

GREEN . ART . GALLERY

AHMAD MOUALLA

Born 1958 in Damascus, Syria

Lives and works in Damascus, Syria

EDUCATION

1988 MFA Ecole Nationale Superieure des Beaux Arts; Paris, France

1988 BFA Damascus University of Fine Arts; Damascus, Syria

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2011 *Grey Ash*, Green Art Gallery, Dubai, UAE
- 2010 *Word: The body of the dialogue*, Municipality of Athens – Center of the Arts, Athens, Greece
- 2009 *New Works*, Green Art Gallery, Dubai, UAE
Art House, Damascus, Syria
Atassi Gallery, Art Dubai, Dubai, UAE
- 2008 *Ahmad Moualla's Orient*, Sultan Gallery, Kuwait
- 2007 Alriwaq Gallery, Bahrain
Tribute to Antoine Maqdisse & Antoine Al-Jammal, Art House Gallery, Damascus, Syria
- 2006 *Ahmad Moualla*, Istanbul, Turkey
- 2004 *Clay, Country* Exhibition, the German Cultural Institute (Goethe) Damascus, Syria
- 2001 *Arts & Literature*, National Board of Culture, Kuwait
- 1998 *Tribute to Saad Allah Wannous*, Bahrain National Museum, Bahrain
Private Experimentations, Green Art Gallery, Dubai, UAE
- 1996 *Tribute to Saad Allah Wannous*, Bahrain National Museum, Bahrain
- 1995 *Miro In Three Dimensions*, The French Cultural Center, Damascus, Syria
- 1994 *Trials in Colors*, The French Cultural Center, Damascus, Syria
- 1990 *Experimentations*, Mar Gallery, Lattakia, Syria
Experimentations, Atassi Gallery, Homs, Syria
Experimentations, Bilad al-Cham Gallery, Damascus, Syria
- 1988 *Ahmad Moualla*, Urnina Gallery Damascus, Syria

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2012 *Nightfall*, MODEM Centre for Modern and Contemporary Arts, Debrecen, Hungary

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- Written Images. Contemporary Calligraphy from the Middle East*, Sundaram Tagore Gallery, Hong Kong, China
- 2009 *New Horizons: Art from Syria*, Contemporary Istanbul 2009, Istanbul, Turkey
- Signs: Contemporary Arab Art*, Sundaram Tangore Gallery, New York, NY
- 2008 *Syrian Modern Art*, Souq Waqif, Doha, Qatar
- Beyond Words: Contemporary Calligraphy from the Middle East*, Kaysha Hildebrand Gallery, Zurich
- 2007 *Syria meets Syria*, New Gallery, Graz, Austria
- 2002 *Glimpse at Arab Modern Art*, Institute du Monde Arabe, Paris, France
- 2001 *Modern Syrian Art*, Institute du Monde Arabe, Paris, France
- 1996 Cairo Biennial, Cairo, Egypt
- 1995 Sharjah Biennial, Sharjah, UAE

SELECTED PRESS

- 2014 Baharudin, Sheena. "Three Outstanding Middle Eastern Artists." *Aquila Style Magazine*, May 2013
- 2011 Kalsi, Jyoti. "In the Zone of Uncertainty." *Gulf News*, September 30, 2011
- Wallace-Thompson, Anna; Chukri, Tala. "Shadows and Dust." *Canvas magazine*. July 2011
- 2009 Boucher, Katie. "A man of Characters." *The National*. November 2, 2009

AWARDS

- 2007 First prize: Al Burda Prize, UAE
- 1999 Grand prize: Lattakia Biennale
- 1988 First Prize: Kieler Woche contest, Kiel, Germany

NOTABLE COLLECTIONS

- Abu Dhabi Authority for Cultural Heritage (ADACH), Abu Dhabi, UAE
- Barjeel Art Foundation, Abu Dhabi, UAE
- SPM (Salsali Private Museum), Dubai, UAE