

Georges Bassil

Born in Beirut in 1965, Lebanese artist Georges Bassil is a self-taught painter whose career began in 1996. Living and working in Amman, Jordan since 2010, Bassil's work focuses on the human figure and captures its array of emotions.

In a world that is growing increasingly fanatical, the artist recreates his environment on warm fabrics and with translucent pigments, engaging the human soul in a dialogue. His figures exist individually and in their own painted realm, lost in thought and free from external influences and judgment.

Exhibitions:

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| 2010 | Mezzo, Vindemia, Dubai, UAE
People on canvas, Orient Gallery, Amman, Jordan |
| 2009 | People on canvas, Rochane Gallery, Beirut, Lebanon
Lyrics, Vindemia, Dubai, UAE |
| 2008 | Mondo Arte Gallery, Dubai, UAE |
| 2007 | Funny Valentine, Mondo Arte Gallery, Dubai, UAE
Orient Gallery, Amman, Jordan |
| 2006 | From the Retro Zen Venue to the Gourmet Menu, Tamaris, Lebanon |
| 2005 | Fluctuation, Rochane Gallery, Beirut, Lebanon
Single Horizon, Mohamad Mahmoud Khalil Museum, Cairo, Egypt |
| 2004 | Rouge, Café Bis, Nice, France
Sweet November, Orient Gallery, Amman, Jordan |
| 2003 | Art Gallery, London, UK
Phoenicia Intercontinental Hotel, Beirut, Lebanon |
| 2002 | Full Moon, Rochane Gallery, Beirut, Lebanon |
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| 2000 | Adieu Picasso, Rochane Gallery, Beirut, Lebanon
Femme Parfumée, Hotel Le Vendôme, Beirut, Lebanon |
| 1999 | Love Festival – Hondry, Latakia, Syria
Blues, Carole Chabrier Gallery, Monaco |
| 1998 | Fluctuation, Rochane Gallery, Beirut, Lebanon
Single Horizon, Mohamad Mahmoud Khalil Museum, Cairo, Egypt |
| 1997 | Visage, Expression de l'Ame, La Rosette Gallery, Beirut, Lebanon
Salon D'Automne, Sursock Museum, Beirut, Lebanon |

About the Gallery

Art on 56th Gallery is an independent visual art gallery in Beirut, Lebanon. It was founded by Noha Wadi Moharram in 2012, and is rooted in Gemmayzeh, the capital's booming artistic and cultural neighborhood. In addition to presenting a roster of Middle Eastern and international artists, the gallery's mission is to promote both established and promising contemporary Lebanese artists. Fostering talent from throughout Lebanon, the gallery plays an important role in unveiling local tact and vision in the arts, and new ways of disseminating ideas in the political, cultural, as well as creative realms. The gallery exhibits artworks in a large variety of media, including painting, sculpture, work on paper, photography and video installation. This results in a colorful exchange, highlighting the powerful meaning of images and material artistry within a society.

At on 56th hosts an array of shows annually and actively participates in several global art fairs each year.

Opening hours:

Tuesday – Friday: 10:00 am – 7:00 pm

Saturdays 10:00 am – 6:00 pm

Sundays & Mondays Closed