

SHARON YA'ARI

Born 1966, Israel Lives and works in Tel Aviv, Israel

EDUCATION

- 2002 MPhil, Faculty of Art, Design and Technology, Derby University, IL
- 1994 Bachelor of Fine Art, The Bezalel Academy for Art and Design, Jerusalem, IL 1990 Philosophy and General Studies, Tel-Aviv University, IL

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

- 2016 Officer's Pool, Galerie Martin Janda, Vienna, Austria Positive Images for Field and Forest, National Gallery of Art, Lithuania
- 2014 Sharon Ya'ari, Andrea Meislin Gallery, New York, NY
- 2013 Leap Toward Yourself, Tel Aviv Museum of Art, IL
- 2012 Expectancy, Galleria Martin Janda, Vienna, Austria
- 2011 Jerusalem Blvd. II, Kunsthaus Baselland, Basel, Switzerland
- 2009 Jerusalem Blvd., Sommer Contemporary Art, Tel Aviv, IL Galleria Martin Janda, Vienna, Austria
- 2006 Hope for long distance photography, Tel Aviv Museum of Art, Tel Aviv, IL
- 2003 Dust, Lombard/Fried Fine Art, New York, NY 2002 Lisson Gallery, London, UK
- Sommer Contemporary Art Gallery, Tel Aviv, IL Drexler University Art Gallery, Philadelphia, PA Project Room Arco, Madrid, Spain
- 2001 Last Year, Lombard/Freid Fine Art, New York, NY
- 2000 Sommer Contemporary Art Gallery, Tel Aviv, IL
- 1999 Color Works, Herzliya Museum of Art, Herzliya, IL
- 1996 Boxes in the Garden, Camera Obscura Gallery, Tel Aviv, IL

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2018 To the End of Land, National Gallery of Modern Art, New Delhi, India Flood, Ashdod Art Museum, Ashdod, Israel
- 2017 Current Affairs, Helena Rubinstein Pavilion, Tel Aviv
- 2015 Wie wir Leben, Kunst Haus Wien, Galerie, Wien, Austria Scorpion Pass, Circle 1, Berlin In Search of Lost Time, Sommer Contemporary Art, Tel Aviv The Hinder Sea, Ashdod Art Mueseum, Ashdod, Israel Basis and (Super-) Structure, Basis School of Art and Culture, Herzliya, IL Disputed Landscape: Enacting Landscape, Camera Austria, Gratz, Austria Sector 17, Galerie Martin Jana, Vienna, Austria Oh Remote Control 2, Lothringer13Halle, Munich
- 2014 Journey, The Israel Museum, Jerusalem



Short, Galerie Martin Janda, Vienna Apparition, Sommer Contemporary Art, Tel Aviv 2013 Collecting Dust in Contemporary Israeli Art, The Israel Museum, Jerusalem Perchance to Dream, Andrea Meislin Gallery, New York, NY The Compromised Land: Recent Photography and Video from Israel, Neuberger Museum of Art, New York, NY 2012 A Prayer is a Prayer is a Prayer, Andrea Meislin Gallery, New York, NY DB12 Volume 1, The Dallas Biennial, Dick Higgins Hallery, Dallas, TX The city show, The Center for Contemporary Art, Tel Aviv, Israel Silverstein Annual, Bruce Silverstein Gallery, New York, NY Good Night, Israel Museum, Jerusalem, Israel Southern Spirits-Aspects of the Negev in Contemporary Israel Art, The Negev Museum of Art, Beer Sheva, Israely The Compromised Land: Recent Photography and Video from Israel, The Neuberger Museum, Purchase, NY 2011 A Road to Nowhere, Ashdod Art Museum, Monart Center, Israel 2010 What is the Political, Museum of Bat Yam, Israel Photographs in Conjunction with "Traces IV" - The Biennale for Drawing in Israel, Ticho House, Israel Museum, Israel Museum, Jerusalem, Israel Shelf Life, Haifa Museum of Art, Haifa, Israel Entanglement, Bezalel Academy Gallery, Tel Aviv, Israel In Detail, Haifa Museum of Art, Haifa, Israel Looking In, Looking Out: The Window in Art, The Israel Museum, Jerusalem, Israel 2009 Circus-City Performances, Art Tlv 09 - The Tel Aviv Biennial, Universal Boule to Braid, Lisson Gallery, London, UK Time Tel Aviv, Tel Aviv Museum of Art, Tel Aviv, Israel 2008 Can Art do More? Art Focus 5, Pavilion, Jerusalem, Israel Depletion, Tel Aviv Museum of Art Eventually We'll Die - Young Art in Israel of the Nineties, Herzliya Museum of Contemporary Art, Israel Real Time: Art in Israel 1998-2008, The Israel Museum, Jerusalem, Israel Personal Landscapes: Contemporary Art from Israel, The American University Museum Washington Dateline Israel: New Photography and Video Art, The Jewish Museum, New York 2007 Dateline Israel: New Photography and Video Art, Jewish Museum Berlin, Germany Inside-Out, Contemporary Artists from Israel, MARCO - Museum of Contemporary Art, Vigo, Spain Omanut Haaretz, Tel Aviv Old Port OMAUT. arte in israele 1900-2006, Milano, Palazzo Reale, Italy. Art of Living: Contemporary Photography and Video from the Israel Museum, The Contemporary Jewish Museum, San Francisco, CA Beyond Delirious Architecture: Selected Photographs from the Ella Fontanels Cisneros Collection, Miami, FL 2005 The New Hebrews, Martin Gropius Bau Museum, Berlin, Germany Such Stuff As Dream Are Made On, Chelsea Art Museum, NY 2004 A Point Of View, Tel Aviv Museum of Art, Tel Aviv, Israel Behind Faces, Galerie Martin Janda, Vienna 2003 Stranger-The 1st Triennial of Photography, ICP, New York, NY Fabula, National Museum of Photography, Film & Television, Bradford, England 2002 Fragile Line, Umm el- Fahem Gallery Anthony Wilkinson Gallery Multitude Artists Space, New York



- 2001 Aspiration, RIFFE Gallery, Columbus, OH and Buenos Aires
- 2000 Contemporary Landscape, traveling exhibition (MOCA, Roskilde, Denmark & Trondheim Kunstferning, Oslo, Norway LISTE 2000, Basel)
- 1999 Surveying the Landscape, Lombard/Freid Fine Art, New York
- 1998 Condition Report: Photography in Israel Today, Israel Museum, Jerusalem, Israel
- 1997 Sight Seeing A Topographical Reading: 19th Century British Photography from the Holyland / Contemporary Israeli Photography, Camera Obscura Gallery, Tel Aviv; Department of Photography Gallery, Bezalel Academy of Art and Design, Jerusalem, Israel
- 1996 Machines for Living: Architecture of Visibility, Columns House, Tel Aviv, Israel

COLLECTIONS

Israel Museum Jerusalem

Tel Aviv Museum of Art

The Jewish Museum, New York

Harvard University, The Schwartz Art Collection, Business School, Boston, MA

Herzliya Museum of Art, Israel

Ella Fontanals de Cisneros Collection

Progressive Collection, Ohio

Mishkenot Sha'ananim, Jerusalem

MONOGRAPHS

2014 Leap Toward Yourself, published by Steidl, Germany, 2013 in conjunction with the exhibition "Leap Toward Yourself," on view at The Tel Aviv Museum of Art; 5 November – 22 March 2014

AWARDS

- 2010 Constantiner Photography Award, Tel Aviv Museum of Art
- 2009 The Encouragement Prize, Israel Ministry of Culture and Sport
- 2005 The Nathan Gottesdiener Foundation Israeli Art Prize
- 2004 Janet Gaphin Award, America-Israel Cultural Foundation Award
- 2000 Recipient of the Minister of Culture and Science Prize, Israel
- 1999 Gerard Levi Prize, Young Photographer's Prize, The Israel Museum
- 1997 Young Artist Prize, Ministry of Education and Culture
- 1996 America-Israel Cultural Foundation Award

SELECTED PRESS

- 2014 Lagnado, Caroline, "A Sense Of Place", The Jewish Week, March 19, 2014 Niv, Tal, "September Song", Haaretz Magazine, 2014 Katz, Flora, artpress 409, April 2014
- 2013 "Top 10 Things to do, The Jerusalem Post, 2013



Niv, Tal, "Will the Circle Be Unbroken?", Haaretz Magazine, November 15, 2011 Davis, Barry, "Ya'ari's Leap", The Jerusalem Post, November 22, 2013

- 2012 Cohen, David, "Sharon Yaari at the Silverstein Annual", artcritical, February 2012
- 2006 Thornton, Sarah, "Photo Finish", ArtForum, April 19, 2006