

# Think of Us as the Art World's Editorial Page

The Center for Contemporary Political Art, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit corporation based in Washington, D.C., is the world's first institute for the study, patronage and strategic use of politically-engaged Fine Art, a genre of art that's produced some of the greatest works of art in the history of art.

Founded by a group of concerned citizens in 2017, during the first year of Donald Trump's presidency, its purpose is to give artists from around the world, but especially the United States, a way to express their views on the most pressing and important issues of our time—and to give the rest of us the benefit of seeing their views realized in the form of original paintings and drawings and sculpture that help us understand the issues and decide for ourselves what's best for us, our country and the rest of world, too.

Think of the Center for Contemporary Political Art as a visual arts think tank and our exhibitions of fine art as the Art world's editorial page: thoughtful, well-researched, fact-based Art works guaranteed to make your eyes pop, your heart beat...and curated to help the synapses of your brain cut through the fog of empty rhetoric to the clarity and light great art so often captures.

This diagram will help you understand how we do what we do and what CCPA is all about.

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