

Rashid Rana

1968 Born in Lahore
Lives and works in Lahore

Education:

1994 Master of Fine Arts Massachusetts College of Art, Boston, USA
1992 Bachelor of Fine Arts, National College of Arts, Lahore, Pakistan

Selected Solo Shows:

2009 *Solo Show*, Gallery Chemould at Art Basel Miami 2009, Florida, USA
2008 *Solo Show*, Chemould Prescott Road + Chatterjee & Lal at Hong Art Fair 2008, Hong Kong, China
2007 *Solo Show*, Art Public – Cabinet P.H., Geneva, Switzerland
Solo Show, Chemould Prescott Road + Chatterjee & Lal, Mumbai, India
Shanghai Contemporary - Best of Discovery, Nature Morte, Shanghai Exhibition Center, Shanghai, China
The Politics of Fear, Albion, London
Inaugural Show, National Art Gallery, Islamabad
Reflected Looking, Nature Morte, New Delhi, India
2005 *Identical Views*, Philips Contemporary, Mumbai, India
2004 *Identical Views*, V.M. Gallery, Karachi, Pakistan
Identical Views, Nature Morte, New Delhi, India
2000 *Non-Sense*, Rohtas Gallery, Islamabad, Pakistan
Non-Sense, Zahoor ul Akhlaq Gallery, NCA, Lahore, Pakistan

Selected Group Exhibitions:

2010 *Where Dreams Cross: 150 Years of Photography from India, Pakistan and Bangladesh*, Fotomuseum, Winterthur, Switzerland
Beyond the Page - The Miniature as Attitude in Contemporary Art from Pakistan, Pacific Asia Museum, Pasadena, USA
Armory Show, Jack Shainam Gallery, New York, USA.
The Empire Strikes Back: India Art Today, Saatchi Gallery, London, U.K.
Where Dreams Cross: 150 Years of Photography from India, Pakistan and Bangladesh, Whitechapel Gallery, London, U.K.
Contemporary Art from Pakistan, Devi Foundation, New Delhi, India
2009 *Armory Show*, Nature Morte/Bose Pacia Booth, New York, USA
Living of the Grid, Anant Art Centre, New Delhi
Hanging Fire: Contemporary Art from Pakistan, Asia Society, New York
Progressive to Altermodern: 62 Years of Indian Modern Art, Grosvenor Gallery, London
Art Dubai, Green Cardamom Booth, Dubai, UAE
Art Hong Kong, Green Cardamom Booth, Dubai, UAE
Lines of Control, 3rd Line Gallery, Dubai VM Gallery Karachi; Green Cardamom, London
Ornamentation, Belvedere Museum, Vienna, Austria

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- 2008 *Arco*, Chaterjee & Lal Booth, Madrid, Spain
Group Show, Columbia University, New York, USA
Re-Imaging Asia, House of World Cultures, Berlin, Germany
Desperately Seeking Paradise, Pakistan Pavillion at the Art Dubai-2008, Dubai, UAE
Art Dubai, represented by Green Cardemom and Chemould Prescott Road, Dubai, UAE
Group Show, Elementa, Dubai, UAE
- 2007 *Face East: Contemporary Asian Portraiture*, Wedel Fine Art, London, UK
Inaugural Show (of the new venue), National Art Gallery, Islamabad, Pakistan
Group show: *Contemporary Art from Pakistan*, Thomas Erben Gallery, New York, USA
The Politics of Fear, Albion, London, UK
Mirror Worlds, Two Rooms, Auckland, New Zealand
- 2006 5th *Asia Pacific Triennale*, Queensland Gallery of Art, Australia
EX-OTICA, Gallery Vitamin, Turin, Italy
Artissima Art Fair, Turin, Italy
Grid-Matrix, Kemper Art Museum, St Louis, USA
Lille 3000: Desi Pop, Lille, France
1st *Singapore Biennale*, Singapore
Beyond the Page: Contemporary Art from Pakistan, Asia House, London, UK
Beyond the Page: Contemporary Art from Pakistan, Manchester Art Gallery, Manchester, UK
Art Basel, represented by Nature Morte/Bose Pacia, Basel, Switzerland
Art Taipei, represented by Nature Morte, Taiwan
Asian Contemporary Art Week, organized by ASIA Society, Gallery Korea NY, USA
Flights of Fancy, Royaat Gallery, Lahore, Pakistan
Mirror Worlds: (traveling exhibition), Institute of the Modern Art, Brisbane, Australia
Parallel Realities: 3rd Fukuoka Triennale, (travelling to) Blackburn Museum of Art, Blackburn, UK
- 2005 *Bitmap: International Digital Photo Project*, Loop, Korea
New Media Art from Pakistan, Artist Village, Kowloon, Hong Kong
Metrospective: Visual Representations of Metro-sexuality, Kitab Mahal, Mumbai, India
Parallel Realities: 3rd Fukuoka Triennale, Fukuoka Museum of Art, Fukuoka, Japan
Three Person Show, Bose Pacia, New York, USA
Mirror Worlds: Contemporary Video from Asia, Australian Center for Photography, Sydney, Australia
Beyond Borders: Art from Pakistan, National Gallery of Modern Art, Mumbai, India
- 2004 *South Asian Master: Old Masters and Young Voices*, Alahamra Art Gallery, Lahore, Pakistan
Art Summit IV Exhibition, National Gallery of Art, Jakarta, Indonesia
- 2004 *Playing with a Loaded Gun*, Museum Fridericianum, Kassel, Germany
Along the X axis: video art from India and Pakistan, Apeejay Gallery, New Delhi, India
10th Asian Art Biennale Bangladesh, Shilpakala Academy, Dhaka, Bangladesh
- 2003-2004 *9th Cairo International Biennale*, Cairo, Egypt

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- 2002-2004 Global Priority, traveling exhibition, 2004- San Francisco Arts Commission gallery, San Francisco;
- 2003 Pier II Gallery in Taiwan 2002-Jamaica Center for the Arts, NY
- 2003 *Playing with a Loaded Gun*, Apexart, New York
- 2003 *Miniatures* Pakistanises, Maison d'Art Contemporarian Chaillioux, Paris, France
- 2002 *Around Miniature*, Royaat, Lahore
- 2002 *Around Miniature*, Canvas Gallery, Karachi
- 2002 *Painting over the lines: Five Contemporary Artists from Pakistan*, York Quay Gallery, Toronto, Canada
- 2002 *Painting over the lines: Five Contemporary Artists from Pakistan*, Indo Center for Art and Culture, New York, USA
- 2001 *Crossing the Line (Site Specific project at Jackson heights NY) | A Project of Queens Museum of Art, New York, USA*
- 2000 *Context*, Bare-Foot Gallery, Colombo, Sri Lanka
- 2000 *Another Vision: 50 years of Pakistani Art* (Traveling Exhibition) Brunei Gallery, SOAS London, Oldham Art Gallery, Haddonfield Art Gallery, Victoria Art Gallery, Bath, UK

Selected Public Commissions and Projects:

- 2007-2005.1 *Rusholm Project*: Rashid Rana and Subodh Gupta; organized by SHISHA Manchester, UK
- 2002-2004 *Aar Paar* Project, Mumbai; Karachi

Teaching:

- 2002-2005 Associate Professor, School of Visual Arts, Beaconhouse National University, Lahore, Pakistan
- 1995-2002 Dept of Fine Art & MA Visual Arts, National College of Arts, Lahore, Pakistan
- 1995-2004 Pakistan School of Fashion Design, Lahore Pakistan

Awards, Grants and Residencies:

- 2009 Associate-ship of the National College of Art, Lahore, Pakistan
- 2006 HAT exchange program residency: Manchester Metropolitan University, Manchester, UK
- 2003 International Artist of the Year Award 2002-2003, SAVAC: South Asian Visual Arts Collective, Toronto, Canada
- 2003 Hathor Prize, 9th Cairo International Biennale, Cairo, Egypt
- 2003 Darmiyaan workshop, Neher Ghar Gallery, Lahore Pakistan
- 2003 Artist in Residence, Gasworks, London, UK
- 2000 Art-Link International Artist's Workshop, Sri Lanka
- 2001 Creation & Production Grant, Ontario Council of the Arts, Canada
- 2000 Creation & Production Grant Ontario Council of the Arts, Toronto Council of the Arts, Canada
- 2000 Creation & Production Grant Canada Council for the Arts, Canada
- 1992 Distinction Award; Degree Show, National College of Art, Lahore, Pakistan

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