

ANYWHERE EXCEPT ITHACA

CORTO MALTESE

by Juan Diaz Canales & Ruben Pellejero

Centro de Historias, Zaragoza From January 31 to March 31, 2019



An exhibition created by Lyon BD Festival Curated by Jean-Christophe Deveney



Exhibition "En cualquier lugar excepto en Ítaca" about Hugo Pratt's character Corto Maltese is coming with Centro de Historias de Zaragoza to Spain.



In 2012 Patrizia Zanotti, Hugo Pratt's collaborator and onwer of the Corto Maltese's publication rights, and publisher of the «Blacksad» Italian version of «Blacksad», proposed Juan Diaz Canales to continue the adventures of the Maltese seaman.







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Centro de Historias de Zaragoza & Contemporanea present "Anywhere except Ithaca. Corto Maltese", an exhibition created by Lyon BD Festival and curated by Jean-Christophe Deveney. Scenarist Juan Diaz Canales and cartoonist Ruben Pellejero guide us across the path of the everlasting traveler called Corto Maltese in this exhibition, questioning what happen if Corto was a landscape, a scene, a music or, even, a perfume. The adventures of the character created by Hugo Pratt are coming with these two Spanish well-known authors in two new albums: "Under the Midnight Sun" and "Equatoria".

So, this exhibition celebrates the intimate relationship between a character and the creators. Through original pages, sketches, working guides, notes, interviews, an original soundtrack, an audioguide and perfumes, the audience is invited to enjoy the Corto Maltese adventures.

So, close your eyes and let yourself sorrounded by the sound, the aroma and the sights of Corto Maltese world. Corto is here again!





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Contemporánea

Contemporanea was founded in 1996 as an entity which promotes art through activities and culture programs in Spain and worldwide.

Mario Martin Pareja and Dumia Medina are the Directors.

He has produced more than 50 exhibitions such as "Apocalypse. Keith Haring & Williams Burroughs"; "Seguir vivo. Michel Houellebecq y Masbedo"; "Warhol & The Factory"; "USA Today"; "Gráfika. A Collections of Prints by the Artists of Beautiful Losers"; "Lydia Lunch. A Retrospective"; "Gráfika. 30 Artistas de la España Joven", "Duffy. Retrospective", "Ryan McGinley. Yearbook", "Richard Kern. Naked and Famous", "Frida Kahlo. Photographs of Leo Matiz at La Casa Azul", "Shadi Ghadirian. Like Every Day", "Juanjo Guarnido. Blacksad. Somewhere in the Shadows", "Nirvana. 20 Years", "From Sex To Punk", "John Lennon & Yoko Ono: Suite 1742", among others.

As editor it has also produced books (Lydia Lunch, Michel Houellebecq, William S. Burroughs) or limited edition prints and objects (Richard Kern, C215, Tim Biskup, Miss Van, Lydia Lunch, Jim Houser, René Peña, Victor Castillo, Valeriano López, Chema López, Jacobo Castellano, Boris Hoppek, Sergio Mora, etc.).

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