle statue, MarcoRossi artecontemporanea, Pietrasanta, Italy (2012)

GROUP SHOWS

Sembra Ieri #2, MarcoRossi artecontemporanea, Pietrasanta, Italy (2024)

Still Dancing, New adventures in non-representational painting & sculpture, Ingleby, Edinburgh, UK (2024)

Esprit tourrette, Tourrette Gallery, Paris, France (2024)

Season Opening, Palau de Casavells - Alzueta Gallery, Girona, Spain (2024)

1950-2000, Espressioni d'Arte nel Basso Piemonte, Monastero Bormida, Italy (2023)

Learn but the letters forme(d) by heart, then soon you'll gain this noble art, Adams and Ollman, Portland, Oregon, USA (2022)

The Sun Also Rises, Everyday Gallery, Antwerp, Belgium (2022)

Álbum de Família, Alzueta Gallery, Madrid, Spain (2022)

Summer Exhibition, Cardelli & Fontana, Sarzana, Italy (2022)

FutuRuins, Palazzo Fortuny, Venice, Italy (2018)

Eterne Stagioni, Palazzo Monferrato, Alessandria, Italy (2017)

La Leggerezza della Scultura XI Edizione, Parco dell'Arte, Cerrina Monferrato, Italy (2016)

Miserere, L'Arca - Studiodieci, former San Marco's Church, Vercelli, Italy (2016)

Colmare il vuoto, Centro Studi Paolo VI, Concesio, Italy (2016)

Mappemondi, MarcoRossi artecontemporanea, Verone, Italy (2015)