

# Randa Hijazi

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## Biography

A contemporary Syrian Canadian artist painter based in Laval, Quebec. Was born in Damascus, Syria and moved to Dubai, UAE and finally settled in Canada in 2017. Graduated from the Painting Department of the Faculty of Fine arts, University of Damascus in 2000. Then, she continued her studies at the Faculty of Mass Communication and Science of Media, University of Damascus and graduated in 2008. This gave her a special vision of life and its surroundings, so she began working with the eyes of the photojournalist and the heart of

the artist. Finally, when she arrived in Canada, She got a diploma in Starting Business (Attestation of Vocational Specialization) from Career center College Saint Pius X, Montreal, Canada 2019 Her movement between East and West contributed to building her personality and her subjects. So, she created a major theme of her artwork as the cultural connection between strongly rooted memories of the Orient and the continuously evolving western civilization. Her artworks shed light on many humanitarian issues, expressing the issues of injustice, poverty, and elimination, all in a harmonious and unique presentation. Her work has been recognized by critics, art historians, and collectors. She honored by several official bodies and she won several art

competitions. Randa has participated in a number of solo and group exhibitions in many countries like: Dubai, Lebanon, Canada, France and Syria.- Member of the Committee of Culture and Arts at Business Professional World (Emirates Club) BPW, Dubai, UAE- Member at CAPSQ, Circle of Painters and Sculptors of Quebec, Montreal, Canada- Membre at RAAV, Regrouping of Artists in Visual Arts of Quebec – Montreal - Canada- Member of the Syndicate of Fine Arts, Damascus, Syria.

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## Solo Exhibition

2022	<b>BEAT 2</b> Palais des congrès de Montréal , Montreal, Quebec, Canada
2021	<b>BEAT 1</b> Virtual-Exclusive for International Lions Clubs
2019	<b>GRENADINE SEED</b> Dib Design Gallery, Laval, Quebec, Canada
2018	<b>22 KISSES</b> Aflac Art Gallery, Beirut, Lebanon
2016	<b>BETWEEN ANGELS &amp; HUMAN</b> En vogue Gallery, Dubaï, United Arab Emirates
2015	<b>HALAT 2</b> Syrian Opera House, Damascus, Syrian Arab Republic
2015	<b>HALAT 1</b> Moustafa Ali Gallery, Old Damascus, Syrian Arab Republic

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## Group Exhibition

2023	<b>DIVERSITY IN ART</b> Leonardo Da Vinci, Montreal, Quebec, Canada
2022	<b>MONTRÉAL EN FESTIVITÉS</b> Gallea Gallery, Montreal , Quebec, Canada
2021	<b>ÉLIXIR</b> Arab Culture Centre , Damascus, Syrian Arab Republic
2021	<b>THE 51th INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION OF CAPSQ</b> Sainte Madeleine Church, Paris, France
2019	<b>UNTITLED</b> M Gallery , L'Assomption , Quebec, Canada
2019	<b>TISSER VOS RÊVE</b> Le musée des maîtres et artisans du Québec, Montréal, Québec, Canada
2018	<b>RÉFLEXION-RÉFRACTION</b> Le musée des maîtres et artisans du Québec , Montréal , Québec, Canada
2017	<b>REGARDS D'ARTISTES DE LA SYRIE</b>

Le musée des maîtres et artisans du Québec , Montréal, Québec, Canada

2016  
CRAZY  
UNESCO Palace, Beirut, Lebanon

2016  
WORLD ART DUBAÏ  
International art fair in World Trade Centre , Dubaï, United Arab Emirates

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## Award

2024  
THE ARTIST OF THE YEAR 2024  
Singularart, Paris, France

2023  
CERTIFICATE OF ARTISTIC ACHIEVEMENT  
Luxembourg museum , Luxembourg, Luxembourg

2023  
INTERNATIONAL MEDAL OF MERIT (The highest recognition of honor granted by the International association)  
Annual Gala for International Lions Clubs, Laval, Quebec, Canada

2023  
GOLDEN MEDAL IN ART  
Leonardo Da Vinci Gallery in cooperation with The circle of painters and sculptors of Quebec., Montreal, Quebec, Canada

2022  
CERTIFICATE OF ARTISTIC ACHIEVEMENT  
Luxembourg museum , Luxembourg , Luxembourg

2022  
AWARD FROM INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT OF LIONS CLUBS FOUNDATIONS  
International Lions Clubs, Oak Brook, Illinois, United States of America

2021  
AWARD & SILVER MEDAL (CAPSQ, PARIS)  
Le Cercle des Artisans et Sculpteurs du Québec (Ste Madeleine church), Paris, France

2021  
CERTIFICATE OF HONOR ON THE OCCASION OF INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY.CHOOSE ME AMONG THE MOST 7 EFFECTIVE WOMEN IN THE CITY.  
Mayor de Ville de Laval, Mr. MARC DEMERS, Laval, Quebec, Canada

2020  
A LETTER OF CONGRATULATIONS FOR WINNING A COMPETITION TO DESIGN A MONUMENT BELONGING TO THE DISTRICT-U1 INTERNATIONAL LIONS CLUBS  
House of Commons, from deputy federal in the Canadian parliament Mr. ANGELO IACONO, Ottawa , Ontario, Canada

2020  
WON A COMPETITION TO DESIGN A MONUMENT BELONGING TO THE DISTRICT-U1 INTERNATIONAL LIONS CLUBS (WILL BE PLACED IN A SQUARE OF CANADA'S PUBLIC SQUARES)

International Lions Clubs, Montreal, Quebec, Canada

2016 CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION FROM THE EMBASSY OF PARAGUAY & THE CULTURAL AND ARTISTIC FORUM IN LEBANON

Embassy of Paraguay in Lebanon, UNESCO PALACE, Beirut, Lebanon

2000 DISCRETIONARY MEDAL

Ministry of Higher Education & the Governor of Luxor in upper Egypt, Cairo, Egypt

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## Membership

2022 - 2024 PROFESSIONAL MEMBER AT RAAV. QUEBEC, CANADA

2023 - 2024 PROFESSIONAL MEMBER AT CULTURE LAVAL, SINGE LAVAL

2020 - 2024 PROFESSIONAL MEMBER AT CANADA COUNCIL FOR THE ARTS

2019 - 2024 MEMBER AT CAPSQ (CERCLE DES ARTISTES PEINTRES ET SCULPTEURS DU QUÉBEC) MONTRÉAL, CANADA

2000 - 2024 MEMBER OF THE SYNDICATE OF FINE ARTS. DAMASCUS, SYRIA

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## Committee

2015 - 2024 MAIN MEMBER

(EMIRATES CLUBS) BPW, MEMBER OF THE COMMITTEE OF CULTURE & ARTS AT BUSINESS PROFESSIONAL WORLD. Dubai, UAE

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## Teaching & Mentoring

2001 - 2004 LECTURE, LECTURE & DEVELOP PRATIC PROJECTS FOR STUDENTS

Damascus University , Visual Communications, Damascus, Syrian Arab Republic

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## Education

2018 - 2019 ATTESTATION OF VOCATIONAL SPECIALIZATION STARTING A BUSINESS DIPLOMA

Career Centre College Saint Pius X, Montreal, Quebec, Canada

2004 - 2008 BACHELOR OF MEDIA SCIENCE

Damascus University- Faculty of Arts, Damascus, Syrian Arab Republic

1996 - 2020

## BACHELOR OF FINE ART-VISUAL COMMUNICATION

Damascus University- Faculty of Fine Arts, Damascus, Syrian Arab Republic

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### Professional Experience

2019

#### PAINTING DIRECTLY ON THE THEATER

Yalla Magazine , Montreal, Quebec, Canada

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### Other

2023

#### SHOWCASE ON ELECTRONIC SCREEN

Signitise a global Digital Outdoor publisher, Plogix Gallery, Waterloo Station, London, United Kingdom

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Signitise a global Digital Outdoor publisher, Plogix Gallery, Time square, New York, United States of America

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2023

#### 3rd ANNUAL PEACE LOVE ART (Donation)

Federally organized 501c3 public charity , Arts + Causes, United States of America

2022

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