

MOHAMMED JOHA

B. 1978 in Gaza, Palestine

Mohammed Joha currently lives and works between France and Italy. He graduated in Art Education from Al-Aqsa University in Gaza in 2003. This same year he participated in a workshop residency in Darat Al Funun, Khalid Shoman Foundation in Amman Jordan, supervised by artist Marwan Kassab Bacchi. In 2004, he won the AM Qattan Foundation's *Hassan Al Hourani Young Artist Award* and was selected as their Artist of the Year. Joha was subsequently an artist-in-residence at the Cité Internationale des Arts in Paris in both 2005 and 2008.

EDUCATION

BA Art Education, Al-Aqsa University, Gaza, Palestine (2003)

Storyboard, Illustration, Tamer Institute for Community Education, Gaza, Palestine (2001-3)

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

Fabric Of Memory, Tabari Artspace, Dubai, UAE (2019)

Joha - The Journey, Rich Mix Gallery, curated by Arts Canteen, London, UK (2016)

Inside x Outside, Artspace Hamra, Beirut, Lebanon (2016)

Traces and Revelation, Oriental Museum, Durham University, curated by Arts Canteen, UK (2016)

The Jasmine and Bread Revolution, Courtyard Gallery, Dubai, UAE (2012)

Dream in Black and White, The Mosaic Room & AM Qattan Foundation, London, UK (2011)

All that is Unknown, Al Ma'mal Foundation for Contemporary Arts, Jerusalem, Palestine (2011)

Art Behind the News, EineWeltHaus, Munich, Germany (2008)

IN x OUT, Cité Internationale des arts, Paris, France (2008)

Passages of Time, National Ethnographic and Pre-historical Museum Luigi Pigorini, Rome, Italy (2006)

The Shade and the Shade of the Other, Horti Lamiani Bettivo Gallery, Rome, Italy (2006)

Burned Dolls, Al Mina Gallery, Gaza, Palestine (2006)

The Cage, French Cultural Center, Gaza, Ramallah, Nablous, Jerusalem, Palestine (2005)

Tales, Cité Internationale des arts, Paris, France (2005)

Clothes Line, AM. Qattan Foundation, Ramallah, Palestine (2004)

Clothes Line, The Peace Center, Bethlehem, Palestine (2003)

Flower Poets and Stories, Khalil Al-Sakakini Cultural Center, Ramallah, Palestine

GROUP EXHIBITIONS

El Beit, Tabari Artspace, Dubai, UAE (2018)

Faces... A Glimpse in Time, Palestinian Art Court- Al Hoash, Jerusalem, Palestine (2014)

Resilience and Light, Studio 3Gallery University of Kent, curated by: Arts Canteen, Kent, UK (2013)

Despite, Rich Mix Gallery, curated by Arts Canteen, London, UK (2012)

Creative Palestinian Arts, Competition/Exhibition/Publication, Art Sawa Dubai, UAE (2010)

Gaza 61 + Seoul 59 Gallery Young (Samchun-dong), Seoul, South Korea (2009)

Posi on de a a Morlai au Oudour, Morlaix, France (2009)

Five Artists from Gaza, Algerian Cultural Center, Paris, France (2008)

September Harvest, Darat Al-Funun, Organised by lite artist: Marwan Qassab Bacchi, Amman, Jordan (2003)

Artists have a Different Opinion, Rashad Al-Shawa Cultural Centre, Gaza, Palestine (2002)

2x12, Arts and Crafts Village, Gaza, Palestine (2002)

ART FAIRS

Abu Dhabi Art (2019)

Beirut Art Fair, Beirut, Lebanon (2016)

Bahrain Art Fair, Manama, Bahrain (2016)

Munich Contempo International Art Fair, Munich, Germany (2011)

AWARDS

Shortlisted Jury member of the Young Artist Award YAYA, AM Qattan Foundation, Ramallah, Palestine (2017-18)

Cité International des arts, Paris, France (2008)

Cité International des arts, Paris, France (2005)

The first prize and artist of the year for the selected project (Clothes Line) drawing/installation, Hassan Hourani Young Artist Award, AM Qattan Foundation Ramallah, Palestine (2004)

Darat Al Funun, Khalid Shoman Foundation, Amman, Jordan (2003)