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Education

MA Sculpture | Royal College of Arts, London, UK (2021)
BA Fine Art (Hons) | University of Arts London, London, UK (2019)
Diploma in Fine Art | Putney School of Art and Design, London, UK (PSAD) London (2013)

Exhibitions

2024

'Title tbc' | Manhattanville College Gallery New York (Oct 2024)
'Broken Spaces' | Spud Gallery, Southampton, UK (Jul 2024)
'Garden of Delights on Earth' | Gallery 46, Group Show, London, UK (Jun 2024)
'Empire, Space and Time' University of Greenwich Galleries, London, UK (Jun 2024)
'Title tbc' | Bermondsey Project Space, London, UK (May 2024)
'Paper Cuts' | Peltz Gallery, Birkbeck - University of London, London, UK (Apr 2024)
'Collect 2024' Crafts Council Fair for Contemporary Craft & Design | Somerset House, London, UK (Mar 2024)

2023

Koppel Projects, Arts Council Funded | London, UK (Nov 2023)
CroydonBID Project | London, UK (Nov 2023)
Design Festa Gallery, Tokyo, Japan (Nov 2023)
'Textile is intelligent' | Stephen Lawrence Gallery, University of Greenwich Galleries, London, UK (Oct 2023)
'Printmaking and Multilingualism' | Royal College of Art, London, UK (Jul 2023)
'New Art Exchange', Juried Show | NAE – Nottingham, UK (May 2023 – Sept 2023)
17th International Tapestry Triennale, Juried Competition | Centrale Museum of Lodz, Poland (Oct 2022 - May 2023)
New Contemporaries, Juried Competition, Group show | South London Gallery, UK (Mar 2023)
AoCA Diaspora and Belonging, Juried Show | Mother, Shoreditch, London, UK (Mar 2023)
'The Walls Are See Through' Curated Show | The Emerald Gallery London, UK (Mar 2023)

2022

17th International Tapestry Triennale, Juried Competition | Centrale Museum of Lodz, Poland (Oct 2022 - May 2023)
'New Contemporaries' Juried Competition, Group show | South London Gallery, UK (Dec 2022)
'New Contemporaries' Juried Competition, Group show | Hull, UK (Sep 2022)
'Ground' Karachi Art, Group show | Chowk Gallery, Pakistan (Aug 2022)

'Spread' Turf Projects, Group show | London, UK (May 2022)
'ReContact2' Group Show | Ankara University, Turkey (Apr 2022)

2021

'ReContact' Group Show | Ankara University, Turkey (Nov 2021)
Lewisham Art House, Group Show | London, UK (Oct 2021)
'Proxy' Show | Cromwell Place Kensington, London, UK (Jun 2021)
'Together It Seams' Group Show | Standpoint Gallery, London, UK (Apr 2021)

2020

Haus-a-rest Zine show (2020)
Work in Progress Show | Royal College of Art, London, UK (2020)
Vasteras International Art Fair | Sweden (2020)
'For Money or Love' Group show | Copeland Gallery Peckham, London, UK (2019)
Degree Show BA (Hons) | Wimbledon College of Art, London, UK (2019)
The Toast Rack, Artisan Bakery & Cafe | Wandsworth, London, UK (2018)
'Netflix and Chill' Group show | Flying Dutchman Camberwell, London, UK (2018)
'Neulinge' | The Crypt Gallery, St Pancras, London, UK (2018)
Khajoli Competition final shortlist exhibition | Parliament House, London, UK (2017)
Made in Morley, Print Exhibition | Morley College, London, UK (2016)
Portrait Exhibition | Putney Library, London, UK (2016)
Sculpture Exhibition | Kings College School, Wimbledon, London, UK (2015)
Open Studios | Wimbledon Art Studios, London, UK (May 2015 and Nov 2015)
'Seven' Studio 106 Group Exhibition | Fulham Broadway, London, UK (2013)
Fulham Community Centre Exhibition | Fulham, London, UK (2013)

Permanent Exhibits

SoHo Gallery Art and Design Centre | Sweden
Google Arts and Culture permanent online exhibition
<https://artsandculture.google.com/asset/dr-abid-nissar-clinical-specialist-in-nottingham-divya-sharma/YQGJdGUanCkvTQ>
Work held in private collections.

Curatorial Projects

Curated the Textile is Intelligent Show at Koppel Studios London 2023
Curated the Fragments Folds and Frays show at the Stephen Lawrence Gallery London 2023
Co-curator of Group show 'Spread' at the Tufts Project | Croydon, London, UK (2022)
'Figure it out' Group show, The Neulinge Collective | Lewisham Arthouse, London, UK (2021)
Podcast founder and Host called ARTiculate – iTunes and Podbean since May (2020)
Neulinge - Group show | The Crypt Gallery, St Pancras London, UK (2018)
'Went to work, Came back' | Co-curator of archival show | South London Gallery, UK (2018)
Founder of the artists' collective The Neulinge Collective (www.neulingecollective.com)

Teaching

Workshop at Koppel Studios 2023

Artist talk at the University of Greenwich 2023

Punch Needle Workshop | Ferens Art Gallery, in conjunction with the New Contemporaries Show

Artist talk to the PSAD Diploma Cohort

Community Art tutor | Kingston Community Centre, London, UK

'Thrive' workshop | Camberwell College of Art, London, UK

Teaching day | UCA Farnham, Surrey, UK

Competitions and Awards

Part of the Judging Panel of the Ferens Open Exhibition | Ferens Art Gallery, Hull UK (2023)

Selected for New Contemporaries Competition (2022)

Selected for 17th International Tapestry Triennale | Centrale Museum of Lodz, Poland (2022)

Received the Gilbert Bayes Trust Scholarship Award | Royal College of Art (2021)

Was one among eight selected from a nationwide art students' Khajoly competition (in memory of the people killed in the Armenian genocide) and had the opportunity to exhibit in the Houses of Parliament in February 2017.