

SARA NAIM

**BORN**

1987 London  
Syrian, based between London, UK and Dubai, UAE

**EDUCATION**

2014 MFA Fine Art Media, The Slade School of Fine Art, London, UK  
2010 BA (Hons) Photography  
London College of Communication, London, UK  
2007 Foundation of Art and Design, Chelsea College of Art and Design, London, UK

**SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS**

2022 Rose Tinted, The Third Line, Dubai, UAE  
2019 Building Blocks, The Third Line, Dubai, UAE  
2018 Reaction, Parafin Gallery, London, UK  
2016 When Heartstrings Collapse, The Third Line, Dubai, UAE  
2015 Heartstrings, Hayward Concrete, London  
2012 When The Lights Went Off We Saw, Gallery 1, The Pavilion Downtown Dubai, UAE

**SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS**

2022 Jeddah Photo 2022, ATHR, Jeddah, Saudi Arabia  
Portrait of a Nation II: Beyond Narratives, Manarat Al Saadiyat, Abu Dhabi, UAE  
2021 The Third Line at Cromwell Place, Cromwell Place, London, UK  
2020 Ancient Future, The Third Line, Dubai, UAE  
There Is Fiction In The Space Between, The Third Line, Dubai, UAE  
Not Cancelled: Dubai, Online  
2019 Science Fictions, Centre Photographique Rouen, Normandie  
Creation of a Moment, Kaviar Factory, Henningsvaer  
2018 Tribe: Contemporary Photography from the Art World, Katzen Arts Center, Washington, USA  
Experiment/Control, Blyth Gallery, Imperial College, London, UK  
Artificial Impressions, Stedelijk Museum, Breda, Netherlands  
What's Up, LVH, London, UK  
Chambre 10, Sans titre (2016), Paris, France  
2017 Secular Icons in an Age of Moral Uncertainty, Parafin Gallery, London, UK

- The Third Image, Biennale des Photographes du Monde Arabe Contemporain, Galerie Binôme, Paris
- 2016 Sans Titre Vol. 2, Marie Madec, Paris, France  
Mysticism, Materiality and Void, The Third Line, Dubai, UAE  
Beyond Borders, Blain|Southern, London, UK  
Sans Titre, curated by Marie Madec, Paris, France  
The Pierrot Studio, Display Gallery, London, UK
- 2015 The Pierrot Project: Entrances & Exits, Waterloo Warehouse, London, UK  
Here, Here & Sometimes There, Display Gallery, London, UK
- 2014 Summer Show 2014, The Third Line, Dubai, UAE  
Photomatter, Rich Mix, London, UK  
MFA Show, The Slade School of Fine Art, London, UK  
Need you 100%, Display Gallery, London, UK  
ArtPendeo, Sassoon Gallery, London, UK  
Hindsight, VI Gallery, Copenhagen, Denmark
- 2013 Interim MFA Show, The Slade School of Fine Art, London, UK  
Dazed and Confused for D&AD, Neu Gallery, London, UK  
Art Pendeo, The Visual Collective, London, UK  
CMYK, Gulf Photo Plus, Dubai, UAE  
Photography Open Salon, China House, Penang, China
- 2012 Au Lait!, La Maison de La Vache Qui Rit, Jura, France  
Arles Photography Open Salon, Galerie Huit, Arles, France  
Seeing is Believing, Canvas Charity Auction, Dubai, UAE  
GPP Limited, Gulf Photo Plus, Dubai, UAE  
To The Moon, XVA Gallery, Dubai, UAE  
The State: Panopitcons, Traffic Gallery, Dubai, UAE
- 2011 The State: Social/Antisocial?, Traffic Gallery, Dubai, UAE  
Foto8 Summer Show, Host Gallery, London, UK  
Over the Hill: A Photographic Journey, Guernsey Photography Festival, Guernsey, UK  
1 of 3, Youth Group Gallery, New York, USA  
Light Touch, Upper Street Gallery, London, UK
- 2010 Academy Meets Photokina, Photokina Fair, Cologne, Germany  
Power of Ten, London College of Communication, London, UK  
Dubai Episode, The Third Line Gallery, Dubai, UAE

- Chasing Oneders, Photo-Space, London, UK  
2009 Chaser Under the Arch, Arch635 Gallery, London, UK

#### AWARDS

- 2016 Dentons's Art Prize, Shortlisted  
2013 Making Pictures Arts Award  
2013 D&AD New Blood Awards

#### RESIDENCIES

- 2019 Cité international des Arts, Paris, France  
2018 Cité international des Arts, Paris, France  
2016 Cité international des Arts, Paris, France  
2015 Beirut Art Residency, Beirut, Lebanon

#### COMMISSIONS

- 2020 Exchanges, Alserkal Avenue's January Artist Takeover, Alserkal Avenue, Dubai, UAE  
2017 Hospital Rooms Project, NHS hospital, London, UK

#### COLLECTIONS

Museum of Old and New Art, Tasmania, Australia