



eduardo navarro

### about the artist

b. 1979 in Buenos Aires, argentina | lives and works in Buenos Aires, Argentina

Eduardo Navarro investigates different ways of transforming our senses in order to have a new understanding of our world. His works range from large-scale sculptures to actions and participatory installations that investigate empathy and contemplation. Recent solo exhibitions include 'Órbita' at the Universidad Torcuato Di Tella, Buenos Aires (2013); 'Octopia' at the Museo Rufino Tamayo, Mexico City (2016); 'We Who Spin Around You' for High Line Art, New York (2016); and 'Into Ourselves' at Der Tank, Basel, and the Drawing Center, New York (2017-18). His work has also been included in group shows such as the Mercosul Biennial (2009 and 2013); the Bienal de São Paulo (2010 and 2016); 'Surround Audience: The New Museum Triennial', the New Museum, New York (2015); the Sharjah Biennial (2015); 'La era metabolica' at the Fundación Malba, Buenos Aires (2015); and 'Metamorfosi' at the Castello de Rivoli, Turin (2018).

The artist is represented by Galeria Nara Roesler, São Paulo, Rio de Janeiro, and New York.

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### *polenphonia*

The work of Eduardo Navarro defies classification, encompassing performance, drawing, and installation and musing on the conditions of art-making and the natural world. Fascinated by our biological perceptions, he often uses performers (including himself) not simply as actors but as agents whose physical senses – tasting, hearing, seeing, feeling, and touching – guide the meaning and direction of the work of art. For *Polenphonia*, seven flutists wander through the idyllic landscape of the Jardín Botánico while wearing masks specially designed by Navarro to enhance their senses of smell. In this hyper-attuned state, they improvise a symphony in response to the lush floral fragrances and avian songs of the garden, both mimicking their surroundings and, in turn, pollinating the air with abundant sound.

### performance

thursday, september 6 - wednesday september 12  
1pm - 5pm

### visitor information

jardín botánico, av. santa fe 3951, palermo  
this artwork is site- and time-specific  
free entry, no ticket required  
weather dependent – the garden closes if it rains



***Polenphonia***, 2018  
musical choreography for seven flute players  
variable dimensions