# Noni Kaur

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# **EDUCATION**

- 2011 Teaching Excellence Program, Humber College, Toronto, Ontario.
- 2001 Post Graduate Diploma in Teaching Higher Education, National Institute of Education, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore.
- 1996 Master of Arts (Visual Arts), Curtin University of Technology, Western Australia.
- 1994 Graduate Diploma in Fine Arts (Painting), University of Tasmania, Australia.
- 1993 Bachelor of Fine Arts (Painting), University of Tasmania, Australia.
- 1992 Diploma in Fine Arts (Painting), LaSalle College of the Arts, Singapore.

# **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE / ACADEMIC POSITIONS**

Current **Resident Artist**, Small Arms Inspection Building, Toronto, Ontario. **Professor**,

Visual and Digital Arts, School of Media Studies, Humber College, Ontario.

- 2009-2014 **Resident Artist**, Living Arts Center, Mississauga, Ontario.
- 2010-2014, Board Member, Board of Directors, SAVAC (South Asian Visual Arts Centre)
- 2004-2008 **Lecturer**, Art Institute of Toronto, Ontario.
- 1999- 2004 Senior Lecturer, Division of Fine Art, LaSalle College of the Arts, Singapore.

# **ACADEMIC SERVICE & LEADERSHIP**

### September 2009 – June 2010

Member of New Program Development Team – Bachelor of Fine Arts (Visual Arts)

Working collaboratively with the Associate Dean, the Planning Office, advisory members, the team developed the curriculum and syllabi for a new Undergraduate degree, Bachelor of Fine Arts within the School of Media Studies.

## September 2013 – June 2015

## Elected Faculty Representative – Academic College Council

The council provides advice to the President and his senior leadership team with respect to a broad range of academic issues at Humber.

## April 2011- Present

## Member of Jury Panel – League for Innovation Art Competition

The panel juries the college wide art competition annually to select representation in the colleges only, prestigious League for Innovation Art Competition in the USA.

#### May 2012 – 2017

#### Member of College Art Acquisition Committee

The panel advises on art acquisitions and decides on acquiring permanent art pieces for the Humber Art Collection.

## **SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS**

- 2019 **Grow Op** April 17, Gladstone Hotel, Toronto, Ontario
- 2018 InSitu II Small Arms Inspection Building, Toronto, Ontario.

2015	<b>R u b r l c</b> – Visual & Digital Arts Faculty Art Show, University of Guelph-Humber, Toronto.
2013	<i>SWITCH</i> – Resident Artist Show, Laidlaw Gallery, Living Arts Center, Mississauga. <i>Colloquium</i> – Visual & Digital Arts Faculty Show, Guelph-Humber Gallery, Toronto. <i>Betwixt &amp; Between</i> – Malton Room, Pearson International Airport, Toronto.
2012	<b>Betwixt &amp; Between</b> - Resident Artists Show, Laidlaw Gallery, Living Arts Center, Mississauga, Ontario.
	Betwixt & Between – Pearson International Airport, Toronto.
2010	Asian Art Biennale, Life of a Vagabond – Contemporary Art from Canada, Tivoli
	Gallery, Dhaka, Bangladesh.
	HindSight- Laidlaw gallery, Living Arts Center, Mississauga.
2009	<b>reform</b> – Laidlaw gallery, Living Arts Center, Mississauga.
2008	Nuit Blanche 2008 – Toronto. Cultural Landscapes- Laidlaw Gallery, Living Arts Center, Mississauga.
2007	<i>The EXTRAordinary tales of skylarking</i> – Jendela Gallery, The Esplanade, Singapore.
2007	<b>Double Date</b> – Tableu Vivant – Lennox Gallery, Toronto.
	<i>See, Sip, Swoon</i> – Salon South Asia – Royal Ontario Museum, Toronto.
	International Women, Mahatma Gandhi Institute, Moka, Mauritius.
	Real Beauty- Makan, Amman, Jordan, University of New England, Maine.
	Mirror, Mirror, University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.
	Real Beauty, Kasser Gallery. Columbia University, New York.
	Collaborations- Laidlaw Gallery, Living Arts Center, Mississauga.
2006	They call me a wild rose- Solo exhibition, South Asian Gallery of Art, Burlington,
	Ontario, Canada. <i>Real Beauty</i> – YWCA Women's Art Gallery, Cincinnati, Ohio, USA.
	Conjure- Laidlaw Hall, Living Arts Center, Mississauga, Ontario.
	Into, Out and Away, Laidlaw Hall, Living Arts Center, Mississauga, Ontario.
	Double Date - Tableau Vivant, Saskatoon, Canada.
2005	ArtsWeek KickOff – Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
	Global Women's Project – Women of the World, Contemporary Arts Center,
	New Orleans, U.S.A.
	<b>The Beauty Project</b> – New Orleans Centre for Contemporary Arts, New Orleans, U.S.A.
	<i>Modern Abstractions</i> – Streetsville Gallery, Streetsville, Ontario, Canada. <i>Port Credit Artwalk</i> – Army Issue, Port Credit, Mississauga, Ontario, Canada.
2004	Global Women's Project – Women of the World, Cultural Center, City of Athens,
2004	Greece.
	Global Women's Project - Women of the World, Gerdenburg Cultural Center,
	Reykjavik, Iceland.
	Global Women's Project - Women of the World, Tallinn Art Hall, Tallinn, Estonia.
	The LASALLE School – 20 Years of Fine Art, Earl Lu Gallery, LASALLE-SIA College
	of the Arts, Singapore.
	Global Women's Project - Women of the World, Akureyri Museum, Iceland. Postcards from Cuba – A Selection from the 8th Havana Biennial, Henie Onstad
	Kunstenter, Oslo, Norway.
	<i>Project 2 – 'Shelved' works</i> , National Library Board, in conjunction with Singapore Art
	Museum.
2002	Women Beyond Borders – The Art of Building Community, Ten Year Retrospective,
	University Art Museum, University of California, Santa Barbara, USA.
	Global Women's Project, YWCA Women's Art Gallery, Cincinnati, Ohio, USA.
	(Represented Singapore as National Artist), Museum of the Southwest, Texas, Women's

Art Gallery, Ohio, USA. *Women Beyond Borders,* Ontario International Airport, Ontario, Canada. **2<sup>nd</sup> Fukuoka Triennale,** Fukuoka Asian Art Museum, Fukuoka, Japan (Represented Singapore, as National Artist).

**10<sup>th</sup> Asian Art Biennale**, Dhaka, Bangladesh. (Represented Singapore as National Artist).

*Alumni Exhibition*, Inveresk Academy of the Arts, University of Tasmania, Australia. *Nokia Singapore Art,* Singapore Art Museum, Singapore.

- 2001 Nokia Singapore Art, Singapore Art Museum, Singapore. Global Women's Project - Women of the World, Tucson Museum of Art, Arizona, University of New England, Portland, Maine, Maryland, U.S.A. President's Young Talents, Singapore Art Museum, Singapore.
- 2000 Global Women's Project Women of the World, Volvo Showroom, Stockholm, Sweden. (Represented Singapore as National Artist))
  Global Women's Project Women of the World, Flint Institute, Michigan, U.S.A.
  Global Women's Project Women of the World, White Columns, Manhattan, New York, U.S.A.

Feast!, Singapore Art Museum, Singapore.

- 1999 *Mundjah Festival*, Curtin University of Technology, Western Australia. *Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow – Indian Art Through The Ages,* Caldwell House, CHIJMES, Singapore.
- 1998 *Semiosis,* Earl Lu Gallery, LaSalle-SIA College of the Arts, Singapore. *Visual +,* LaSalle Gallery, LASALLE-SIA College of the Arts, Singapore.
- 1995 New Faculty, LaSalle Gallery, LASALLE-SIA College of the Arts, Singapore. Art '95 International, Bardonia, New York, U.S.A. The World's Women On-line! An Electronic Art Networking Event, Arizona State University, Tempe, Arizona, U.S.A. The World's Women On-Line!, UN World Conference for Women, Beijing, China. The World's Women On-Line!, Artemisia Gallery, Chicago, U.S.A. The World's Women On-Line! National Music Theater Festival, Annenberg Center, Philadelphia, U.S.A.
- 1994 *Art Showcase*, The Australian High Commission, Singapore. *Drawing is a Drag*, Works on Paper, The University Gallery, University of Tasmania, Launceston, Australia.

# SELECTED INDIVIDUAL EXHIBITIONS/ PROJECTS

- 2006 They Call me A Wild Rose South Asian Gallery of Art, Burlington, Ontario, Canada
- 1993 *Recent Works Noni Kaur, Ritchies Mill Art Gallery, Tasmania, Australia.*
- 1995 *Private Performance*, South Perth, Western Australia.
- 1993 Avant Garde on the Rocks, Arts Across One, University of Tasmania, Australia

# SELECTED AWARDS

- 2010 *Honourable Mention- Mississauga Arts Council Awards* Established Visual Artist Category
- 2003 Young Artist Award, National Arts Council, Singapore
- 2001 *President's Young Talent*, Singapore Art Museum, Singapore.
- 1997 *Official Artist*, Mundjah Asia-Pacific Festival, Curtin University of Technology, Western Australia

# WORKSHOPS AND CONFERENCES / JURY PANELS

- 2014 World Business Forum Radio Music City Hall , New York City, USA
- 2014 Convergence International Summit on Art & Technology , Banff Centre, Alberta
- 2013 Present Jury Member Humber Art Show, Humber College, Ontario Art Acquisition Committee- Humber College, Ontario

- 2012 Jury Member Humber ArtShow, Humber College, Ontario.
- Jury Member Art Auditions, Etobicoke School of The Arts, Toronto, Ontario
- 2011 Jury Member Humber ArtShow, Humber College, Ontario
- 2010 Jury Member- Telus Mosaic Festival Visual Arts Panel
- 2008 Board Of Directors, South Asian Visual Arts Collective, Ontario Jury Member – Annual Juried Art Show, Living Arts Center, Mississauga, Ontario
- 2002 Conducted workshops in Fukuoka, Japan in conjunction with 2<sup>nd</sup> *Fukuoka Triennale* at Fukuoka Asian Arts Museum, Japan Artist Residency, Asian Art Museum, Fukuoka, Japan.

# SELECTED PRIVATE COLLECTIONS

Focus On Asia Fukuoka International Film Festival Commission. Fukuoka Asian Art Museum, Japan. University of Tasmania, Australia.

John Curtin Gallery, Curtin University of Technology, Perth, Western Australia.

# GRANTS

Artist Travel & Project Grant, Ontario Arts Council, 2007, 2006. Artist Travel & Project Grant, Henie Onstad Kunstenter, Oslo, Norway, 2004. International Touring Grant, National Arts Council, 2003. Young Artist Award for Professional Development, National Arts Council, 2003. Lee Foundation Travel Grant, 2003, 2000. Artist Residency Program Grant, Asian Art Museum, Fukuoka, Japan, 2002.

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Mademoiselle, Jun 2000 American Artist, Jul 2000 Paris Review, Summer 2000 Yediaut America, Israel, May 2000 Pure Oxygen, Oxygen Media, Jun, 2000 Beltsville News, Maryland, Jul 2000 Kuwaiti Times, Spectrum, Jul, 2000 Al-Seyassah, Kuwait, Jun, 2000 The Flint Journal, Global Women's Project, Michigan, Sept, 2000 Jay, Sian E, Fit for a Feast! Food For Art, Asian Art News, Jun 2000 Koh Hui Ting, Yummy, The Business Times, Apr 2000 Nayar, Parvathi, Yummy, The Business Times, Apr 2000 Lianhe Zaobao, Singapore, Feast! Apr 2000 The Straits Times, Feast! Life! Singapore, May 2000 The Arts Magazine, Singapore, June 2000 The Straits Times, Life! Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow, Oct 1999 Munroe, Ben. Visual +, A show to touch, Smell and Eat, The Business Times, Mar 1988 The Straits Times, You are Welcome to Smell, Taste, Touch, Even Listen, Life! Feb 1998 Visual +, I-S magazine, Mar 1998 Arts Connections, Visual + : Beyond a Visual Experience, Mar 1998 Zao Bao Fu Kan, Visual +, Lianhe Zao Bao, Feb 1998 Allison, Josephine, Festival Links Ocean Races, Today, Perth, Western Australia, Oct 1997 Singh, Surinder, Sea-and-bird poster wins over Australians, The Straits Times, Life! Dec 1997