

MITRA SAMAVAKI

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EDUCATION

- 2023 MFA in Photography, University of Calgary, Calgary, Canada
- 2013 BFA in Sculpture, Tehran University of Art, Tehran, Iran
- 2006 Diploma in Graphic Design, Modarres School of Art, Tehran, Iran

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2023 ***A Homesick World***, Nickle Gallery, Calgary, Canada
- 2022 ***Somewhere In Between***, Little Gallery, University of Calgary, Calgary, Canada
Home-coming, Little Gallery, University of Calgary, Calgary, Canada
Homesick World, The Calgary Central Library in Collaboration with ICAI, Calgary, Canada
Neither here nor there, Gallery 621, University of Calgary, Calgary, Canada
- 2021 ***Memory objects***, Gallery 621, University of Calgary, Calgary, Canada

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2024 ***"I Speak Art III,"*** +15 Galleries, Arts Commons, Calgary, Alberta
The Artist's Lens 2024: Body, The Alberta Society of Artists Gallery, Calgary, Alberta
- 2023 ***"Home and Migration,"*** The Alberta Society of Artists Gallery, Calgary, Canada
"Home and Migration," Art Gallery of Alberta, Edmonton, Canada
Exposure Photography Festival, Contemporary Calgary, Calgary, Canada
The Artist's Lens 2023: Manifesting the Hidden, The Alberta Society of Artists Gallery, Calgary, Canada
Infocus photo Exhibition: Bringing joy, Wild Skies Art Gallery, The Renaissance Edmonton Airport Hotel, Edmonton, Canada
- 2022 ***"Migration,"*** Online, Analog Forever Magazine
- 2018 ***15th Image of the Year Exhibition***, Iranian Artist's house, Tehran, Iran
- 2017 ***"Tehran Identity,"*** Hooner house, Tehran, Iran
- 2016 ***The 2nd International Photography Festival of Tehran Milad Tower***, Milad Tower Gallery, Tehran, Iran
The photo is also exhibited in Milad Tower Permanent Art Exhibition.
"Monologue," Shenakht Gallery, Tehran, Iran

AWARDS/ SCHOLARSHIPS/ HONORS

- 2023 InFocus Photo Emerging photographer Award Winner, Canada
- 2022 Alberta Foundation for the Arts Graduate Scholarships, Canada
Artist of the Month Of The Immigrant Council for Arts Innovation (ICAI), Canada
Interview with CKUA: Alberta's Radio Network, Canada
Candidates of The Alberta Society of Artists Scholarships 2022, Canada

RESIDENCIES

- 2024 IAACC Artist in Residency in partnership with FUSE33 Makerspace, Calgary, Alberta