

SHIRIN SALEHI Curriculum Vitae

Born in Tehran, 1982. Lives and works in Madrid (ES) and New York (USA).

Education

- 2016 Master of Research in Art and Creation, Fine Arts Faculty, Complutense University, Madrid, ES
- 2012 Visual Arts and Design degree, Specialized in Printmaking Techniques, Arte10 School of Arts and Design, Madrid, ES
- 2006 Bachelor of Science in Telecommunications Engineering, University of Málaga, ES
- 2004 Exchange Student. Erasmus Program. Tor Vergata University, Rome, ITA

Specialized Studies and Workshops

- 2015 Artist's books workshop, with Los Interventores, Ivory Press gallery, Madrid, ES
- 2014 *Non-standard Mezzotint using zinc plates*, Workshop, Pilar and Joan Miró Foundation, ES
- 2013 *The Great book among the books*, with Concha García, Spanish National Library, Madrid, ES
- 2013 Circle of Fine Arts, Printmaking studios, Madrid, ES
- 2012 Master in Graphic Arts, International Contemporary Printmaking Center, CIEC Foundation, Betanzos, A Coruña, ES

Art Residencies

- 2021 Spanish Academy of Rome, ITA
- 2017 La Neomudéjar Museum, Madrid, ES
- 2016 Il Bisonte Printmaking Foundation, Florence, ITA
- 2014 Académie de France à Madrid, ES
- 2012 Fundação Bienal de Cerveira, PRT

Awards, Grants and Shortlists

- 2023 The Queen Sonja Print Award. Nomination, Oslo, NOR
- 2020 Academy of Spain in Rome. Nine-month Residency Grant, ES
- 2019 Pilar Juncosa & Sotheby's Biennial Award for Artistic Creation. Inma Herrera and Shirin Salehi. Pilar and Joan Miró Foundation. Palma de Mallorca, ES
- 2017 Second prize. International Print Award Carmen Arozena, Madrid, ES
- 2015 First prize. Ankaria Artist book Award, Ankaria Foundation, Madrid, ES
- 2015 María del Rosario Martín Prize. 6th Atlante Award, Ribeira, ES
- 2015 Special prize. Premio Combat Prize, Livorno, ITA
- 2014 Pilar Banús prize. National Printmaking Award, Contemporary Printmaking Museum, Marbella, ES
- 2013 Pilar Juncosa & Sotheby's Grant for training. Pilar and Joan Miró Foundation, Palma de Mallorca, ES
- 2013 Acqui Giovani prize. 11th International Biennial of Printmaking Premio Acqui, ITA
- 2013 Shortlisted. 12th International Engraving Biennial Josep de Ribera, Xàtiva, Valencia, ES
- 2012 First prize. First edition of FIGBilbao International Contemporary Printmaking Award, Bilbao, ES
- 2012 First prize. 19th International Printmaking Award Villa de Cebreros, ES
- 2012 Third prize. José Caballero National Print Award, Las Rozas, ES
- 2012 Shortlisted. 40th International print award Carmen Arozena, ES
- 2012 Shortlisted. 21st Young Creators Awards. Retiro District, Council of Madrid, ES
- 2010 Production grant for Printmaking Project, Arte10 School of Arts and Design, Madrid, ES

Solo Exhibitions, Duo and Special projects

- 2021 *A Fixed Point to be Oriented*. Inma Herrera y Shirin Salehi. Coauthoring Project Exhibition. Pilar and Joan Miró Foundation. Palma de Mallorca, ES
- 2021 *Back from a walk*. Side x Side Contemporary Curating Platform, USA
- 2019 *Dentro de un agua extraña, mi sombra*. Ana Serratos Gallery, Valencia, ES
- 2018 *Discourse on the shadows*. Astarté Gallery, Madrid, ES
- 2017 *An intimate stay*. La Neomudéjar Museum, Madrid, ES
- 2015 *Dancing with the jailer*. Solo Project. FIG International Art Fair, Ankaria Foundation Stand, Bilbao, ES
- 2012 *Who will write our story?* Brita Prinz gallery, Madrid, ES
- 2011 *Ruin threatens*. Igor Aceves and Shirin Salehi, Arte10 School of Arts and Design, Madrid, ES

Group exhibition, Artfairs and Festivals (selection)

- 2022 *Processi 148*. Final Exhibition of Residents. Spanish Academy, Rome, ITA
- 2021 *OpenStudios*. Spanish Academy, Rome, ITA
- 2021 *Out of Sight, Beyond touch*, The Center for Book Arts, New York, USA
- 2020 *Silence*, Espacio Líquido Gallery, Gijón, ES
- 2020 *Collective Intimicies*, Ana Serratos Gallery, Valencia, ES
- 2019 *OpenStudios*. Shirin Salehi Studio. Invited Artist: Inma Herrera. Comunidad de Madrid, ES
- 2018 *15th Mostra Gas Natural Fenosa*, Contemporary Art Museum MAC, A Coruña, ES
- 2018 *Pool Internationales TanzFilmFestival*, Berlin, DEU
- 2018 *Bienal do Douro*, Quinta do Portal, Celeirós, PRT
- 2018 *International Cultural Industries Fair*, Shenzhen, CHN
- 2018 *Labor es*, Astarté gallery, Madrid, ES
- 2018 *Just LX Art fair*, Lisbon, PRT
- 2017 *International Print Award Carmen Arozena*, Palacio Salazar, Santa Cruz de La Palma, ES
- 2017 *Open Art exhibition*, a project by Eugenia Sanz, Madrid, ES
- 2017 *International Print Award Carmen Arozena*, Palacio Salazar, Casa de la Moneda, Madrid, ES
- 2017 *Komask Masters printmaking Salon*, Real Academy of Fine Arts of Amberes, BEL
- 2016 *The Spanish Artist Books Exhibition*, University of Cantabria, ES
- 2016 *FigBilbao award and the Acqui Terme biennial*, Dolianova, Sardinia, ITA
- 2016 *7th contemporary Art Fair Justmad7*, Institute of Architects, Madrid, ES
- 2016 *Justmad7 Satellite exhibit*, Faculty of Fine Arts exhibition hall, Complutense Univ, Madrid, ES
- 2015 *Premio Combat prize*, Museo Civico Fattori, Livorno, ITA
- 2015 *4th Artist book fair Masquelibros*, BPM Eugenia Trias, curated by Susana Blas, ES
- 2015 *National Printmaking Awards exhibition*, Museum of Spanish Contemporary Engraving, ES
- 2015 *Body and Power*, Pasaje Fuencarral, Madrid, ES
- 2015 *Dancing with the jailer*, Artist book exhibited at Ivory Press Gallery Vitrines, Madrid, ES
- 2014 *Regards de Femmes*, Casa de Velázquez (Académie de France à Madrid), ES
- 2014 *Portes Ouvertes*, Casa de Velázquez (Académie de France à Madrid), ES
- 2014 *22nd International Art Fair Estampa*, Stand Casa de Velázquez, MataderoMadrid, ES
- 2014 *3rd Artists' book fair Masquelibros*, Institute of Architects, ES
- 2013 *Cercle Artistic Sant Lluc*, Barcelona, ES
- 2013 *12th International Engraving Biennial Josep de Ribera*, Xàtiva, Valencia, ES
- 2013 *International Printmaking Festival FIGBilbao*. Graphic collective 4/5. Bilbao, ES
- 2013 *Prints from the Circle of Fine Arts' Associates in the CIEC Foundation*, Betanzos, ES
- 2013 *11th International engraving biennial Acqui*, Acqui Terme, ITA
- 2013 *Iranian Artists Group Show*, Fundación José Vela Zanetti, León, ES
- 2013 *1st Edition FigBilbao Printmaking Award*, Mercado del Ensanche, Bilbao, ES
- 2012 *40th International Print Award Carmen Arozena*, Palacio de Salazar, Santa Cruz de La Palma, ES

Teaching, Conferences and Lectures

- 2021 *Conference on Velázquez and the painting 'El niño de Vallecas' by Shirin Salehi. Enfoques Cicle 2021.* El Prado National Museum, Madrid, ES
- 2021 *Hidden Library. Masterclass with Shirin Salehi.* Center for Book Arts, New York, USA
- 2021 *A Reading room with no books.* Discussion panel. Center for Book Arts, New York, USA
- 2017 Program of lectures and Poetry reading, organized by Shirin Salehi. Arte Abierto show, Madrid, ES
- 2017 Poetic Lecture at Presentation of Farideh Lashai's autobiography, CasaAsia, Madrid, ES
- 2017 Workshop on the *Languages of Artists' Book Creation*, Arte10, Madrid, ES
- 2017 *Lecture On Silence, emptiness and nothing* with Carla Andrade, curated by Ant-Espacio and Amaia Molinet, Bilbao, ES
- 2017 Article *The voice of her poets.* ABC Cultural magazine, ES
- 2017 Poetic Lecture at Faride Lashai's Autobiography Presentation, El Prado National Museum, ES
- 2017 *The Poetics of the Process in Printmaking* by Shirin Salehi, Arte10 school, Madrid, ES
- 2017 Performative lecture of *Manifisto-book (veiled)* / Presentation of the academic publication '*Research on the Poetics of Silence and the Hidden*', Fine Arts faculty, Complutense University, Madrid, ES
- 2016 - 2014
Teaching and personalised tutoring on artistic projects based on the languages of printmaking and Artists' Books, Hedera Printmaking studio, Madrid, ES
- 2014 - 2013
Instructor of Printmaking Workshop, Spanish Association of Painters and Sculptors, Madrid, ES

Works in Public and Private Collections

Fondazione Il Bisonte, Florence, ITA

Ankaria Foundation, Madrid, ES

Pilar Banus Foundation, Marbella, ES

Fundação Bienal de Cerveira, PRT

Spanish museum of Contemporary Engraving Museum, Acqui Terme, ITA

Artes Foundation, Ribeira, ES

Marazuela Foundation, Madrid, ES

FIGBilbao collection, Bilbao, ES

Circle of fine arts of Madrid, ES

Madrid City council collection, ES

National Library of Spain, Madrid, ES

Spanish Academy of Rome, ITA