

KAMRAN SAMIMI

BORN

1984 Minnesota, USA

Lives and works in Hawaii

EDUCATION

2016 Master of Fine Arts - Print Media and Sculpture, University of Hawaii at Manoa, Hawaii, USA

2011 Continuing Education - Graphic Design, School of Visual Arts, New York, New York, USA

2010 Bachelor of Fine Arts - Printmaking, University of Hawaii at Manoa, Hawaii, USA

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2025 *RECOLLECTION*, Nishiaizu International Art Village, Fukushima, Japan

2024 *Before Nature (I Am Both Created and Destroyed)*, The Third Line, Dubai UAE

Being Time, re.riddle, San Francisco, USA

2022 *Recollection*, Thomas Square Park, Honolulu, HI

Nature/Nature, Hugomento x re.riddle, San Francisco, CA

2021 *Traces of the Traceless*, Sharjah Art Museum, United Arab Emirates

Ascendants, The Liljestrand House Foundation, Honolulu, HI

Sanctuaries, Shangri La Museum of Islamic Art, Culture & Design, Honolulu, HI

2020 *In Stillness*, Honolulu Museum of Art, Honolulu, HI

2019 *Origins*, Kirsch Gallery, Punahou School, Honolulu, HI

From Nature, Place Hawaii, Honolulu, HI

Unearthed, Kahilu Theatre, Waimea, Hawai'i Island

2018 *Currents*, Ae'o Tower at Ward Village, Honolulu, HI

Diminishing Sequence, WATG Architects, Honolulu, HI

2017 *Pagoda*, Honolulu Museum of Art School, Honolulu, HI

Art on the Avenue, Saks Fifth Ave, Waikiki, HI

2016 *Currents- Ae'o Tower at Ward Village*, Honolulu, HI

Endurance, The Pig & The Lady, Honolulu, HI

Passage, University of Hawaii Manoa Department of Art and Art History, Honolulu, HI

Kilauea - The John Young Museum of Art at the University of Hawaii Manoa, Honolulu, HI

- 2015** Ascent, Honolulu Museum of Art/Thomas Square Park, Honolulu, HI
Elevation, Kit and Ace, Ala Moana Shopping Center, Honolulu, HI
Entry, University of Hawaii at Manoa Art Department Commons Gallery, Honolulu, HI
- 2014** Diminishing Sequence, MORI, Ward Center, Honolulu, HI
Soft Edge, Nanogallery, Honolulu Museum of Art School, Honolulu, HI
Diminishing Sequence, University of Hawaii, Manoa Art Department, Honolulu, HI
- 2013** EQUILIBRIUM, Stand Up 8, Honolulu, HI
Augmented Topography, The Manifest, Honolulu, HI

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2025** The Only Way Out Is Through : The Twentieth Line, curated by Shumon Basar, The Third Line, Dubai, UAE
- 2023** Acts of Healing and Repair, Whatcom Museum of Art, Bellingham, WA
Artists of Hawai'i, Downtown Art Center, Honolulu, HI
- 2019** 91st Annual Honolulu Printmakers Exhibition, Honolulu Museum of Art School, Honolulu, HI
Kagu+Akari, Fishcake, Honolulu, HI
G70 Annual Exhibition, Group 70 Architects, Honolulu, HI
Contact: Acts of Faith, Mission Houses, Honolulu, HI
91st Annual Honolulu Printmakers Exhibition, Honolulu, HI
Matchbox Plus XIV, Cedar Street Gallery, Honolulu, HI
Waiwai Ola Water-keepers Exhibition, Honolulu, HI
HML Festival Tokyo 2018, Tokyo Midtown, Japan
Contact Zone, Honolulu Museum of Art School, Honolulu, HI
90th Annual Honolulu Printmakers Exhibition, Honolulu Museum of Art School, Honolulu, HI
- 2018** Stone and Sea, Hawaii State Art Museum Shop, Honolulu, HI
Matchbox Plus XIII, Cedar Street Gallery, Honolulu, HI
39th Annual Japanese Chamber of Commerce Exhibition, Honolulu Museum of Art School, Honolulu, HI
- 2017** Contact 2017, Honolulu Museum of Art School, Honolulu, HI

- All-Staff Exhibition, Honolulu Museum of Art School, Honolulu, HI
- 2016** Contact 2016: Select, The Arts at Marks, Honolulu, HI
Contact 2016, Honolulu Museum of Art School, Honolulu, HI
Mirror/Mirror, Pegge Hopper Gallery, Honolulu, HI
- 2015** UHUH, White Box Galley, Queensland College of Art, Australia
37th Annual Japanese Chamber of Commerce Exhibition, Honolulu Museum of Art, Honolulu, HI
Prototype, Honolulu Museum of Art School, Honolulu, HI
Contact 2015, Honolulu Museum of Art, Honolulu, HI
87th Annual Honolulu Printmakers Exhibition, Honolulu Museum of Art, Honolulu, HI
- 2014** Against the Grain, Pauahi Tower, Honolulu, HI
MAUNA KEA, Fishcake/Box Jelly, Honolulu, HI
Pacific States Biennial National Print Exhibition, University of Hawaii at Hilo, HI
May 2014 - Meronym - UHM Graduate Student Exhibition, Honolulu Museum of Art School, Honolulu, HI
IN RESIDENCE, The Garage Gallery, Honolulu, HI
TOP 40, Spalding House Museum, of Art, Honolulu, HI
- 2013** Annual Graduate Student Exhibition, UH Manoa Commons Gallery, Honolulu, HI
HI-TIDES - Art of Water in Hawaii, Art at Marks, Honolulu, HI
NSAL Excellence in Printmaking, The Andy Warhol Museum, Pittsburgh, PA
85th Honolulu Printmakers Exhibition, Honolulu Museum of Art, Honolulu, HI
- 2012** Wonder Show, University of Hawaii Printmaking Department, Honolulu, HI
- 2010** Bachelor of Fine Arts Exhibition, University of Hawaii at Manoa Art Gallery
82nd Honolulu Printmakers Exhibition, Honolulu Museum of Art, Honolulu, Hawaii
- 2009** The Launch, Entrepreneurs Club of University of Hawai, Bar 35, Honolulu
- 2008** Outlet Gallery, University of Hawaii Printmaking Department, Honolulu, Hawaii

RESIDENCIES

- 2025** Djerassi Resident Artists Program, CA, USA
C+ Artist in Residence, Nishiaizu International Art Village, Nishiaizu, Japan
- 2020** Artist in Residence - Shangri La Museum of Islamic Art, Culture & Design, Honolulu, HI