

Hira Mansur

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Education

2011 – 2013	UCL – Slade School of Fine Art, London, U.K Masters in Fine Arts (MFA) – Painting
2005 – 2009	National College of Arts, Lahore, Pakistan Bachelor in Fine Art (BFA) With Honours – Miniature Painting

Awards & Scholarship

Selected for the Boise Travel Scholarship

Awarded full NCA scholarship for academic achievement throughout the degree

Awarded Principal Honours Award for excellent performance during the degree

Awarded Haji Sharif Prize in Miniature Painting - awarded to the top miniature painter in the graduating batch

Awarded a Brilliance Award in the International Exhibition of Calligraphy

Awarded for winning 10 best works at Refreshed in the 5th Annual Young Artist Exhibition

Awarded for winning 10 best works at Red Hot in the 7th Annual Young Artist Exhibition

Employment & Experience

February 2020 - September 2022	Final Year Drawing Teacher – National College of Arts, Lahore, Pakistan.
October 2012 - June 2013	Student Duty Officer - The Victoria League (Student House), London, U.K
February 2012	Student Tour Guide For Short Listed Students Arrived For Interviews UCL - Slade School of Fine Art, London, U.K
February 2012	Student Assistant For The Undergraduate Entrance Examination Portfolio Inspections UCL - Slade School of Fine Art, London, U.K
June 2009 -	Lecturer, Pakistan Institute of Fashion Design, Lahore, Pakistan.
January 2011	Responsible for subjects, Foundation Drawing, Fashion Drawing and Gems & Jewelry Taught the incoming freshmen class and the second year students with emphasis on drawing skills Responsible for preparing course outlines, delivering lectures, setting exams and acting as a main point of contact between the students and the faculty

Residency Record

March 2012	The Trélex Residency, Trélex, Switzerland One-month residency where i explored the Japanese origami paper and made collages out of it
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Exhibition Record

June 2023	Patterns of life - Group show at Full Circle Gallery, Karachi, Pakistan.
December 2022	Eve's I / Eye II - Group show at Sanat Gallery, Karachi, Pakistan.
January 2017	A Saucerful of Secrets – Two person show at Sanat Gallery, Karachi, Pakistan.
May 2015	Exhibition for the winners of the Arjumand Painting Award – Gallery 6, Islamabad, Pakistan.
October 2014	Art Fair Dubai' 2014 – Cross Borders Art Gallery, Dubai
November 2013	Art Scene Galleries, Karachi, Pakistan. Common Dimensions – The evolution of miniature painting in Pakistan.
October 2013	Coombe Gallery, Dartmouth, Devon. Rising Stars - An exhibition displaying work from some of the finest graduates from UK art colleges in 2013
June 2013	Slade MFA/MA Degree Show, UCL, London. Final group exhibition of MFA/MA students.
April 2013	Royal Institute of Painters in Water Colours - MALL GALLERIES, London Open Exhibition 2013
February 2013	ROYAL WATERCOLOUR SOCIETY (RWS), Bankside Gallery, London Selected in Contemporary Watercolour Competition 2013
October 2012	Slade MFA/MA Interim Show, UCL, London A group exhibition of MFA/MA students.
July 2012	One-Minute Video Show, UCL, London A group exhibition of one-minute videos
February 2012	Mein, Karachi (Koel Gallery), Pakistan A group exhibition
January 2012	Research Images Competition, UCL, London An annual Cross-Disciplinary competition/exhibition for all graduate students and staff, arts or science based
April 2011	Red Hot, Lahore, Pakistan 7th Young Artists' Exhibition of Paintings, Sculptures, Ceramics and Graphic Arts
February 2011	Silsila, Karachi (Koel Gallery) & Lahore (Ijaz Gallery), Pakistan A show of 20 studio RM Alumni NCA, Lahore, Pakistan
November 2010	Displayed work at an exhibition honouring the award of "Knight in the Order of Arts and Literature" by the French nation to Professor Naazish Ata-Ullah
November 2010	Running Parallel, Lahore, Pakistan A two person show displaying new works by Hira Mansur & Nabila Yasmin,at Rohtas 2 gallery

March 2010	Vision of Pakistan, Lahore, Pakistan A group exhibition of miniature paintings celebrating Pakistan Day
December 2009	Vogue Art Gallery, Lahore, Pakistan A group show at the launch of the gallery
October 2009	Miniature Pakistane Contemporanee, Galleria Gomiero, Milan, Italy A group show of 10 Pakistani artists to open the new contemporary department at Galleria Gomiero
July 2009	Pushing Boundaries, Lahore, Pakistan An exhibition of National College of Arts graduates, who graduated with Honours and Distinction
June 2009	7th Emerging Talent Exhibition, Karachi, Pakistan Showcasing exhibits by 2008 graduates from different art institutions from Pakistan
May 2009	Yousaf Raza Gillani, Lahore, Pakistan Commissioned to paint a portrait of the Prime Minister of Pakistan, presented as a souvenir from NCA at the 11 Convocation
May 2009	Contemporary Miniatures, Lahore, Pakistan A first Group Miniature Exhibition of top 10 aspiring artists of the country
April 2009	Refreshed, Lahore, Pakistan 5th Young Artists' Exhibition of Paintings, Sculptures, Ceramics and Graphic Arts
April 2009	Ocean, Karachi, Pakistan Group exhibition of the top 5 graduates from the graduating class of Miniature painting from NCA
March 2009	Mapping the Journey, Lahore, Pakistan Invited to display works alongside well-known, renowned artists from Lahore
February 2009	Amalgamation, Lahore, Pakistan Invited to display works alongside 21 miniature-painting artists from across Pakistan
January 2009	National College of Art, Degree Show, Lahore, Pakistan Degree show, class of 2005 to 2008
April 2008	Fresh Cream, Lahore, Pakistan 4th Young Artists' Exhibition of Paintings, Sculptures, Ceramics and Graphic Arts
January 2007	Trilogue, Lahore, Pakistan An exchange and critic of Artwork between NCA, Harvard, and University of Berlin
November 2007	Alhamra, Lahore, Pakistan Displayed work at an exhibition organised by Ghazali Education Trust