



About.

My name is Mohamad Hafiz bin Yahaya. I was born in 1983 in Kedah. Now I live and work in Perak. I'm a visual artist that work in various medium and technique in fine art practice like paintings, sculpture, digital media and installation. My idea in creating artworks always relate to my surrounding. As we live in this world right now, everything that happen is all about relate to our life. For visual artist all info from surrounding can be the input to develop idea for artworks.

For me, the visual arts practice includes ideas that assist in the creation process of artworks. The artist applies individual practices by controlling the presentation of artworks as a source of knowledge. Hence images and ideas that are produced have the capacity to not just change the artist 'perspective towards reality, it also influences the audience's perception towards certain artworks. According to Leo Tolstoy, art is a human activity that has in it individual awareness which refers to exterior signs of input, then sends them to other individuals, whilst the other individuals get influenced by this feeling and are infected by it.

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Education:

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| 2001 – 2003 | Diploma in Fine Art MARA University of Technology (UiTM Seri Iskandar) |
| 2003-2005 | Hons. Degree of Fine Art (Sculpture), MARA University of Technology (UiTM Shah Alam) |
| 2014-2015 | M. A Fine Art (Mix Mode) University of Science Malaysia (USM) |
| 2019 – present | PHD in Arts and Design, MARA University of Technology (UiTM Shah Alam) |

Awards:

2019 *Gold Award (Art-DuGami)* – Innovative Teaching & Learning Competition organized by UiTM Perak, Malaysia.

Silver Award (PoToPo) – Innovative Teaching & Learning Competition organized by UiTM Perak, Malaysia.

Silver Award (Wisdom) – Innovative Teaching & Learning Competition organized by UiTM Perak, Malaysia.

Bronze Award (TriME) – Innovative Teaching & Learning Competition organized by UiTM Perak, Malaysia.

Finalist - UOB Painting of The Year organized by UOB, Malaysia

2018 *Finalist* - UOB Painting of The Year organized by UOB, Malaysia

2016 *Bronze* - 3th International Innovation Design & Articulation organized by UiTM Perlis, Malaysia

2010 *Finalist* - Young & Contemporary Award organized by National Art Gallery, Malaysia

2006 *Finalist* - Young & Contemporary Award organized by National Art Gallery, Malaysia

2005 *Finalist* - Upstart 05: The Nokia Creative Art Awards organized by Nokia Malaysia

Talk & Presentations:

2020 : IADC, International Art Talk. Practicing Art & Design in The New Norm. Organised By UiTM Perak, Malaysia.

2021 : PMIAX, Pakistan & Malaysia International Art Exchange. Organised by Bahauddin Zakariya University, Pakistan.

Writings & Publications:

2020 : Not A New Norm, But A New Paradigm, published in AICAD Virtual Art Exhibition (IVAE 2020) Catalogue (eISSN: 2773 – 5524) 2007

: Idealogy Journal. Vol 5, No 2 (Editor). Idealogy Journal: Jurnal Seni & Budaya.

: Idealogy Journal. Special Issue (Editor). Idealogy Journal: Jurnal Seni & Budaya.

: Idealogy Journal. Vol 5, No 2 (Editor). Idealogy Journal: Jurnal Seni & Budaya.

2019 : 'Seni dalam kehidupan, kehidupan dalam seni' (journal article) published in Idealogy Journal Volume 4, Issue 1 (m/s) 59

2018 : Art Appreciation titled 'STRANGER' in exhibition catalogue of 2nd International Conference of Art & Design (AICAD) 2018 Langkawi, Malaysia.

- : Art Appreciation titled 'Tanpa Tajuk' in exhibition catalogue of Still (a) Live art exhibition in Al Biruni Gallery UiTM Perak.
- : 'Visual Art Practise Through Personal Experience'. Published in Idealogy (vol 3, issue 4): Journal of Art & Culture (UiTM, Malaysia & ISBI, Indonesia)
- 2016 : 'Objek Harian, Memori & Momen serta Hubungkaitnya Dengan Karya Seni Visual'. Published in Idealogy (vol 2): Journal of Art & Culture (UiTM, Malaysia & ISBI, Indonesia).
- 2015 : 'Hubungkait Di antara Pelukis dan Penjenamaan'. Published in Idealogy (vol 1): Journal of Art & Culture (UiTM, Malaysia & ISBI, Indonesia).
- : PERIPETEIA: Legasi Titik Pemula Buat Pelukis. Published in Final Year M.A (mix mode) student art exhibition catalogue, USM.
- : Momen dan Memori : Estetika Objek Harian Dalam Pendekatan Karya Visual – Published in USM M.A Art & Design Journal, USM.
- 2014 : Kejayaan Pensyarah dan Pelajar FSSR UiTM Perak di dalam Pertandingan Bakat Muda Sezaman – Published in CANANG UiTM Perak
- 2011 : WET Coal (Alternative Charcoal from Waste Material) – Presented in Asian Fiber Arts, UiTM Perak.

Performance:

- 2007 : KERAjaan, Group Performance (Ruang-Ruang Kosong Art Group), at Jalan Bukit Nenas, K.L for "SAMA-SAMA events" at Notthatbalai Art Festival 2007.

Art residencies:

- 2007 : A Group Residency (Ruang-Ruang Kosong Art Group) at Gudang Alternative Art Space at Damansara, K.L, Malaysia.

Art EXHIBITIONS.

- 2022 : 'HOME & DISPLACEMENT'. Bangladesh Biennale 2020 – 2022. Organize by Bangladesh Shilpaka Academy, Bangladesh.
- 2021 : Tales Of Two Cities: AICAD Exhibition Virtual 2021
: KAMI, A group show organize by Gallery Al Biruni, UiTM Perak.
- 2020 : UiTM Perak LOCKDOWN, an online art exhibition organize by Gallery Al Biruni, UiTM Perak.
: BAIC. Facing The New Normal in Art and Culture. An International Online Art Exhibition, organize by Institut Seni & Budaya Bandung, Indonesia.
- 2019 : AICAD International Exhibition at Nagoya University of Arts, Japan.
International Art Exhibition & Exchange (Malaysia – Pakistan), at Multan College of Arts, Bahauddin Zakariya University, Pakistan.
- 2018 : Still (a) Live, A group show at Al Biruni Gallery, UiTM Perak, Malaysia.
: International Arts Exhibition & Exchange: Malaysia - Bangladesh at Jatiya Kabi Kazi Nazrul Islam University Trishal, MyMensingh. : AICAD: International Conference of Art & Design, National Art Gallery Langkawi.
- 2016 : Shah Alam Biennale, at Tapak Gallery, Shah Alam, Malaysia.
- 2015 : Peripeteia, A Final Art Exhibition of M.A Art & Design USM, at Penang Art Museum, Penang, Malaysia.
: Kalam, A Group Show at Tapak, K.L. Malaysia.
- 2014 : Open Show at Segaris Art Centre, K.L. Malaysia.
- 2013 : Absurdcity, A Group Show at Balai Seni Visual Negara, K.L.Malaysia
: Spice, Group Show at Pace Gallery, K.L, Malaysia.
- 2012 : twentyfour, 4 Man Show at Pace Gallery, K.L, Malaysia.
: Young Talents, Segaris Art Centre, K.L, Malaysia.
: 'Environment', A Group Show at Puncak Gallery, Bukit Jelutong, Shah Alam, Malaysia.
: Sabung Santai, A Group Show at Pelita Hati Gallery, K.L, Malaysia.
: Spice, A Group Show at PACE Gallery, K.L, Malaysia.
: Open Show at G13 Art Village, K.L, Malaysia.
- 2011 : Selected Items – Progress, A group show at UiTM Perak Art Gallery, Perak, Malaysia.
: 8th Asian Fiber Arts at Galeri Seni Uitm Perak, Perak, Malaysia.
: From Perak with Art at PACE Gallery, K.L, Malaysia.
- 2010 : Young and Contemporaries 2010 at National Art Gallery, K.L, Malaysia.
: Open Show Shah Alam at Shah Alam Gallery, Selangor, Malaysia.
: Arttriangle, A Group Exhibition at Balai Seni Lukis Negara, K.L, Malaysia.
- 2009 : VIRUS15, A Group Exhibition at NN Gallery, K.L, Malaysia.
: IMCAS, A Group Exhibition at Danga City Mall, Johor Baharu, Malaysia.
: RasaTerasa, 4 Man Show at The Anexe Gallery, Central Market, K.L, Malaysia.
- 2008 : Vibrant Age, Group Show at Star Hill Gallery, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.
: FORMASIX, Group Exhibition at Pelita Hati House of Art, Bangsar, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.
: Pace Gallery Anniversary, Group Show at Pace Gallery, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.
: Serangkai Rupa, Group Exhibition at Galeri Tuanku Nur Zahirah UiTM Shah Alam, Selangor, Malaysia.
: Buka Mata, Group Exhibition at DiKala Jingga Studio, Shah Alam, Selangor,

- Malaysia.
- 2007 : SPACE, Group Exhibition at TAKSU Gallery, K.L, Malaysia.
 : Young And Contemporaries 2006, National Art Gallery, K.L, Malaysia.
 : Apostrophe Postcards Competition, (interpreted as visual "sculpture" piece for the finalist), at Pelita Hati Gallery, Bangsar, K.L, Malaysia.
 : Open House, Kebun Mimpi Gallery, K.L, Malaysia.
 : Mekar Citra, Pertandingan dan Pameran Lukisan sempena 50 Tahun Kemerdekaan, Galeri Shah Alam, Selangor, Malaysia.
 : Notthatbalai Art Festival 2007, Lost Generation Space, K.L, Malaysia.
 : Pact Max Art Awards, Foodloft Gurney Plaza, Pulau Pinang, Malaysia.
 : Group Show, Metro Fine Art Gallery, K.L, Malaysia.
 : On Paper, Shah Alam Gallery, Selangor, Malaysia
 : Artist Favourite, Pulau Pinang Art Gallery & University Sains Malaysia Art Gallery, Pulau Pinang, Malaysia.
 : Art Exhibition at Opening 'Bau-Bau Cafe', K.L, Malaysia
 : Flora Painting Exhibition "Colours of Harmony", Putrajaya, Malaysia.
- 2006 : Open House, Gemarimba Gallery, K.L, Malaysia.
 : Sculpture Group Exhibition, Gemarimba Gallery, K.L, Malaysia.
 : 21 Question, Fine Art Department (BA Hons) Degree Show Exhibition, Shah Alam Gallery, Selangor, Malaysia.
- 2005 : The M.A.R.S Project, Mail Art Project, Florida, U.S.
 : Pop Culture, MAYA Art Gallery, K.L, Malaysia.
 : Upstart '05: The Nokia Creative Arts Awards, Ramsay Ong Gallery, K.L, Malaysia.
 : "From Space to Space" (Edition 1), Shah Alam Lake, Selangor, Malaysia.
 : 123x, AX Space, K.L, Malaysia.
 : Printworks, MAYA Art Gallery, K.L, Malaysia.
- 2004 : Enviroart 'Inside and Outside', UiTM Shah Alam, Malaysia
 : Diploma Show, UiTM Seri Iskandar, Perak, Malaysia.
- 2003 : Group Exhibition 'Ambigua', UiTM Seri Iskandar, Perak, Malaysia.