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Born in Tehran, Iran. Lives and works in Toronto.

EDUCATION

2021 Master of Fine Arts | Faculty of Visual Arts | York University [Toronto, Canada]

2015 Bachelor of Fine Arts, Drawing & Painting | Faculty of Art | OCAD University
[Toronto, Canada]

SOLO AND TWO_PERSON EXHIBITIONS

2021 *Narratives of the Self, A Walk Through a Labyrinth*, Gales Gallery, York University [Toronto, Canada]

2019 *Memoraphilia*, Our Gallery | Two-Person Exhibition [Toronto, Canada]

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2021 *Fresh Paint / New Construction*, gallery Art Mûr [Montreal, Canada]

2019 *Impulse*, SPC Gallery | York University [Toronto, Canada]

2019 *Figureworks* | Saint Brigid's Centre for the Arts [Ottawa, Canada]

2019 *Impulse* | Special Projects Gallery, York University [Toronto, Canada]

2019 *Solo Pintura* | University of Caldas [Caldas, Colombia]

2018 *Timeraiser* | The Power Plant Contemporary Art Gallery [Toronto, Canada]

2018 *UNTAPPED Emerging Artist Competition* | Artist Project [Toronto, Canada]

2017 *Women's Kit Regeneration* | Ada Slight Gallery | OCAD University [Toronto, Canada]

2017 *Art Beat* in collaboration with Facade Academy of the Arts [Vaughn, Canada]

2017 *Embodied Resistance* | Feminist Art Conference | OCAD University [Toronto, Canada]

2016 *Transition* in collaboration with Walnut Studios | Capital One [Toronto, Canada]

2016 *Feminist Art Conference Open Studio* | Art Scape Gibraltar Point [Toronto Island, Canada]

2016 *Catch the Wave* | Nature's Millworks [Paisley, Canada]

- 2015 *Experiencing Perspective* | Mercedes-Benz Art Exhibition [Mississauga, Canada]
- 2015 *The Body: A Celebration* | Propeller gallery [Toronto, Canada]
- 2015 *Art Beat* in Collaboration with Facade Academy of the Arts [Kleinberg, Canada]
- 2015 *All That Stays Warm in the Memory* | Propeller Gallery | Curated by Clint Roenisch [Toronto, Canada]
- 2015 *Grad Ex* | OCAD University [Toronto, Canada]
- 2015 *Real Flowers Real People* | Facade Academy of the Arts [Woodbridge, Canada]
- 2014 *Random*, Sheeva Gallery [Richmond Hill, Canada]
- 2012 *Figure Show*, OCAD University [Toronto, Canada]

ART FAIRS/AUCTIONS

- 2018 *Artist Project* | Juried Art Exhibition [Toronto, Canada]
- 2016 *The Big Draw* | Juried Art Auction | OCAD University [Toronto, Canada]
- 2015 *Toronto Outdoor Art Exhibition* | Juries Art Exhibition | Nathan Philips Square [Toronto, Canada]
- 2015 *Queen West Art Crawl* | Represented by OCAD University as the recipient of the Career Launcher Prize [Toronto, Canada]

AWARDS

- 2021 Research/Fieldwork Award | York University
- 2020 Ontario Graduate Scholarship – Queen Elizabeth II (OGS, QEII – GSST) | Master Thesis, *Narratives of the Self: Objects of Cultural Collectives*
- 2019 York University Graduate Scholarship | Entrance for MFA degree at York University
- 2019 Exhibition Assistance, Ontario Art Council | *Memoraphilia* at Our Gallery
- 2018 UNTAPPED Emerging Artist Award, The Artist Project

WORK IN THE ARTS

April 2021 OCAD University Drawing and Painting Medal and Awards Jury [Toronto, Canada]
2020 – 2020 Teacher Assistant for VISA 2024 | York University [Toronto, Canada]
2017 – 2020 Course Instructor | Canadian Contemporary School of Art [Toronto, Canada]
2019 – Present Drawing and Painting Instructor | Toronto Public Library [Toronto, Canada]
2019 – 2019 Course Instructor | TDSB [Toronto, Canada]
2015 – 2016 Course Instructor | Facade Academy of the Arts [Vaughan, Canada]
2012 – 2013 Student Monitor, OCAD University [Toronto, Canada]

TALKS / PANELS

2019 Guest Artist Speaker for Drawing: Inventing the Environment | York University
2019 *Memoraphilia* | Our Gallery [Toronto, Canada]
2017 *Tools, Toys and Tricks of the Trade: Redefining the Domestic Sphere*, Feminist Art Conference, OCAD University, Toronto, CA
2016 *On Opera (A conversation between singers and public)*, 26, Toronto, CA

VOLUNTEER

2019 – Present Researcher | Canadian Children's Art Foundation [Toronto, Canada]

PUBLICATIONS

2019 Acta Victoriana CXLIII IV [Print Magazine], Victoria Collage, University of Toronto
2019 *Solo Pintura* | University of Caldas [Caldas, Colombia]
2016 *Experiencing Perspective*, Mercedes Benz [Mississauga, Canada]
2015 *100* | OCAD University [Toronto, Canada]

RESIDENCIES

2018 Spark Box Studio [Prince Edward County, Canada]

2016 Feminist Art Conference | Artscape Gibraltar Point [Toronto Island, Canada]