

BIODATA CV:

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Activity

2012 : "Karya Untuk Teman" Art Pieces for Solidarity Exhibition at Nasional Gallery Jakarta

"Membunuh Kemenangan" with BARAK SENI at Gedung PKKH eks Purna Budaya

Yogyakarta Hadiningrat

: "The 40th World Gallery of Drawing, Osten Biennale of Drawing", Museum Skopje 2012.

Macedonia

The 5th Beijing International Art Biennale, China 2012 Exhibition at

The National Art Museum of China, Beijing, China

Charity Exhibition "Cambridge UK of Europe's First Eco Mosque!" at Cambridge

University London UK

: Visual Art Festival Nagari Ngayogyakarta Hadiningrat IX with SAKATO Art Comunnity at

Jogja Nasional Museum Yogyakarta

a Different Taste at KOI Restaurant and Gallery Jakarta

: The 14th Annual Postcards From The Edge A benefit For Visual Aids

At Cheim & Read Gallery New York USA

2011 : Drawing Connection Exhibition Siena Art Institute Siena Italy

Preview Tembi Gallery Yogyakarta

Trans Visual Tembi Gallery Yogyakarta

2010 : BAKABA Sakato Art Community Jogja Nasional

Museum Yogyakarta

: The 2nd Penang International Print Exhibitions at Penang State Art Gallery Penang

Malaysia

The Great exhibition SSRI / SMSR Padang at Taman Budaya Padang

Jogja Gumringah Jogja Bangkit Exhibition at Jogja Nasional Museum

Yoqyakarta

2009 : BAZAAR ART Ballroom Ritz Carlton Pasific Place Jakarta

2008 : "Kaba Rang Rantau" exhibition at Ego Gallery Jakarta

"Hutan Tropis" at Ide Global Art Jakarta

Group Exhibition Freestyle Affandi museum Yogyakarta

A cup of Jogja on Canvas SOKA Gallery Jakarta

Group Exhibition TRANSCEND di gedung CSIS Jakarta

2006 : The Last Work "Tali sebagai Simbol Penciptaan" at FSR

ISI Yogyakarta

"Jalin Bapilin" Exhibiton at Benteng Vredeburg Yogyakarta

2005 : Pratisara Affandi Adi Karya at Gallery ISI Yogyakarta

Pratisara Affandi Adi Karya at Soka Gallery Jakarta

2004 : FKY XVI BARCODE at Sositet Building Taman

Budaya Jogjakarta

The exhibition All of West Sumatera Artist " Mempertimbangkan

Tradisi" at Gallery Nasional Jakarta

2003 : FKY XV REPLY at Sositet Taman Budaya

Jogjakarta

2001 : Lentera group Exhibition at Purna Budaya Yogyakarta

SAKATO group at Purna Budaya Yogyakarta

Painting exhibition Art for All at Air Art House Jakarta

2000 : The 20 West Sumatera Artist at Hotel Ciputra Jakarta

GESPER ISI Yogya

FKY XII Exhibition at Benteng Vredeburg Yogyakarta SAKATO Exhibition at Taman Ismail Marzuki Jakarta Philips Morris Indonesia Art Awards VIII at Gallery

Nasional Jakarta

1999 : SAKATO Group III at Benteng Vredeburg

Jogjakarta

"Lepas 97" at Purna Budaya Yogyakarta

1998 : "Lepas 97" Exhibition at Faculty of fine Art ISI Yogyakarta

Water Colour Exhibition at Faculty of Fine ISI Yogyakarta

1997 : Sketchs Exhibition at Faculty of Fine Art ISI Yogyakarta

Awards

1998 : The Best Sketchs Study from Faculty of Fine Art ISI Yogyakarta

2000 : Finalist Philips Morris Indonesia Art Awards VIII

2012 : The 5th Beijing International Art Biennale, China 2012 Exhibition at

The National Art Museum of China, Beijing, China

Artist Statement

I'm an artist from Padang West Sumatera, Indonesia. I studied at Indonesia Institute of Art (ISI) Major in Painting and Graduated in 2006. I live and work in Yogyakarta. I have solo exhibition in ISI Yogyakarta at 2005 and have participated in selected group exhibition in Yogyakarta, Padang, Jakarta Indonesia. My work has also been included in group shows at Cheim & Read Gallery, New York, Siena Art Institute Siena Italy and The Fifth Beijing International Art Biennale, China 2012 Exhibition at The National Art Museum of China, Beijing, China.

My work is an expression of feelings of self which is the response of the aesthetic experience and it can be a kind of therapy for motivation and pace myself to make it better.