

Through a selection of arpilleras from the **Conflict Textiles** and **Fundació Ateneu Sant Roc** collection, we are introduced to disruptive women worldwide: women who have pushed the boundaries of societal expectations of women; women who have broken the mould; women who have challenged and denounced violence and human rights abuses; women who have supported each other in their demands for justice and fairness. Above all, this exhibition nudges us to consider our pre-conceived ideas of disruption.

It draws together many threads of connection. It marks the 15th anniversary of Conflict Textiles inaugural exhibition **The Politics of Chilean Arpilleras** in 2008. It builds on a ten year plus collaborative relationship with Fundació Ateneu Sant Roc, Catalonia and marks their second co-curated exhibition.

For a sense of the overall exhibition we encourage you to visit it across three venues:

- **Flowerfield Arts Centre**, the location for Arpilleras that Cry Out (2009) will feature the bulk of the exhibition.
- A number of pieces will also be displayed within two of our permanent rotating exhibition spaces **Conflict Textiles collection: Ulster University, Magee Campus Library.**
- **The Troubles and Beyond** in **Ulster Museum.**

The exhibition will be complemented by associated activities developed in collaboration with host facilitators within each venue.

“If women do not remember the past, they will not be able to enjoy the present or transform the future.”

Ana María Bidegain



FUNDACIÓ ATENEU SANT ROC



Flowerfield
ARTS CENTRE



Causeway
Coast & Glens
Borough Council



Disruptive Women

Arpilleras in action



8th February - 5th August 2023

Ulster Museum
Flowerfield Arts Centre
Ulster University, Magee Campus Library

Ulster Museum

Stranmillis Road, Botanic Gardens, Belfast, BT9
5AB, Northern Ireland

They Shall not Pass!
Antonia Amador

Absences-Presences
Ana Zlatkes

Circle of Women:
Forum of Arpilleras 2011
Roser Corbera

8th of March
Paqui Báez



Flowerfield Arts Centre

185 Coleraine Road, Portstewart, BT55 7HU

Peace has a Woman's Voice
Roser Corbera

Colour doesn't Matter
Loli López

Every Woman is Worth More
when She Learns to Read and Write
Mònica Moro

From Science to Freedom
Mercè Monge

Not One Woman More
Encarna Ortega

Mothers of Elna
Group of Arpilleras (Fundació
Ateneu Sant Roc)

To Frederica
Rosa Borrás

We are Unemployed Women
Anonymous

21st Century Goddess
Ana Zlatkes

Ulster University, Magee Campus Library

Northland Rd., Derry / Londonderry, BT48 7JL

No to Arms!
Anita Ramonet

In Memory of Teresa Durán
Linda Adams

Votes for Women
Pilar López

Don't Cut my Wings
Manoli García

