

Leila Seyedzadeh

B.1986 Tehran, Iran. She lives and works in Brooklyn, New York.

Education

2019 - MFA Painting and Printmaking, Yale University School of Art, New Haven, CT

2014 - BA Painting, The University of Science and Culture, Tehran, Iran

Awards & Residencies

2024 - Here & There Collective, That Studio Residency, New York

2020 - Nars Foundation Residency, New York

- NYFA Immigrant Artist Mentoring Program, New York

2019 - H. Lee Hirsche Prize, Yale School of Art, New Haven, CT

2018 - SOMA Summer, Mexico City, Mexico

- CCAM Graduate Fellow, Center for Collaborative Arts and Media, Yale University, CT

2013 - The 7th annual "New Generation of Painters in Iran" Shirin Gallery, Tehran, Iran

Solo Exhibition

2025 – *Under the Sky, Above the Sea*, Visual Art Center, New Jersey, (forthcoming)

2023 - *Under the Same Sky*, 99 Scott, New York

2022- *Hoch Wie Nie: Imaginary Landscapes and the Creatures Who Live There*, Peter Gaugy Gallery, Vienna, Austria

2020 - *An Absent View*, The Border Project Space, Brooklyn, New York

2017 - *Suspended Mountain*, Dastan Gallery, Electric Room, Tehran, Iran

Selected Group Exhibitions

2024 - *Who Is Weaving the Sky's Nest*, Yeo Workshop, Singapore (forthcoming)

- Untitled Art Fair, Transmitter Gallery, Miami (forthcoming)

2023 - *Enmeshed, Dreams of Water*, Immigrant Artist Biennial, New York

- *Conjuring Flames*, Arsenal Contemporary Art, New York

- *4.5 Billion Years*, Brief Histories, New York

2022 - *Vector*, Heaven Gallery, Chicago

- *Naked Lunch*, Spring break art show, New York

2021 - *Our Tears are Sweet, Our Laughter Venomous*, Eastern Connecticut State University

- *A Discourse of Accord*, Transmitter Gallery, New York

- *Shifting Sands*, ChaShaMa, New York

- *The Invincible Beings*, FPC Gallery, New York

2020 - *Memories, tales, and folk songs*, High Line Nine Gallery, New York

- *Memory Manifests*, Didar Art Collective, Chicago-based Iranian art collective

- *In/Between*, The Ford Foundation Gallery, New York

2019 - *Subversive Stitch*, WhiteBox, New York

- *Yale Painting MFA Show*, New Release Gallery, New York

- *Le Gymnasium Sacre*, Art Dubai, Dastan Gallery, Dubai, EAU

2018 - *Words Cannot Express*, Green Hall Gallery, New Haven, CT

- *Paperweight biennale*, Mexico City, Mexico

2017 - *You Can Get In And Not Do Anything*, Green Hall Gallery, New Haven, CT

2016 - *Agog*, Dastan Gallery, Tehran, Iran

2013 - The 7th annual "*New Generation of Painters in Iran*" Ahvaz Contemporary Art Museum, Ahvaz, Iran

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Curatorial project

2023 – *Woman, life, freedom: Iran Today* Symposium, Pratt Institute, New York

2022 - *The Sky is Higher Here*, Group exhibition, Transmitter Gallery, New York

Artist Talk & Panels

2024 – Panelist - *Justice, Equity, Sustainability & the Performing Arts Panel*, Brooklyn Arts Council

2023 – Speaker - *Enmeshed, Dreams of Water*, Immigrant artist biennial, Nars Foundation

2021 – Speaker - *Criticism + value – V*, RISD University, Providence, R

2021 - Speaker - *Shifting Sands*, ChaShaMa, New York

2020 - Speaker - *In Between the Shadows of the Sky*, Space without Walls, Gent, Belgium

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