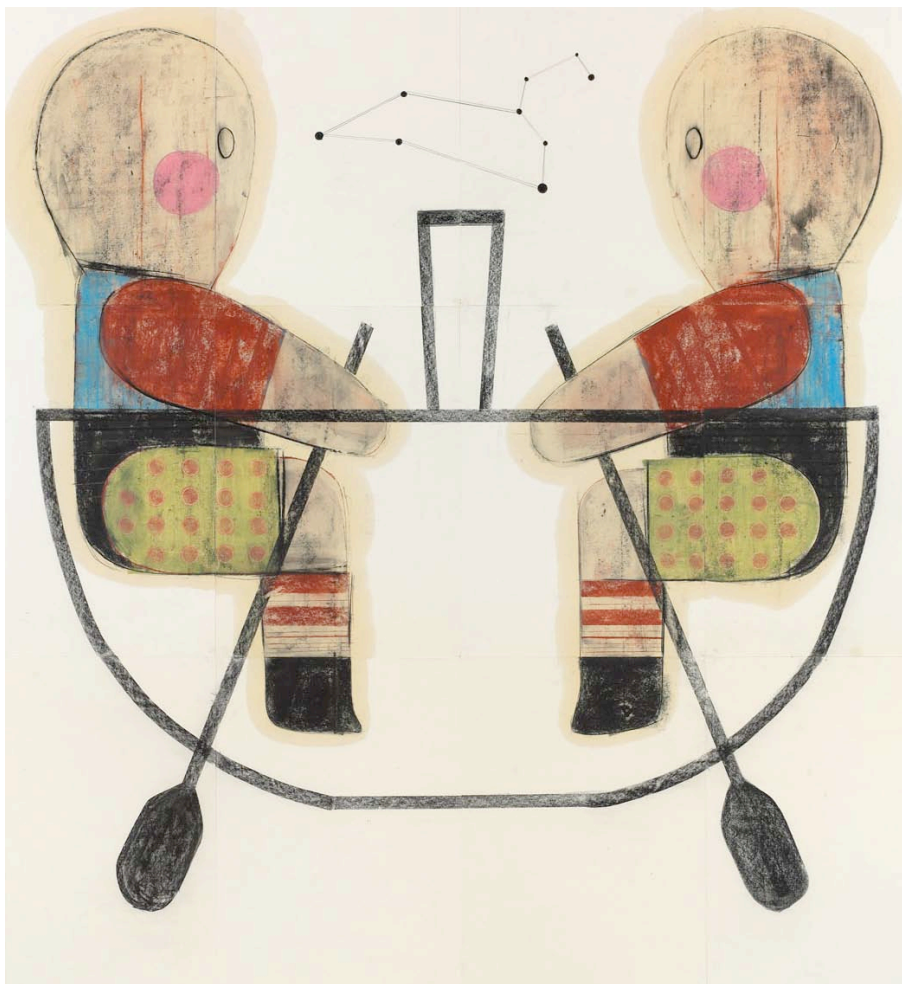


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PRESS RELEASE

Luca Lanzi (born in Bologna in 1977) studied at the academies of fine arts in Bologna and Berlin-Weissensee. In 2005, he became a fellow of the Collegio Artistico Venturoli Foundation. Works by Luca Lanzi have been acquired for the collections of the city of Modena and the Bologna Academy of Fine Arts.

Most of Luca Lanzi's drawings display single motifs. The mode of representation – frontal or in perspective without background – is strongly simplified and reduced. Dolls, animals, flowers and wheeled vehicles recall a childhood world. A universe of purity, clarity and harmony. His objects – whether drawn or three-dimensional – reflect the love and energy which flowed into their creation.

This explains their magical qualities, their dignity, their autonomy. Two dolls – *bambinoni* – sit together in a rowboat. Unlike most scullers, they look into one another's faces. Each side of the image mirrors its counterpart – each sculler views himself. The boat does not float on water: somehow it has been raised to the picture's upper margin, where it seems to hover in an imaginary space. On a silent journey engendered by fantasy and dream, and conducted under the artist's zodiac sign of Leo, the *bambinone* watches himself gliding through life, forever in search of himself.

PRESSE-MITTEILUNG

Luca Lanzi (geb. 1977 in Bologna) studierte an der Accademia di Belle Arti di Bologna und an der Kunsthochschule Berlin-Weißensee. 2005 war er Stipendiat der Fondazione Collegio Artistico Venturoli. Arbeiten von Luca Lanzi befinden u. a. in den Kunstsammlungen der Stadt Modena und der Accademia di Belle Arti di Bologna.

Die Zeichnungen von Luca Lanzi zeigen meist nur ein einziges Motiv. Die Darstellung als Frontansicht oder räumliche Perspektive und ohne Hintergrund ist stark vereinfacht und reduziert. Puppen, Tiere, Blumen oder Wagen auf Rädern erinnern an eine kindliche Welt. Eine Welt der Reinheit, der Klarheit, der Harmonie. Seine Objekte, seien sie gezeichnet oder plastisch geformt, sind Abbilder der Liebe und der Energie, die in sie hinein geflossen sind. Dadurch begründet sich ihre Magie, ihre Würde und Autonomie.

Zwei Puppen – *Bambinoni* – in einem Ruderboot. Ruderern ungleich, schauen sie einander ins Gesicht. Die Bildhälften sind gespiegelt, die Ruderer betrachten sich also selbst. Das Boot schwimmt nicht im Wasser. Vielmehr schwebt es abgehoben am oberen Bildrand wie in einem imaginären Raum. Auf einer stillen Reise,ersonnen in Phantasie und Traum, und geleitet vom Sternzeichen des Künstlers, sieht sich der *Bambinone* durch das Leben gleiten, auf der Suche nach sich selbst.

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Installation shots
from the exhibition

IL VIAGGIO A CAVALLO DELLA PAPERÀ
drawings and sculptures

lorch+seidel galerie
October 8 – December 3, 2011

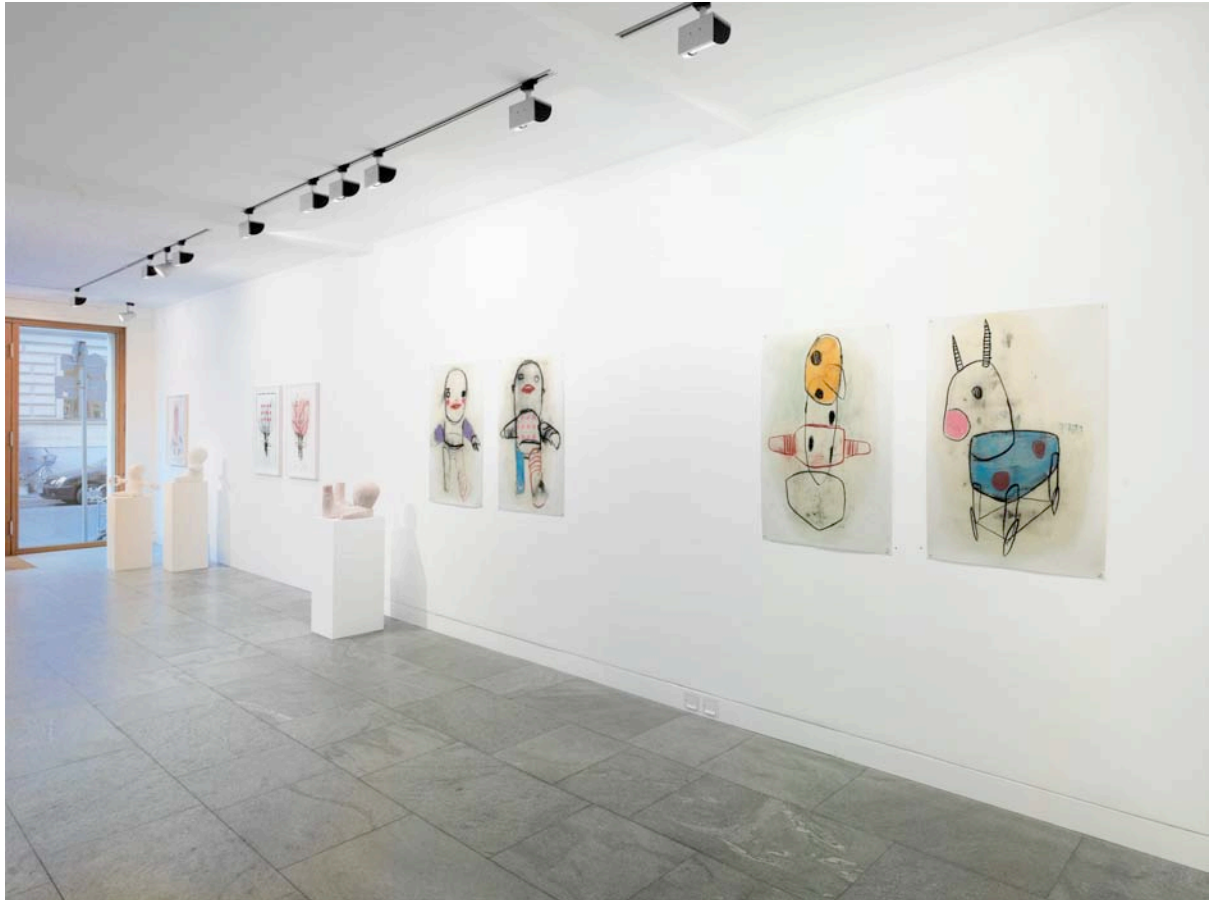
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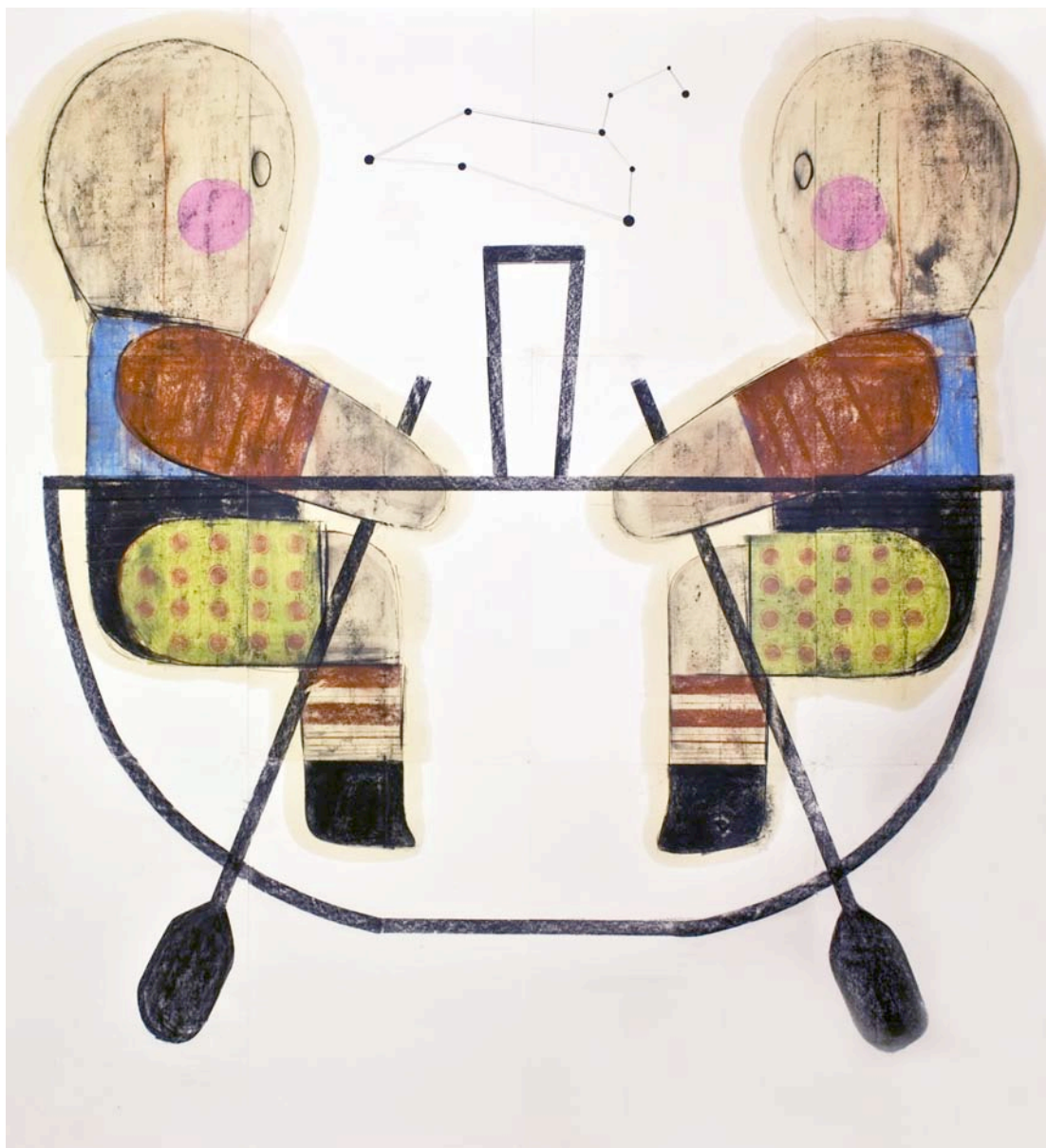
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IL VIAGGIO IN BARCA

Drawing

Mixed media on paper | mounted on canvas/stretcher | wooden frame

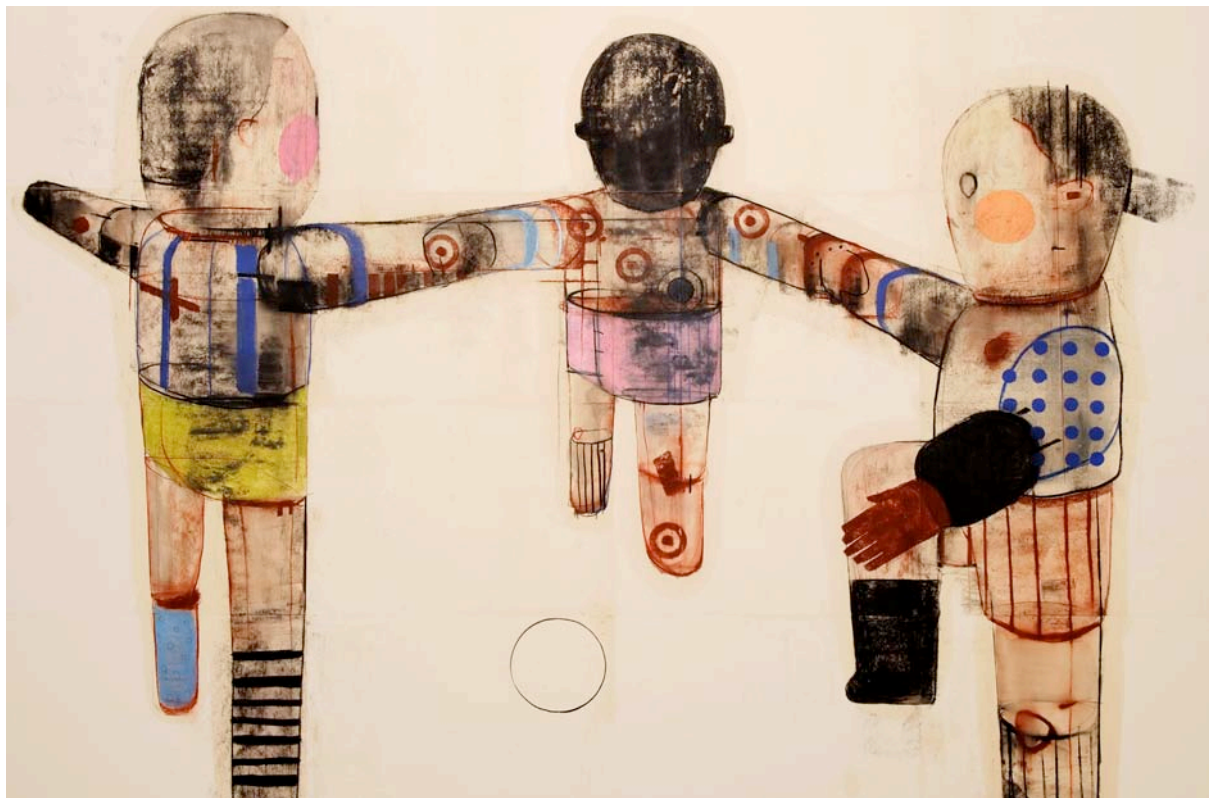
Sheet | 180 x 200 cm | 70.9 x 78.7 inches

Frame | 193 x 212 cm | 76 x 83.5 inches

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IL VIAGGIO IN BARCA

Drawing

Mixed media on paper | mounted on canvas/stretcher | wooden frame

Sheet | 200 x 300 cm | 78.7 x 118.1 inches

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LA FAMIGLIA DEI TULIPANI

Drawing

Mixed media on paper | mounted on canvas/stretcher | wooden frame

Sheet | 120 x 300 cm | 47.2 x 118.1 inches

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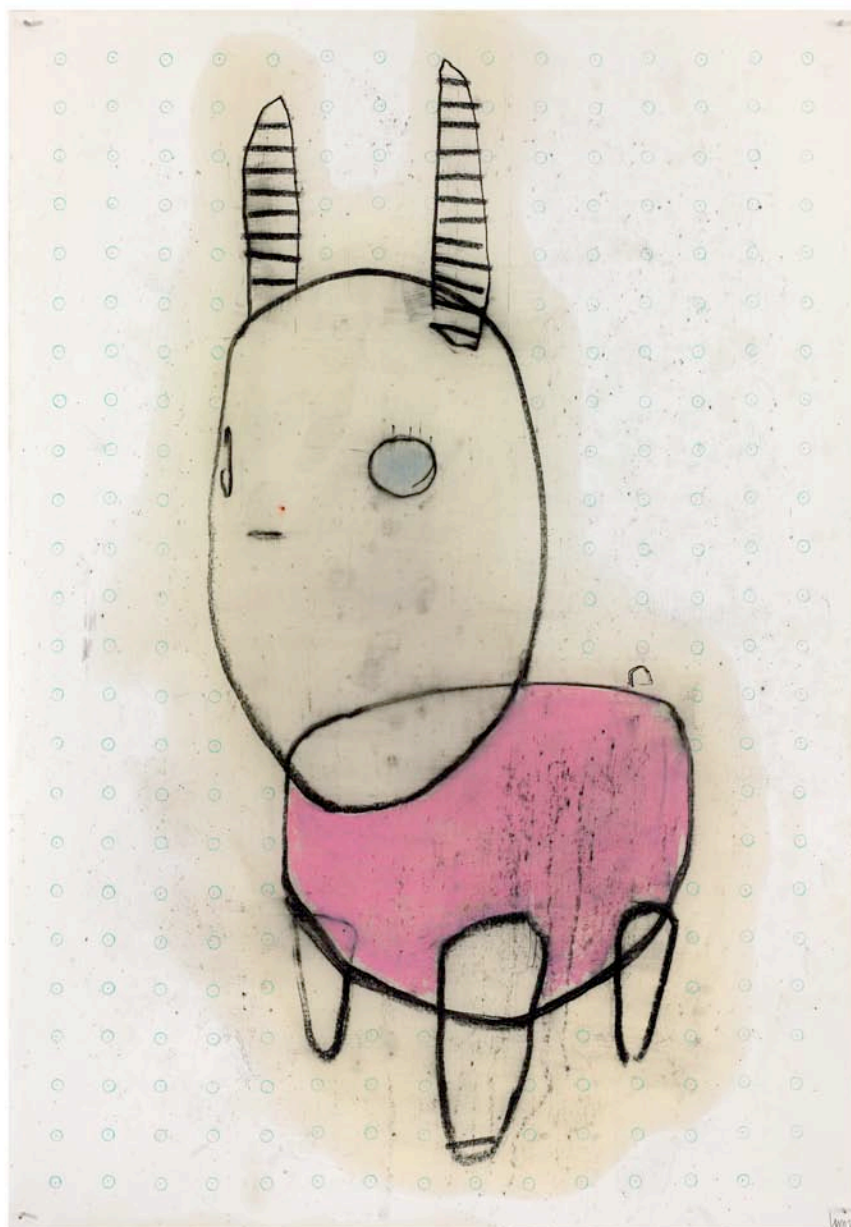


CAVALLINO | HORSE

Drawing
Mixed media on paper
70 x 100 cm | 27.6 x 39.4 inches
Executed in 2011

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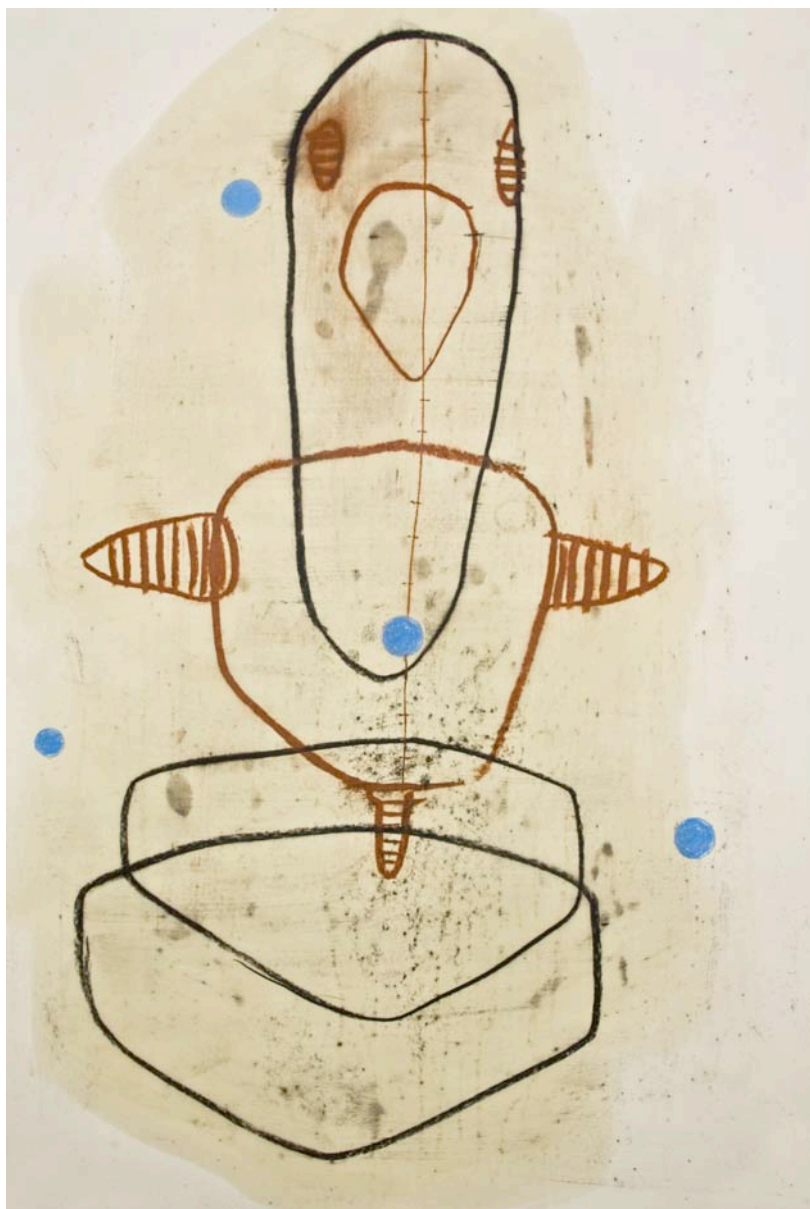


ANIMALE

Drawing
Mixed media on paper
70 x 100 cm | 27.6 x 39.4 inches
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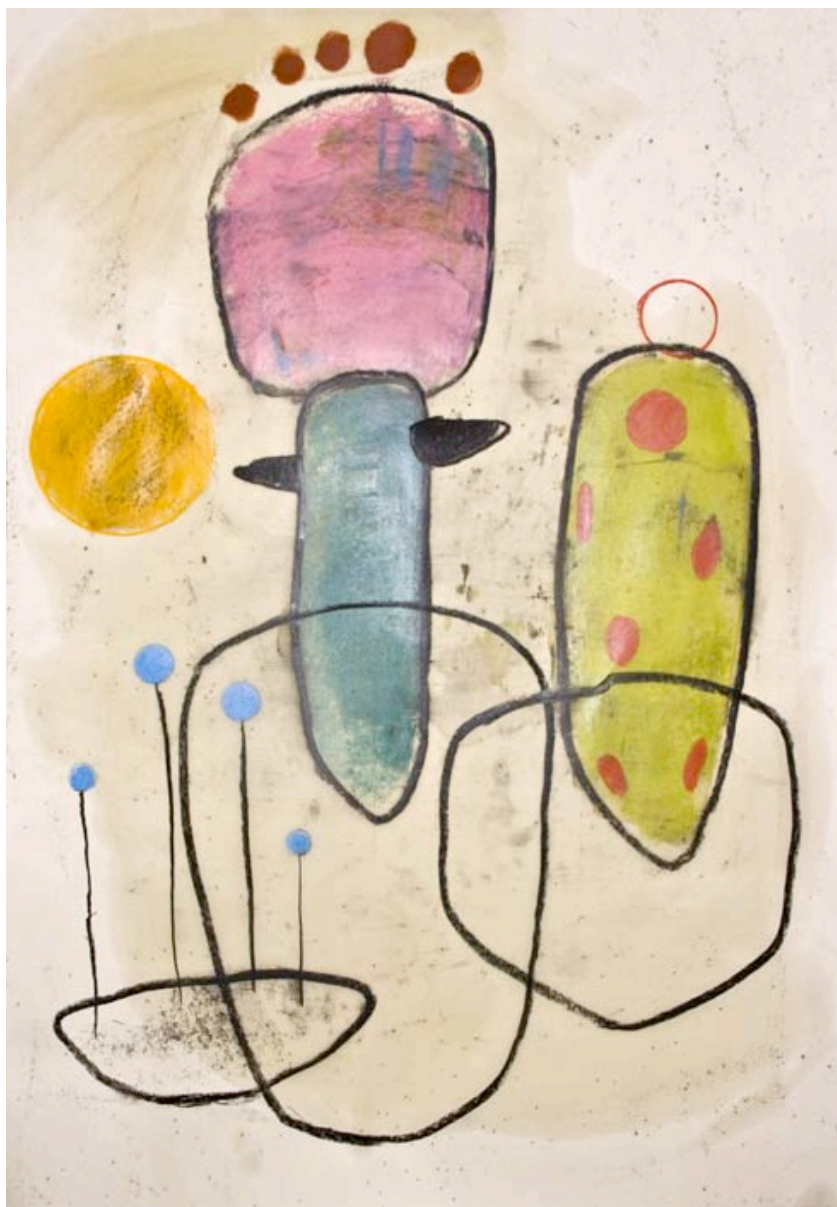


ANATIDE - BLUE DOTS

Drawing
Mixed media on paper
70 x 100 cm | 27.6 x 39.4 inches
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FLOWER STILL LIFE

Drawing
Mixed media on paper
70 x 100 cm | 27.6 x 39.4 inches
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FLOWER – RED ORANGE

Drawing

Mixed media on paper

Sheet | 50 x 70 cm | 19.7 x 27.6 inches

Frame | 66 x 87 cm | 26 x 34.2 inches

Executed in 2010

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RED FLOWER (02)

Drawing

Mixed media on paper

Sheet | 50 x 70 cm | 19.7 x 27.6 inches

Frame | 66 x 87 cm | 26 x 34.2 inches

Executed in 2010

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BLUE FLOWER (02)

Drawing

Mixed media on paper

Sheet | 50 x 70 cm | 19.7 x 27.6 inches

Frame | 66 x 87 cm | 26 x 34.2 inches

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CONIGLIO EROICO | HEROIC RABBIT

Drawing
Mixed media on paper
35 x 50 cm | 13.8 x 19.7 inches
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CAVALLINO SENZA RUOTE | LITTLE HORSE WITHOUT WHEELS

Drawing
Mixed media on paper
35 x 50 cm | 13.8 x 19.7 inches
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CANE PIOGGIA | RAIN DOG

Drawing
Mixed media on paper
35 x 50 cm | 13.8 x 19.7 inches
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CAVALLINO | LITTLE HORSE

Drawing
Mixed media on paper
35 x 50 cm | 13.8 x 19.7 inches
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CAVALLINO CLOWN | CLOWN HORSE

Drawing
Mixed media on paper
35 x 50 cm | 13.8 x 19.7 inches
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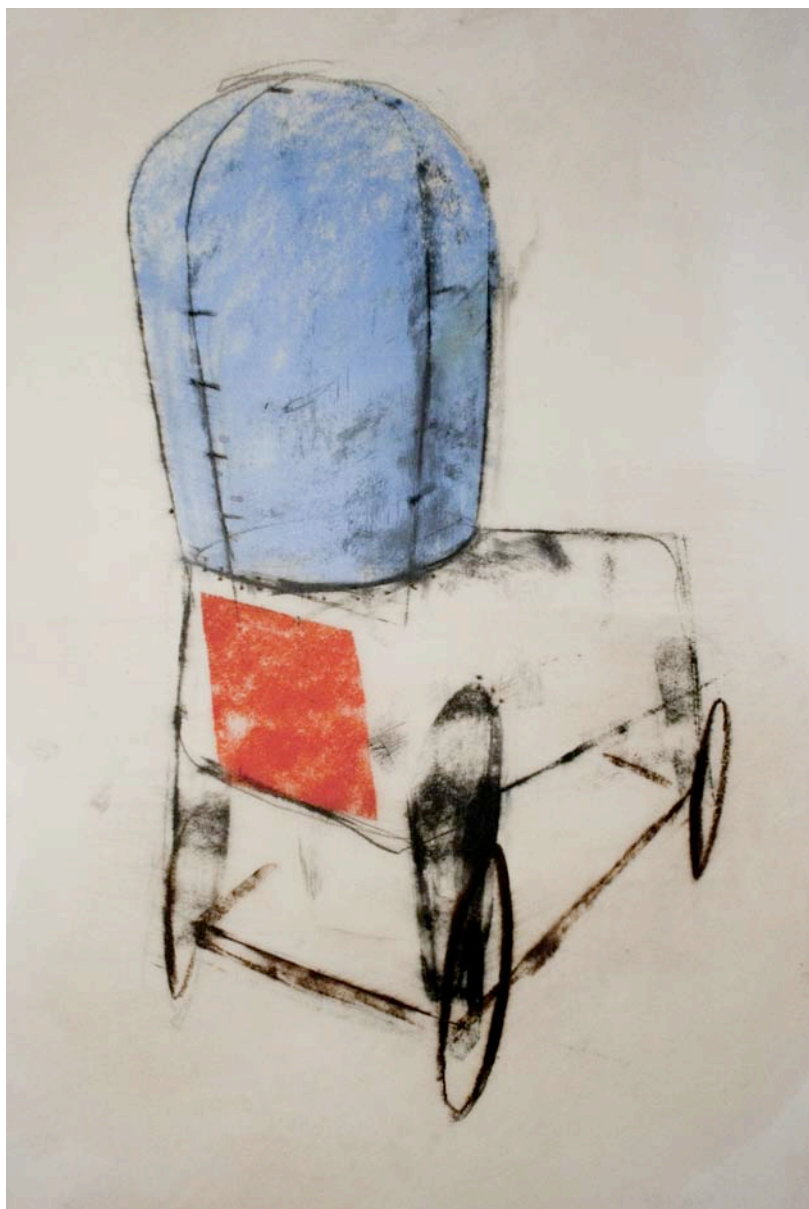


CAVALLINO POIS | LITTLE HORSE WITH DOTS

Drawing
Mixed media on paper
35 x 50 cm | 13.8 x 19.7 inches
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MONUMENTO EQUESTRE | EQUESTRIAN MONUMENT

Drawing
Mixed media on paper
35 x 50 cm | 13.8 x 19.7 inches
Executed in 2012

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SCATOLA MAGICA | MAGIC BOX

Drawing
Mixed media on paper
35 x 50 cm | 13.8 x 19.7 inches
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UOVO | EGG

Drawing
Mixed media on paper
35 x 50 cm | 13.8 x 19.7 inches
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CONIGLIO MITICO | MYTHICAL RABBIT

Drawing
Mixed media on paper
35 x 50 cm | 13.8 x 19.7 inches
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EQUINO | HORSE

Drawing
Mixed media on paper
35 x 50 cm | 13.8 x 19.7 inches
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FALCO DALLE ALI BLU | FALCON WITH BLUE WINGS

Drawing
Mixed media on paper
35 x 50 cm | 13.8 x 19.7 inches
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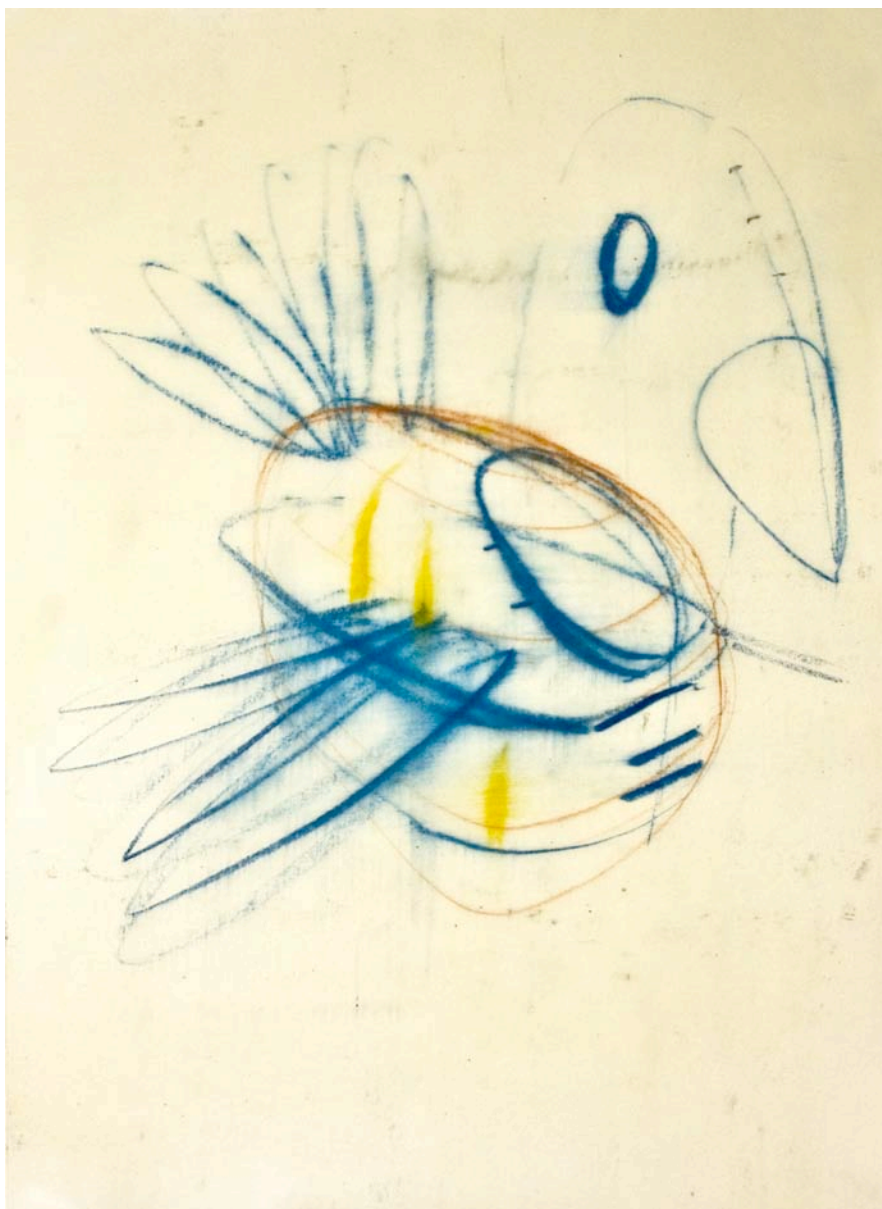


PIUME DI CRISTALLO | CRYSTAL PLUMAGE

Drawing
Mixed media on paper
35 x 50 cm | 13.8 x 19.7 inches
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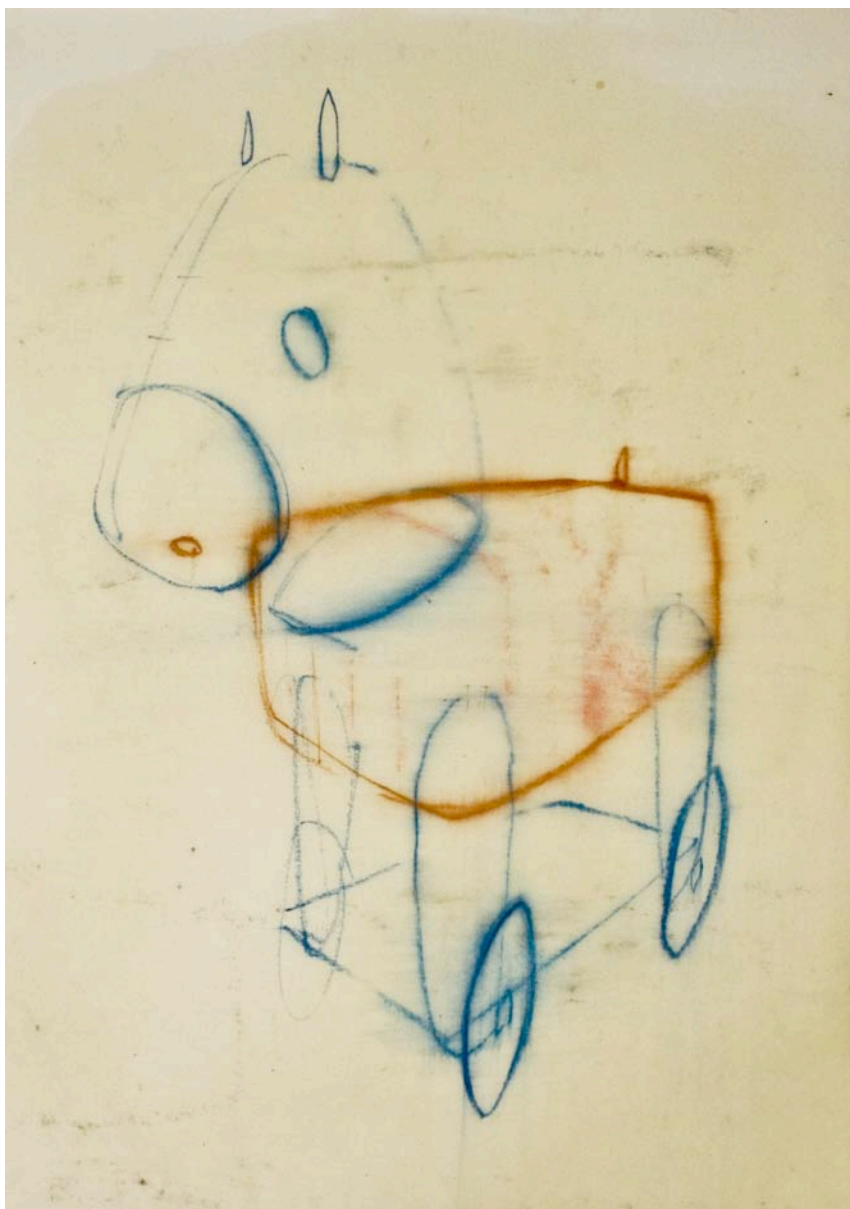


PAPERA | DUCK

Drawing
Mixed media on paper
35 x 50 cm | 13.8 x 19.7 inches
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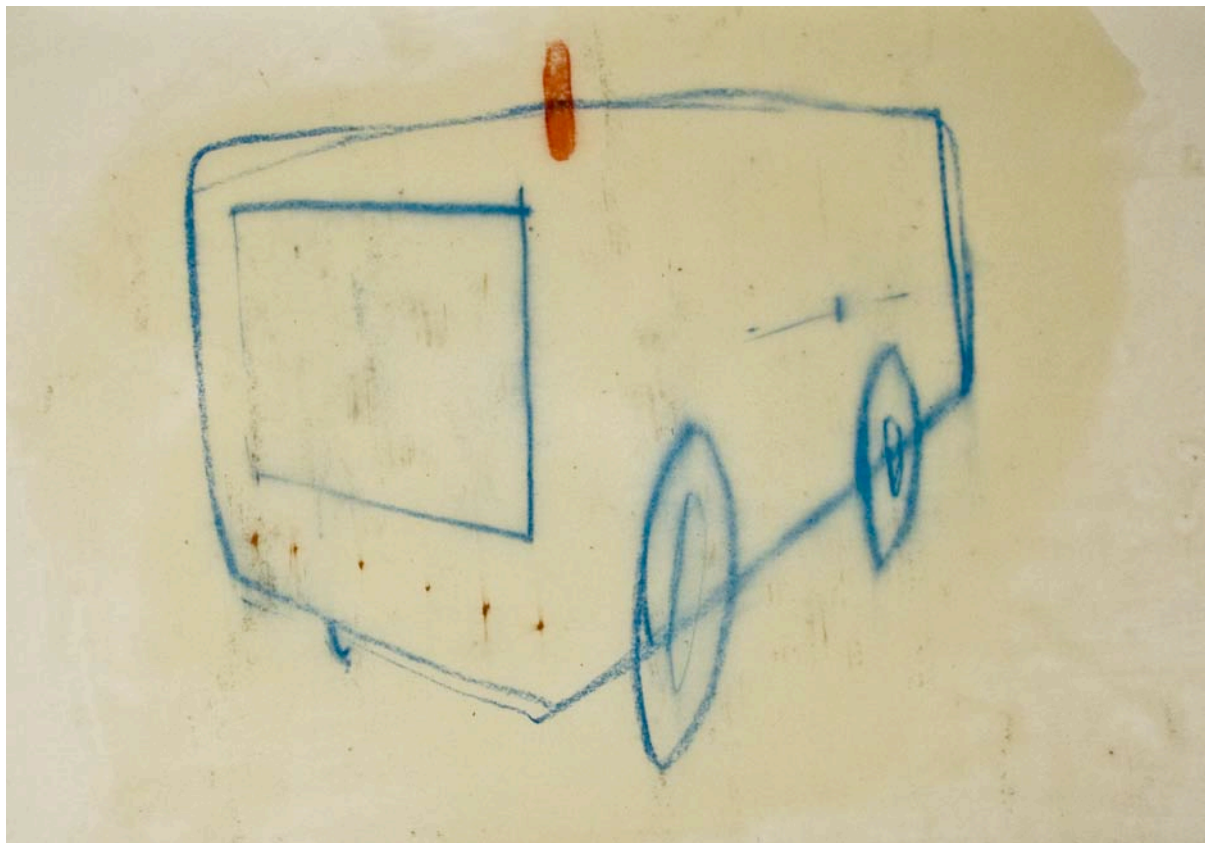


CAVALLINO SU RUOTE | LITTLE HORSE ON WHEELS

Drawing
Mixed media on paper
35 x 50 cm | 13.8 x 19.7 inches
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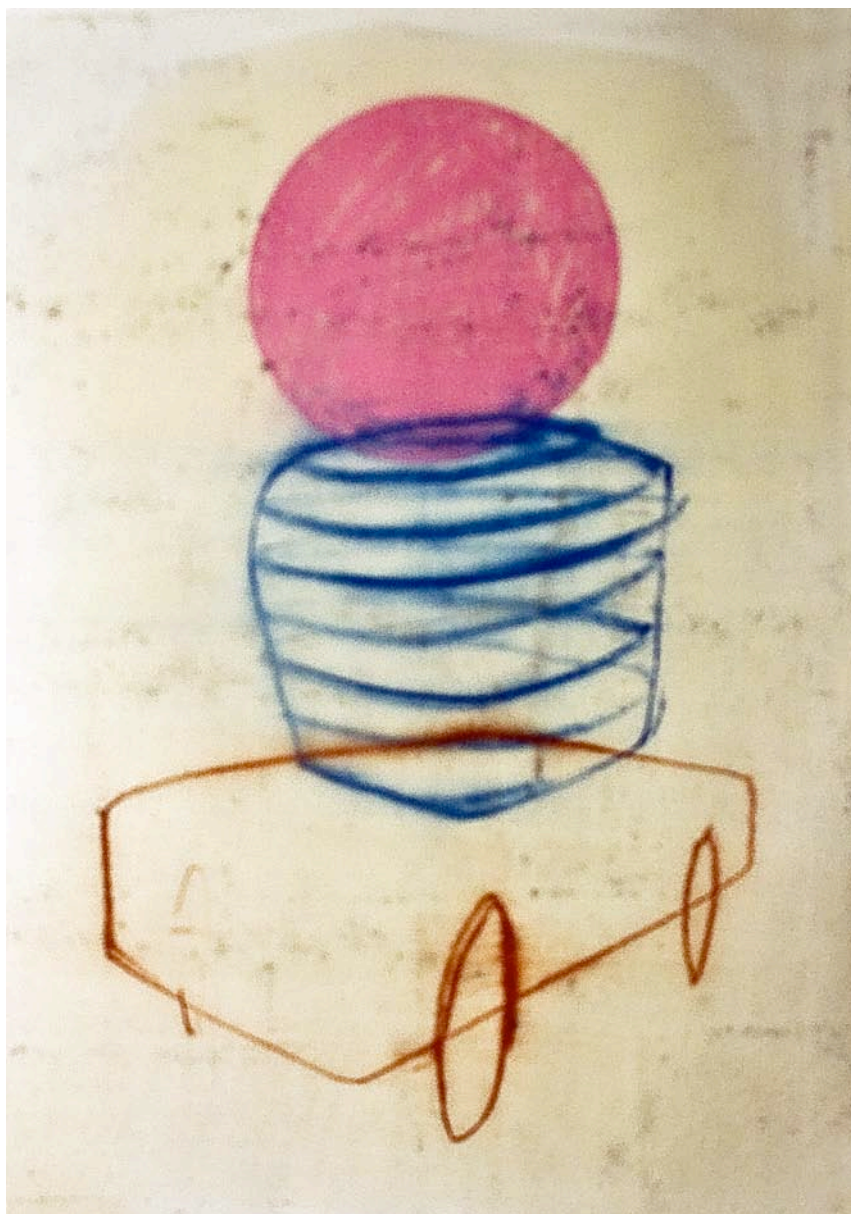


MACCHININA | SMALL MACHINE (01)

Drawing
Mixed media on paper
35 x 50 cm | 13.8 x 19.7 inches
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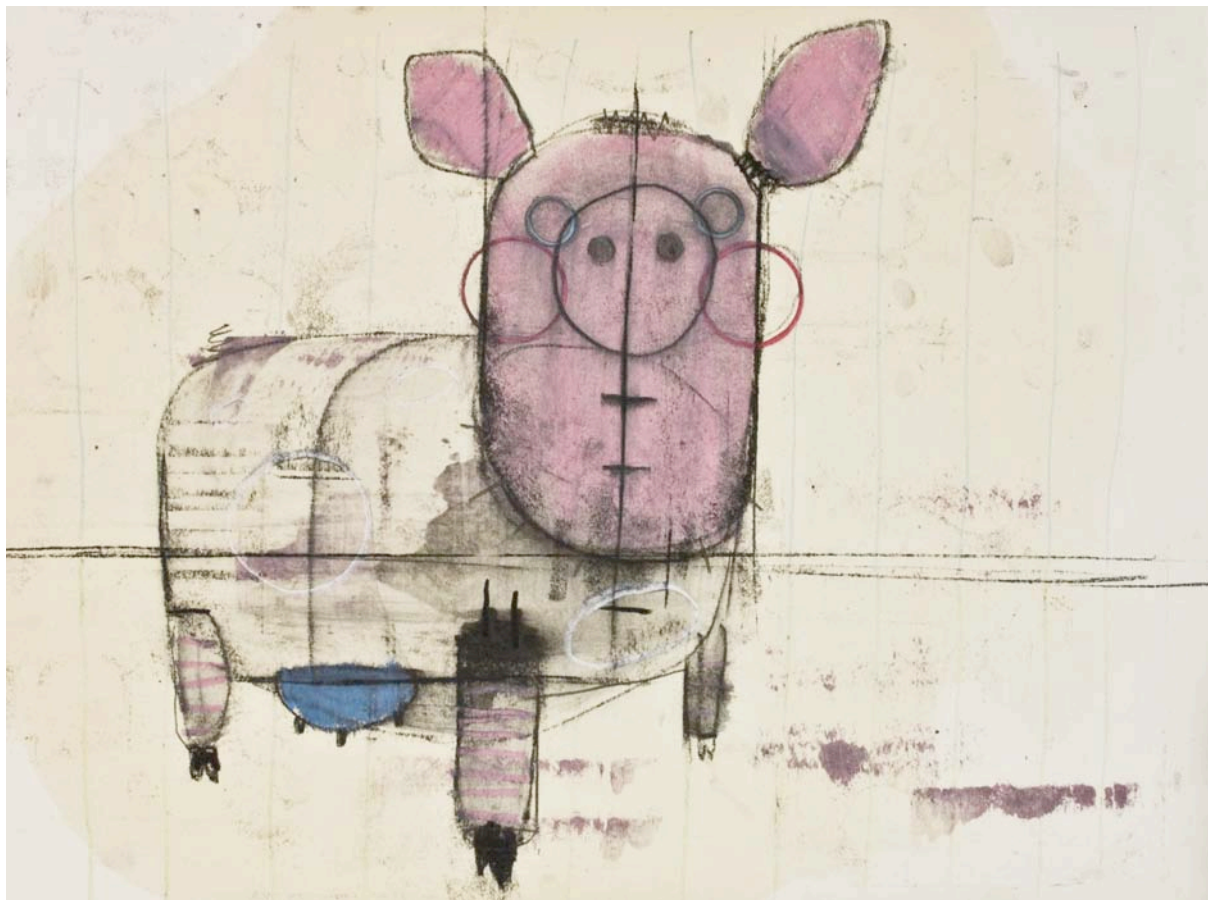


MACCHININA | SMALL MACHINE (02)

Drawing
Mixed media on paper
35 x 50 cm | 13.8 x 19.7 inches
Executed in 2011

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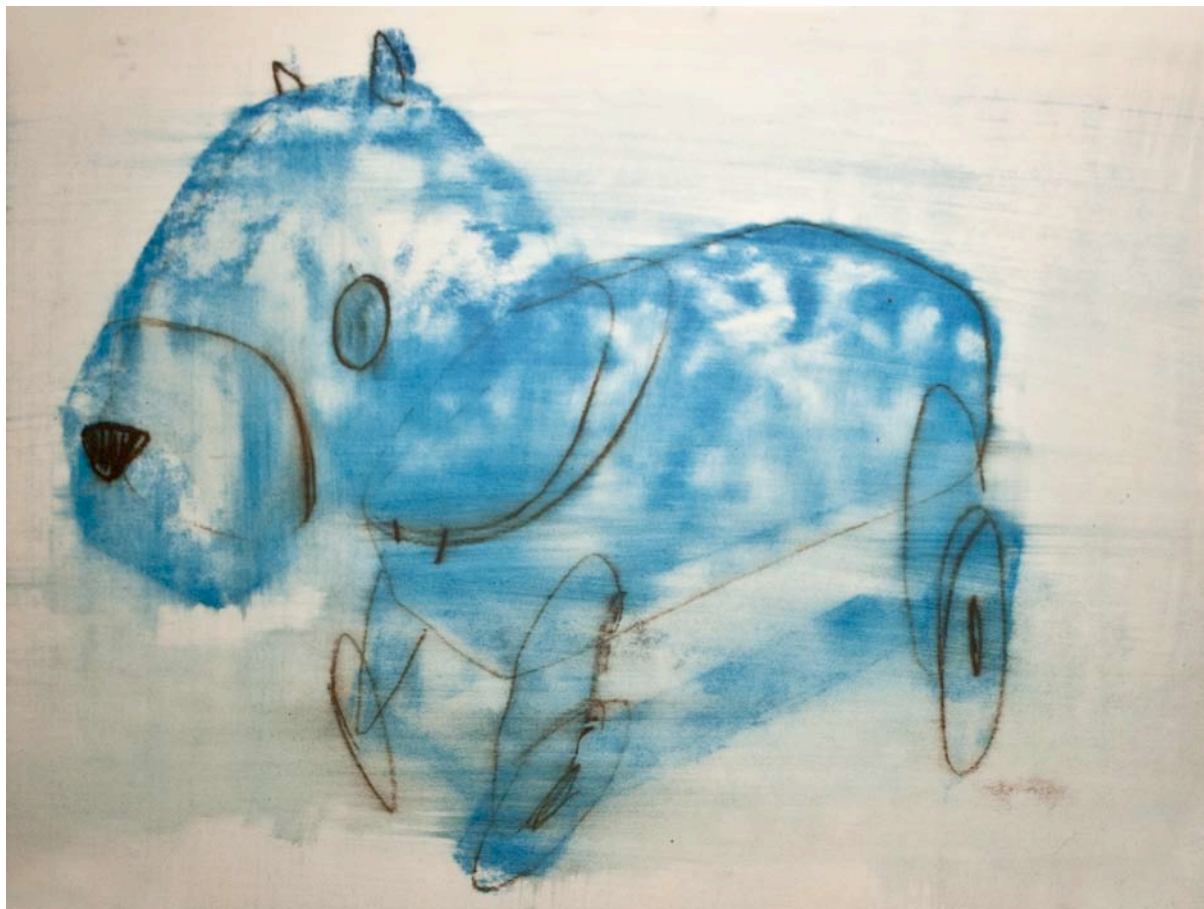


SUINO | PIG

Drawing
Mixed media on paper
30 x 40 cm | 11.8 x 15.7 inches
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CAVALLINO BLU | LITTLE HORSE IN BLUE

Drawing
Mixed media on paper
30 x 40 cm | 11.8 x 15.7 inches
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CAVALLINO DI VETRO | GLASS HORSE

Drawing
Mixed media on paper
30 x 40 cm | 11.8 x 15.7 inches
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FETICCIO - ULAHOP | FETISH OBJECT – HOOLA HOOP

Sculpture
Terracotta, gesso, metal
36 x 36 x 38 cm | 14.2 x 14.2 x 15 inches
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FETICCIO – GLI ANELLI | FETISH OBJECT – WITH RINGS

Sculpture
Terracotta and gesso
25 x 50 x 35 cm | 9.8 x 19.7 x 13.8 inches
Executed in 2011

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SALVAGENTE | SWIMMING RING

Sculpture
Terracotta and gesso
45 x 45 x 70 cm | 17.7 x 17.7 x 27.6 inches
Executed in 2011

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DOLL | SITTING / GREEN TOP

Drawing
Mixed media on paper
50 x 70 cm | 19.7 x 27.6 inches
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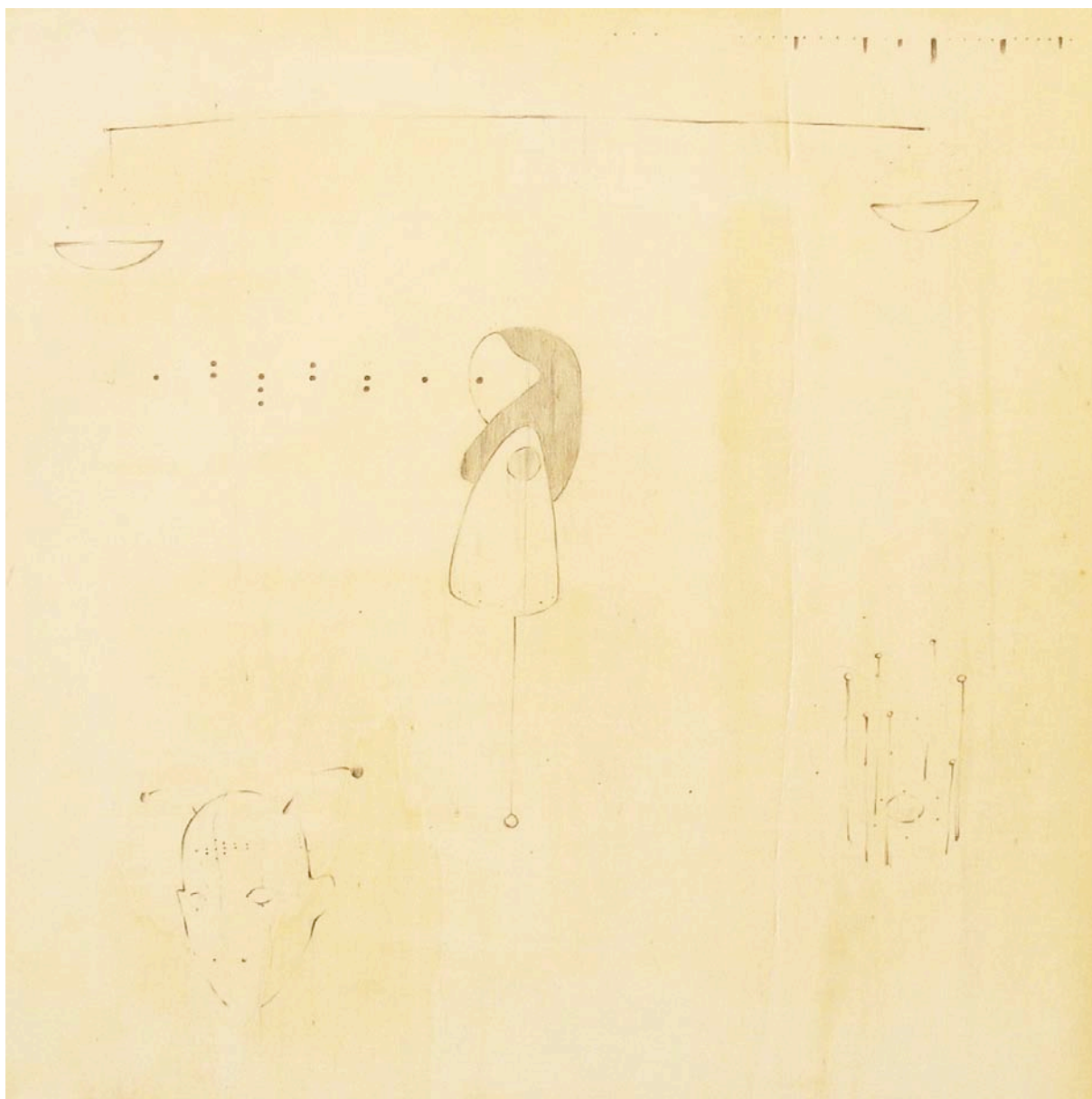


DOLL | SITTING / BLUE TOP

Drawing
Mixed media on paper
50 x 70 cm | 19.7 x 27.6 inches
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UNTITLED (BALANCE)

Drawing

Graphite and mixed media primer on wooden panel

30 x 30 cm | 11.8 x 11.8 inches

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LUCA LANZI

Born in Bologna in 1977
Resides in Bologna

education

1999-2004 Accademia delle Belle Arti di Bologna
2005 Academy of Fine Arts Berlin-Weißensee

recognitions

2011 · Finalist | section drawing | Premio Basi | Grosseto | IT
· Finalist | section drawing | Premio Combat | Livorno | IT
2005 · Post-graduate scholarship | Fondazione Collegio Artistico Venturoli

public collections

2011 · Collection of Drawings | Accademia delle Belle Arti | Bologna
· Collection of Contemporary Drawings | Galleria Civica | Modena | IT

solo exhibitions

2012 · Spazio Magico | lorch+seidel | Berlin
2011 · Il viaggio a cavallo della papera | lorch+seidel | Berlin
2010 · Feticci | L' Ariete artecontemporanea | Bologna
· Wir fahren mit der Luftbahn (with B. Bohnsack) | lorch+seidel galerie
2009 · Dolls | Gallery Lilly Zeligman | Naarden | NL
· Smooth and gentle (with B. Bohnsack) | lorch+seidel galerie | Berlin
· Preview Luca Lanzi | L' Ariete artecontemporanea | Bologna
2007 · L'anima in gioco | lorch+seidel galerie | Berlin
2006 · Puppen - Feticci | lorch+seidel galerie | Berlin
2004 · Circolo degli artisti | Forlì | IT

selected participations

2012 · Arte di Oggi nei Luoghi di Ieri | Museo Civico Medievale | Bologna
2011 · Lascia un Segno | Pinacoteca Nazionale | Bologna
· Art Verona | with L' Ariete artecontemporanea | IT
· Premio Basi | The Finalists' Exhibition | Cava di Roselle | IT
· Premio Combat | Bottini dell'olio | Livorno | IT
· Art Karlsruhe | with lorch+seidel galerie | DE
· ArteFiera Bologna | with L' Ariete artecontemporanea | IT
· Hertogenbosch Art Fair | with Gallery Lilly Zeligman | NL

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- 2010 · Gallerie al Museo | Museo Internazionale delle Ceramiche | Faenza | IT
· Art Verona | with L' Ariete artecontemporanea | IT
· Contemporanea Forlì | with L' artecontemporanea | IT
· MiArt | with L' Ariete artecontemporanea | IT
· Simply drawings | lorch+seidel galerie | Berlin
· Art Karlsruhe | with lorch+seidel galerie | DE
· Pagine da un Bestiario Fantastico | Galleria Civica | Modena | IT
· Biennale Roncaglia | San Felice sul Panaro | Modena | IT
· Naarden Art Fair | with Gallery Lilly Zeligman | NL
· ArteFiera Bologna | with L' Ariete artecontemporanea | IT
- 2009 · Affordable Art Fair Amsterdam | with Galerie Lilly Zeligman | NL
· Contemporanea Forlì | with L' Ariete artecontemporanea | IT
· Immagina Reggio Emilia | with L' Ariete artecontemporanea | IT
· Art Verona | with L' Ariete artecontemporanea | IT
· 7 x 7 | L' Ariete artecontemporanea | Bologna
· MiArt | with L' Ariete artecontemporanea | IT
· The Wall of Desire | Quadrum Saca | Bologna
· Naarden Art Fair | with Gallery Lilly Zeligman | NL
· Object Rotterdam | with Galerie Lilly Zeligman | NL
- 2008 · Art Verona | with L' Ariete artecontemporanea | IT
· Contemporanea Forlì | with L' Ariete artecontemporanea | IT
· Immagina Reggio Emilia | with L' Ariete artecontemporanea | IT
· Three artists of the gallery | lorch+seidel galerie | Berlin
· Unicef chiama arte | Fondazione Cà la Ghironda | Bologna
- 2007 · Palmbeach3 | with lorch+seidel galerie
· Art Miami | with lorch+seidel galerie
· Artists of the gallery | lorch+seidel galerie | Berlin
· Collettiva di Incisione | Complesso Museale del Barracano | Bologna
· Collettiva di Incisione | Casa Alpina della Val Gardena | Bolzano | IT
· Festival delle Arti | Complesso Museale del Barracano | Bologna
· Premio Nazionale di Pittura e Scultura | Novara | IT
- 2005 · Galleria Corsie | Baricella | Bologna
- 2004 · Festival de Sculpture | Fort Barroes | Isère | FR
· Vernice | Fiera dell'Arte | Forlì | IT
· Galleria Civica di Castelfranco Emilia | Modena | IT
· Sede del C.O.N.I. | Rome
- 2003 · Chiostro Benedettino | Ospedale Rizzoli | Bologna
· Galleria del Circolo | Bologna
- 2002 · Istituto Stagio Stagi | Pietrasanta | Lucca | IT
· Galleria Civica | Lagosanto | Ferrara | IT
· Festival delle Arti | Accademia delle Belle Arti | Bologna
- 2001 · Rotonda 2001 | Livorno | IT