
Cristea Roberts Gallery

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Josef Albers (1888 - 1976)

Born 1888, Bottrop, Germany
Died 1976, Connecticut, US

Education

- 1919 Königliche Bayerische Akademie der Bildenden Kunst,
Munich, Germany
1920 The Bauhaus, Weimar, Germany

Selected Exhibitions

- 2025 *Josef Albers: The Complete Portfolios*, Cristea Roberts Gallery, London, UK
Color, Shape and Pattern, Christchurch Mansion, Ipswich, UK
- 2024 *Anni and Josef Albers*, National Gallery of Australia, Canberra, Australia
Josef and Anni Albers: Iconic Couple of Modernism, Boghossian Foundation - Villa Empain, Brussels, Belgium
Counterpoint, Cristea Roberts Gallery, London, UK
Connections and Formulations, The Johnson Collection, Spartanburg, SC, US
- 2023 *Portraiture in Print: Josef Albers, Georg Baselitz, Jim Dine, Richard Hamilton, Pablo Picasso*, Cristea Roberts Gallery, London, UK
Pedagogical Experiments, Kawamura Memorial DIC Museum of Art, Sakura, Japan
Formulation: Articulation, Fleming Museum of Art, Burlington, VT, US
- 2022 *Homage to the Square*, Josef Albers Museum Quadrat Bottrop, Bottrop, Germany
Opening Eyes, Art Museum of the University of Memphis, Memphis, TN, US
Anni and Josef Albers, Kunstmuseum Den Haag, The Hague, The Netherlands
- 2021 *Josef and Anni Albers: Art and Love*, Musée d'Art Moderne de la Ville de Paris, France
- 2019 *The Interaction of Colour*, Cristea Roberts Gallery, London, UK
Learning to See, Tucson Museum of Art, Tucson, AZ, US
- 2018 *Programmed*, Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, NY, US
Looking Back (Looking Forward), Vanderbilt University Fine Arts Gallery, Nashville, TN, US
- 2017 *The American Dream*, British Museum, London, UK
Sunny Side Up, David Zwirner Gallery, London, UK
- 2016 *Homage to the Square*, Galería Cayón, Madrid, Spain
Albers & the Bauhaus, Stephen Friendman Gallery, London, UK
Drawing Then, Dominique Lévy, New York, NY, US
- 2015 *Adventures of the Black Square*, Whitechapel Gallery, London, UK
How to Live? Visions of the Future, Yesterday and Today, Wilhelm-Hack-Museum, Ludwigshafen, Germany

Artist Biography

- 2014 *A Beautiful Confluence*, Mudec, Milan, Italy
Black and White, Waddington Custot, London, UK
Minimal Means, Maximum Effect, Fundación Juan March, Madrid, Spain
- 2013 *Learning to See*, Scottsdale Museum of Contemporary Art, AZ, US
Josef Albers, Interaction of Color, Künstlerhaus Wien, Vienna, Austria
Mingei: Are You Here?, Pace Galleries, London, UK, toured to New York, NY, US
Albers and Heirs, Elliott Museum, Stuart, FL, US
- 2012 *Abstract Impressions*, Alan Cristea Gallery, London UK
The Sacred Modernist Josef Albers as a Catholic Artist, Glucksman Gallery, Cork, Ireland
Bauhaus, Barbican Art Gallery, London, UK
- 2011 *Painting on Paper: Josef Albers in America*, Louisiana Museum of Art, Humlebaek, Copenhagen: touring to Kunstmuseum Basel, Switzerland; Musee Nationale d'Art Moderne, Centre Pompidou, Paris, France; Centro de Arte Moderna, Gulbenkian Museum, Lisbon, Portugal and Morgan Library and Museum, New York, NY, US
- 2010 *Utopia Matters*, Deutsche Guggenheim, Berlin, Germany
Innovation and Inspiration, Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture Garden, Washington, D.C., US
- 2009 *Bauhaus, 1919-1933*, MoMA, New York, NY, US
- 2008 *Name Dropping*, Mitterrand+Cramer, Geneva, Switzerland
Color, Material, Space, Josef Albers Museum, Quadrat Bottrop, Germany
- 2007 *Formulation: Articulation*, NIU Art Museum, IL, US
- 2006 *Albers and Moholy-Nagy*, Tate Modern, London, UK; Kunsthalle Bielefeld, Germany; Whitney Museum, New York, NY, US
- 2004 *Seeing in Colour*, Museum of Contemporary Art, Phoenix, AZ, US
- 2001 *Homage to the Square*, Galerie Karsten Greve, Milan, Italy
- 2002 *Josef Albers*, Centre Pompidou, Paris, France
- 1999 *Cool and Square*, Cantor Arts Center at Stanford University, Stanford, CA
- 1998 *The Fervour of DADA*, ARKEN Museum of Moderne Kunst, Copenhagen
- 1971 *Josef Albers*, Museum of Modern Art, New York, NY, US
- 1968 *Albers*, Westfälisches Landesmuseum für Kunst und Kulturgeschichte, Münster, Germany, toured throughout Europe
- 1964 *Homage to the Square*, Museum of Modern Art, New York, toured throughout North and South America
- 1957 *Galerie Denise René*, Paris, France
- 1938 *Bauhaus 1919-1928*, Museum of Modern Art, New York, NY, US
- 1937 *American Abstract Artists*, Squibb Galleries, New York, NY, US
- 1934 *Galleria Il Milione*, Milan, Italy
- 1932 *Josef Albers, Glasbilder*, Bauhaus, Berlin, Germany
- 1929 *Bauhaus exhibition*, The Kunsthalle Basel & the Kunstgewerbemuseum, Zürich, Switzerland

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Selected Public Collections

AU	National Gallery of Australia, Canberra
BR	Museu de Arte Contemporânea da Universidade de São Paulo, São Paulo
CA	Vancouver Art Gallery, Vancouver
CH	Kunsthaus Zürich, Zurich
DE	Bauhaus-Archiv / Museum für Gestaltung, Berlin Friedrich Christian Flick Collection, Hamburger Bahnhof, Berlin Galerie Neue Meister, Dresden Hamburger Kunsthalle, Hamburg Josef Albers Museum Quadrat, Bottrop
ES	Institut Valencià d'Art Modern, Valencia Museo Thyssen-Bornemisza, Madrid
FR	Espace de l'art concret, Mouans Sartoux Musée d'Art Moderne de Paris Musée National d'art moderne, Centre Georges Pompidou, Paris
IR	Israel Museum, Jerusalem
IT	Galleria Nazionale d'arte moderna, Rome Museo d'Arte Contemporanea Villa Croce, Genoa Peggy Guggenheim Collection, Venice Vatican Museums, Rome
JP	Aichi Prefectural Museum of Art, Nagoya Benesse Art Site, Naoshima The National Museum of Modern Art, Tokyo
KR	Leeum - Samsung Museum of Art, Seoul
NO	Henie Onstad Art Centre, Høvikodden
NT	John Adams Institute, Amsterdam Kröller-Müller Museum, Otterlo Museum Boijmans van Beuningen, Rotterdam Stedelijk Museum, Amsterdam
UK	British Museum, London National Galleries of Scotland, Gallery of Modern Art, Edinburgh Tate Britain, London Victoria and Albert Museum, London
US	Honolulu Academy of Arts, Honolulu, HI Miami University Art Museum, Oxford, OH MOCA Grand Avenue, Los Angeles, CA Museum of Modern Art, New York, NY National Gallery of Art, Robert and Jane Meyerhof Collection, Washington, D.C. Smithsonian American Art Museum, Washington, D.C. Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum, New York, NY The White House, Washington, D.C. Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, NY