

## MARIA C. BERNHARDSSON

Maria C. Bernhardsson is a colorful artist who lives and paints in Sweden. Most of her works are influenced by the architecture and geometry of houses. Bernhardsson travels the world photographing and sketching houses to use as inspiration for her canvas and paper works. She plays with the colors and shadows of individual houses in conjunction with the overall feeling of gazing at a collection of these buildings. She then adds playful details such as flowers and animals to make the houses feel more like homes.

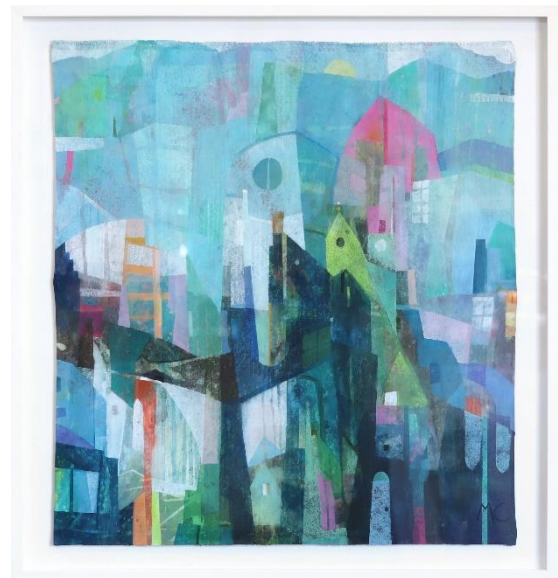


Even with her focus on bold colors and combinations, all of her artworks convey a level of warmth, comfort and familiarity. The abstract layering of the subjects in her paintings create the ambiguity which leads to the nearly universal familiarity.

Bernhardsson often paints in strong colors and a lot of layers. She states of her process, "The colorway is very important to me when I paint. I love to combine as many colors as possible at the same time. Contrasts, strong colors/ bright pastels, plain/structured, dark/bright in a cubistic, skewed, dreamy and naive way."

### Recent Exhibitions

- 2020 LA Art Show, Los Angeles, CA  
Art Palm Springs, Palm Springs, CA  
Affordable Art Fair New York
- 2019 Affordable Art Fair Hong Kong  
Artspace Warehouse, Los Angeles, CA  
Affordable Art Fair New York  
Kunstwarehaus, Zurich, Switzerland
- 2018 Partille Castle, Partille, Sweden  
Galleri Puckeln, Stockholm, Sweden
- 2017 River City Gallery, Gothenburg, Sweden  
Konstriket, Sävedalen, Sweden  
Nääs fabriker, Tollered, Sweden
- 2016 Konstriket, Sävedalen, Sweden
- 2015 Galleri Arken, Gothenburg, Sweden
- 2014 Nääs fabriker, Tollered, Sweden  
Galleri Lövström, Hagfors, Sweden  
Galleri Arken, Gothenburg, Sweden  
Konstriket, Sävedalen, Sweden  
The Nordic Council of Ministers, Copenhagen, Denmark
- 2013 Swedish television SVT, Galleri Media, Gothenburg, Sweden



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- 2012 Konstriket, Sävedalen, Sweden
- 2012 Kulturhallen, Mölndal, Sweden
- 2012 Konstriket, Sävedalen, Sweden
- 2011 Galleri Backlund, Gothenburg, Sweden
- 2009 Partille Castle, Partille, Sweden
- 2007 Särö Konstgalleri, Särö, Sweden
- 2007 Galleri Saltön, Grundsund, Sweden



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