



Fornello di Ziano, April 2016

Gioielli in Fermento 2016 – Premio Torre Fornello Jewels in Ferment | contemporary jewellery exhibition Torre Fornello Award May 8-22. 2016 | sixth edition

Opening Sunday May 8th 4pm. at Torre Fornello Vineyard, Fornello di Ziano Piacentino, Italian Wine District, Italy

in collaboration with **AGC – Associazione Gioiello Contemporaneo**
JOYA Art Jewellery Fair Barcelona
Kliment02 International Art Jewellery online

Gioielli in Fermento is back: the sixth edition will be on May 2016 with the **Torre Fornello Award** contemporary jewellery exhibition. The competition, open to established, emerging jewellery artists and students, registered more than 200 applications. It consists of creating and exhibiting a unique piece of jewellery inspired by a specific theme which is changed every year but always in some way related to the world of wine.

The themes presented by Gioielli in Fermento offer an opportunity to exhibit innovative works: every year it has been emphasised an aspect that can create a possible harmony between the contemporary world of ornament and the contemporary world of wine.

The theme inspiring the selected works in 2016 is:

Freedom & Constraint | Libertà e vincolo

a piece of jewellery is an amazing combination of freedom and constraint, like wine is

Inspiration, dedication, experience, research, innovation, observation, choice, challenge ...

*these are all elements of the creative approach that we can use to focus both on the activities of a jeweller or on those of a wine maker, they constitute a similar reading of their works: both a piece of jewellery or a sip of wine are evocative of the individual interpretation of the raw material chosen by their maker. In both cases the aim is to **turn the natural into something precious and unique.***

The winner of the competition will receive the **Torre Fornello Award** supported, together with JOYA Barcelona Art Jewelry Fair, by **Enrico Sgorbati**, the owner of the winery in Ziano Piacentino (in the lovely Val Tidone hills in Emilia Romagna) who in this place brings together his greatest passions. He has always been interested in artistic trends, which he appreciates in all their forms, and has for about a decade offered artists the opportunity to work together, experiment and compare their work in his lovely estate where he creates contemporary art events highlighting the ever more important connection between good drink, culture, and beauty. As he uses to say: *"producing wine is like creating a work of art"*.

It is in this context of "inspiration" that Torre Fornello renews the teamwork with **Gioielli in Fermento** and **Eliana Negroni**, founder and curator of the project, designer member of **AGC** the Italian association for contemporary jewellery.



The resulting exhibition is hosted at **Torre Fornello Winery** in its impressive spaces dedicated to the **Vineyard of Arts**. The Opening and the Award ceremony will take place **Sunday May 8th 2016** starting at 4pm.

An advisory board of international experts has been invited by Enrico Sgorbati (Torre Fornello) with the coordination of Eliana Negroni (project curator) and Gigi Mariani (AGC and goldsmith artist) and the members are: Roberta Bernabei (SAED Loughborough University UK), Leo Caballero (Klimt02 Art Jewellery Online and Gallery), Charon Kransen (Charon Kransen Arts, gallery, New York), Paulo Ribeiro (Joya Art Jewellery Fair Barcelona).

They selected 44 artists:

Susanna Baldacci (It), Alessandro Bean (It), Isabelle Busnel (Uk), Alina Carp (Ro), Sébastien Carré (Fr), Hsieh Chun-Lung (Tw), Lluís Comín (Es), Clara Del Papa (Ve), Anna Fornari (It), Steffi Götze (De), Akis Goumas (Gr), Georgia Gremouti (Gr), Nicola Heidemann (De), Mara Irsara (Uk), Marilena Karagkiozi (Gr), Iro Kaskani (Cy), Sunyoung Kim (Kr), Saerom Kong (De), Miriam Mirna Korolkovas (Br), Mia Kwon (De), Christiana Lazopoulou (Gr), Heng Lee (Tw), Ria Lins (Be), Chiara Lucato (It), José Marin (Es), Mineri Matsuura (Jp), Viktoria Münzker (At), Rosa Nogués Freixas (Es), Esther Ortiz-Villajos (Es), Liana Pattihis (Uk), Mabel Pena (Ar), Paola Pérez (Co), Poppy Porter (Uk), Stefano Rossi (It), Stenia Scarselli (It), Sergio Spivach e Stefano Spivach (It), Claudia Steiner (At), Eva Tesarik (At), Kalliope Theodoropoulou (Gr), Luca Tripaldi (It), Lin Tsang-Hsuan (Tw), Barbara Uderzo (It), Andrea Vaggione (Fr), Caterina Zanca (It).

The **section for the students of art, design and jewellery schools** gathers more than 70 students globally spread (intermediates, undergraduates and master graduates - jury advisors: Maria Rosa Franzin - AGC Board - and Paulo Ribeiro - Joya Art Jewellery Fair):

Alchimia Jewellery School Firenze IT

Campus Idar Oberstein - Hochschule Trier Univ. School for Applied Arts - Germany

EASD València - Departament de Joieria

Fabrika12 - València Spain

IED Roma IT

ITS Cosmo Progettazione e ricerca orafa Vicenza IT

Liceo Artistico P.Selvatico - Padova IT

Llotja - Escola Superior de Disseny i d'Art - Catalunya

Mingdao University - Taiwan

Tarì Design School - Caserta IT

The Glasgow School of Art - UK

Shenkar Jewelry Design Department - Israel

Universidad del Desarrollo, Magister de Arte - Chile

and representatives of the Beijing Institute of Fashion Technology - China

In addition to the works in competition, this year a remarkable selection of guest artists' works is to be highlighted: *hors-concours* artworks providing the perfect backdrop for a dialogue among the contents of competition. Exhibiting art jewellery by **Efharis Alepedis, Sofia Björkman, Liv Blåvarp, Maria Rosa Franzin, Gésine Hackenberg, Gigi Mariani, George Plionis, Niki Stylianou, Fumiki Taguchi, Jasmin Winter.**

The **Torre Fornello Award** and other special mentions, both for established artists and arts and jewellery design students, will be assigned during the opening day with the collaboration of our



international partners (*Agc associazione gioiello contemporaneo, Joya Barcelona Art Jewellery Fair, Klimt02 Art Jewellery Online network*).

The **prize** consists of the participation in the **Joya Art Jewellery Fair** in **Barcelona**, October 2016, the winning artist showing his/her own collection. Other prizes will consist of the presence for one year of the artist's personal profile on Klimt02 network platform, as well as AGC membership for selected awarded students.

More opportunities will make the selected works travelling through the annual *Gioielli in Fermento #gallery* circuit in Italy and abroad, listing also oversea venues.

The exhibition will also show a series of images of **Les Métissages** especially designed for Gioielli in Fermento by Nichka Marobin, art historian and founder of The Morning Bark, the blogazette on arts and human relations, and the eagerly awaited *Art jewelry Young outfit* performing young generations wearing the *Torre Fornello Award* and the *Gioielli in Fermento #gallery* collections.

In **2015** the Torre Fornello Award has been assigned to **Sébastien Carré** (France) for the ring "Several scale of grapes" and to **Akis Goumas** for the necklace "Spirits of a Symposium" evoking memories on archeology experiences and mediterranean cultures. Main cover for the 2015 project has been the brooch by Corrado De Meo titled "The colours of the night", now part of an American private collection. During 2015 the collection of works has been also exhibited at Museo del Bijou (Casalmaggiore), Casa del Design (ADI Milano), Expo2015 (Milano, Pad.Piacenza), Associazione Stampa Estera (Milano), Cassina Showroom (OffJOYA Barcelona). The program for 2016 will be soon updated.

The exhibition will be on at Torre Fornello (Fornello di Ziano Piacentino) until May 22. During that time there is another important international date:

this is a two day intensive **seminar, May 9-10**, with Charon Kransen "*Re-writing Your own script II*" dedicated to contemporary jewellers willing to question themselves and get in touch with an international situation that has been a point of reference for more than 30yrs in the international art jewelry sector, mainly in United States (**Charon Kransen Arts New York**).

The project is in collaboration with :

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Gioielli in Fermento #gallery - www.gioiellinfermento.com - gioiellinfermento@gmail.com

JOYA Art jewellery fair - www.joyabarcelona.com

thanks to:

Charon Kransen Arts, New York www.charonkransenarts.com

Klimt02 www.klimt02.net

The MorningBark - www.themorningbark.com

SPV Valtidone - www.spv.it

Giardino Italiano - www.giardino.it

attachments:

Gioielli in Fermento 2016 international competition - summary

Gioielli in Fermento 2016 - The advisory board of Torre Fornello Award

Enrico Sgorbati - Torre Fornello - informazioni

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Images and captions

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Gioielli in Fermento 2016

summary

With the collaboration of **AGC Associazione Gioiello Contemporaneo** Italian association for contemporary jewellery
JOYA International Art Jewellery Fair Barcelona
Klimto2 International Art Jewellery online
Torre Fornello (Owner Mr. Enrico Sgorbati)

Premio Torre Fornello - 6th edition May 8-22 . 2016 - Opening event and Awards proclamation
at Torre Fornello 8/5/2016 h.16 - Fornello di Ziano Piacentino (Piacenza, Italy) - GPS: N 45° 00' 877" E 9° 23' 017"

International Jury Committee (guests from Italy, Spain, US)

Roberta Bernabei | lecturer and artist SAED Loughborough University UK
Leo Caballero | director Klimto2 Artjewellery Online Network and Gallery ES
Charon Kransen | lecturer and gallerist C.Kransen Arts, New York USA
Paulo Ribeiro | director of Joya International Art Jewellery Fair
Enrico Sgorbati | director Torre Fornello IT

Student Section: with the advise of AGC (Maria Rosa Franzin) and JOYA (Paulo Ribeiro) Directions

coordinated by

Eliana Negroni | project curator Gioielli in Fermento
Gigi Mariani | goldsmith artist and AGC board member

Awards

Torre Fornello Awarded Artist
Student section Awarded Entry
Special Mention AGC
Special Mention JOYA Barcelona
Special Mention Klimto2 network
Favourite Entry Public poll (in the opening day)

Guesy Artists Efharis Alepedis, Sofia Björkman, Liv Blåvarp, Maria Rosa Franzin, Gésine Hackenberg, Gigi Mariani, George Plionis, Niki Stylianou, Fumiki Taguchi, Jasmin Winter.

2 days Seminar 'Re-write Your script' by Charon Kransen (C.KransenArts NewYork) May 9/10 2016

institutional patronages | Emilia Romagna Turismo, Provincia Piacenza, Comuni ValTidone
(Ziano Piacentino, Borgonovo, Castel S.Giovanni, Sarmato, Pianello, Nibbiano)

Catalogue (1000 copies and digital version)

institutional profiles on dedicated networks : contemporary jewellery field (by Gioielli in Fermento press office),
wine&food field (by Torre Fornello press office)

for further informations and the announcement, please visit **online** |

www.gioiellinfermento.com
www.agc-it.org/eventi
[www.klimto2/Gioielli in Fermento](http://www.klimto2/Gioielli%20in%20Fermento)
www.joyabarcelona.com
www.torrefornello.it

cartella stampa | scaricabile qui: <http://gioiellinfermento.com/press/>

profilo degli artisti | informazioni qui: <http://gioiellinfermento.com/profiles/>

profili social network | Gioielli in Fermento @Jewelsinferment #gioiellinfermento2016 #awinetale



Gioielli in Fermento 2016 - The advisory board of Torre Fornello Award

curated by

Eliana Negroni | Gioielli in Fermento project director

Lives and works in Milan and Borgonovo Val Tidone Italy, Università degli Studi di Milano graduated in 1990, designer and metalsmith, AGC member, founder of the project Gioielli in Fermento directing it since 2011. Collective exhibitions in Italy, Spain, France, Japan. Director of exhibiting selection Gioiellinfermento#gallery. www.eliananegroni.wordpress.com www.agc-it.org/designers/negroni-eliana

Roberta Bernabei | Lecturer SAED Loughborough Univ. UK

Roberta Bernabei, is a jewellery maker and historian whose work has been exhibited at various international venues. Actually lecturer in Contemporary Jewellery, Critical and Contextual Studies, at SAED Loughborough Univ., she also wrote articles and essays, among them the well known book of interviews "Contemporary Jewellers"(Berg Publishers, 2011) www.lboro.ac.uk

Leo Caballero | Director Klimto2 International Art Jewellery online

Leo Caballero, together with Amador Bertomeu founders and directors since 2002 of Klimto2.net and Klimto2 Gallery since 2007 in Barcelona. Klimto2.net is a website that offers space of knowledge, information, debates and exchanges inside the context of contemporary jewelry. www.klimto2.net

Charon Kransen | Charon Kransen Arts

C.Kransen is a trained jewelry artist, educated in Norway, Germany and Israel. Originally from Holland, there he was professor at the University Art Department Jewelry and Product Design in Utrecht and also taught at an Art College in Amersfoort, jewelry and enameling dept, and was president of the Dutch Jewelry Designers Organization. Since about 30 years he lives in New York where he runs the Charon Kransen Arts Gallery. He lectures worldwide about contemporary jewelry and also teaches seminars all over the world to students and professionals and is a reference as a dealer of all literature in the field. www.charonkransenarts.com

Maria Rosa Franzin | Goldsmith artist, Agc Committee Chairman

Lives and works in Padua, Italy. Since 1986 she has taught goldsmith design at the "Pietro Selvatico" Institute of Art Padua. AGC Chairman, curator of various contemporary jewellery projects. Personal and selected exhibitions: solo and prestigious group exhibitions in private galleries and museums, permanent collections in Padua (Zuckermann Museum for Applied Arts), Florence (Museo degli Argenti at Palazzo Pitti), New York MAD. www.agc-it.org/designers/franzin-maria-rosa

Gigi Mariani | Goldsmith artist, Agc Committee

*Lives and works in Modena, Italy
Fondazione Cominelli Gioiello contemporaneo Award 2013, Joya Award 2014, Joid'art- Enjoia't 2012 Barcelona Awards, Gioielli in fermento 2011 Award - selected exhibitions: Roma, Vienna, Parigi, Monaco, Varsavia, Barcellona, New York, Mexico City, Riga, Vilnius, Pechino. www.gigimariani.it*

Paulo Ribeiro | Director Joya Barcelona Art Jewellery Fair

Paulo Ribeiro, Director and founder of JOYA Barcelona together with Anthony Chevallier, both organize one of the most interesting events in contemporary jewellery in Europe. JOYA concentrate in 3 days every October at Arts Centre S.Monica Barcelona: individual artists, collectives, galleries, schools, conferences and workshops to celebrate a very creative discipline: art jewellery. www.joyabarcelona.com



Enrico Sgorbati
Torre Fornello, Italy

Enrico Sgorbati is in charge of the family winery since 1992. The first vintage was produced by Torre Fornello in 1998. The winery is focused on high quality production and it put the accent to the autochthonous vines. Its lands are located in Valtidone, in the geological area of “old red soils”. It is here that nature created those lands and that climate that are ideal for the vines that were cultivated already in ancient roman times. The winery cultivates its vines partly under a biological scheme and partly under a low environmental impact program which is both beneficial for the countryside and healthy for the human being. Vinification happens in a 1.000 sq mt space equipped with the highest technological machinery where grapes are treated with the highest respect. Refining happens in French allier barriques that lay in the original ancient winery dating from the 15th and 17th centuries; here the constant temperature allows wines to acquire elegance without changing the grapes particular characteristics.

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Gioielli in Fermento - Torre Fornello Awarded Artists

Sébastien Carré France www.sebastien-carre.com	Torre fornello Award 2015
Akis Goumas Greece www.akisgoumasgallery.com	Torre fornello Award 2015
Liana Pattihis UK www.lianapattihis.com	Torre fornello Award 2014
Olivia Monti Arduini Italy www.oliviamontiarduini.com	Torre fornello Award 2014
Nicoletta Frigerio Italy www.agc-it.org/designers	Torre fornello Award 2013 - 2011
Viktoria Münzker Austria www.viktoriamuenzker.eu	Torre fornello Award 2013
Maura Biamonti Italy www.maurabiamonti.it	Torre fornello Award 2012
Annamaria Iodice Italy www.annamariaiodice.it	Torre fornello Award 2012
Gigi Mariani Italy www.gigimariani.it	Torre fornello Award 2011
Aline Kokinopoulos France www.alinek.jimdo.com	Torre fornello Award 2011

Gioielli in Fermento #gallery Artists

Silvia Beccaria Italy www.studio-filarte.it	Selected artist 2013 - 2014 - 2015
Lluís Comín Spain www.lluiscomin.com	AGC mention 2015
Nicoletta Dal Vera Italy www.nicodalvera.com	Selected artist 2011 - 2012 - 2013
Corrado De Meo Spain www.demeogioiellisculture.com	JOYA mention 2015 AGC mention 2012
Clara Del Papa Italy/Venezuela www.claradelpapa.com	JOYA mention 2015 AGC mention 2013
Ylenia Deriu Italy www.yleniaderiu.com	Selected artist 2015
Virginia Escobar Colombia www.vireotallerdeplata.com	Selected artist 2015
Maria Rosa Franzin Italy www.agc-it.org/designers	Guest artist 2012 - 2013 - 2014 - 2015
Mia Kwon Germany/Korea www.bymia.org	Selected artist 2015
Ria Lins Belgium www.ria-lins.be	Selected artist 2015
Chiara Lucato Italy www.agc-it.org/designers	Selected artist 2015 - 2014
Peggyarte Italy www.peggyarte.it	Selected artist 2015
Gianni Riva Italy www.rivagioielli.com	Selected artist 2011 - 2012 - 2013 - 2014
Stefano Rossi Italy www.agc-it.org/designers	Selected artist 2011 - 2012 - 2013 - 2014
Kika Rufino Brasil www.kikarufinojoya.com.br	Selected artist 2013 - 2014 - 2015
Sergio Spivach e Stefano Spivach Italy www.opal.it	AGC mention 2014 - Selected artist 2015
Simonetta Starrabba Italy www.agc-it.org/designers	Selected artist 2013 - 2014
Claudia Steiner Austria www.claudia-steiner.at	Klimto2 mention 2014 Selected artist 2013 - 2015
Angelina Tsvetkova Bulgaria www.angelinatsvetkova.com	Selected artist 2015

Foto:

Viktoria Munzker, Mother Earth, neckpiece, Gioielli in Fermento 2016

Liana Pattihis, Emilia necklace, neckpiece, Gioielli in Fermento 2016

Stenia Scarselli, Lightwave Onda luminosa, brooch, Gioielli in Fermento 2016, ph. Rudy Pessina

Barbara Uderzo, blob-ring Incredible wine, ring Gioielli in Fermento 2016, ph. Martina Lavarda

Jasmin Winter, Two in one, neckpiece, guest artist Gioielli in Fermento 2016, courtesy of C.Kransen Arts

Gésine Hackenberg, Grape necklace, guest artist Gioielli in Fermento 2016, courtesy of Klimto2 Gallery

Eva Perales, EASD València, Feeling for You, brooch, students section Gioielli in Fermento 2016



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www.thejewelleryactivist.com

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www.giardinoblumilano.worpress.com

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