Case Code: M.I.M.O.S.A. 004-4

Item Name: "Florecer (Flourish)"

Creator: Raquel Rodrigo (@arquicosturastudio)

## Creator Manifesto (sometimes called "Artist Statement"):

Who would have thought of making such a large embroidery on the street? This is the question that everyone asks when they see some of my work. Well behind it all, I am, Raquel Rodrigo, an artist and designer from Valencia, Spain. In my work, I like to use contrasts between crafts and design, interior design and urban art, and the combination of architecture with the delicacy of embroidery. I wanted to bring to the street a feminine art that has dressed homes around the world for so many years and has not been exhibited to the world, a way to give value to those works ... Thanks to my work, I am traveling all over the world, meeting so many different people and cultures and my intention is to flourish cities around the world and change the perception of people when walking through a city, rethinking the way we look around us. In my latest projects, I am taking embroidery to three dimensions, playing with light and sound at the same time.

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