

Curriculum Vitae

Personal Information

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Academic Qualifications:

- 1) Master Degree in history of art – Faculty of Humanities – Calabria University – Cosenza – Italy – 2016. Average: 102/110.
- 2) Bachelor of Drawing and Painting – Faculty of Fine Arts - An-Najah National University – Nablus / Average: 85.2
- 3) General Secondary Study Examination Certificate – Literary Stream – Average 84.9

Practical Experience

- Coordinator of art projects at Calabria University, Italy.
- 2021 – Now: Lecturer at Palestine Technical University – kadoorie.
- Teaching summer courses at the Ministry of Culture
- Professional painter in my studio – Nablus
- Participation in several artistic workshops with foreign artists.

Art Exhibitions

- Faculty of Fine Arts Teachers – London – 2012.
- Collective Art Exhibition – Stevinger – Norway – 2011.
- Individual Art Exhibition – Barcelona – Spain – 2010.
- Artists of North Palestine Exhibition – Nablus – 2005.
- Art Exhibition – Askar Camp – Nablus – 2005.

Achievements

- Designing & Execution of the awards of the First International Film Festival – My Art in Cosenza – 2017.
- Designing & Execution of the sculpture in the name of Departure with Reading (In volo con la lettura), made in iron ore at the entrance of Calabria University, Italy – 2017. Opened by the Chancellor of Calabria University.
- Work as a roaming painter in northern Italy during my stay in Milan, Italy.
- Designing & Execution of a mural entitled the Humanity Effect (la traccia dell'umanita') in acrylic colors at an area of 4.5 X 2.10 meter at the meeting hall of Calabria University, Italy – 2016.
- Participation with a collection of paintings to commemorate the anniversary of the Catastrophe (Nakba) within the activities of the Palestinian Consulate in Rome – 2016. Opened by the Palestinian Consul in Rome, Italy.
- Participation with a collection of paintings that reflect a picture of the Palestinian within the activities of the Arte al volo, Brussels, Belgium - 2016.
- Designing & Execution of a mural entitled Symbols on Abstract Surface in acrylic colors on a wall of 710 X 220 cm at the library of Calabria University, Italy – 2015. Opened by the Chancellor of Calabria University.
- Participation in a collective exhibition entitled Individual Coincidence (Individualata' Coincidenti) at MAM Museum in Cosenza, Italy – 2015.
- Representation of Nablus by participation in a collective exhibition with 20 Italian artists at the Museum of Como Municipality for Arts – 2014.
- Participation in a collective exhibition within the activities of Arte al volo establishment, Italy – 2014.
- Personal exhibition entitled Via Dolorosa to reflect the sufferings of Palestinians during the war on Gaza, at MAM Museum in Cosenza, Italy – 2014. The exhibition was opened by the Governor of Cosenza.
- Metal and concrete sculpture entitled "Hope" (7 m high) in Nablus– 2012.
- Metal sculpture entitled "Redemption" (6 m high) in Nablus – 2011.
- Mural work entitled "Bani Kanan Suns" (Size: 3 m X 3 m) – Askar Camp – Nablus – 2009.
- Mural work entitled "Immortal Identity" (Size: 16 m X 4 m) – Al-Quds Open University – Nablus – 2007.
- I was honored at the Royal Palace of Culture in Amman – Jordan for winning the First Award of Isamel Shammout competition of plastic arts – 2012.
- I was honored by the Ministry of Culture, An-Najah National University and the Municipality of Nablus for my distinguished art achievements in Palestine – 2012.
- I was honored by the Nablus Governorate for designing and executing works on the 64th anniversary of the Palestine Catastrophe.

Awards:

- First Award of the Young Plastic Artist Competition in Palestine – Ministry of Culture – Palestine – 2005.
- First Award in the International Isamel Shammout competition of plastic arts, held annually by the International Organization of Palestine at the Arab World Level. The participating works are arbitrated in Jordan by a committee of reputable long-standing artists – 2012.

Languages:

Language	Writing	Reading	Conversation
Arabic language	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent
Italian language	Good	Very Good	Very Good
English language	Good	Good	Good