

Carmelo Bilbao-Unanue nace en Deusto, Bilbao. Totalmente entregado a su labor artística, los caminos del arte le han llevado por una buena parte de la geografía de nuestro globo. Políglota, sus conocimientos de cinco idiomas le han ayudado a adentrarse y permanecer en una veintena de países de Europa y América donde ha conocido y estudiado las obras originales de los maestros de la pintura. México, Estados Unidos, Canadá (en este país permanece diez años), Inglaterra, Francia, Holanda y los Países Escandinavos han marcado etapas en su búsqueda artística. Solicitado conferenciante en Clubs y Círculos Culturales así como en Universidades y cadenas de televisión de diferentes países, tiene talleres-estudio en Algorta (Vizcaya), en la ciudad de Eindhoven en Holanda y Sandefjord en Noruega. Es aquí en esta tierra de sorprendentes contrastes paisajísticos donde pinta en los meses de verano, en pleno aislamiento a orillas del «Fjord». La Administración de Sandefjord así como importantes colecciónistas han adquirido algunos de sus trabajos.

Bilbao-Unanue es miembro del «The Arstist' Guild» de Toronto, Ontario (Canadá) y pertenece al grupo “ Südbadische Bildende Künstler” (Asociación de Artistas Pintores) de Freiburg in Breisgau, Alemania. El Gobierno Alemán, a través de su departamento de Arte y Cultura (Ober-Regierungs Presidium) ha adquirido varios de sus cuadros. También las Naciones Unidas poseen obra suya. Galardonado con diversos premios por su creación dibujística y pictórica, sus lienzos se hallan distribuidos en museos y colecciones públicas y privadas de Europa, América, Australia, Sudáfrica, Taiwán y Japón.



El pintor con su esposa y la madre de ésta, Algorta, 1981.
The painter with his wife and his wife's mother in Algorta, 1981.

Carmelo Bilbao-Unanue _ Biographical Details

Carmelo Bilbao-Unanue was born in Deusto, Bilbao, and is a painter that has been entirely devoted to his artistic work and artistic journeys, as well as being a polyglot who is able to speak five languages. This lead him to travel to a large portion of the world, over twenty countries in Europe and the Americas. It was on these travels where he got to know and studied the original works of the great masters of painting. Mexico, the United States of America, Canada (where he stayed for ten years), Great Britain, France, Holland and Scandinavian countries are amongst places that have contributed to his artistic search. He is a popular lecturer in clubs, cultural circles as well as in Universities and on TV channels from different countries. Carmelo Bilbao-Unanue has workshops in Algorta (Vizcaya), in the city of Eindhoven in Holland and Sandefjord in Norway. It is here, in the Norwegian land of astonishing diverse landscapes where he paints during the summer isolated on the banks of the Fjord. The Administration of Sandefjord as well as well-known collectors have acquired some of his works. Bilbao-Unanue is a member of The Artists Guild in Toronto, Ontario (Canada) and also belongs to the group Südbadische Bildende Künstler (Association of Painters) in Freiburg in Breisgau in Germany. The German Government, through its Cultural and Arts Department (Ober-Regierungs Presidium), as well as The United Nations have also acquired various different works by the artist. Bilbao-Unanue has been awarded several prizes for creativeness in sketching and painting, his canvasses are distributed in museums as well as in public and private collections throughout in Europe, America, Australia, South Africa, Taiwan and Japan.



El pintor en Park Hotel, en Sandefjord, Noruega, 1965.
The painter in Park Hotel, Sandefjord, Norway, 1965.



El pintor con su perro "Laztan" en su finca "Antzedun-Etxea" en Barrika (Vizcaya).
The painter with his dog "Laztan" in his house "Antzedun-Etxea", in Barrika (Vizcaya).



En la pinacoteca de Atenas, Grecia, 1978.
Bilbao-Unanue in the National Gallery in Athens, Greece, 1978.