



Ahmad Mallah

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Art Gallery membership

- Kunstliefde since 2022, Utrecht NL
- De Ploegh since 2022, Amersfoort NL

Education

BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS

AKV|St. Joost | 2016 - 2020. Breda, The Netherlands

Exchange program Art & Interaction

Avans hogeschool 2019, Breda, The Netherlands

BACHELOR OF MEDICINE

University of Damascus | 2007 - 2013. Damascus, Syria

Awards and Grants:

- Amsterdam Fonds voor de Kunst, My first application- project subsidy "A New Era" 2023 NL
- Successful crowdfunding, Voor de Kunst- solo exhibition "what a shit show" supported by Prins Bernhard Cultuurfonds and the Municipality of Amersfoort, 2023 NL

- . Project Subsidy, Province Utrecht. Group exhibition "I see you- I hear you" curated by Ahmad Mallah, de Ploegh Amersfoort, 2022 NL
- . Stipendium for Emerging Artists, Mondriaan Fonds, May 2022-May 2023 NL
- . Nominated Galatea Art Prize 2022 NL
- . Nominated Galatea Art Prize 2021 NL

Exhibitions

Upcoming & Current:

- . (Solo)- exhibition, 'A New Era' 12 April- 19 May 2024, Madé van Krimpen Gallery, Amsterdam NL
- . Group-exhibition, Gaza- A moment of becoming, Qattan foundation, March- June 2024 Ramallah, Palestine PS
- . Group- exhibition, Through the window, June 2024, Online exhibition
- . Group- exhibition, 4 July- 11 Aug 2024, De Ploegh, Amersfoort NL

Past (Selection):

Solo and Duo exhibition:

- . (Duo)- exhibition, with Rebecca Lillich 'Love Letters' 14 Feb- 27 March 24, Pexpo, Amsterdam NL
- . (Solo)- exhibition on the Facade of Paradiso, Jan 24, Amsterdam NL
- . (Solo)- exhibition, 'Protest' No Limits! Art Castle, Sexyland World 8 dec- 28 jan 2024, Amsterdam NL
- . (Solo)- Presentation at the gallery window, in organised by Galatea foundation at Kuub Art Gallery, 22 Sep- 20 Oct 2023, Utrecht NL
- . (Solo)-exhibition, "What a shit show" 24-30 April 2023, De Ploegh, Amersfoort NL
- . (Solo)- exhibition, "Rituals of the Siege" Rijks hemelvaart dienst 17 June 2022, Amsterdam NL.
- . (Solo)-exhibition, "The Basement" Exbunker Nov 2021, Utrecht NL

Group exhibitions:

- . Group-exhibition, Prospects-Mondriaan fonds, Art Rotterdam 1-4 Feb 24, Rotterdam NL
- . Manifestation #35: Zonder gelijkheid, Geen Vrede. Buro Stedelijk in collaboration with Sexyland World Nov 2023
- . Group-exhibition, IJ Kunst Collectief , March 2024, NDSM Fuse, Amsterdam NL
- . Group-exhibition, "Vrijheid" Kunstuitleen Alkmaar, 24 Sep- 19 Nov 2023, Alkmaar NL
- . Group-exhibition, "Unfair" art fair, 16-19 Nov 2023, Amsterdam NL
- . Group-exhibition, ZomerSalon Royaal , 22 July- 26 August 2023, CBK zuidoost Amsterdam NL

- . Group-exhibition, "Verlangen naar vrijheid" May- June 2023, Johanneskerk, Amersfoort NL
- . Group-exhibition, "Springboard Art Fair" 8- 11 June 2023, Werkspoorkathedraal, Utrecht NL
- . Group-exhibition, "Migrations and The Shifting Borders Exhibition" 26 January - 16 February 2023, LoosenArt Gallery, Rome IT
- . Group-exhibition, "I see you- I hear you" 8 Dec 2022- 15 Jan 2023, De Ploegh, Amersfoort NL
- . Group-exhibition, "Birds of Paradise" 25 Sep 2022- 29 Jan 2023, MartiniPlaza, Groningen NL
- . Group-exhibition, "Present" za 19 nov- zo 25 dec. 2022 Kunstliefde, Utrecht NL
- . Group- exhibition, Hybrid Dialougues Nov 2022. Punt WG, Amsterdam NL
- . Group-exhibition, "New Art MANIA" 10 Nov- 10 Dec 2022, De Meerse, Hoofddorp NL
- . Group-exhibition, "Unblock Tomorrow" 8 Sep- 19 Nov 2022, CBKZO, Amsterdam NL
- . Group- exhibition, New members expo, De Ploegh 4 Aug- 11 Sep, Amersfoort NL
- . Group-exhibition, Art fair, Art Nordic 24-26 June 2022, Copenhagen DK
- . Group-exhibition, "Tot Slot-Vrijheid" Slot Zeist 13 May- 26 June 2022, Zeist NL
- . Group-exhibition, Kunstliefde 7- 29 May 2022, Utrecht NL
- . Group-exhibition, "Short Movie Sunday" in Volks Hotel March 2022, Amsterdam NL
- . Group-exhibition, "House Peace" in Hotel Mokum Nov 2021, Amsterdam NL
- . Group-exhibition, "The Platform" club atelier Nov 2021, Amsterdam NL
- . Group-exhibition, "Nieuw land, Nieuw huis" 14 October-7 Nov 2021, Landhuis oud . Amelisweerd Museum NL
- . Group-exhibition, "Jouw stad, jouw toekomst" 2021, de kerkstraat, Dordrecht NL
- . Group-exhibition, "Decolonizing Realities" 2021 in Cinetol, Amsterdam NL
- . Group-exhibition, "ALL INN" in Het Hem 2021, Zaandam NL
- . Group-exhibition, The Graduation show "If we propose you are invited" 2020, Backer en Rueb, Breda NL
- . Group-exhibition, Why Lie 2020, Chasse, Breda NL
- . Group-exhibition, SDL the Art Fair 2020, De Kromhouthal, Amsterdam NL
- . Group-exhibition, "Alle neuzen dezelfde kant op" Electron 2020, Breda NL
- . Group-exhibition, "Shift" De Fabriek 2020, Eindhoven NL
- . Group-exhibition, Fusion Festival 2019, Lärz DE
- . Group-exhibition, TAC 2019, Eindhoven NL

Sales and collections:

CBK Zuidoost, Amsterdam, Kunst Uitleen Alkmaar, Princess Beatrix

+/- 50 artworks internationally sold to private collectors in the Netherlands, Belgium, Denmark, Portugal, France, Luxemburg, Switzerland, Spain, Italy, Slovenia, Germany, USA and Dubai.

Experiences:

- . Workshop- guest artist, 4 March 2023, artBRUUT, inloophuis Makom. Amsterdam NL
- . Screening of my graduation film "Stateless" , University of Amsterdam, Antropology departement with a presentation and Q&A. 3 March 2022. Amsterdam NL

Curator work

- . Curator for the exhibition "I see you- I hear you" 8 Dec 2022- 15 Jan 2023 in De Ploegh art Gallery, Amersfoort NL

Art in Residency

Past:

- . Arthouse Holland, A week residency. Collaboration with artist Rebecca Lillich, July 2023, Leiderdorp **NL**
- . Arthouse Holland, Septembe, October and November 2022, Leiderdorp **NL**
- . Rijks Hemelvaart Dienst, April, May and June 2022, Amsterdam **NL**
- . De Fabriek January 2020 , Eindhoven **NL**

Publications

- . <https://www.mistermotley.nl/stateloos-maar-niet-gezichtloos-over-het-werk-van-de-palestijnse-kunstenaar-s-t-a-t-e-l-e-s-s/>
- . <https://adimagazine.com/articles/unprovoked/>
- . <https://www.rtvutrecht.nl/nieuws/3511294/28-jaar-stateloos-en-dan-pas-je-eerste-paspoort-ahmad-mallah-verwerkt-zijn-verhalen-in-zijn-kunst>
- . <https://omroepzwart.nl/artikelen/ongezien-3-ahmad-mallah>
- . <https://www.trouw.nl/cultuur-media/de-situatie-van-jonge-kunstenaars-is-ook-na-corona-bedroevend-en-uitzichtloos~baf58adb/>

Podcast and TV

- . <https://www.nporadio1.nl/fragmenten/de-nacht-is-zwart/2ce98dfb-b782-4ec0-b009-cddf75a93960/2023-12-18-kunstenaar-stateless-over-zijn-tentoonstelling-protest>
- . <https://www.rtvutrecht.nl/video/5201936/28-jaar-stateloos-en-dan-pas-je-eerste-paspoort-ahmad-mallah-verwerkt-zijn-verhalen-in-zijn-kunst>
- . <https://podcastluisteren.nl/ep/De-Kunstkast-van-Pygmalion-16-De-Palestijns-Syrische-kunstenaar-Ahmad-Mallah>