



Elena López Riera

- Director and screenwriter -

TRAINING

- PhD in Audiovisual Communication. University of Valencia. 2013.
- Master in Curatorial Practices in Art and New Media. University Ramon Llull y MECAD. Barcelona. 2007.
- Degree in Audiovisual Communication. University of Valencia. 2005.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

FILM

- "LAS NOVIAS DEL SUR", 2024.
 - Queer Palm Award at the Cannes Film Festival.
- "EL AGUA", 2022.
 - Nomination for the Goya Awards for Best New Director.
 - Nomination for Best New Director at the Circle of Cinematographic Writers Awards in Spain.
 - Nomination for the Berlanga Awards of the Valencian Audiovisual Academy: Best Screenplay, Best Direction and Best Film.
 - Grand Prize for Best Film at the Toulouse Spanish Film Festival.
 - Best Direction Award at Ourense Film Festival.
 - Special Jury Prize at Salé International Film Festival in Morocco.
 - Special Jury Prize, Clam Festival, Manresa.
 - Selected at the The Directors' Fortnight in Cannes.
- "LOS QUE DESEAN", 2018.
 - Grand Prize, Vila do Conde Film Festival, Vila do Conde, Portugal.
 - Nomination for the European Film Award for Best Short Film.
- "LAS VÍSCERAS", 2016.
 - Best Short Film at Locarno film festival, Pardo di Domani.
 - Grand Prize, Zinebi Film Festival, Bilbao, Spain.



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TALENT

- “PUEBLO”, 2015.
 - Selected at the The Directors' Fortnight in Cannes.
- “NOT IN GENEVA”, 2014.

EXHIBITIONS AND RETROSPECTIVES

- “Todas las tormentas tienen nombres de santo”, (2024). Video installation. *Bienal de diseño y arquitectura de Madrid*.
- Márgenes International film festival, Madrid, Spain. 2022.
- Valdivia International Film Festival, Chile. 2022.
- Vila do Conde Film Festival, focus, Vila do Conde, Portugal. 2020.
- Gijón International Film festival, retrospective, Gijón, Spain. 2019.
- Cinémathèque Française, retrospective + carte blanche, Paris, France. 2019.
- MOMA PS1, *Openhouse spring exhibition*, collective exhibition, New York, USA. 2019.
- Union Docs, *Gender Rituals*, retrospective, New York, USA. 2019.

PROGRAMMING

- Programmer, Visions du réel (Nyon, Suisse). 2017-2021.
- Programmer, Festival International Entrevues Belfort (France). 2015-2017.
- Programmer, Festival Européen Séville. 2015.

SCHOLARSHIPS

- Film academy residencies programme, Madrid. 2022.
- Development grant, Media Desk, European Union. 2019.
- Scriptwriters residency, Cinéfondation, Cannes Film Festival, Francia. 2018.
- Scriptwriters residency, Ikusmira Berriak, Tabakalera Art Center, España. 2018.
- Selected in Berlinale Talent Campus, Berlin International Film Festival. 2017.
- Fellowship Université Sorbonne/Swiss National Fund gran. 2012.

LINKS

- IMDb: <https://www.imdb.com/name/nm7410448/>
- Web: <https://www.elenalopezriera.com/>