

MONA KAMAL

SOLO and TWO PERSON EXHIBITIONS

- 2025 Migration Stories, Puffin Foundation/Brooklyn, Brooklyn, NY
- 2018 1001 Migrations(in progress), Grid Space, Brooklyn, NY
- 2017 Birch Bark Drawings by Mona Kamal, Wave Hill, Bronx, NY
- 2015 A Story of Place, VM Art Gallery Karachi, Pakistan
- 2009 Journeys, YYY Gallery, Toronto Canada
- 2008 I Stand on Guard, York Quay Gallery (Harbourfront Centre), Toronto, Canada
- 2007 On Migration (with Brendan Fernandes), Aspace Gallery, Toronto, Canada
- 2006 Whole Cloth, Hamilton Artists Inc., Hamilton, Canada
- 2004 Wrapped in Code (with Farheen Haq), Gallery 1313 and SAVAC, Toronto, Canada
- 2002 Foundation, Latham Gallery, Stouffville, Canada
- 2001 Home, Eye Level Gallery Window Space, Halifax, Canada
- 1998 Installation of Two Saris, Anna Leonowens Gallery, Halifax, Canada

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2022 Borderwalls V, The Border Project Space, Brooklyn, NY
Ballots Not Bullets (curated by Juan Puentes and Raul Zamudio), White Box, New York, NY
Acts of Seduction, Incubator Gallery, Brooklyn, NY
Light and Shadow: Rethinking Visual Spaces (Curated by Elizabeth Alejandro), Bronx Arts Council @Longwood Art Gallery, Bronx, NY
Who Writes History, Arts Westchester (Curated by, Adam Chau & Randy Williams), White plains, NY
Shadows, Pelham Art Center (Curated by, Shipli Chandra), Pelham, NY
- 2021 Perfect Day: Drugs and Art (curated by Juan Puentes and Raul Zamudio), White Box Annex @ Chashama, New York, NY
As if a Girl Matters, Virtual Museum Project Initiated by, Navina Haider
- 2020 Beelezebub's Tales, (Curated by, Proyecto Raul Zamudio), The Empty Circle, Brooklyn New York
- 2019 Making Their Mark: Canadian Artists in New York (curated by Christine Minas), Consulate General of Canada in New York, New York, NY
Beyond Geographies,: Contemporary Art and the Muslim Experience (Curated by Elizabeth Ferrer), BRIC, Brooklyn, NY
Race and Revolution: Still Separate--Still Unequal (Curated by Kathryn Fuller and Larry Ossei-Mensah), UPenn, Philadelphia, PA
Race and Revolution: Still Separate --Still Unequal, August Wilson Center, Pittsburgh, PA (Curated by Kathryn Fuller and Larry Ossei-Mensah)
- 2018 Crossing Borders (Curated by, Aman Bachhawat), Sotheby's Institute, New York, NY
Ode to Healing: APoetic Exhibition for Those in Recovery (curated by Minkie English), Rush Arts Corridor Galley, Brooklyn, NY
- 2017 Rise, Walsh Gallery (Curated By Claudia Preza and Emily Brostek), Seton University, South Orange, NJ
Race and Revolution: Still Separate--Still Unequal (Curated by Kathryn Fuller and Larry Ossei-Mensah), Smack Mellon, Brooklyn, NY
Otherwise, you don't see me (Curated by, Rachel Steinberg), Soho 20 Gallery, Brooklyn, NY
X≈Y: An Act of Translation (Curated by Andrew Prayzner and Naomi Reis), Tiger Strikes Asteroids, Brooklyn, NY
- 2016 Acts of Sedation: A Group Exhibition (Curated by Raul Zamudio and Juan Puentes), White Box Gallery, New York, NY
Sheherzade's Gift (Curated by Jaishri Abichandani), Twelve Gates Art Gallery, Philadelphia PA
Sheherzade's Gift (Curated by Jaishri Abichandani), Center for Book Arts, New York, NY
One is not Enough: A Drone Art Exhibition, InterAccess, Toronto Ontario
- 2015 Sheherzade's Gift (Curated by Jaishri Abichandani), Local Project, Queens, NY
- 2014 Are We Already Gone (Curated By Negin Sharifzadeh), Flicker Lab, New York, NY
Family Style (Curated by Julie Torres), Formerly Known as Pocket Utopia, New York, NY
- 2013 A Bomb with a Ribbon Around it (Curated by, Raul Zamudio), Queens Museum of Art, Queens, NY

- Her Stories: 15 Years of SAWCC (Curated by, Jaishri Abichandani), Taubman Museum, Roanoke, Virginia
 Dislocations (Curated by, Sevan Injeikian), Riverdale Hub, Contact 2013, the Scotiabank Photography Festival, Toronto, Ontario
 1912/2012 Made in Alberta (part four), The Art Gallery of Calgary, Calgary, Canada
 1912/2012 Made in Alberta (part one), Museum of Contemporary Art - Calgary, Calgary, Canada
 2012 Her Stories: 15 Years of SAWCC (Curated by, Jaishri Abichandani), Queens Museum of Art, Queens, NY
 Lieux de Passage/Passageways (Curated by, Ève De Garies-Lamanque) , Art Souterrain, Montréal, Québec
 2011 Studio LLC Group Exhibition (Curated by, John Moore), Jamaica Center for Arts and Learning, Queens, NY
 2010 Left, Aicon Gallery (Curated by Christopher Lew), New York, New York
 2009 Gender – Genesis -Genetics, Gallery Espace, New Delhi, India
 Submission, ABC No Rio, New York, NY
 Latitude (Curated by Nico Wheadon), Rush Arts, New York, New York
 2008 Rods & Cones: Seeing From the Back of One's Head (Curated by Radhika Subramaniam), Abrons Art Center, New York, New York
 Open to Interpretation, A.I.R Gallery, New York, New York
 2007 Open House, Sanskriti Kendra, New Delhi, India
 Embodied Terrain, Gallery Gachet, Vancouver, Canada
 Sultana's Dream (Curated by, Jaishri Abichandani), Exit Art, New York, NY
 2006 State of Emergency (Curated by, Derrick Adams, Arshiya Lokandwala and Uzma Rizvi), Alwan for the Arts, New York, New York
 Artist in the Workplace, Toronto Arts Council Foundation sponsor Investors Group, Toronto, Canada
 2004 Electric/Eclectic (Curated by Nika Feldman), Harbourfront Centre, Toronto, Canada
 2003 Working Images: Mayworks Festival, Rotunda Gallery-Metro Hall, Toronto, Canada
 The Changing Face of South Asian Art, Harbourfront Centre, Toronto, Canada
 2002 Wish (Curated by Corinna Ghaznavi), WARC Gallery, Toronto, Canada

VIDEO SCREENINGS

- 2015 Bric Media Fellow Artists Screening, Bric Media, Brooklyn, NY
 2014 Surveillapocalypse, 5 Myles Gallery, Brooklyn, NY
 Alwan 3rd Awards: Special Screening of Short Films and Video Art entries (Curated by Melisa Forstrom Alkadhi), Alwan for the Arts, New York, NY
 The State of Origin: Reel and Imagined (Curated by Bindu Mehra), M.S University, Faculty of Fine Arts in Baroda India

PERFORMANCE WORK

- 2013 Aunties, Uncles, Mummy and Daddy Playing Bridge, Art Gallery of Calgary, Calgary, Alberta
 2007 Sultana's Dream, Exit Art, New York, NY
 2004 Guard(Ian) Performance, TAAFI and SAVAC, Toronto, Canada

CURATORIAL PROJECT

- 2011 Document, ABC No Rio, New York, New York

RESIDENCIES

- 2015 BRIC Media Arts Fellowship, Brooklyn, NY
 2012 Gallery Aferro, Newark, New Jersey
 2011 The Banff Centre for the Arts, Banff, Alberta, Canada
 Studio LLC, Jamaica Center for Arts and Learning, Queens, New York
 2007 Sanskriti Foundation, Kendra, New Delhi, India

AWARDS & GRANTS

- 2025 Project Grant, Puffin Foundation
 2021 COVID Artist Relief, Foundation for Contemporary Art
 2016 Nominated for the Joan Mitchell Foundation Award
 2015 Canada Council for the Arts Travel Grants to Visual Artists
 Emergency grants for Artists, Foundation for Contemporary Arts

- 2014 PSC CUNY Professional Development Grant for Adjuncts
- 2009 University Scholarship, The New School
Parsons the New School for Design, Graduate Deans Scholarship
- 2008 PS MT Nunn Scholarship, The New School
Parsons the New School for Design, Graduate Deans Scholarship
Ontario Arts Council Visual Arts Grant to Emerging Artists
Ontario Arts Council Exhibition Assistance Grant
- 2007 Ontario Arts Council Exhibition Assistance Grant
- 2006 Ontario Arts Council Visual Arts Grant to Emerging Artists
Toronto Arts Council Visual Arts Grant to Emerging Artists
- 2005 Ontario Arts Council Education Projects Grant
- 2004 Ontario Arts Council Visual Arts Grant to Emerging Artists
Toronto Arts Council Visual Arts Grant to Emerging Artists
Ontario Arts Council Exhibition Assistance Grant
Ontario Arts Council Artist in Education Grant

PRESS

- Amin, Lakshmi, "A View From the Easel", *Hyperallergic*, April 10, 2025
- Wong, Pamela, "Beyond Geographies: 8 Artists Explore Contemporary Muslim Identity", *Brooklyn*, September 13, 2019
- "Beyond the Viel:Teo Exhibits Highlight the Lives of Muslims in Brooklyn", *Brooklyn Paper*, September 14, 2019
- Pitcher, Laura, "Reflecting on What it Means to be Muslim Today, 8 Artists Share Experiences in a New Exhibition", *Observer*, September 10, 2019
- Waltz, Amanda, "Race and Revolution: Still Separate – Still Unequal examines educational discrimination in Pittsburgh to address a National Problem", *Pittsburgh City Newspaper*, May 1 2019
- Best of 2017: Our top 15 Brooklyn Art Shows, *Hyperallergic*
- Angela Groom (guest Writer), "Race and Revolution: Still Separate – Still Unequal at Smack Mellon" *Arte Fuse*, August 2017
- Zachary Smallm "Artists Tackle America's "School-to-Prison Pipeline", *Artsy*, July 3, 2017
- Kelly Macias, "New Brooklyn Art Exhibit Explores Segregation and Racism in America's Public Schools", *Daily Kos*, 07/04/2017
- Antwaun Sargent, "A Fed up Former Teacher Curates a Show Fighting School Segregation", *Vice Creators Project*, 07/15/2017
- Steph Rodney, "Artistic Responses to the Systemic Inequalities in US Education", *Hyperallergic*, 07/27/2017
- "Foreign Artist Intends to Break Stereotypes About Pakistan", (Staff Writer) *The News International*, December 29, 2015
- Priyanka Sachi, "Mona Kamal: tracing Journeys", *Urban Confessions* (pages 25 -27)2014 Issue 4
- Katherine Toukhy, "A Bomb, With Ribbon Around it", *Jadaliyya* ezine, January 20, 2014
- Priyanka Sacheti, "Mona Kamal: Tracing Journeys", *Her Blue Print: Art & Ideas for Women Everywhere*, BlogSpot: <http://imowblog.blogspot.fr/2013/03/mona-kamal-tracing-journeys.html>, March 12, 2013
- Emilie Harkin, *Pop the Artist* (blog) <http://poptheartist.com/post/30427046074/profile-mona-kamal-artist-mona-kamal-piece>, August 30, 2012
- Holland Cotter, "'Her Stories: 15 Years of the South Asian Women's Creative Collective'", *The New York Times*, August 16, 2012
- Vandana Kalra, "On Unequal Terms", *The Indian Express.com*, Sept 15, 2009
- Paola Loriggio, "An Image of Home" *Desi Life Magazine*, *The Toronto Star*, Oct 23 2008
- Maxwell Hunter, "Tracks: Sultana's Dream and SAWCC" *Brooklyn Rail*, Sept 2007
- Art in India*, "Special Report", Volume XI, Issue IV, 2007
- Steve Somerville, "A Family Story", *Stouffville Tribune*, Sept 7, 2002

CATALOGUE, EXHIBITION TEXTS & PUBLICATIONS

- An Arts Westchester Publication, *Who Writes History*, 2022
- Elizabeth Frerrer, *Beyond Geographies: Contemporary Art and the Muslim Experience*, 2019
- Emily Brostek & Claudia Preza, *Rise*, 2017

Steidal Publication, *Unfinished History: 30 Years of Exit Art* (page 341), 2016

Raul Zamudio, *A Bomb, With a Ribbon Around it*, 2014

Jaishri Abichandani, *Her Stories: 15 Years of the South Asian Women's Creative Collective*, 2012

Jamaica Center for Arts and Learning, Studio LLC exhibition catalogue, 2012

Mona Kamal, *Document*, ABC No Rio, 2011 (Curatorial essay)

Christopher Lew, *Left*, SAWCC, 2010

Thomas Lax, *Latitude*, Rush Arts, New York, 2009

John Wanzel, *Journeys*, YYY Artists Outlet, Toronto, On 2009

Elaine Chang, *On Migration*, A Space Gallery, Toronto, On. 2007

Derrick Adams, Arshiya Lokhandwala & Uzma Z Rizvi, *State of Emergency*, SAWCC, NY, NY 2006

Maggie Martineau, *Whole Cloth*, Hamilton Artists inc publication, Hamilton., Ontario 2006

Rachel James, *Wrapped in Code*, Gallery 1313 & SAVAC, Toronto, Ontario 2004

Maura Broadhurst, *Foundation: New Work by Mona Kamal*, Latcham Gallery, Stouville, On. 2002

Corinna Ghazavi, *Wish*, WARC Gallery, Toronto, On 2002

EDUCATION

2010 MFA in Visual Arts, Parsons the New School for Design

1999 BFA in Visual Arts, Nova Scotia College of Art and Design