

# SHADI GHADIRIAN

Born in 1974, Tehran, Iran  
Lives and works in Tehran, Iran

## SOLO EXHIBITIONS

**2016**

Like Every Day And Nil Nil, AB43 Contemporary, Zurich  
(Switzerland)

**2015**

Shadi Ghadirian – Rétrospective, Bibliothèque de la Part  
Dieu, Lyon  
The Others Me, Officine dell'Immagine, Milan, Italy  
Shadi Ghadirian: a retrospective, Dar al Funoon Gallery,  
Kuwait  
Shadi Ghadirian, Robert Klein Gallery, Boston, (USA)

**2013**

Miss Butterfly, Lakeeren Gallery, Mumbai

**2012**

Shadi Ghadirian, Podbielski Contemporary, Berlin  
Shadi Ghadirian: Voices of The Other Half, Rossi & Rossi  
Ltd, London  
The International Photo Festival, Kusadasi, Turkey

**2011**

West by East, Queen Gallery, Toronto  
Miss Butterfly, Silk Road Gallery, Tehran

**2010**

Shadi Ghadirian - Solo, The Guild Art Gallery, Mumbai

**2009**

Aeroplastics Contemporary, Belgium  
FCG Duesseldorf, Germany  
Co2 Gallery, Rom  
Boudin Lebon Gallery, Paris

**2008**

Los Angeles County Muesum of Art, California  
Silk Rad, Tehran  
Tasweer Gallery, India

**2007**

B21 Gallery, Dubai  
Photography Festival of Istanbul, Turkey

## SHADI GHADIRIAN

**2006**

French Cultural Center, Damascus, Syria  
Al mamal Foundation2, Jerusalem, Palestine

**2002**

Villa Moda, Kuwait

**2001**

Exhibition of Fnac, France

**1999**

Golestan Gallery, Tehran

### GROUP EXHIBITIONS

**2016**

Into View, Queensland Art Gallery / Gallery of Modern Art,  
Brisbane, QLD  
Islamic Art Now, Contemporary Art of the Middle East, Part  
II, Los Angeles County Museum of Art - LACMA, Los  
Angeles, CA  
Daegu Photo Biennale 2016, EXCO, Daegu  
Parallel Vienna 2016, Parallel Vienna, Vienna  
Burnt Generation: Contemporary Iranian Photography,  
Museum of Contemporary Photography (MoCP), Chicago,  
(USA)  
She Who Tells a Story: Women Photographers from Iran  
and the Arab World, National Museum of Women in the Arts,  
Washington, DC (USA)  
Miradas paralelas. Irán-España: fotografías en el espejo,  
Museo de Arte Contemporáneo, Madrid  
Defilages- Gender & Ae´rt Textile aujourd'hui, Galerie  
100Titres, Brussels  
Iran Art Now!, Setareh Gallery, Dusseldorf

**2015**

Flashback, Haleh Gallery, Berg am Starnberger See  
The Eye of the Shah: Qajar Court Photography and the  
Persian Past, Institute for the Study of the Ancient World,  
New York City, NY  
She Who Tells a Story: Women Photographers from Iran  
and the Arab World, Carnegie Museum of Art, Pittsburg, PA  
Humble me, AEROPLASTICS contemporary, Brussels  
She Who Tells a Story: Women Photographers from Iran  
and the Arab World, Cantor Arts Center at Stanford  
University, Stanford, CA  
Too early, too late: Middle East and Modernity, Pinacoteca  
Nazionale di Bologna, Bologna  
Burnt Generation - The Founders, Gallery at The Military  
Museums, Calgary, AB  
56th Venice Biennale, The Great Game – Iranian Pavilion,  
Venice, Italy

## SHADI GHADIRIAN

Cherchez l'erreur, Institut des Cultures d'Islam, Paris,  
France

SELF: Portraits of Artists in Their Absence, National  
Academy Museum, New York, NYC, USA

### 2014

Voice of Tacitness: Asian Women Photography, Hong Kong  
Arts Centre, Hong Kong

Iran\_Rio Art Connection, Largo Das Artes, Rio de Janeiro

Majority World Photo, Gulf Photo Plus (GPP), Dubai

The Middle East Revealed: A Female Perspective, Howard  
Greenberg Gallery, New York City, NY

Contemporary Iranian Photography, Fine Arts Gallery of Cal  
State L.A., Los Angeles, CA

Burnt Generation, Somerset House, London

Full House - 15 Years of Inventory and Exhibitions at  
Aeroplastics Contemporary, AEROPLASTICS  
contemporary, Brussels

Displacement, Silk Road Gallery, Tehran

The winter video art (Iran And Japan), Azad Art Gallery,  
Tehran

### 2013

Photography Art: Beginning a Collection, Silk Road Gallery,  
Tehran

She Who Tells a Story - Women Photographers from Iran  
and the Arab World, MFA - Museum of Fine Arts, Boston

L'éveil Du Moyen Orient, Galerie Mark Hachem, Paris

Identity, Haleh Gallery, Berg am Starnberger See

Harem Fantasies and the New Sheherzades, CCCB -  
Centre de Cultura Contemporània de Barcelona

### 2012

AKS: Pictorial Representations from Iran, Rose Issa  
Projects, London

Light from the Middle East: About the Exhibition, Victoria &  
Albert Museum - V&A, London

Social Order: Women Photographers from Iran, India and  
Afghanistan, Photographic Center Northwest, Seattle

The Other Half Of Iran, SEM-ART Gallery, Monaco

The Fertile Crescent: Gender, Art and Society, Princeton  
University Art Museum, Princeton

Iranian Arts Now, Cité Internationale des Arts, Paris

Green: A Spring Hanging, Rose Issa Projects, London

Iranian Perspectives: A Group Show, Richard Young  
Gallery, London

The elephant in the dark, Devi Art Foundation, Gurgaon  
Evreux, Maison des Arts, France

Tbilisi Photo Festival, Georgia

Museum of contemporary art, Isfahan, Iran

Majority World, Guardian Gallery, London

Biennial of Fashion Photography, Varazdin, Croatia

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### 2011

The Pool, Mohsen Gallery, Tehran  
THEO LENDERS 1955-2011, Odapark Venray - Centrum  
hedendaagse kunst, Venray  
Pulso Iraniano, Oi Futuro, Rio de Janeiro  
PHotoEspaña 2011 - PHotoEspaña, Madrid  
Summer Group Show - Artists Of The Gallery, Podbielski  
Contemporary, Berlin  
Idols and Icons, YAVUZ Fine Art, Singapore  
Miragens, Centro Cultural Banco do Brasil - CCBB - Brasília  
Zendegi: Twelve Contemporary Iranian Artists, Beirut  
Exhibition Center, Beirut  
Of women's modesty and anger, Villa Empain - Boghossian  
Foundation, Brussels  
Staging Identity, Kashya Hildebrand - Zürich  
Miragens, Instituto Tomie Ohtake, São Paulo  
Miragens, Centro Cultural Banco do Brasil - CCBB - São  
Paulo  
The French Cultural Center in Yangon, Burma  
Cool Art Café, Brussels  
Artespacio CAF, Bolivia  
Tehran Monoxide Project, Kherad School, Tehran

### 2010

La Route de la Soie, Tri Postal, Lille  
Miragens, Centro Cultural Banco do Brasil - CCBB - Rio de  
Janeiro, Rio de Janeiro  
Recent Self-portraits, Silk Road Gallery, Tehran  
Barakat: The Gift, Stux Gallery, New York City  
Stare at the Other Side, Albareh Art Gallery, Manama  
Tehran-New York, Leila Heller Gallery, New York City  
The Promise of Loss. A Contemporary Index of Iran, Arario  
New York, New York City  
Cmooa Gallery, Morocco  
Festival Images, Vevey, Switzerland  
IRAN: Preview of the past, University of Applied Arts, Vienna  
Act of Faith, Abdijdmuseum Ten Duinen' in Koksijde,  
Belgium

### 2009

Mall Gallery, Masques of Shahrzad, London  
Group photo exhibition, Italian School, Tehran  
165 years of Iranian Photography, Du Quai Branly Museum,  
Paris  
Routes, Waterhouse & Dodd Gallery, London  
Guild Art Gallery, New York  
Galerie Ernst Hilger, Austria  
Arario Gallery New York

### 2008

Word Into Art, DIFC, Dubai  
Cramer Contemporary, Switzerland  
Exprmntl gallery, Toulouse, France

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### 2007

Noorderlicht photofestival, Netherlands  
La Paz, Bolivia  
San Diego Convention Centre, California  
Silk Road, Tehran

### 2006

Blessed are the Merciful, Feigen Contemporary, New York  
Artspace Witzgenhausen , Amsterdam  
The Veiled Mirror, Contemporary Iranian Photography, De Santos Gallery, Houston, Texas,  
Word into Art : Artists of the Modern Middle East, The British Museum, London,  
Image of Middle East, dccd, Denmark  
Ey Iran, Contemporary Iranian Photography, Gold Coast City Art Gallery, Australia  
Representation and Use of the Body in Art, Galerie Helene Lamarque, Paris  
Le Rectangle, Lyon, France  
Selyemes Fenyek, Budapest  
Inaugura en Tucumán, Mexico

### 2005

How eastern look at western, CCCB, Barcelona  
Rebel mind Gallery, Berlin  
Foto Art Festival, Poland  
Group Exhibition, After the revolution, Sansebastian, Spain  
Aeroplastics Gallery, Belgium  
N Gallery, Georgia  
Galata Fotografhanesi, Istanbul  
Boudin Lebon Gallery, Paris  
Third Line Gallery, Dubai

### 2004

San Jose Museum of Art, New York  
The House of World Cultures, Berlin  
Photo Biennale of Moscow, Russia  
Parliament of Brussels  
Photo Biennale of Luxemburg  
Chobi Mella 3, Bangladesh

### 2003

Harem Fantasies and the new Scheherzades, Spain and France  
Sharjah International Biennial 6, Sharjah  
Women in Orient - Women in Occident, Germany  
Konstmuseum Gutenberg, Sweden  
Ville De Bologna, France  
Veil exhibition, The new Art Gallery, Walsall, Liverpool, Oxford, England  
Sorbonne University, Paris

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**2002**

Silk Road Gallery, Tehran  
The Museum of Contemporary Art, Tehran  
Thssaloniki Museum of Photography (Glimpses Of Iran),  
Greece

**2001**

A Space Gallery, Toronto  
Barbican Art Center (Iranian Contemporary Art), London  
Photospania Festival, Spain  
Regards Persans, Espace Electra, Paris

**2002**

Inheritance, Leiton House Museum, London  
Nikolaj Contemporary Art Center Copenhagen, Denmark  
Ballymena Arts Festival, Northern Ireland  
The House of World Cultures, Berlin  
The Iranian Women's Studies Foundation, Worth Ryder  
Gallery at University of California, Berkeley

**1999**

Leighton House Museum, London

**1998**

Sooreh International photo exhibition, Tehran  
Barg Gallery, Tehran

**1997**

Group Exhibition (About Children) Aria Gallery, Tehran  
Tehran International Documentary Photo exhibition, Tehran