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Shima Faridani

### CV

Born in 1982, Iran

#### Education

2008 BA in painting, Islamic Azad University Art and Architecture, Tehran, Iran

#### Selected Solo Exhibitions

2024 Interplay, SARAI Gallery, Tehran, Iran  
2022 Distances and Links, SARAI Gallery, Bandar-e Mahshahr, Iran  
2019 Duet with the Chromatic Partitor, Shirin Gallery, Tehran, Iran  
2012 Chair, Gallery 1, Uppsala, Sweden  
2011 Domestic Animal, Elahe Gallery Tehran, Iran  
2009 Biting Breeze, Elahe Gallery, Tehran, Iran

#### Selected Group Exhibitions

2021 khor online Exhibition on SARAI Gallery's Website and Artsy Viewing Rooms  
2020 Group Exhibition, Shirin Gallery, Tehran, Iran  
2020 Illusionism, Virtualism and Surrealism in Iran Contemporary Art, Shirin Gallery, Tehran, Iran  
2020 REVERIES, Jardin Persan Gallery, Paris, France  
2017 Trends and Approaches in Contemporary Art: 2nd edition, Pardis-e Mellat Gallery, Tehran, Iran  
2016 The Mine, Dubai, UAE  
2015 Contemporary Art Fair, Ato International Convention and Center, Congressium, Ankara, Turkey  
2013 Grenenkunst museum (Grenen Art Museum), Gallery Rasmus, Skagen, Denmark  
2012 The Festival of Six Weeks of Iranian Art, Toronto, Canada  
2012 Vintersalong, Väsbykonsthalls,2, UpplandsVäsby, Sweden  
2012 Ankomst 2012 nyinvaldaMedlemmar (konstnärshuset), StoraGalleriet, Stockholm, Sweden  
2012 Group Exhibition, Uppsalakonstnärsklubb Å-Huset Gallery, Uppsala, Sweden

#### Art Fairs

2024 Art Dubai  
2023 Untitled Art Miami Beach  
2022 ART BUSAN  
2022 Kiaf PLU

#### Awards

2019 Second Prize winner in "A study of the Evolution of Contemporary Iranian art", Freya Espinas Art Gallery, Tehran, Iran  
2012 Selected in "5th Beijing International Art Biennale", The national art museum of China, Beijing, China  
2009 Third Winner of "Montakhab-e Nasl-e No" competition, Mellat Gallery, Tehran, Iran  
2009 Second Prize winner in the Painting section of "The International Young Artists Competition", the University of Westminster, London, England  
2008 The Winner of the first "International Fajr Festival", Museum of Contemporary Arts, Tehran, Iran

#### Professional Experience

2011–2013 Member of Uppsala konstnärsklubb (Art Club), Uppsala, Sweden  
2011–2012 Konstnärshuset (Svenskakonstnärsförening) House of Artists (Swedish Artists' Association), Stockholm, Sweden



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