

Syed Shahabullah Alamee

Born in 1990 in Quetta, Pakistan, Syed Shahabullah Alamee is now based in Lahore. He belongs to the ethnic minority of Hazaras, based in Quetta. He came to the prime art institution of Pakistan, National College of Arts (NCA), Lahore in 2009. He graduated with honors in traditional miniature painting in 2012 earning his Bachelors in Fine Arts. And got "Haji Sharif Prize" In miniature Painting 2016.

His works reflect a paradigm of freshness in terms of contemporary style of miniature, not really letting go the beautiful traditions of Mughal and Persian miniature. His major works have been exhibited in galleries throughout Pakistan and internationally which are; koel art gallery 2016, Belgium Art Project between Pakistan Belgium Embassy ,Islamabad and Lahore 2014, Art Junction, Lalit Hotel India 2014, Satrang Art Gallery 2014, Ejaz art gallery 2013, Taseer Art Gallery 2013, Zahoor-ul-Ikhlaq (NCA) 2012. He has also been active in organizing workshops teaching Art. NCA sponsored a workshop called "Keep thinking of flight in Mind, the bird will die", focused on painting and the other on miniature (self-sponsored) both in Hazara Town, Quetta, Pakistan, he also did Calligraphy Project of Hast o Nist, Project of Bedil Dehlivi (Nigaar Khanayi Hayat) Selection from the poetry of Mirza Abdul Bedil Dehlavi. Exhibited in 16th March 2016 at Koel Gallery Karachi, calligraphy project of Islamabad's new airport 2017. Open field-contemporary art from Pakistan in collaboration with US Embassy at National Art Gallery, Pakistan National Council of Art (PNCA) and Kuch Khaas - the center of arts, culture and dialogue curated by Asim Akhter 2016. Art for education, sale and exhibition of Pakistani contemporary art in aid of RS foundation Schools hosted by British high commissioner Mr. Thomas Drew curated by My Art World 2016. Three person show at Sanat initiative gallery, Karachi, solo calligraphy show at Faiz international festival curated by Salima Hashmi at Alhamra Art council, Lahore and group show at Satrang gallery Islamabad in 2017.