

Abdul Rahman Katanani

Born in 1983, Sabra, Beirut, Lebanon
Lives and works in Beirut, Lebanon

Education

- 2017 2-month Artist Residency, Vent des Forets, Meuse, FR.
- 2017 1-month Artist Residency, Vent des Forets, Meuse, FR.
- 2016 3-month Artist Residency, Cites International des Arts, Paris, FR.
- 2016 1-month Art residency, Centre d'Art de Nanterre, Paris, FR.
- 2013/14 15-month Artist Residency, Cites International des Arts, Paris, FR.
- 2013 Masters of Fine Arts, Lebanese University, Institute of Fine-Arts, Beirut, LB.
- 2012 3-month Artist Residency, Cites International des Arts, Paris, FR.
- 2007 Diplomat of Fine Arts, Lebanese University, Institute of Fine-Arts, Beirut, LB.

Solo Exhibitions

- 2019 **Brainstorm**, Saleh Barakat Gallery, Beirut, LB.
- 2017 **Hard Core**, Gallery Magda Danyzs, Paris, FR.
- 2017 **Resilience**, Gallery Analix Forever, Genève, CH.
- 2016 **Olive Forest**, Anglet Municipality, biennale d'Anglet, FR.
- 2016 **Children, Olive Trees and Barbed wire**, Al Markhiya Gallery, QR.
- 2015 **Softness of a Circle, Knife-edge of a Straight Line**, Agial Art Gallery, LB.
- 2014 **Kids, Barbed Wire and a Dream**, Tanit Gallery, Munich, DE.
- 2012 **No Address**, French Institute, Beirut, LB.
- 2011 **Zinc, Barbed Wire and Freedom**, Agial Art Gallery, Beirut, LB.
- 2008 **Camp Message**, LAAPS (Lebanese Artists Association for Painters and Sculptors), Beirut, LB.
- 2006 Caricature Exhibition with corporation with AJPF, Paris, Nantes, Chambéry, FR.

Group Exhibitions

- 2019 **Libres**, Musee du Fer et du Chemin de Fer, Switzerland.
- 2019 **Libres**, Salon D'Art Contemporain, Yveron-Les-Bains, Switzerland.
- 2019 National Salon, Manama, Bahrain.
- 2018 Un oeil ouvert sur le monde Arabe, Institut de Monde Arabe, Paris, France.
- 2018 Beit Beirut, Beirut, Lebanon.
- 2018 **45th Bahrain Annual Fine Art Exhibition**, Bahrain, BH.
- 2018 **Arabicity-Orouba**, Middle East Institution, Washington DC, USA.
- 2018 **Flux**, Arts Ephemeres, Marseille, FR.
- 2018 **Paris Pris**, Gallery Magda Danyzs, Paris, FR.
- 2018 **Keyword: Palestine**, Dar El-Nimer, Beirut, LB.
- 2018 **Face Value – Portraiture**, Saleh Barakat Gallery, Beirut, LB.
- 2017 "Mashrooms", Vent des Forets, Meuse, FR.
- 2017 "Water Lilies", Mir Amir Castle, Mount Lebanon, LB.
- 2016 « Dendromorphies », Topographie de l'Art, Paris, FR.
- 2016 "The wave", Dar el-Nimer Foundation, Beirut, LB.
- 2016 "Olive Tree", Electronic Art Cafe, Rome, IT.
- 2016 "Olive Tree", Resistance and Persistence, Beirut, LB.
- 2016 "Girl jumping with a cover, Chapter 31, Gallery P21, London, UK.
- 2016 "Olive tree", Jardin d'Orient, Institut du Monde Arabe, Paris, FR.

- 2016 “Foret d’Oliviers”, La Terrasse, Centre d’Art de Nanterre, Paris, FR.
 2014 “Tornado, My Beautiful Laundrette”, Cite International of Arts, Paris, FR.
 2014 “Jumping over the barbed wire”, Day of Peace, UNESCO, Paris, FR.
 2013 “Untitled”, *La Route Blue*, Villa Empain, Brussels, BE.
 2012 “Hula-hoops”, *Art is the Solution*, Villa Empain, Brussels, BE.
 2012 “Boy running after a wheel”, *Together we connect*, Anima gallery, Doha, QA.
 2011 *Rebirth*, Beirut Exhibition Center, Beirut, LB.
 2011 *Isharat*, Al Markhiya Gallery, QA.
 2011 “Family jumping over a barbed wire”, funded by Apeal (Association for the Promotion and Exhibition of Art in Lebanon) at Royal College of Art; London, UK.
 2010 “Kite”, *Salon D’Automne*, Nicolas Sursock Museum, Beirut, LB.
 2009 “The Martyred Camp”, *Biennale of Abu Dhabi*, UAE.
 2009 “Embroidery, Mother and Palestine”, Penang State Museum and Art Gallery, Malaysia.
 2009 *Art, Peace and the Global Village-Against Violence*, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.
 2009 *Waiting with the Zinc plats*, LAAPS (Lebanese Artists Association for Painters and Sculptors), The Fine Art Spring, UNESCO, Beirut, LB.
 2009 *Peace Expressions of Hope*, RA gallery, Kuala Lumpur, MY.
 2009 “Kid or a Pillow”, *Salon D’automne*, Nicolas Sursock Museum, Beirut, LB.
 2008 “Women in the camp”, *Salon D’automne*, Nicolas Sursock Museum, Beirut, LB.
 2008 “Caricature”, Fête de l’Humanité, Paris, FR.
 2007 “Artist in the Camp”, *Salon d’Automne*, Paris, FR.
 2007 “Caricature”, Fête de l’Humanité, Paris, FR.
 2007 “Caricature”, UNESCO, Beirut, LB.

Films

- 2013 Le Lanceur de Pierres, Christophe Donner, Paris, FR.

Books

- 2017 Hard core, Barbara Polla, ANALIX FOREVER, Paris, FR.

Awards and Official Prizes

- 2016 “Nominated for commitment”, at YIA Art fair, Paris, FR.
 2009 “prize of young artists”, at Salon d’Automne organized by Sursock Museum, Beirut, LB.
 2008 Special Mention of the jury, at Salon d’Automne organized by Sursock Museum, Beirut, LB.

Acquisitions and Collections

- Accor Hotels, France.
 Boghossian Foundation, Brussels, Belgium.
 Dalloul Art Foundation, Beirut, LB.
 Dar El-Nimer, Beirut, LB.
 Mathaf: Arab Museum of Modern Art, Doha, Qatar.
 Philippe Jabre Collection, Lebanon.