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# **GIGI SCARIA**

b. 1973, in Kerala, India

### **EDUCATION**

- 1998 M.F.A. (Painting), Jamia Millia University, New Delhi, India
- 1995 B.F.A.(Painting), College of Fine Arts, Thiruvananthapuram, India

#### **SOLO EXHIBITIONS**

- 2021 No Stone Unturned, In Touch Edition VI, Chemould Prescott Road, Mumbai, India
- 2018 Ecce Homo, D-53 Defence Colony, New Delhi, India
- 2017 All About This Side, Aicon Gallery, New York, USA
- 2015 The Ark, Chemould Prescott Road, Mumbai, India
- 2013 Dust, Ian Potter Museum of Art, Melbourne University, Australia
- **2010** *Open windows closed boundaries*, Dubai Art Fair, Chemould Prescott Road, Mumbai, India
- 2009 Amusement Park, Chemould Prescott Road, Mumbai, India
- 2009 Settlement, curated by Jamila Adeli, Galerie Christain Hosp, Berlin, Germany
- 2008 Difficult to Imagine, Easy to construct, Art Asia Miami, USA
- **2008** Site under construction, Video Space, Budapest, Hungary
- 2008 New Perspective from India, Seoul/Delhi, H Cube Gallery, Seoul, South Korea
- **2008** *Triviality of everyday existence*, The National Art Studio, Changdong, Seoul, South Korea
- 2008 Palette Art Gallery, New Delhi, India
- 2007 Absence of an Architect, Palette Gallery, New Delhi, India
- **2005** Where are the Amerindians, Inter America Space, CCA7, Trinidad & Tobago, West Indies
- 2001 Recent Works, Art Inc., New Delhi, India

### **GROUP EXHIBITIONS**

- 2022 A Handful of Dust, D-53 Defence Colony, New Delhi, India
- 2022 Modus Operandi III: Together Alone, Chemould Prescott Road, Mumbai, India
- 2022 New Media Focus, presented by Chemould Prescott Road, SOUTH SOUTH Veza 02, Online
- 2021 On|Site|Entry Only, presented by Chemould Prescott Road Bikaner House, New Delhi, India
- **2020** *Photo/Concept*, In Touch Edition II, presented by Chemould Prescott Road, Mumbai, India, Online
- 2018 Modus Operandi, Chemould Prescott Road, Mumbai, India
- 2016 Time, Cities That Climb To The Sky, Lumeir Sculpture Park, Missouri, USA

- 2015 A Summer Mix, Chemould Prescott Road, Mumbai, India
- Looking In/Looking Out: Contemporary Indian Photography from the Gaur Collection, Stephen D Paine Gallery, Boston, USA
- 2015 Constructs Constructions, KNMA, New Delhi, India
- 2015 Sights and Sounds: India, The Jewish Museum, New York, USA
- *In search of lost time*, curated by Ronit Eden, Castrum Peregrini, Amsterdam, Netherlands
- 2014 St. Moritz Art Masters 2014, curated by Birgid Uccia, Engadin, Switzerland
- *Multiplicity City as subject/matter*, Belfast, Hong Kong, New Delhi, New York, Tel Aviv, Israel
- *Tirana and beyond*, curated by Marco Antonini Nurture Art Gallery, New York, USA
- *Incidents of Phenomena*, curated by Veeranganakumari Solanki, Spazio Cerere, Rome, Italy
- Forms of Activism / Sahmat, curated by Vivan and Sasha, Lalit Kala Akademi, New Delhi; Ravendra Bhavan, Bhopal, India
- 2014 Sacred/Scared, curated by Nancy Adajania, Gallery Latitude 28, New Delhi, India
- *Citizens of Time*, curated by Veerangana Solanki, Dhaka Art Summit, Dhaka, Bangladesh
- **2013** Aesthetic Bind: Citizen Artist: forms of address, curated by Geeta Kapur, Chemould Prescott Road, Mumbai, India
- 2013 Changwon Asian Art Festival, Changwon, South Korea
- Organic dreams of electric sheep: Image, Empathy and Pulse: After Philip K. Dick, Guild Art Gallery, Mumbai, India
- 2013 Poseurs: An exhibition of photographs, Sakshi Gallery, Mumbai, India
- *Spell of Spill: Utopia of Ecology*, curated by Veerangana Solanki, Palette Art Gallery, New Delhi, India
- France Heritage A photographic voyage of French heritage in India, Alliance Francaise New Delhi Ahemdabad, Hyderabad, Pondicherry; Lalit Kala Academy Chennai; National Gallery of Modern Art Bangalore, India
- The Sahmat Collective: Art and Activism in India Since 1989, Smart Museum Chicago, USA
- 2013 City Unclaimed, Smart Museum Chicago, USA
- Whose History? Which Stories?, curated by Oindrilla Maity Surai, Shrine Empire Gallery, New Delhi, India
- *Critical Mass: Contemporary Art from India*, curated by Tami Katz Freimann and Rotem Tuff, Tel Aviv Museum of Art, Israel
- Banner Project ET4U Contemporary Visual Arts project, curated by Klavs Weiss Vestjylland, Denmark
- Sub –Topical Heat: New Art from South Asia, curated by Rhana Devenport, Govett Brewster Art Gallery, New Plymouth, New Zealand
- 2012 A further Global Encounter, Grosvenor Vadehra, London, UK
- The Needle on the Gauge The Testimonial Image in the work of seven Indian Artists, curated by Ranjit Hoskote, CACSA- Oz Asia Festival, Adelaide, Australia

- **2012** To Let the World In, curated by Chaitanya Sambran, Lalitkala Academy Gallery, Chennai, India
- **2012** Cynical Love: Life in the everyday, curated by Gayatri Sinha, Kiran Nadar Museum of Art, New Delhi, India
- 2011 Yamuna Elbe Project, curated by Ravi Aggarwal, New Delhi, India
- 2011 India side by side, curated by Tereza de Arruda, Centro Cultural Banco do Brasil, Rio De Janeiro, SESC Belenzinho, Sao Paulo, Brazil
- **2011** Window in the Wall: India and China- Imaginary Conversations, curated by Gayatri Sinha, Pearl Lam Fine Art Gallery, Shanghai
- 2011 Red, Palette Gallery, New Delhi, India
- **2011** Everyone agrees: it's about to explode, curated by Ranjit Hoskote, India Pavillion, 54th Venice Biennale, Venice, Italy
- 2011 Crossroads: India Escalate, curated by Kanchi Mehta, Prague Biennale, Prague
- **2011** *Tolstoy Farm: Archive of Utopia*, curated by Gayatri Sinha, Lalit Kala Akademi, New Delhi, India
- 2011 3rd Singapore Biennale, curated by Russell Storer and Trevor Smith, Singapore
- **2010** Freedom to March, curated by Johny M L AND Anubhav Nath, Rabindra Bhavan, New Delhi, India
- **2010** FIAC Art fair, Paris, France, represented by Video Space, Budapest, Hungary
- **2010** West Havens: Place time play: India China Contemporary Art, curated by Chitanya Sambrani, Shanghai, China
- 2010 Finding India, Museum of Contemporary Art (MOCA), Taipei, Taiwan
- **2010** Samtidigt Indian Contemporary Art Exhibition, Helsinki City Art Museum, Finland, Kulturhuset, Stockholm
- **2010** Emerging Asian Artists, curated by Yongwoo Lee, Art Gwangju, KimDaeJung Convention Centre, Gwangju, South Korea
- **2010** *Indian (sub) way*, curated by Yashodhara Dalmia, Grosvenor Vadehra London, UK
- 2010 Constructed Realities, curated by Gayatri Sinha, The Guild Gallery, Mumbai, India
- **2010** *Invisible Cities*, Aicon Gallery, New York, USA
- 2010 Video Art India, curated by Luissa Ortinez, Fundacio la Caixa, Barcelona, Spain
- **2010** The Black Cube, video art festival curated by Johny M L, International Documentary Film Festival, Trivandrum, India
- 2010 The Way We Are, curated by Oindrilla Maity, Mon Art Gallery, Calcutta, India
- **2010** *Snow*, curated by Ranjit Hoskote, Palette Art Gallery, New Delhi, Tao Art Gallery, Mumbai, India
- 2010 By George, curated by Gitanjali Dang, Alliance Franciase, New Delhi, India
- 2010 Volta Art Fair New York, Video Space, Budapest, Hungary
- 2010 Video, curated by Johny M L, Silvassa Art Gallery, India
- 2009 Marvelous Reality, curated by Sunil Mehra, Gallery Espace, New Delhi, India
- 2009 If I were a saint, curated by Johny M L, Travencore Art Gallery, New Delhi, India
- 2009 Lost in the urban maze, Palette Gallery, New Delhi, India
- **2009** What makes India urban?, curated By Anand Patel, Aedes Gallery Berlin, Germany
- 2009 A new Vanguard, Guild New York, Saffron Art, New York, USA

- 2009 Expressions, Tihar, Ojas Art, Matighar, IGNCA, New Delhi, India
- **2009** In Focus Contemporary Indian Photography, Crimson Art Gallery, Bangalore, India
- 2009 Poetic Documentary, Aicon Gallery, London, UK
- 2009 India Art Summit, Pragati Maidan, New Delhi, India
- 2009 ARCO Art Fair, Madrid, Spain
- 2009 Relative Visa, curated by Bose Krishnamachari, Bodhi Art Mumbai, India
- 2009 BAPU, curated by Gayatri Sinha, Saffron Art, Mumbai, India
- 2008 Video Zone-4, The 4th International video art Biennial, Tel Aviv, Israel
- 2008 Mam Screen, Mori Art Museum, Tokyo, Japan
- 2008 India Moderna, Ivam Museum, Valencia, Spain
- 2008 Chalo India, Mori Art Museum, Tokyo, Japan
- 2008 Videomix India, La Casa Encendida, Madrid, Spain
- 2008 Popular Reality, The Stainless, New Delhi, India
- **2008** Indiavata (India + Avatar), Contemporary Artists from India, Gallery SUN Contemporary, Seoul, South Korea
- **2008** Young Contemporary Indian Artists, 1x1 Gallery, Dubai
- **2008** Walk on line, curated by Ranjita Chaney, Avanthay Contemporary, Zurich, Switzerland
- **2008** *Click! Contemporary Photography in India*, curated by Sunil Gupta and Radhika Singh, Vadehra Art Gallery, New Delhi, India
- 2008 Who knows Mr. Gandhi?, Aicon Gallery, London, UK
- 2007 Re-visioning Materiality, Gallery Espace, New Delhi, India
- 2007 City Cite Site, Anant Art Gallery, New Delhi, India
- 2007 Rasa Manthan: The Thematic Art Installations, New Delhi, India
- 2007 Sign2007, video and documentary film festival, Kerala, India
- 2007 Frieze Art Fair, Khoj pavilion, London, UK
- **2007** Here There Now, Contemporary Art from India, Soulflower Gallery, Bangkok, Thailand
- **2007** Public Places/Private Spaces: Contemporary Photography and Video Art in India, curated by Gayatri Sinha, The Newark Museum, New Jersey, USA
- 2007 After Shock Conflict, Violence and Resolution in Contemporary Art, curated by Yasmin Zahir in collaboration with Matthew Shaul and the UH Galleries, Sainsbury Centre, UK
- 2007 Indian Photo and Media Art: A Journey of Discovery Exhibition, Vienna, Austria
- **2007** Horn Please: Narratives in Contemporary Indian Art, Kunstmuseam Bern, Switzerland
- 2007 Reading Paint, Gallery Soulflower, Bangkok, Thailand
- 2007 Dreaming Childhood, Leap Years, New Delhi, India
- **2007** *Making History Our Own*, Organized by SAHMAT, AIFACS gallery, New Delhi, India
- 2007 Young & Free, Intercontinental, New Delhi, India
- 2007 World Social Forum, Nairobi, Kenya
- 2006 Rock, curated by Himanshu Desai, Kitab Mehal, Mumbai, India
- 2006 Rencontres Internationales Paris/Berlin 2006, Paris, France; Berlin, Germany

- 2006 Paper Flute, curated by Johny M.L, Gallery Espace, New Delhi, India
- **2006** *Impossible India*, curated by Nina Montmann, Frankfurt Kunstverein, Frankfurt, Germany
- **2006** Ghost in the machine and other stories, curated by Pooja Sood, Apeejay Media Gallery, Delhi, India
- 2006 Real 2006, Visual Art Gallery, New Delhi, India
- 2006 Dilli Dur Ast, New Delhi, India
- 2006 Art for Prabhat, Visual Art Gallery, New Delhi, India
- 2006 Infinite-Us, Planet Art Gallery, Gurgaon, Haryana
- 2006 Art in Cinema, Habitat Center, New Delhi, India
- 2005 Eternal Recurrence Return, Shangrila Hotel, New Delhi, India
- 2005 Double Enders, Jehangir Art Gallery, Mumbai, India
- **2005** Self x Social Self stranger parent resource worker, curated by Geeta Kapur, School of Arts and Aesthetics Gallery, New Delhi, India
- **2005** Are we like this only?, curated by Vidya Shivdas, Rabindra Bhavan, New Delhi, India
- 2005 Ko Video, Durban International Film Festival, Durban, South Africa
- 2004 Journeys, Visual Arts Gallery, New Delhi, India
- 2004 Median, Epiques Gallery, New Delhi, India
- 2004 Between Rivers, C-28 West End, New Delhi, India
- 2004 Making of India, Rabindrabhavan, New Delhi, India
- **2003** Crossing Generations diverge: 40 years of Gallery Chemould, curated by Geeta Kapur and Chaitanya Sambrani National Gallery of Modern Art, Mumbai, India
- **2003** *Indians + Cowboys*, curated by Ruth Watson, Gallery 4A, Asian-Australia Arts Center, Sydney, Australia
- 2003 Arting Jerusalem, Jerusalem, Israel
- 2003 Shisha, Sanskriti Pratistan, New Delhi, India
- 2003 Invasions, Palm Court Gallery, New Delhi, India
- 2002 Photographica, Cittadellarte, Biella, Italy
- 2002 Circo Fragile, Pavia University, Lombardy, Italy
- 2002 Unidee in Progress, Pistoletto Foundation, Biella, Italy

## **RESIDENCIES/PROJECTS**

- 2008 Installation in collaboration with Dave Luise, organized by Sainsbury Centre for Visual Art, University of East Anglia, Norwich, UK
- **2007–08** The National Art Studio, National Museum of Contemporary Art, Seoul, South Korea
- 2005 CCA7 (Caribbean Contemporary Arts), Trinidad & Tobago, West Indies
- 2004 KHOJ Studios, New Delhi, India
- 2002 Unidee Residency Program, Cittadellarte Fondazione Pistoletto, Biella, Italy

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

- **2013–14** 50 Years of Contemporary Art
- 2009 Amusement Park

The artist lives and works in New Delhi.