

Vian Sora

- 1976 Born in Baghdad, Iraq. Live and works in USA
- 2000 Bachelor's Degree in Computer Science Al Mansour University, Baghdad, Iraq
- 2000 Member of Iraqi Artists Fine Art Society.
- 2003 Studied and worked with original print making at Istanbul Museum of Graphic Art IMOGA, Istanbul, Turkey.

Selected Solo Exhibitions

- 2010 "Between Two worlds", The Green Building Gallery, Louisville-USA.
- 2009 "Middle eastern impressions", Vian Sora Art studio, Dubai, UAE.
- 2007-2008 "Prophecy" Aspen Gallery, Dar el Cid Museum, Kuwait City, Kuwait .
- 2007 "Legacies: From Babylon to Baghdad", Patio Gallery, Louisville, USA .
- 2007 "Legends of Baghdad", Showcase Art gallery, Dubai, UAE.
- 2007 "Reflections: Istanbul to Baghdad", IMOGA Art Gallery and Museum of Graphic Art, Istanbul Turkey.
- 2006 "Voyage into Arabia", Aspen Gallery, Dar el Cid Museum, Kuwait City, Kuwait.
- 2006 "Vian Sora: A Woman in Time", Iraq Museum International exhibition, sponsored by the Baghdad Museum Project, Boston-USA.
- 2004 "Longing to Past", Gallery Zamwa - Sulaymaniyah City, Iraq.
- 2003-2004 "Vian Sora: Selected Works", Japanese Cultural Center and Art gallery, Ankara, Turkey.
- 2003 "Neher, Sheher...Misafirah (River, City...Voyage)", The Topkapi palace Museum, Istanbul, Turkey.
- 2002 "Periphrasis", Grundfos Headquarter, Copenhagen, Denmark.
- 2002 "Periphrasis, Baghdad" Grundfos office Gallery, Baghdad, Iraq .
- 2001 "Figure pulses into time" Inaa Art Gallery, Baghdad, Iraq .

Selected Group Exhibition

- 2010 Weman Imagining women, Pyro gallery, Louisville- USA.

- 2009 Woman Boutique Show, The Palace, Dubai Fashion week, Dubai, UAE.
- 2009 'Spring Show' Total Arts Gallery at the Courtyard, Dubai, UAE.
- 2008 'Selected works by four artists' Aspen Gallery, Kuwait city, Kuwait.
- 2008 "Istanbul" Graphic artist annual Exhibition, Istanbul Museum of graphic Art (IMOGA), Istanbul, Turkey.
- 2007 "One Stroke", Lahd Art Gallery, Riyadh , Saudi Arabia.
- 2006 "East West Dialogues, Mysticism", Tugra Gallery, London, UK.
- 2005 "Art from the Islamic world", Aya Gallery, London, UK.
- 2005 "Homage to Baghdad" , French Cultural Center, Baghdad, Iraq .
- 2005 Women through war Art Exhibition, Al Wasity Art Gallery (Ministry of Culture Gallery), Baghdad, Iraq.
- 2005 Institute Du Monde Arabe, Paris, France
- 2005 'Color Fragments' Gallery 24 , Berlin, Germany.
- 2004 Autumn Exhibition, Gallery M, curator Meriem lequesne, Paris, France.
- 2004 'The life Elements' Installation , Antonio Dellisanti art project and Gallery, Rome, Italy.
- 2004 Espace Artmondial Galleries, Three group exhibitions, Avignon, France.
- 2003 Istanbul Biennial, Istanbul, Turkey .
- 2002 "Contemporary Istanbul" Art fair, Istanbul, Turkey.
- 2002 Helm House Gallery, Zurich, Switzerland.
- 2002 Four Artist group show, Zamaan Art Gallery, Beirut, Lebanon.
- 2002 Baghdad Art, International Art Festival, Baghdad, Iraq.
- 2002 Group Exhibition - Greek Cultural Center in Tunis, Tunisia .
- 2001 Sharjah Biennial, Sharjah, UAE
- 2001 Contemporary Iraqi Art Festival – Amman, Jordan .
- 2001 "Selected Art from Middle East" Artmondo Festival, Rome , Italy.
- 2000 Art for Peace, Malmo, Sweden
- 1998-2006 Participated and organized over Forty Art exhibitions, workshops and fair in Baghdad in the time she lived there.
- 2003 under the published a documentary catalogue book about her post war works exhibited in Istanbul title "Neher, Sheher...Misafirah", (River, City...Voyage).

SELECTED COLLECTIONS:

Baghdad fine Art center, Baghdad, Iraq

Al sabah family private collection, Kuwait city, Kuwait

Maktoum family private collection, Dubai, UAE

Grundfos preeminent collections in Copenhagen, Denmark and Istanbul, Turkey

AKbank, Istanbul ,Turkey

French Cultural center, Baghdad, Iraq.

Japanese cultural center, Ankara, Turkey.

Italian, French Embassy ,Turkish embassy Baghdad, Iraq

Greek Embassy, Ankara, Turkey