# **JOANA GOSLY**

Born April 13, 1954 in Chicago, Ill.

# 1968-1972

Moves to California with her family in 1966, studies high school at Flintridge Sacred Heart Academy, Pasadena, California specializing in Humanities and Art.

# 1972

Begins to weave with Esther Warner Dendal and participates in a textile workshop given by Josep Grau-Garriga at E.W.Dendal's studio.

# 1974-1975

Studies Fine Arts at San Diego City College, California.

# 1975-1976

Does an apprenticeship and works as an assistant at Josep Grau-Garriga's studio in Barcelona.

# 1975-1978

During the next 3 years she participates in diverse acitivities, i.e., "environments", "happenings" and other experimental activities lead by J. Grau-Garriga in California, Paris and Arles, France and

Barcelona, Spain.

#### 1977-1981

Studies weaving and etching at La Escola Massana and sculpture at La Escuela Superior de Bellas Artes Sant Jordi in Barcelona.

# 2000

Since 2000 she has been investigating the oxidation of metals and how to integrate them into textile work.

# 2004

Travels to Laos to learn traditional weaving for two months.

# INDIVIDUAL EXHIBITS

- **2016** Espacio Ronda, Madrid. Spain Birgitta Elbers Gallery, Mallorca. Spain.
- 2013 Cruce Gallery, Madrid, Spain.

- **1986** The Cherry Foundation, Carmel, California.
- **1985** La Caixa de Pensions Obra social Manresa, Spain.
- 1984 Municipal Museum of Fine Arts of Santander, Santander, Spain.
- 1984 Chys Gallery, Murcia, Spain.
- 1982 Joan de Serrallonga Gallery, Barcelona, Spain.

# **COLLECTIVE EXHIBITS**

- 2016 Festival of Threads, Toronto, Ontario, Canadá.Triennal of Tapestry, Lodz. Poland. Artist invited to participate.Affordable Art in Brussels Belgium.
- **2015** Cultur3Club, Palacio de Revillagigedo, Gijón. Spain.
- 2014 Contextile, Guimarae. Portugal.
- **2012** International Fair of Extraordinary Textiles, Clermont-Ferrand, France.
- 2011 International Exhibit in Small Format, Barcelona, Spain.
- **1985** FINART, organized by the Ministerio de Industria y Energia Casa de Campo, Madrid, Spain.
- **1984** International Exhibit of Fine Arts, Barcelona, Spain.
- **1981** Vanguard Craftsmen Show in Las Atarazanas, Barcelona, Spain.
- **1978** Art in Catalunya, Museum of Granollers, Barcelona, Spain.
- 1977 Jacks-An Gallery, Blanes, Gerona, Spain.
- **1975** Exhibit of Fine Arts at San Diego City College, San Diego, California.
- **1974** Denwar Contemporary Art, Costa Mesa, California.