

Sculpture

Modroc (or mod roc) is another name for plaster impregnated bandage, and it can be used to make sculpture. In summary, modroc starts off dry, you then dip it in water and then model with it. It then sets hard, hence “mod” (mud) – “roc” (rock).



Step-by-step guide:

Artist Study

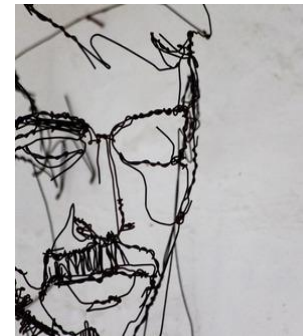
David Oliveira

David Oliveira was born in Lisbon in 1980.

He holds a degree in sculpture from Lisbon University and since 2005.

Exploring the idea of line and space, Oliveira plays on optical illusion. Two dimensions become three dimensional works of wire art. His wire sculptures evokes the appearance of a sketch suspended. Fashioned only in line, the viewer fills in the space to see the character beyond.

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Vocabulary

manipulate: handle or control (a tool, mechanism, information, etc.) in a skilful manner.

weave: form (fabric or a fabric item) by interlacing long threads passing in one direction with others at a right angle to them.