

ARARAT SARKISSIAN

- 1956** Born in Gyumri, Armenia. Lives in Yerevan, Armenia
- 1971** Studies at the School of Fine - Arts, Gyumri
- 1975** Graduates from Panos Terlemezian Fine Arts College - Yerevan

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2006** "TGAA Marzuki Gallery" - Chicago, USA
- 2004** 4th Biennale of Gyumri
- 2003** "Where to search for a painting...or who is Leylandson" First Flour Gallery - Yerevan
- 2002** Multitude, Artist Space - New York
- 2001** Contemporary Art of Armenia, Museum of Contemporary Art - Teheran, Iran
- 1999** "Stream of Fire, New Art from Armenia", Jordan National Gallery - Amman, Jordan
- 1999** "Art in Action", Waterperry House - Oxford, UK
- 1999** "With Many Voices," Fourth Presbyterian Church - Chicago, Illinois, USA
- 1998** "Inscription: Post Factum", ACCEA - Yerevan
- 1997** "Dreams & Visions," Westin Hotel - Chicago, Illinois, USA
- 1997** International Print Exhibition, Gilkey Center Portland Art Museum - Portland, Oregon, US
- 1996** "Les Chants de la Mer, "Museum Cantini - Marseille, France
- 1996** Palais de Congres et de Culture, La mans -France
- 1995** Palais de Justice, Poitiers - France
- 1995** "Stream of Fire, New Art From Armenia, "Agios Andreas Old Market, European Cultural Month-Nicosia, Cyprus
- 1995** "Contemporary Art of Armenia 80-95,"Central House of Artist – Moscow, RF
- 1994** Exhibition-Auction: "Artists of Armenia and Diaspora," City of Paris - France
- 1994** "Contemporary Art of Armenia, 'Columned House of Unions - Moscow, RF
- 1994** "Personal Icon, "Ex-Voto Art Center - Yerevan
- 1993** "Beyond Idiom-Contemporary Crossover Art in Armenia,' American University of Armenia -Yerevan
- 1992** "Contemporary Armenia Artists, "University of Kassel - Germany
- 1991** "New Tendency, "Goyak Gallery, House of Artist - Yerevan
- 1990** "Young Soviet Art,5+1,"Moscow and Armenische Avantgarde - Kassel, Germany
- 1989** "Soviet Art," - Madrid, Spain
- 1987** Japan International Artists Society + Soviet Artists - Tokyo, Japan

ONE-MAN EXHIBITIONS

- 2005** First Floor Gallery "Paper-cross-stone" -Armenia, Yerevan
- 2005** Harevest Gallery, USA LA
- 2004** Halle Germany "Focus Armenia"
- 2003** "Where to search for a painting...or who is Leylandson" First Flour Gallery - Yerevan
- 2002** Vicki Hovannesian Contemporary Art Gallery - Chicago, USA
- 2001** "Archetypes", Hanei Honarmandan - Teheran, Iran
- 2001** "Signs & Icons", National Gallery of Armenia -Yerevan
- 2000** Fourth Presbyterian Church - Chicago, Illinois, USA
- 2000** "Archetypes, "Gallery Lobby - Nicosia, Cyprus
- 1994** "Archetypes" Ex-Voto" Art Center - Yerevan

MEMBERSHIP&AWARDS

- 2007** Academician of European Academy of Natural Sciences (Hanover, Germany)
2002 All Award of Vahagn
1995 International Association of Art

PUBLIC COLLECTION

National Gallery of Armenia, Yerevan
Cultural Ministry of Cyprus
Modern Art Museum of Yerevan
National Gallery of Jordan, Amman
Museum of Modern Art, Yerevan
National Art Gallery of Kazakhstan, Alma-Ata
Artistic Found of USSR
Artistic Found of Armenia
Various Private Collections

BIBLIOGRAPHY

Sonia Porter "The Response to Hatred: Alabor of Love" (27/05/06)
Holland Cotter "Multitude" New York Times Review (10/11/02)
Laura Aurichio "Multitude" Time Out New York Review (9/23/02)
George Bournutian "The Armenian Reports (11/5/02)
Lauri Firstenberg "Space And Subjectivity"
Nazareth Karoyan, "The letter as a space of dream" IN VITRO -1/1998
Nazareth Karoyan, "Veradardz depi archetypere " GARUN, 3/1995
Garo Keheyan, essay, "Stream of Fire: New Art From Armenia"1995
Philip Marsden, essay, "Stream of Fire: New Art From Armenia"1995
"Roman Pollinck meets two Armenian artists who depend on crisis for inspiration,' THE EUROPEAN 1/4 July 1993
Oleg Loshakov, "Nashi Obshtchie zaboti" TVORCHESTVO 1987

BOOKS

- 1999** "Archetypes" (collection of greetings) Tigran Mets Publishers
2000 " Lost Paradise" (collection of greetings) Tigran Mets Publishers
2001 "Signs and icons" Tigran Mets Publishers
2002 "Archetypes" Actual Art
2002 "LOVE" Actual Art
2004 "Text and Nature" Printinfo Publishers
2005 "Paper-cross-stone" Tigran Mets Publishers
2005 "Where to find Paradise" Printinfo Publishers
2006 "Cross- stone" Printinfo Publishers

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