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GOLNAZ FATHI

1972	Born in Tehran, Iran
1990	Secondary Studies Degree, Tehran, Iran
1995	Bachelor of Art in graphics, Azad Art University, Tehran, Iran
1996	Diploma of Iranian Calligraphy, Iranian Society of Calligraphy, Tehran, Iran
Present	Lives and works in Tehran, Iran

Selected Solo Exhibitions

2023	<i>No Rain Will Put Out This Fire</i> , October Gallery, London, UK
2022	<i>The Road Forward</i> , Sundaram Tagore Gallery, New York, USA <i>Untold Symphony</i> , Opera Gallery, Beirut, Lebanon
2019	<i>Let's Pretend Everything Is All Right</i> , Sundaram Tagore Gallery, New York, USA
2018	<i>A Long Line Without a Word</i> , Pearl Lam Galleries, Shanghai, China
2016	<i>Contemplations</i> , Sundaram Tagore Gallery, Gillman Barracks, Singapore <i>Line Khat</i> , The Third Line, Alserkal Avenue, Dubai, UAE
2015	<i>Golnaz Fathi: Every Breaking Wave</i> , Sundaram Tagore Gallery, Hong Kong, China
2014	<i>Dance Me to the End of Night</i> , October Gallery, London, UK
2013	<i>The Living Road</i> , Pearl Lam Galleries, Shanghai, China <i>Golnaz Fathi</i> , Sundaram Tagore Gallery, New York, USA <i>Falling Leaves</i> , The Third Line Gallery, Dubai, UAE
2010	<i>Liminal-Subliminal</i> , October Gallery, London, UK <i>Controlled Chaos</i> , The Third Line, Dubai, UAE <i>Ride Like the Wind</i> , Sultan Gallery, Kuwait City, Kuwait
2009	<i>Doha Series</i> , The Third Line, Doha, Qatar
2008	<i>My Freedom</i> , Xerxes Gallery, London, UK <i>Sleepless Nights</i> , The Third Line, Dubai, UAE
2007	<i>Beyond Words</i> , La Fontaine Centre of Contemporary Art, Manama, Bahrain
2006	<i>Golnaz Fathi</i> , The Third Line, Dubai, UAE
2005	<i>Golnaz Fathi</i> , Space SD, Beirut, Lebanon <i>Un-Written</i> , The Third Line, Dubai, UAE <i>Virtual Painting Exhibition</i> , Arte East (online) Espace SD, Beirut, Lebanon Maison des Jeunes et de la Culture de Neuilly, Neuilly-sur-Seine, France
2004	Agence Le Carré Bleu, Paris, France Galerie L'oeil du Huit, Paris, France Golestan Gallery, Tehran, Iran
2002	Golestan Gallery, Tehran, Iran
2000	Golestan Gallery, Tehran, Iran Shahr-e-Ketab Bookstore of Niavaran, Tehran, Iran
1999	Seyhoon Gallery, Tehran, Iran
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Selected Group Exhibitions

2024	<i>Transvanguard: Free Style Cipher</i> , October Gallery, London, UK
2023	<i>Abstraction</i> , Salons du Trocadero, Paris, France <i>Tint, Tone, Shade</i> , Sundaram Tagore Gallery, Singapore

The Orange River, Sixty Six London, London, UK
Meaning & Materiality: Art of and Inspired by Asia and the Subcontinent, Sundaram Tagore Gallery, New York, USA
Reorientation: The Space In-Between, Sundaram Tagore Gallery, Singapore
In Conversation: Historic and Recent Works by Women, Sundaram Tagore Gallery, New York, USA
2022 *Surface Appeal*, Sundaram Tagore Gallery, Singapore
20+, Sundaram Tagore Gallery, New York, USA
Spring Group Show, Sundaram Tagore Gallery, Singapore
2021 *Painting Unbound*, Online Exhibition, October Gallery, London, UK
2020 *Metamorphoses*, Pearl Lam Galleries, Shanghai, China
Sundaram Tagore Gallery Survey, Sundaram Tagore Gallery, Singapore
Atmospheres: Artists of the Transvanguard, October Gallery, London, UK
For Beirut with Love, Opera Gallery, Beirut, Lebanon
Winter Group Show, Sundaram Tagore Gallery, New York, USA
2019 *Writing Non-Writing*, 2019 Hangzhou International Contemporary Calligraphy Festival, Art Museum of China Academy of Art, Hangzhou, China
The Decorated Word: Writing and Picturing in Islamic Calligraphy, Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, USA
Dream No Small Dream: 40 Years of the Transvanguard, October Gallery, London, UK
Women's Work, Sundaram Tagore, Singapore
2018 *Crossfades and Drawn Forms*, Pearl Lam Galleries, Singapore
Transvanguard: Contemporary Art from Around the Planet, October Gallery, London, UK
2017 Sundaram Tagore, Gillman Barracks, Singapore
All Happens After Sunset..., MoCA Art Pavilion, Shanghai, China
Quotidian, Pearl Lam Galleries, Shanghai, China
2016 *Labyrinth(s)*, Pearl Lam Galleries, Hong Kong, China
In Silence, Pearl Lam Galleries, Singapore
2015 *Frontiers Reimagined: Art That Connects Us*, Museo di Palazzo Grimani Ramo Grimani, Venice, Italy
Writing Non-Writing, Museum of Contemporary Art, CAA, Hangzhou, China
International Calligraphy Exhibition, Wafi, Dubai, UAE
2014 *Approaches to Tradition: Neo-Traditionalism in Contemporary Iranian Art*, Tehran MOCA, Iran
Marked: Contemporary Takes on Mark-Making, Sundaram Tagore Gallery, Hong Kong, China; New York, USA
35 Years of Transvanguard: Contemporary Art from Around the Planet, October Gallery, London, UK
2013 *Nun Va Al Qalam: Contemporary Muslim Calligraphy*, The Islamic Arts Museum, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
Qalam: The Art of Beautiful Writing, Birmingham Museum, Birmingham, UK
To Be a Lady, An International Celebration of Women in the Arts, curated by Jason Andrew, Sundaram Tagore Gallery, Singapore
2012 *Alternative View: Three Generations of Iranian Women*, Mellat Gallery, Tehran, Iran
Written Images: Contemporary Calligraphy from the Middle East, Sundaram Tagore Gallery, Hong Kong, China
The Other Half of Iran, Sem-Art Gallery, Monaco
World Stories—Young Voices, Brighton Museum, Brighton, UK
Masters of the Transvanguard, October Gallery, London, UK
The Elephant in the Dark, Devi Art Foundation, New Delhi, India
2011 *Written Images: Contemporary Calligraphy from the Middle East*, Sundaram Tagore Gallery, New York, USA
The Art of Writing, Art Forum of Wiesbaden, Wiesbaden, Germany
Transvanguard: Contemporary Art from Around the World, October Gallery, London, UK
2010 *Iran Inside-Out*, Farjam Collection, Dubai, UAE
2009 Incheon International Women Artists Biennial, Incheon, South Korea
Iran Inside Out, Chelsea Art Museum, New York, USA
Selseleh/Zelseleh: Movers & Shakers in Contemporary Iranian Art, curated by Dr. Layla Diba, Leila Taghinia-Milani Heller Gallery, New York, USA
2008 *Look what love has done to us*, Cramer Gallery, Geneva, Switzerland
Word into Art: Artists of the Modern Middle East, British Museum at DIFC, curated by Venetia Porter, Dubai, UAE
2007 *Cutting Edge: Spotlight on the Avant-Garde of Emerging Countries*, Artcurial, Paris, France
Collected Memories, ArtSpace Gallery, London, UK

	<i>Within and Without</i> , No More Grey Gallery, London, UK
	Mah Gallery, Tehran, Iran
	Unnamed Gallery, Amman, Jordan
	<i>Wishes and Dreams</i> , Meridian International Centre, Washington, D.C., USA
	Niavaran Artistic Creation Foundation, Tehran, Iran
2006	<i>Transit</i> , Istanbul Improvisation Days, Istanbul, Turkey
	Don O'Melveny Gallery, Los Angeles, USA
	<i>Word into Art: Artists of the Modern Middle East</i> , The British Museum, London, UK
	9th International Open Exhibition, Woman Made Gallery, Chicago, USA
2005	Espace SD, Beirut, Lebanon
	Mah Gallery, Tehran, Iran
	Italian School of Tehran, Tehran, Iran
2004	Depot Square Gallery, Boston, USA
	Elga Wimmer Gallery, New York, USA
	Fatima Gallery, Tehran, Iran
	Italian School of Tehran, Tehran, Iran
	Royal Mirage Hotel, Dubai, UAE
2003	Williams Tower Gallery, Houston, USA
	6th Tehran Contemporary Painting Biennial, Museum of Contemporary Art, Tehran, Iran
	Italian School of Tehran, Tehran, Iran
	The National Arts Club, New York City, USA
	Lo Sguardo Di Luce, Padova, Italy
	<i>New Art from Iran</i> , Art Centre of Plano, Plano, Texas, USA; Museum of Arts and Science, Daytona Beach, Florida, USA
2002	Golestan Gallery, Tehran, Iran
	Don O'Melveny Gallery, Los Angeles, USA
	<i>New Art from Iran</i> , Art Museum of Southeast Texas, Beaumont, Texas, USA; Queen Library Gallery, Jamaica, New York, USA
2001	La Maison du Livre, Brussels, Belgium
	Hôtel de Ville de Saint-Gilles, Saint-Gilles, Belgium
	Golestan Gallery, Tehran, Iran
	Courtyard Gallery, Dubai, UAE
	Meridian International Centre, Washington, D.C., USA
2000	Azteca Gallery, Madrid, Spain
	Seyhoon Gallery, Tehran, Iran
1998	Seyhoon Gallery, Tehran, Iran
1997	1st Islamic World Calligraphy Festival, Museum of Contemporary Art, Tehran, Iran
	Seyhoon Gallery, Tehran, Iran
1996	Reza Abbassi Museum, Tehran, Iran
	Seyhoon Gallery, Tehran, Iran
1995	Exhibition of Art University Students, Museum of Contemporary Art, Tehran, Iran
1994	Exhibition for Iranian Women Painters, Turkey
1993	2nd Painting and Miniature Exhibition, Tehran Exhibition Centre, Tehran, Iran
	2nd Tehran Contemporary Painting Biennial, Museum of Contemporary Art, Tehran, Iran

Grants and Awards

2012	Visiting artist at "Art Campus", Meissen Porcelain Factory, Meissen, Germany
2011	Chosen as a Young Global Leader – World Economic Forum, Geneva, Switzerland
2010	Sharjah Calligraphy Biennial, UAE – Selection Committee
2007	Residence scholarship, Fabbrica, Treviso, Italy
2004	Residence scholarship, Cité Internationale des Arts, Paris, France
2003	Residence scholarship, Cité Internationale des Arts, Paris, France
1995	Best Woman Calligraphist in Ketabat Style, Iranian Society of Calligraphy, Tehran, Iran
1993	Diploma of Honour in Graphics and Painting, Museum of Contemporary Art, Tehran, Iran

Selected Public Collections

Asian Civilisations Museum, Singapore
Brighton & Hove Museum, Brighton, UK
The British Museum, London, UK
Carnegie Mellon University in Doha, Qatar
Devi Art Foundation, New Delhi, India
The Farjam Collection, Dubai, UAE
Islamic Art Museum, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, USA
Salsali Foundation, Dubai, UAE
World Bank, Washington, D.C., USA