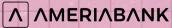
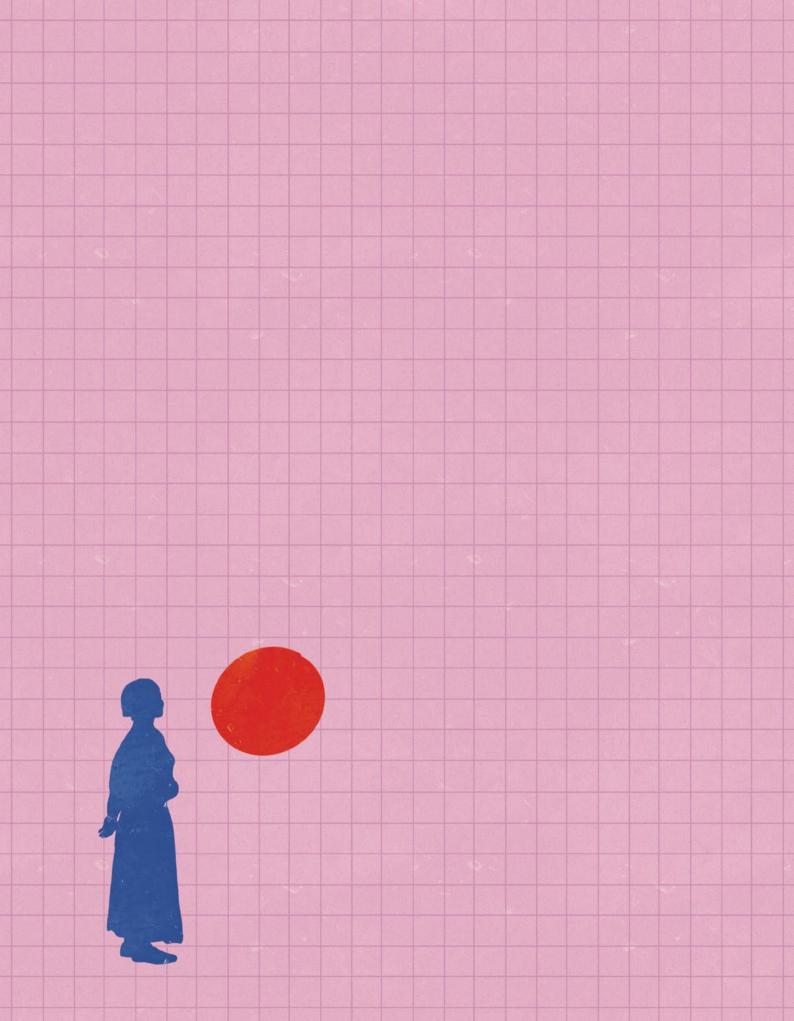


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SIDE PROJECTS



ANRI SALA "Dogs That Run After Formula One Cars" 4 colour photographs on dibond, Audio CD, 5 Taxi cards Size: 50 x 40 cm / 19'5 / 8 x 15'3 / 4 in each 2007 Courtesy: The artist and Hauser & Wirth, NYC, LA, London, Zurich

Gallery On The Move **"Taxi"**

Location: **Outdoor area of Yerevan Expo Center** Dates: **May 28-30**

TAXI is an ongoing site-specific project that takes place inside a taxi, for which each artist is invited to propose a sound piece to be played within the car. TAXI originates from Anri Sala's No Formula One No Cry, consisting of a soundtrack in which sounds of Formula One cars are heard along the barking of stray dogs.

All Shadows, Sergio Armaroli, Erik Bünger, Matteo Cremonesi, Maya Dikstein, Nico Dockx, Jakup Ferri, Manuela Garcia, Khaled Hafez, Orestis Mavroudis, Christopher Milne, Haroon Mirza, Bruno Muzzolini, Ferhat Özgür, Steve Piccolo, Damien Roach, Anri Sala, Bert Theis, Daniëlle Van Ark, Shingo Yoshida, Fani Zguro



REGINA JOSÉ GALINDO "Lucha"

Color, sound 4 min. 2002 Courtesy of the artist

Gallery On The Move "Stranger Than Kindness"

Screening

Location: Yerevan Expo Center Dates: May 28-30

"...Strange! It doesn't make sense! Just weird! Meaningless! Unrelevant.... These are statements that transform everything in doubt and difficulty, crisis of identity... This is just the milieu where the group exhibition "Stranger Than Kindness" tries to take place. OUT and IN, stranger/hard or impossible, kindness/ approved Or/Or in a contest of inevitable compromise..."

Regina José Galindo, Dora Garcia, Johan Grimonprez, Orestis Mavroudis, Bruno Muzzolini, Anri Sala, Shingo Yoshida, Fani Zguro

AAF PARTNER EXHIBITIONS



RAFFI YEDALIAN "Peace Consolidation" Size: 150 x 300 cm Acrylic on canvas 2022

"Asymmetrical Balance" **RAFFI YEDALIAN**

Location: AGBU, Armenia, 2/2 Melik-Adamyan Str. Dates: May 28 - June 11

Raffi Yedalian's solo exhibition is about the challenges of life and the psychological deconstruction of the human. "For Yedalian considers sculpture and painting two sides of the same coin.... Recently, he has also taken to incorporating clothes and other elements, like pieces of metal, in his acrylic and oil canvases... Leaving no technique or material untouched, from etching to found materials, he finds in all of them expressive potential, he believes, to "reflect hidden realities of mankind."

Excerpt from the article by Marie Tomb, Gallery Art Magazine, Issue#3, 2019



KATHARINA MADERTHANER "There Is No Place Like Home" Car tires, crocheted blankets, ceramics, lights, cable drums 2022

"There is No Place Like Home" KATHARINA MADERTHANER

Location: Dalan Art Gallery, 12 Abovyan str., 2nd floor Dates: May 26 - June 10

Katharina Maderthaner's recent works are often unexpected combinations of familiar objects. The project "There is no place like home" presented at the Dalan Art Gallery is inspired by the Armenian context, to which Katharina was introduced in 2016.

By juxtaposing seemingly incompatible objects defining "inside" and "outside",

Katharina gives them new life and meaning, while at the same time characterizing the inventive existence of the Armenian reality, covered with elements of kitch aesthetics. Curator: **Eva Khachatryan**

Project is realized in partnership and with support of Goethe-Zentrum Eriwan

TALKS

Location: Yerevan Expo Center Dates: May 28-30

"Focus on Round" Table discussion on the cultural sustainability and the role of the non-profit sector in developing regional and national art worlds. The Panellist – Jean Boghossian of the Boghossian Foundation, Nazareth Karoyan, founder and director of Armenian Institute for Contemporary Art, curator Bruno Corà

Art and Technology – NFT and the digitalization of art in both public and private spheres and its effect on developments in art. The panellists – the writer and curator Radesh Sidhu, art dealer Andreas Sandri and Marek Claassen Artfacts.net Director

"The Creative & Cultural Industries": The intangible economy as an untapped potential for Armenia" Anna K. Gargarian, Project Lead at the EU Funded AGBU Creative Accelerator Program

WORKSHOP

Location: Yerevan Expo Center Dates: May 28-30

"Meet the Gallerist" workshop with Sundaram Tagore, an art historian, gallerist, and award-winning filmmaker; Chang Tsong-Zung, curator, art director of Hanart T Z Gallery, Janet Rady, founder of Janet Redy Fine Art gallery in London and Dubai.

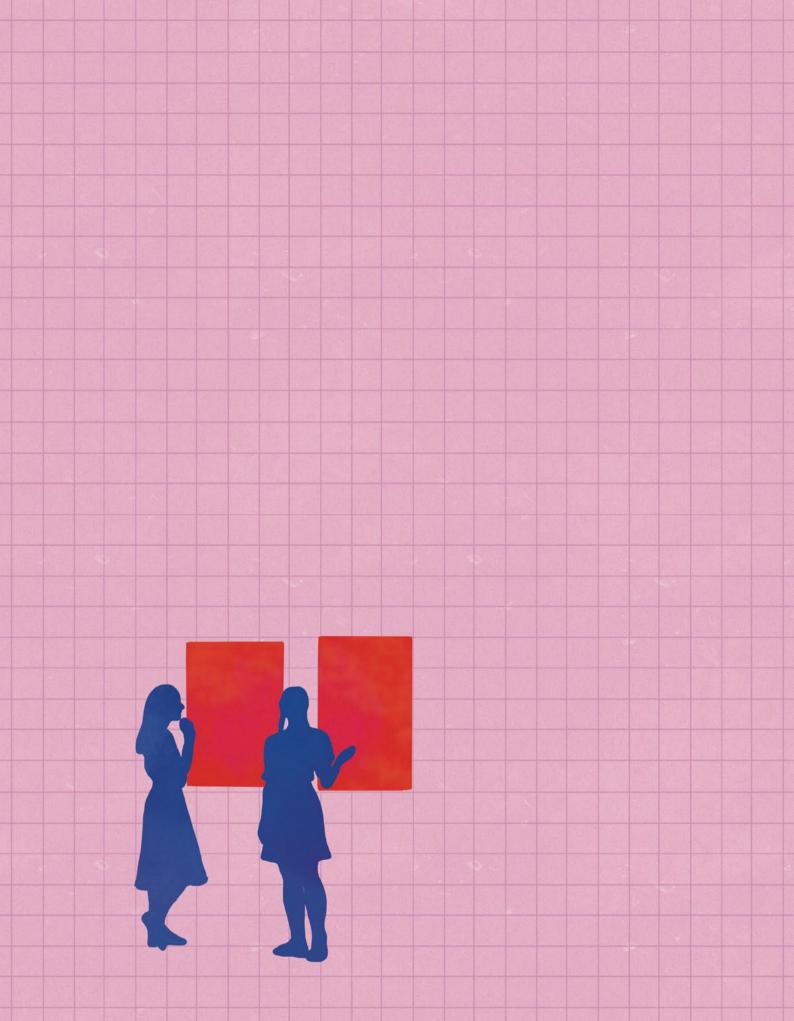
BOOK PRESENTATION

Location: Yerevan Expo Center Date: May 28

"A Pathway Through Modern and Contemporary Armenian Art" DR IAIN ROBERTSON, WITH CONTRIBUTION BY NAZARETH KAROYAN

By the **"Armenia Art Fair" Art Foundation** with support from the **Calouste Gulbenkian Foundation**

PROGRAM





Akanat Gallery (Armenia)

The official opening of the Akanat gallery was held on December 17, 2001. The name of the gallery comes from the noun akanat (or aknat), prevalent in some Armenian dialects. It refers to an opening in the common wall of two adjacent houses, through which neighbors maintain contact with one another and exchange goods. Throughout these years, many Armenian and international artists have been exhibited at Akanat. Akanat has cooperated frequently with the Utopiana organization of contemporary art (Switzerland-Armenia), the Institute of Contemporary Art (Yerevan), the Inknagir literary club (Yerevan) and other organizations. Since 2016, Akanat is active in the virtual domain.



HAMLET HOVSEPYAN "Untitled" Size: 58 x 43 cm 4 parts (1,2,3,4) Oil on paper

2000



AREVIK AREVSHATYAN "Distance" Size: 100 x 100 cm Oil on canvas 2021



ARMAN GRIGORYAN "Produce & Consume instead of making war" Size: 145 x 195 cm Oil on canvas 2021

Aramé Art Gallery (Armenia)

Aramé Art Gallery was founded in 2003 in Yerevan. The "Mashtots" branch of Aramé Art Gallery opened in 2012. Since its foundation, Aramé Art Gallery has been organizing many exhibitions and taking part in prestigious international art expos in the USA, Europe, Middle East, and Gulf countries. Apart from two galleries in Yerevan, Aramé Art Gallery also has very active two branches in Beirut, which are doing important work in the promotion of Armenian Art in the Middle East and Gulf countries.



SARKIS HAMALBASHIAN "Old Sanctuary" Size: 115 x 135 cm

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ARMEN GEVORGIAN "Emigration" Size: 114 x 146 cm

Oil on canvas 2022



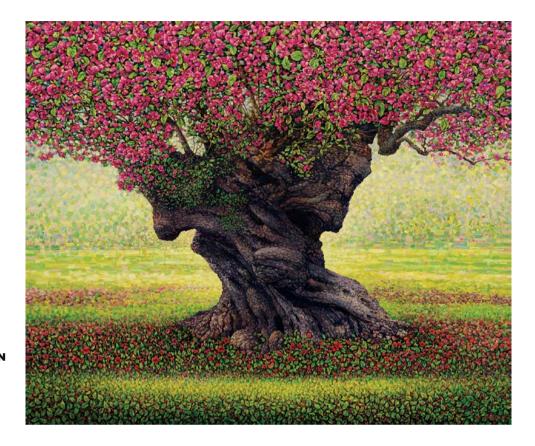
RUBEN GRIGORIAN "The Silent Ones" Size: 98 x 120 cm Oil on canvas

2021

Arame Art Gallery



DARON MOURADIAN "Pointless Duel" Size: 130 x 140 cm Oil on canvas 2022



MARAT MARGARIAN "The Power of Love" Size: 120 x 145 cm Oil on canvas 2022



TIGRAN MATULIAN "The Artist`s Muses" Size: 90 x 120 cm Oil on canvas 2022



ARTHUR SHARAFIAN "Elegia" Size: 115 x 92 cm Oil on canvas

2022

AVETIS KHACHATRIAN "The Way of our Life" Size: 120 x 200 cm Oil on canvas 2022



GALLERIES

Asr Art Gallery (Iran)

Asr is a contemporary art gallery based in Tehran. The gallery aims to host Iranian artists from different backgrounds each of whom apply their unique perspective on life onto their artistic practice.

We hope to introduce these artists and their work to an international art audience.

HANANE JALOU "Untitled, From (Realm of Absence) Collection" Size: 80 x 60 cm Acrylic and Oil Pastel on Canvas 2021

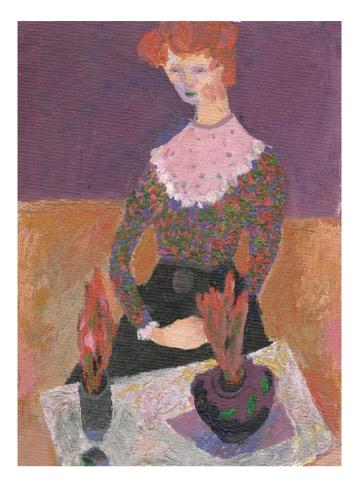




MINA GHAHREMAN "Untitled, From (Road Narrows on Left) Collection" Size: 45 x 35 cm Oil and Acrylic on Cardboard 2022

NARGES KHADEMI "Untitled"

Size: 21.5 x 15.5 cm Acrylic on Canvas 2020





MAHTA MOEINI "Untitled" Size: 20 x 20 cm Acrylic and Collage on Canvas 2022

Art Show Philippines (Philippines)

Art Show Philippines (ASP) is an artist-run gallery that aims to empower Filipino artists to exhibit globally. Since its inception in 2020, ASP has grown into a powerful multimedia platform with more than 3,000 exhibiting Filipino artists. ASP has more than 25,000 social media followers and held over 100 exhibits. Artists of all levels and from all regions in the Philippines are given a global audience through Art Show Philippines.



FRANCHESKO TOLENTINO "The Fall of Valhalla" Size: 61 x 61 cm Oil on Canvas 2022 **FREDERICK EPISTOLA "Anorexic Gold Digger"** Size: 36 x 13 x 13 cm Mixed Media Sculpture 2022



FREDERICK EPISTOLA "Listen to Silence" Size: 46 x 46 cm

Acrylic on Canvas 2022





KIKO MORAN "White Melt" Size: 38 x 38 cm Acrylic on Canvas

Acrylic ol 2022

Dalan Art Gallery (Armenia)

Since 2011, the Dalan Art Gallery in Yerevan has promoted the work of 26 talented contemporary artists of the post-Soviet period. These artists are given the space to exhibit in Yerevan, but are also given the opportunity to reach worldwide collectors, museums and galleries. What is striking in all their artworks is the constant struggle of these artists to understand their past in relation to today's world, and represent it through the means of visual arts. Dalan Art Gallery became one of the most busy and vivid art platforms in the city, exhibiting both established and emerging artists. Located in the heart of the city, it attracts not only local citizens, but tourists too. So, it is the most visited place, where during the year there are more than 30 exhibits, local and international, group and solo.



DIANA HAKOBYAN "Spring is Here" Size: 95 x 145 cm Oil on canvas 2015



DIANA HAKOBYAN "I Get Sunrise When I Want It" Size: 95 x 145 cm Oil on canvas 2016

KARINE MATSAKYAN

"Just Another Day" Size: 110 x 170 cm Oil on canvas 2005





ASHOT HARUTYUNYAN From the series "Memory Acumulations" Size: 48 x 43 x 42 cm Alumin, silver patina 2016



LILIT MIKOYAN From series "Borders" Size: 23 x 30 cm Cyanotype 2020

Armenian Artists Project (Armenia/USA)

Armenian Artists Project (AAP) is an 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization which supports Armenian artists through an online charitable art gallery (amenianartistsproject.org) by providing them with a platform to exhibit, promote and sell their original art to an international market. Every time a work is sold, the matching amount of what the artist receives is put aside to be allotted as charity in Armenia, to help rebuild schools, health centers, housing, community centers, water projects and infrastructure.



RUBEN KOCHAR "Love And The Moonlight" Size: 50 x 60 cm Oil on canvas

2020

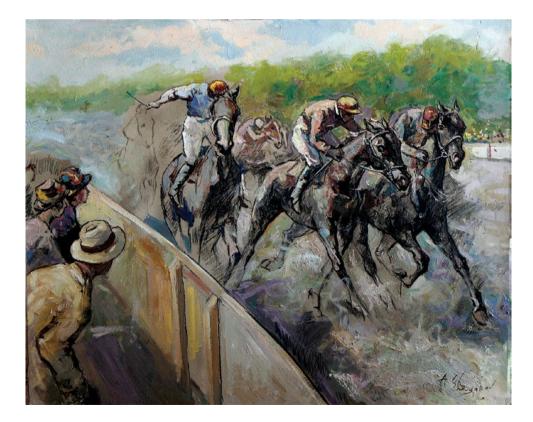


NUNE TUMANYAN **"To The Lord"** Size: 12 x 35 cm bronze, wood 1997



1992





SHUGAROV ANDREY "Finish"

Size: 95 x 75 cm Oil on cardboard 2020

Deep Kobalt Gallery (Armenia)

"Kobalt" virtual Gallery was founded in 1995. The main goal is to support Armenian women artists and to present their art on the Armenian stage as well as abroad. During these years we presented several actions, performances, installations and international exhibitions. "Kobalt" Gallery is the representative of the German art organization "Kobalt" in Armenia.



NAZIK ASLANYAN "The Nature #1" Size: 100 x 130 cm Mixed media, oil on canvas 2019



NAZIK ASLANYAN "The Flower #1" Size: 100 x 100 cm Mixed media, oil on canvas, 2019



ZARA MANUCHARYAN "Reflection of Heaven" Size: 40 x 50 Acril, silkscreen, mix media, canvas 2015 ZARA MANUCHARYAN "Passage to Future" Size: 150 x 130 cm Silkscreen, acryl, canvas 2015



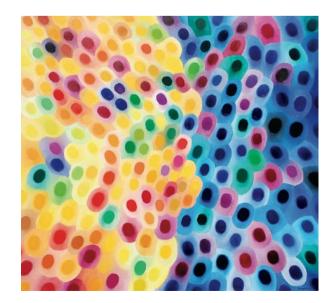
YEVGINE MARTIROSYAN

"Life # 9" Size: 135 x 140 cm Canvas, mix media 2017



YEVGINE MARTIROSYAN "Day and Night" Size: 110 x 120 cm

Oil on canvas 2015



Doppelzwei (Germany)

Doppelzwei was launched in Berlin in 2021 as a curatorial project without a specific location by an artist Soji Shimizu. This project will continue to hold thematic exhibitions on an irregular basis.



KAZUKI NAKAHARA "Untitled"

Size: 40.5 x 30.5 cm Graphite, ink, colored pencil on cloth 2021



LORCAN O'BYRNE "Untitled" Size: 50 x 70 cm Oil on canvas 2019

MICHAEL BROSCHMANN "Croissant" Size: 13.5 x 19 x 7 cm Modelling clay 2020



SOJI SHIMIZU "Untitled (Drive)" Size: 40 x 50 cm Oil on canvas 2022



MICHAEL HAZELL "Untitled" Size: 60 x 50 cm Oil on canvas 2021

REI MATSUSHIMA "Daily Routine" Size: 12 x 20 cm

Digital C-type print Edition_3 2014



Karoyan Gallery (Armenia)

KAROYAN Gallery is embracing the expansion of existing and new mediums.

Featuring contemporary art by emerging and established regional, national and international artists, this gallery exhibits works in a variety of mediums and is often at the forefront of challenging gallery norms.

KAROYAN Gallery has been founded on the principle of putting on exhibitions, performances, and events with an emphasis on borrowed space and a nomadic lifestyle while fostering relationships with collectors and institutions.



ACHOT ACHOT "Copi Bhava" Size: 19 x 15.4 cm Paper, pencil 2019



ACHOT ACHOT "Nama Krishna" Size: 30 x 24 cm Paper, pencil 2019

ACHOT ACHOT, "Vipralamba-Prema" Size: 19 x 15.4 cm Paper, pencil

2019



ACHOT ACHOT "Harinama Chintamani" Size: 19 x 15.4 cm Paper, pencil 2019







Visual Gap Gallery (Armenia)

The mission of Visual Gap Gallery-silk screen printing studio is to print limited editions of fine art prints, and also promote development of fine art printing, including posters, postcards in Armenia. The organization of festivals and the involvement of the young generation with contemporary techniques (grafiti, stencil art), development of the idea of archiving and founding an appropriate place to store print editions.





MARY MOON "The Kond Island" Size: 45.5 x 61 cm Silkscreen print 2021

DIANA HAKOBYAN "Jump" 5 (more further) Size: 45.5 x 61 cm Silkscreen print 2022



KARINE MATSAKYAN

"Rout" Size: 45.5 x 61 cm Silkscreen print 2022

GARIK KARAPETYAN "Ե98Է41ԱԳ5"

Size: 61 x 45.5 cm Silkscreen print (2) Limited edition 1/3 2021





JOANNA KAMBOURIAN "The Rug Merchants Daughters" Size: 48 x 33 cm Archival digital print, with screenprinted elements in black and gloss varnish 2020

Kashkan gallery (Iran)

The Kashkan Gallery was established in 2020 amidst the global pandemic. This unique art gallery is based in Tehran Iran and Dubai UAE. It provides an unprecedented cultural perspective on Iranian artists and their art works. The Iranian art scene has been gaining globally popularity over the last few years. The Kashkan gallery represents the epitome of established and emerging artists, by providing a global platform to showcase the artists work through international art exhibitions, galleries and forums. The Kashkan gallery actively provides a platform to encourage a creative dialogue that will help unite the art world and build a community that will promote the Iranian art and its artists. Future initiatives for the Kashkan gallery will include an education program to train and develop young upcoming artists on their artistic skills. It will also provide resources to support their future projects.



GHAZAL MARVI (1) "We know, yet we don't know" Size: 175 x 135 cm Acrylic on canvas 2021



NEGAR ORANG "Untitled" Size: 100 X 150 cm Acrylics on canvas 2021



ZARTOSHT RAHIMI (1) "New World Rules" Size: 50 x 70 cm Acrylic on canvas 2022



ZARTOSHT RAHIMI (2) "Suspended future"

Size: 50 x 70 cm Acrylic on canvas 2022

Neolocal Gallery (Armenia)

The gallery aims to present local contemporary art and artists working with different medias to as large audience as possible. We hope that we can make contemporary art more accessible for different levels of society and we believe that art creates great possibilities for every individual to educate and to develop.



SONA ABGARYAN "White Forest"

Size: 29.7 x 42 cm Digital art, limited edition (1 of 5) print 2016



DAVID KAREYAN "Untitled" Size: 95 x 145 cm Oil on canvas

2006



DIANA HAKOBYAN "2020" Size: 120 x 180 cm Oil on canvas

2020



ARTHUR SARKISSIAN "At the Station"

Size: 80 x 100 cm Oil on canvas 2004

no/mad utopia (Lebanon)

Showcasing a range of contemporary creations hailing from the Middle East, no/mad utopia is a platform dedicated to a generation questioning the meaning of history, the construction of identities, socio-political frontiers, and the unwritten norms embedded within given societies. Being an itinerant space for committed poetic expression, no/mad utopia provides a reflective stage-beyond-borders on which contemporary regional aspirations are put in dialogue with issues of global scale.



JOHANNE ALLARD Bomblet (Lebanon) Size: 30 x 23 cm Embroidery on Shizen Rag Paper 200 g 2022



JOHANNE ALLARD Circling Drones (Iraq)

Size: 30 x 23 cm Embroidery on Shizen Rag Paper 200 g 2022



JACQUES VARTABEDIAN Motherland is Waiting for you Size: 182 x 205 cm Acrylic on canvas 2017



JACQUES VARTABEDIAN Screenshots 2 Size: 150 x 210 cm Acrylic on canvas 2021

QODE Art Space (Jordan)

QODE isn't just about art; it's about working on displaying the art of the middle east in a new way. Founded in 2019, QODE is a Jordan-based art space investing in and working with some of the Middle East's most talented emerging artists to provide a platform for their growth and development. Art is a story! Our goal is for the artists we represent to enter the consciousness of art lovers, creative and audiences in cities worldwide. In addition, we want people to feel a relationship with the artists we work with and the exhibitions we set.

ALAA SHARABI "Fragments" Size: 150 x 150 cm Mixed media on canvas 2018



SHAHED JAMHOUR "Henn" Size: 15 x 30 x 20 cm (small one) Wood, Iron 2022

"Falak"

Size: 35 x 35 x 40 cm (big one) Wood, Iron 2022





SALAHEDDIN ALQAWASMI "Hold your Horses" Size: 90 x 130 cm Oil on canvas

Oil on canvas 2021

MATTAR ODEH

"Hate Love" Size: 60 x 60 cm Mixed media on canvas, 2021





SERWAN BARAN "Untitled" Size: 87 x 60 x 3 cm Mixed media on canvas 2016

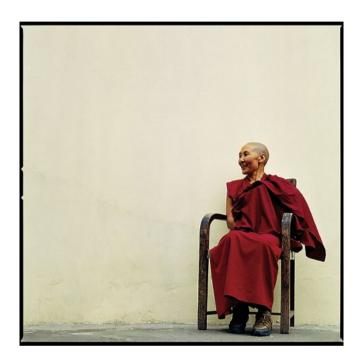


SERWAN BARAN "Untitled" 87 x 60 x 3 cm Mixed media on canvas 2016

Saye Art Gallery (Iran)

Saye Art Gallery, that was established in 2014 by Babak Baharestani in Tehran, has played an important role in introducing contemporary Iranian artists to International art scene. This Gallery, focusing on contemporary art and new media, has held various cultural events and exhibitions in Iran and other countries.

Our previous successful Art Fair experience and professional team of AAF, led us this year, to introduce eight prominent Iranian artists, of Saye Art Gallery artists.



HANI NAJM "Tea and People" Size: 40 x 40 cm Acrylic on Teabags 2019



ALI DAGHIGH "India"

Size: 35 x 35 cm Kodak Printed on Fine Art Paper Edition: 4/10 2014

ELHAM

GHORBANISHAD "Woman without number" Size: 50 x 60 cm

Mixed media on Canvas 2016





SARA RASHIDI "MaNifestation of A Dream Transformed" Size: 50 x 70 cm

Photo Manipulation Printed on Fine Art Paper Edition: 1/5 2020

Hamazkayin "Lucy Tutunjian" Art Gallery

(Lebanon)

The Hamazkayin "Lucy Tutunjian" Art Gallery was founded in 2009 in Lebanon. With the opening of this Art Gallery, the Hamazkayin Armenian Educational and Cultural Society aimed at achieving the following goals:

- Promote high-quality artistic creations in the community.
- Organize exhibitions of works by artists with diverse ethnic and cultural background
- Promote the works of promising young artists.
- Acquaint the public in Lebanon with successful painters, photographers, sculptors, and other artists from Armenia and the Armenian Diaspora.



CHASSAN OUAIS "In Between" Size: 100 x 97 cm Acrylic on canvas 2021



GHASSAN OUAIS "Beautiful Day" Size: 150 x 150 cm Acrylic on canvas 2021



STEPHANY SANOSSIAN "Nostalgia with Modern Twist"

1 board size: 23 x 84 cm Quantity: 8 pieces, 4/10 2021



RITA HASSOUANY "Get Out of My Head" Size: 10 x 10 cm Resine 2022

Esquisse Gallery (Armenia)

Esquisse Gallery was founded by art collector Zara Mazmanian in mid 2009. The gallery aims to serve as a conduit, for international contemporary art scenes. It showcases the work of established international artists in Armenia and abroad as well as dedicates itself to nurturing emerging Armenian artists abroad in order for them to achieve international recognition. The gallery already has a strong network of internationally recognized artists whose work is hung in museums as well as in private and public collections worldwide. It aims to become a supporter and point of reference for regional trends in contemporary art practice through its commitment in promoting magnificent contemporary art pieces.

MKRTICH MAZMANIAN "Mirage" Size: 70 x 25 x 10 cm Bronze 2010

MKRTICH MAZMANIAN "Salome" Size: 135 x 100 x 40 cm Bronze 2022







MKRTICH MAZMANIAN "Portraits" Size: 55 x 40 x 40 cm Gypsum 1996



The LT Gallery (Lebanon)

The LT Gallery is a contemporary art platform that features exclusive works by renowned and emerging talents and connects art enthusiasts of all ages and backgrounds through interactive concepts and exhibitions. Consisting of a physical space and virtual gallery (our website that's under construction and Artsy.net page), the platform helps connect the audience to the heart of Lebanon's contemporary art scene and instigate conversation through artistic exchange with an aim to stir local and international cultural impact.



FATIMA MORTADA "Immortal Queens I" Size: 1_8 - 26.5 x 16.5 x 14 cm Bronze Sculpture 2022

TAHER JAOU "Orange Octopus" Size: 180 x 160 cm Mixed Media on Canvas 2022









MANSOUR EL HABRE "Untitled" Size: 36 x 30 cm Mixed Media on Paper 2020



SIMON MHANNA "Untitled"

Size: 149.8 x 99.5 cm Mixed Media on Canvas 2021

MANSOUR EL HABRE "Untitled"

Size: 40 x 30 cm Mixed Media on Paper 2020



The Main Art Gallery (Armenia)

Founded in 2022 The Main Art Gallery specializes in modern and contemporary art, such as painting, sculpture, printmaking, drawing, decorative arts, photography. Stated purpose is the promotion of the main trends and movements of our contemporary culture.



KAREN OHANYAN "Untitled" Size: 147 x 195 cm Oil on canvas 2015



KAREN OHANYAN "Untitled"

Size: 149 x 220 cm Oil on canvas 2018



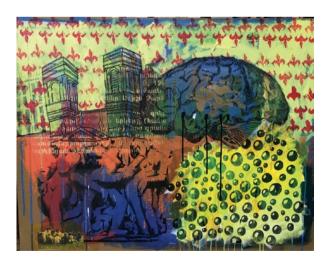
TIGRANUHI MARTIROSYAN

"Blue Envy" Size: 145 x 220 cm Acylic on canvas 2020



TIGRANUHI MARTIROSYAN "Ballet"

Size: 73 x 67 cm Oil on paper 2009



VAHAGN HAMALBASHYAN "The Temple of love" Size: 70 x 90 cm Acylic on canvas 2022



VAHAGN HAMALBASHYAN "The Temple of Work" Size: 70 x 90 cm Acylic on canvas 2022

AAF Project Room (Armenia)

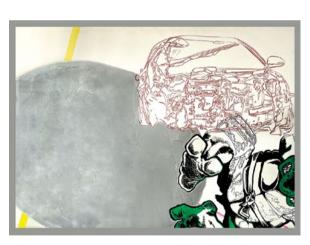
Grigor Simonyan (b. 1998, Yerevan, Armenia) is a multidisciplinary artist. He graduated from Panos Terlemezyan State College of Fine Arts in 2017 (Traditional Arts) and in 2020 graduated from State Academy of Fine Art of Armenia (Printmaking). He participated at the following exhibitions: "TOMORROW" exhibition at the Cafesjian Center for the Arts, "Colors of Liberty" AGBU Armenia, Annual Festival of Alternative Art at ACCEA/NPAK, Artist-run Yerevan Biennale "Chaosmic Spasm" at Hay Art Cultural Centre, "Right here, right now" Ayrarat, "Listening to Imagine" exhibition at Dal n Art Gallery. In 2019 he had a solo exhibition at Dalan Art Gallery, Yerevan.

Milena Adamyan is an Armenian visual artist and printmaker, currently living and working in Yerevan where she attended Armenian State Academy of Fine Arts, achieving a BA in Graphics. In her practice, since 2015, she specializes in different kind of printing techniques as monotype, linocut, silk-screen, etching etc. Apart from that, she works on multidisciplinary art through photography, installations, video art and drawings. Recently she participated in the "TOMORROW" exhibition at the Cafesjian Center for the Arts, Annual Festival of Alternative Art at ACCEA/NPAK, Second International print biennale, Artist-run Yerevan Biennale, The "Listening to Imagine" exhibition at Dal n Art Gallery.

Narek Hakobyan is an artist based in Yerevan, Armenia (born in 1995). He studied painting at the State Academy of Fine Arts of Armenia (Bachelor). Now he is continuing his studies in the master's program of the same department. Along with his academic studies he participated at various educational projects initiated by ArtLab Yerevan and EU Participation School, where he studied contemporary art and activism. He took part at such exhibitions like "Tomorrow", Cafesjian Center for the Arts, "Future scenarios: Forget What You Know Start to Dream", ArtLab Yerevan, "The Old & The New", NewArtStage, "Right here, right now", Alteration festival, "Annual Festival of Alternative Art" ACCEA/NPAK, "From Armenia with love", HAYP, "Shame and Jealousy imposing Art" ACCEA/NPAK and "Freedom Through Art", Yerevan State Conservatory.



GRIGOR SIMONYAN "Untitled" Size: 200 x 150 cm Mixed media



CRIGOR SIMONYAN "Untitled" Size: 300 x 200 cm Mixed media 2019

2019

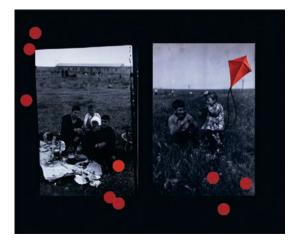


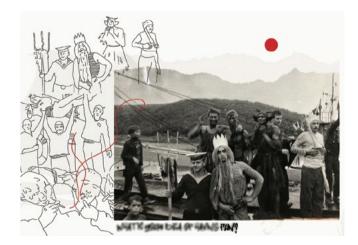
NAREK HAKOBYAN "Tomato Perspective" Size: 160 x 110 cm Acryl on canvas 2021



NAREK HAKOBYAN "Smart Farm" Size: 160 x 110 cm Acryl on canvas 2022

MILENA ADAMYAN "WORK WITH ARCHIVES" series, HOW NOT TO REPEAT YOUR MOTHER'S MISTAKES Photo collage 2 2021 MILENA ADAMYAN "WORK WITH ARCHIVES" series, HOW NOT TO REPEAT YOUR MOTHER'S MISTAKES Photo collage 3 2021





VARBO ART (Czech Republic)

The VARBO ART gallery from Prague specializes in modern and contemporary art. With an extensive collection of paintings, sculpture, decorative arts, photographs, prints, drawings and rare edition books on permanent display, VARBO ART offers a full spectrum of special exhibitions and programs.



BUI HUU HUNG (1957) "The Mandarin Family" Size: 122 x 244 cm Lacqueed Panels 2007



JEAN MIOTTE (FRENCH, 1926-2016) "Composition" Size: 24.5 x 37 cm Acrylique on paper



CLAUDE WEISBUCH (FRENCH, 1927-2014) "Reading" Size: 38 x 49 cm Oil on canvas



CLAUDE WEISBUCH (FRENCH, 1927-2014) "Chess Players" Size: 38 x 49 cm Oil on canvas







JOSEF SIMA (CZECH, FRENCH, 1891-1971) "Paysage"

Size: 37 x 26 cm Aquarelle, gouache and pastel on paper 1959

SERGE MENDJISKY (FRENCH, 1929-2017) "Flowers" Size: 46 x 61 cm Oil on canvas



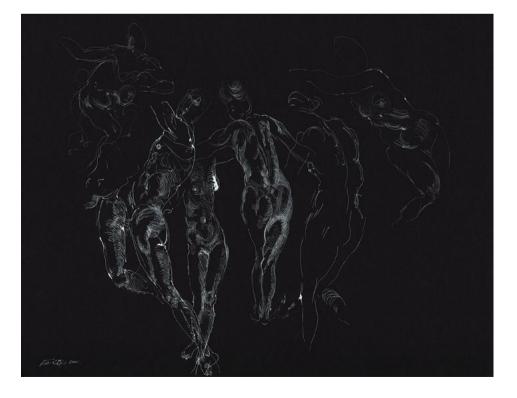


ALEXANDER BAZHBEUK-MELIKYAN (1891-1966) "Composition of two young women" Size: 46 x 33 cm Oil on canvas

1963

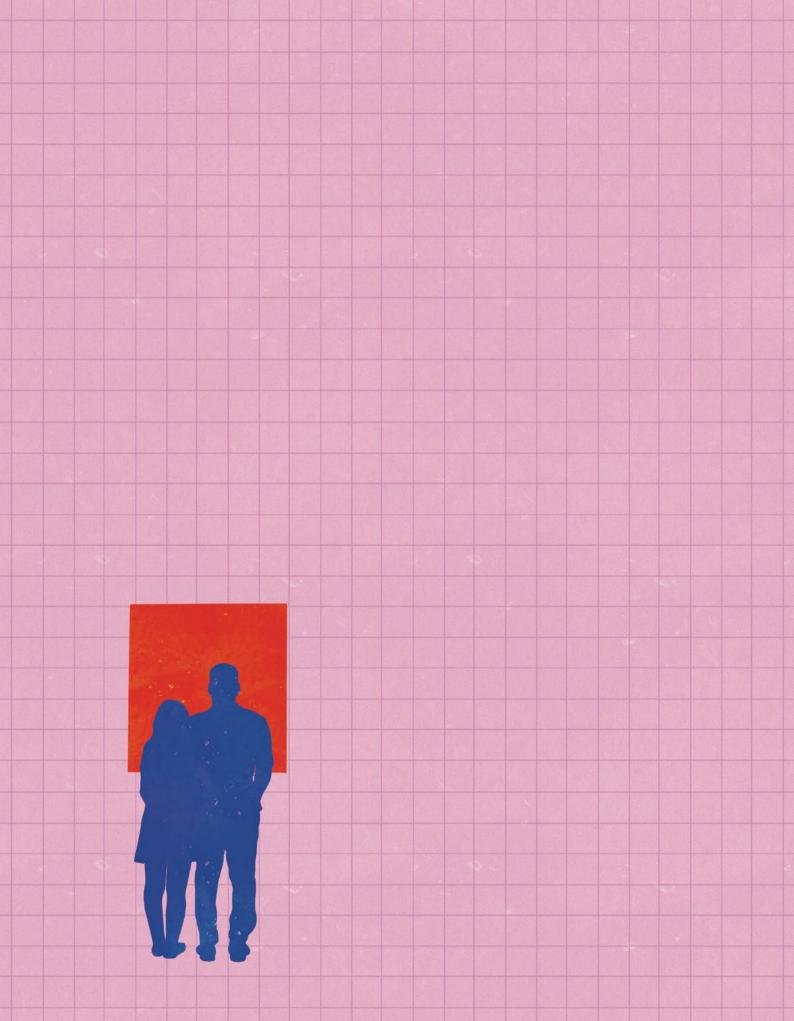


FELIX YEGHIAZARYAN (1947-2014) "Conversation" Size: 70 x 90 cm Oil on canvas 2010



FELIX YEGHIAZARYAN (1947-2014) "Without Title" Size: 50 x 65 cm White ink on paper 2010

GALLERIES



REPRESENTATION

Curator Iren Barseghyan Art project Female Talks (Armenia)

Female Talks is the collaborative art project of three different female artists, which represents the idea of the different embodiments of the woman in art. Artists deal with their artworks as a vehicle of the feelings trying to convey the inner emotional content associated with the feminine and affinity to nature. Every art composition of this project is the silent dialog between artist and artwork by the language of art making.



LILIT BACHACH "Carpet"

(inspired by Tufenkian rugs) Size: 90 x 70 cm Acrylic on hardboard 2019



SHARIS GARABEDIAN "Imprint from Noah's Arc" Size: 45 x 19 cm Painted obsidian / sculpture 2018



LUSINE BAGHDASARYAN "Hydrangea" Size: 70 x 90 cm

Acrylic on hardboard 2018

Curator Ara Haytayan (Armenia)

The artists presented at AAF have had many years of creative experience together. Graphic designer Zack Demirtshyan, along with sculptors Ashot Gorgyan and Sargis Babayan have common approaches in the field of art: both in concept and content. All three are part of urban life. Representing the modern tech lifestyle they are consistently pursuing problems in the field of art related to humans and living creatures, nature, their connection and rupture, unity, or eternal collision. Each of them uses various experimental materials, means of expression, and pictorial or volumetric languages.

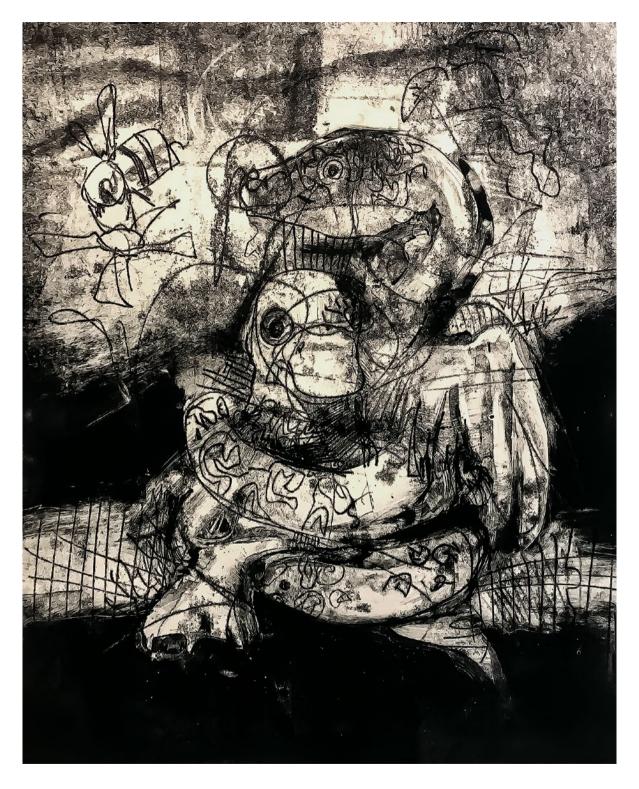
SARGIS BABAYAN "11th Day" Size: 52 x 15 x 5 cm bronze 2020





ASHOT GEVORGYAN "Abduction of Europa"

Size: 12 x 22 x 22 cm bronze 2021



ZACK DEMIRTSHYAN "Intoxication2"

Size: 50 x 70 cm ink on paper, monotype 2021

Curator Hakob Vardanyan (Armenia)

Hakob Vardanyan is an independent art curator who cooperates with art companies, galleries and artists. He presents unique and talented Armenian artists and their works.



HAKOB VARDANYAN "Vita Bronze" Size: 35 x 23 x 35 cm Murano glass, stone 2021 GUY GHAZANCHYAN "Witness"

Size: 50 x 60 cm Oil on canvas 2021



HAYDUK SMBATYAN "Unknown" Size: 29,5 x 28,4 cm

Paper, mixed technique 2021





SEYRAN SOGHOMONYAN "Chains" Size: 50 x 70 cm Oil on canvas 2022



ARAM YENGIBARYAN "Still life" Size: 95 x 85 cm Oil on canvas 2020

Curator Lia Mkhitaryan (Armenia)

The exposition showcases the celebration of life and love in times of massive emotional turbulence. Juxtaposing vivid colors and clean tones unveil the cathartic joy of human existence in troubled times. The color palettes, emotional expressiveness and compositional dynamics exemplify the peaceful yet vigorous energy prevailing in the artworks.



HAMAZASP MKHITARYAN "The Woman"

Size: 100 x 100 cm oil on canvas 2019

HAMAZASP MKHITARYAN "The Abduction of Europa"

Size: 90 x 100 cm Oil on canvas 2019





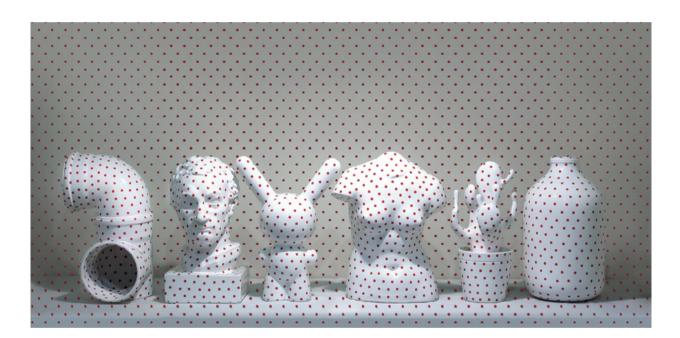
ANUSH BABAJANYAN "Mets Tagher village" Size: 60 x 40 cm archival photo paper 2020



ANUSH BABAJANYAN "Berry picking in Shushi" Size: 60 x 40 cm archival photo paper 2017

Curator Nairi Khatchadourian -AHA collective (Armenia)

AHA collective presents works by Yerevan-based visual artists Anush Ghukasyan and Ani Qananyan under the curation of Nairi Khatchadourian. Both artists invest the fragile yet long-lasting medium of ceramics to explore the notion of crisis, on a personal, collective, and global level. By playfully and critically obscuring the individual identities of each object through polka dot patterns, Ghukasyan's "Imprints" installation highlights the global pressures of assimilation and acculturation experiences. Qananyan's "16" series and "2020" artwork confront the audience with the intimacy of the grieving process through a tactile introspection close to the original paper-pen rawness and sensitivity to be as close to the fragility of life as possible.



ANUSH GHUKASYAN "Imprints" Clay, glaze, silk print, overglaze decals 2019-2022



ANI QANANYAN

"16-1" Clay, glaze 2020 By a constraining the state of the state of

ANI QANANYAN "16-2" Clay, glaze 2021



ANI QANANYAN "16-3" Clay, glaze 2022

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ANI QANANYAN "2020" Clay, pigment 2020

Curator Ovsanna Karamyan (Armenia)

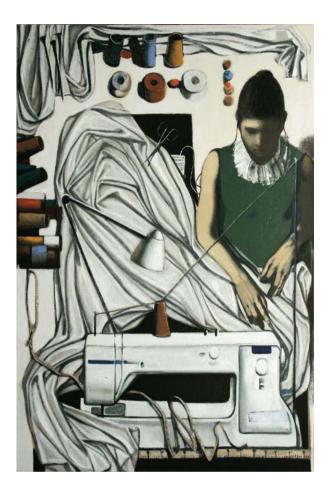
Two artists – Aram Isabekyan, Arthur Hovhannisyan who represent the same period of time and have different perceptions and views regarding content and form, endowed with a high artistic style of performance, are presented on the same platform. This experience is a unique attempt to bring together the multifaceted layers of the perception of time, which can reveal really new perceptions of time, new stories... This exhibition is called upon to present the mighty power of the art through the modern language of fine art, which is capable of bringing the boundless imagination to the frontier of reality. The more diverse the works of the artists of recent years in the context of their style of performance, the closer they are in terms of providing a person with the opportunity to soar in an invisible temporal space.



ARAM ISABEKYAN "Evening in the Garden" Size: 28 x 35 cm Oil on cardboard 2022



ARAM ISABEKYAN "Ode to Van Gogh" Size: 21 x 29.5 cm Oil on cardboard 2020



ARTHUR HOVHANNISYAN "Atelier" Size: 120 x 80 cm

Oil on canvas 2020



ARTHUR HOVHANNISYAN "Xerox, Print, Scan" Size: 120 x 80 cm Oil on canvas 2021



ARTHUR HOVHANNISYAN "Sunrise. Red roofs"

Size: 48 x 100 cm Oil on canvas 2020

Curator Yana Tsikhotskaya (Russia)

A representation of art works made by the 4 artists, who are coming out from the CIS countries, now live and work in New York, Dubai and Moscow. The art works are united by the common theme of human (as homo) with their own unique perception of the today's normality, struggles and thrives for self-acceptance or self-destruction, self-embodiment and self-preservation. Both young and named artists are expressing their findings through the mixture of media raising such fundamental themes as beauty, time and matter, inner and outer, life and death.



DARIA SEMENOVA "Lets Pray" Size: 100 x 80 cm Photo emulsion, canvas 2020 **OLEG KOSTYUCHENKO "Return Visit" Video** 03:55 2021



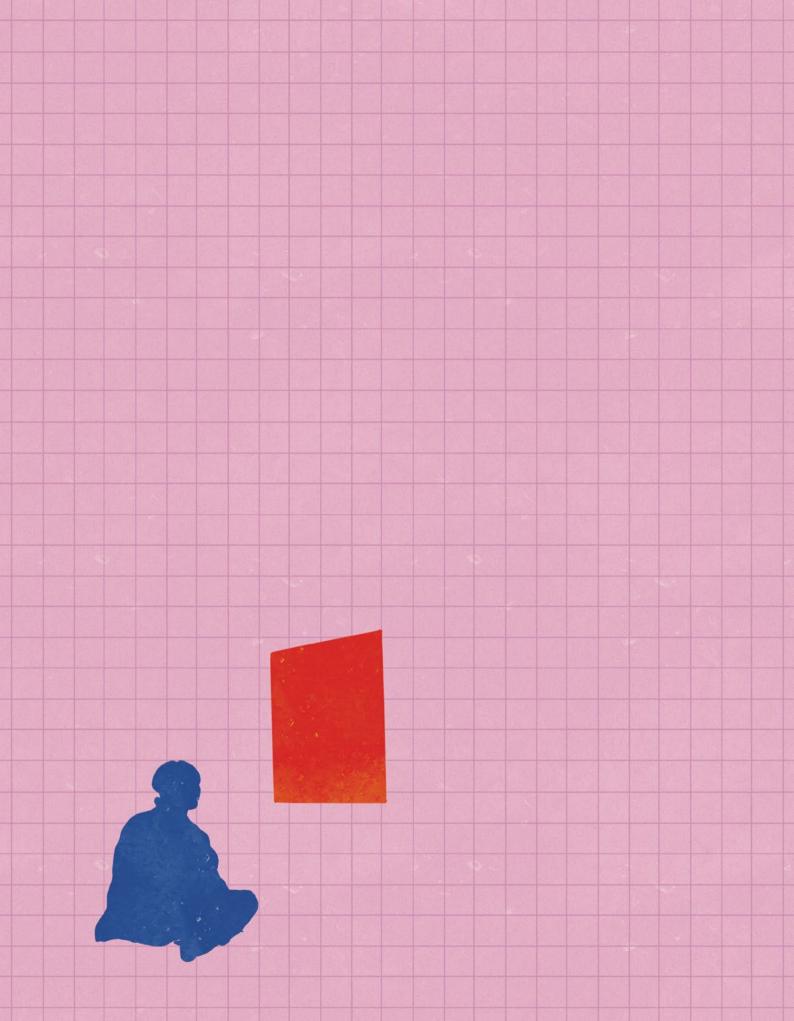


YANA TSI "FOLDS #1" Size: 40 x 40 cm Digital Print on foam board 2021



KATYA ALISEVICH NIKOLSKAYA "POISONED #6"

Size: 6 x 5 cm Clay, silicone, acrylic Paint 2020



OPEN SPACE

Open Space takes a new approach every year. The last edition was online, due to the pandemic and the impossibility of exhibiting in the physical space. This year being focused on installation art we used also an outdoor area of Mergelyan Institute and Yerevan Expo, to present installation projects related to the space, history and context of the Mergelyan Institute.

Participating artists are Katharina Maderthaner, Rebecca Konforti, Romain Ruiz Pacouret and Megan Young.



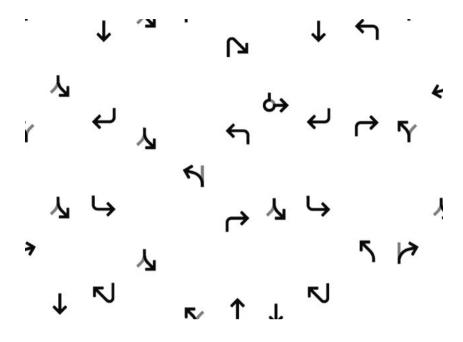
MEGAN YOUNG "Full Stop"

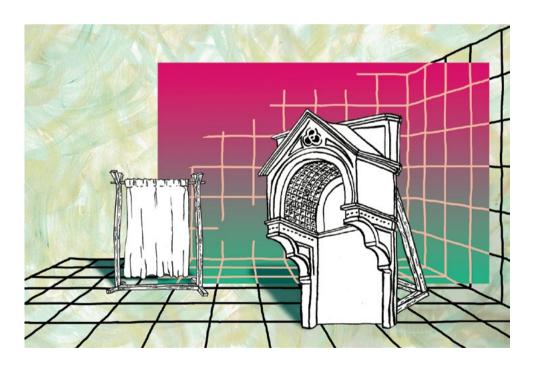
Semi-autonomous drone, construction materials, and original audio 2022 This participatory installation considers our individual and communal relationships to power and systems of control. It complicates a youthful strategy game, often credited for instilling self regulation, by positing a drone as the game leader. Participants advance or freeze along a designated route within the courtyard of the Yerevan Computer Research Development Institute (YCRDI), leading up to the Yerevan EXPO Center. The gesture reflects the meticulous labors of scientific research even as it calls for caution in the deployment of advanced technologies.

KATHARINA MADERTHANER Videostill of the installation "Transit"

Various materials, Video 2022

Cloud. movement. laid down. signs. horizontal. distance. structure. outside. accumulation. navigation. tires. repetition. contact. flow. standstill. far. codes. volatile. module. fast. mobility. fabrics. slow. loop. route. inside. rhythm. near. stacking. ornament. fog. direction. soft. rotation. perpendicular. dimensions. time. (in)direct. blurred. waterfall. system. light. smoke. transit.



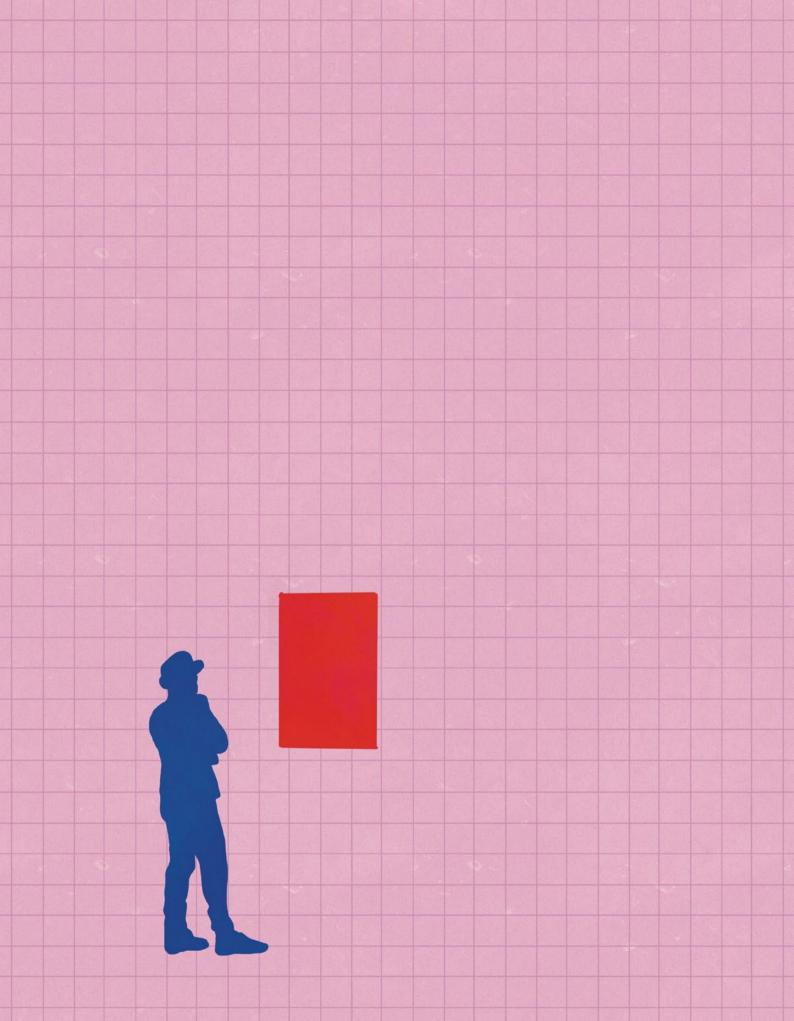


REBECCA KONFORTI & ROMAIN RUIZ PACOURET "Meta"

Mixed media on wood and paper 2022

On the occasion of the Armenia art Fair 2022 the duo iconosphere composed of Rebecca Konforti and Romain Ruiz Pacouret is interested in the notion of Metaverse, a virtual universe made of multiple digital worlds.

The artists imagine paintings and drawings on wood, paper and fabric structures as parcels of the metaverse integrated in the real world. This work questions art, computer science and our relationship to reality.



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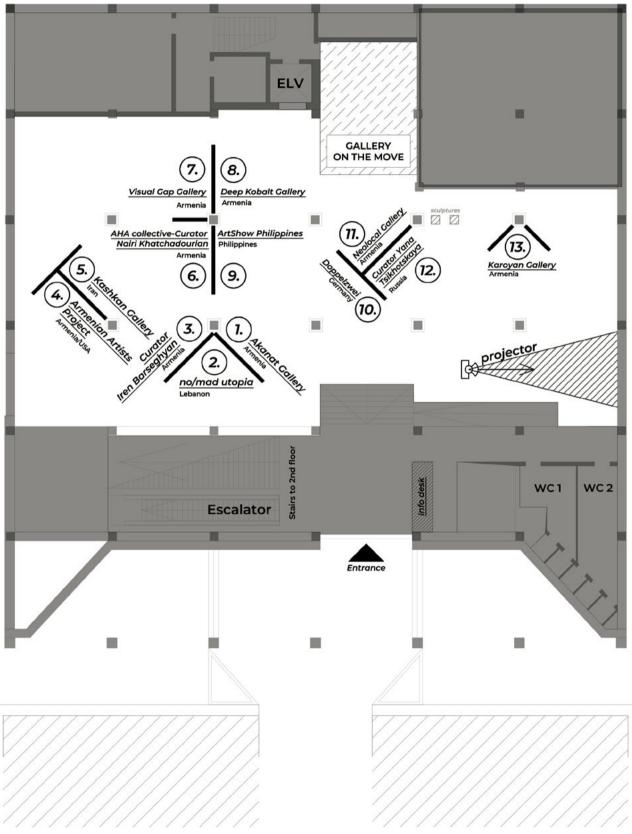
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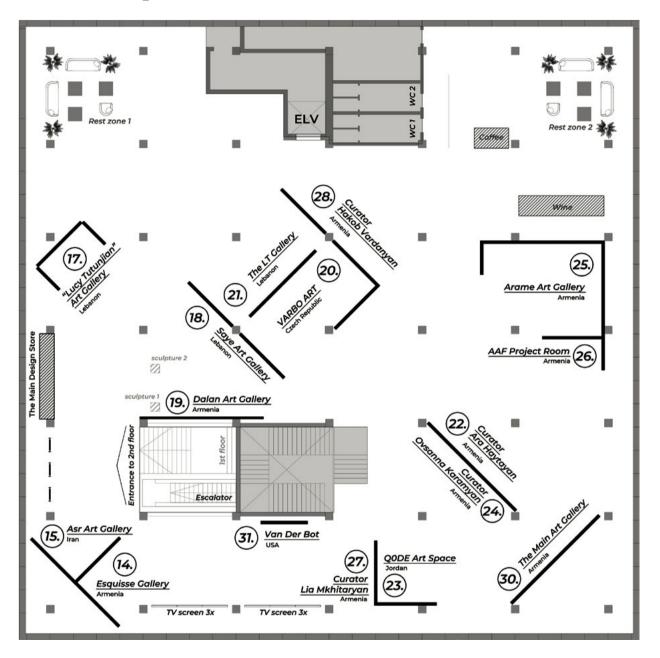
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