

# Shabana Kauser

British artist, Shabana Kauser, creates contemporary oil paintings that tell a story of South Asian Immigrants. She was born in the UK and lived there for 30 years. Shabana moved to the United States in 2008 and now resides in Fayetteville, Arkansas.

Shabana is represented by Saatchi Art.

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## Education

2018	Artist Inc workshop, Center of the Ozarks, Springdale AR
2017	Anatomical Portrait Drawing, University of Arts London, Central St. Martin's College, UK
2007	MSc Information Management, City University, London UK
2006	BSc Business IT, London Metropolitan University, London UK

## Solo & Group Exhibitions

2020	'TAC Members Show' Ahha Tulsa Gallery, Tulsa, OK
2020	'The Ways We See', Art Ventures NWA, Fayetteville, AR
2020	Delta Des Refuses, Little Rock, AR
2020	'Small Works Exhibition' Studio 300, Rogers, AR
2019	'Holiday Show' Community Creative Center, Fayetteville, AR
2019	'November Exhibit' Jones Gallery, Kansas City, MO
2019	'First Come, First Serve' Fort Works Art, Fort Worth, TX
2019	'ANA National Juried show 'Celebration of Art' Fayetteville, AR
2019	'Journey' Argenta Gallery, Little Rock, AR
2019	'Elevate' 21c Museum, Bentonville, AR
2018	'Winter Exhibition' Stage 18 Gallery, Fayetteville, AR
2018	ANA Regional Show, Art Ventures Gallery, Fayetteville, AR
2018	Pinnacle Fine Art Group, Little Rock, AR
2018	First National Bank Gallery, Bentonville, AR
2017	Temporary Contemporary Gallery, Bentonville, AR
2017	Chamber of Commerce, Art Ventures Gallery, Fayetteville, AR
2017	'Art for the Holidays' Art Ventures Gallery, Fayetteville, AR
2017	'Decades Defined' Fossil Cove, Fayetteville Underground Gallery, Fayetteville, AR
2017	'La Femme: A treatise of confluence' Fayetteville Underground Gallery, Fayetteville, AR
2017	'Decades Defined' Lane Foster Fine Art, Rogers, AR

## Juried Exhibitions

2019	ANA National Juried show 'Celebration of Art' Fayetteville, AR	
2019	5 <sup>th</sup> Annual 'Figures & Faces' Fusion Art, Palm Springs, CA	
2018	24 <sup>th</sup> Annual Regional Show, Artist of NW Arkansas, Fayetteville, AR	(Merit Award)
2018	Art on the Creeks, Rogers, AR	
2018	'Figurative' Light Space & Time Online Gallery	(Merit Award)

- 2017 'Colors' Fusion Art, Palm Springs, CA
- 2017 'Figurative' Light Space & Time Online Gallery (Special Recognition)
- 2017 'Botanicals' Light Space & Time Online Gallery (Special Merit)
- 2017 'Figures & Faces' Fusion Art, Palm Springs, CA (Honorable Mention)
- 2017 '23<sup>rd</sup> Annual Regional Exhibit, Artists of NW Arkansas, Fayetteville, AR

## Community Events

- 2018-2020 'Freshstart Women's Shelter', The Peel Mansion Museum, Bentonville, AR
- 2019 'Big Night Gala' Jones Center, Springdale, AR
- 2018 5x5 Community Artist Fundraiser, Arts Center of the Ozarks, Springdale, AR
- 2018 Guest Speaker, Artists of Northwest Arkansas, Springdale, AR
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- 2017 Live Painting at the Community Partner Fair with Art Ventures NWA Gallery  
Crystal Bridges Museum of American Art, Bentonville, AR

## Press

- 2020 Arkansas Times 'Through Others' Eyes: Seeing.....perception' Aug 16
- 2020 CitiScapes Magazine, 'The Lives of local artists' May 2020, Page 64
- 2020 Arkansas Democrat Gazette 'Personal Space: Shabana Kauser' March 14
- 2020 The Idle Class Magazine 'Studio 300 to exhibit .....
- 2020 Good Day NWA FOX NEWS 'Small Works Exhibition' March 11
- 2020 KNWA/ Fox News 'Small Works Exhibition and women's history month' March 10
- 2020 'Art on the Bricks Celebrates Women's History month' 5 News online
- 2019 Arkansas Times, On Scarves and Sisterhood: A Q&A with Shabana Kauser, July 9
- 2019 Little Rock Soiree Magazine, July 2019, Vol 19, Page 59
- 2019 Studio Visit Magazine, Vol 44, Page 91 and back cover
- 2019 Arkansas Times, 21c Museum Hotel: Guest Floors and Fayetteville artists, April 16
- 2019 KUAF Radio, Fayetteville, AR
- 2019 The Idle Class Magazine '21c Museum Hotel Bentonville Top 5 Events this Spring'
- 2018 Podcast Interview on Amituckeredout 'What happens in AR' ([www.amituckeredout.com](http://www.amituckeredout.com))
- 2018 The Idle Class Magazine, Black Apple Awards 2018 Nominated 'Best Painter'
- 2018 TV appearance, ABC 40/29 NW Arkansas Alive (Season 03, Episode 10)
- 2018 'The Artist Issue', The Idle Class Magazine, Arkansas
- 2018 Artist Portfolio Magazine, 20 Art Competition

## Grants Achieved

- 2017 Sally A. Williams Artist Fund, Arkansas Arts Council, Little Rock, AR

## Professional Affiliations

- Arkansas Arts Council, Little Rock, AR
- Artists of Northwest Arkansas, Fayetteville, AR
- Tulsa Artists Coalition, Tulsa, OK