#### **Curriculum Vitae:**

Name: Ammar Younis
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**Education:** 

English Literature, *Haifa University*, Haifa(1992)

Business and Management Studies, *The Management College*, Haifa (1993)

Advanced Photography, Galitz Photography School, Tel Aviv(2009)

# **Experience:**

I'm a freelance photographer . I write articles for various photography magazines, specializing in documentary, portrait and under-water photography. Currently I am working on photographic documentation for an historical archive that is being created by *Umm el-Fahem Art Gallery* which is specifically recording the experiences of those who remember the history of Palestine before and after 1948. I am creating portraits of the elders of the city of Umm el-Fahem.

### **Prizes:**

1st prize," Ruppin Academic Center", Underwater Photography, Macro, Profficinals, Israel, 2009

1st prize,"The red see Epson competition" Underwater Photography, Armatures, Israel, 2010

3<sup>rd</sup> prize, "Local Testimony", The Israel Museum of Art, portraits, Tel Aviv, Israel, 2010

3<sup>rd</sup> prize, "Flashes", The Arab Culture Association, Nazareth, Israel, 2010

1st prize, "Local Testimony", The Israel Museum of Art, portraits, Tel Aviv, Israel, 2011

1stprize, "Local Testimony", The Israel Museum of Art, Urbanism, Tel Aviv, Israel, 2011

3<sup>rd</sup> prize, "Local Testimony", The Israel Museum of Art, Daily life, Tel Aviv, Israel, 2011

1st prize, "Flashes", The Arab Culture Association, Nazareth, Israel, 2011

Gold Medal," Al Thani photo competition", The state of Qatar, 2011

2st prize,"The red see Epson competition" Underwater Photography, Amateurs, Israel, 2011

## **Exhibitions:**

My work has appeared in the following group exhibitions:

"Earth Brown", The Art Gallery, Umm el-Fahem, Israel, April 2010.

"Red - Sweet and refracted", The House of Culture and Art, Nazareth, Israel, October 2010

"Local Testimony", Israel Museum of Art ,Tel Aviv ,Israel ,December 2010

"A window to my world", The Rosalin Lions art gallery, Karmeail, Israel, January 2011

"Basis", The Artist Residence, Hertzelia, Israel, April 2011

"Building Bridges, Not Fences", Strathmore Fine Art Gallery, Washington, USA, sept. 2011

"Certified Copy", Beit Hagefen Culture Center, Haifa, December 2011

## **Regular Exhibitions:**

"The Cole Man", The Art Gallery, Umm el-Fahem, Israel

"A Memory of a Place", The Art Gallery, Umm el-Fahem, Israel

# **Solo Exhibitions:**

"A Donkeys Diary", The Art Gallery, Umm el-Fahem, Israel, June 2011