

# Reza Abedini

## Education

1992. Obtained his B.A in painting from Tehran Art University, Tehran, Iran 1985. Graphic Design, School of Fine Arts

## Solo Exhibitions

2023. "Untimely", Plus 2, Tehran, Iran
2022. "Boundary Lines", Sis Art Space, Bojnurd, Iran
2021. "Delimitation", Plus 2, Tehran, Iran
2020. "Reza Abedini in Profile", 32 Art Gallery, Tehran, Iran
2018. "Haft Peykar", Solo Exhibition of Homa Delvaray, Aaran Projects. Tehran, Iran
2018. Solo poster show, Pirsook Art Space, Shiraz, Iran
2013. "Rezayatnameh", Dar Al Funoon, Kuwait City, Kuwait
2005. Solo poster show, L.A.U., Lebanon
2004. Solo graphic design show, VCU Q, Doha, Qatar
2005. "Return, Visual Experiments", Contemporary Art Museum Isfahan, Iran
2001. Solo poster show, "In The Beginning", Hafez Gallery, Shiraz, Iran
2024. "The Abstract Labor of Art", Soo Contemporary, Tehran, Iran

2022. "Soft Edge of the Blade". Frieze No.9 Cork Street. Presented by Dastan Gallery.

London, England

2021. "Alternating Currents". Parallel Circuit. Tehran, Iran

2020. "Photogenic" Group Exhibition, Soo Gallery, Tehran, Iran

2020. "Me", Haan Gallery, Shiraz, Iran

2020. "Me", Emrooz Gallery, Isfahan, Iran

2020. "Shabtab (7)", Azad Art Gallery, Tehran, Iran

2020. "WOMEN C(A)REATE", Apex Art Selected Proposal, Darbast Platform, Tehran, Iran

2019. "Radde Tehran" Project, Second Event, Comod Design Space + Ordibehesht Gallery, Tehran, Iran

2019. "Radde Tehran" Project, First event, Comod Design Space, Tehran, Iran

2019. "Patternitecture", Niavaran Cultural Center, Tehran, Iran

2018. "Two Pages" Project, Sketchbook No25, A Series of Nomadic Sketchbooks, A Gallery, Tehran, Iran

2018. "Two Pages" Project, Sketchbook No25, A Series of Nomadic Sketchbooks, london, England

2018. Tehran Monoxide Project, Group Exhibition, Silk Road Gallery, Tehran, Iran

2018. "A Selection of Works on Paper & Multiples", Aaran Gallery, Tehran, Iran



2018. 009821 Projects, Tehran, Iran

2018. "Think Befor You Ink", Exhibition, Extrapool Sound Art Print, Nijmegen, Netherlands 2018. "Amordad", Afrand Gallery, Tehran, Iran

2018. Azad Gallery, Isfahan Contemporary Art Museum, Iran

2017. "Multiplicity Vol.1", Modern & Contemporary Print and Multiples, Bread & Salt

Projects in Collaboration with Dastan Gallery, Tehran, Iran

2017. "Miss Read", Art Book Fair, Berlin, Germany

2017. "Fully booked", Dubai's first art book fair, Alserkal Avenue Dubai, UAE

2017. "Beauty", Cooper Hewitt Invitational Design Triennial, San Jose Museum of Art, California, USA

2016. "Book As House", Group Exhibition of Artist' Book, Aran Projects, Tehran, Iran 2016. "(In)discernible (Ir)regularities", Artist book, conducts research on patterns and repetitions, AGA LAB, Amsterdam, Netherlands

2016. "Beauty", Cooper Hewitt Invitational Design Triennial, Smithsonian Design Museum, New York, USA

2015. "Baghe lalehzar", Spring Hesitance Event, Tehran, Iran

2013. "Book as Book", Group Exhibition of Artist' Book, Mahe mehr Gallery, Tehran, Iran 2011. "Typographic Tables", a Collection of Contemporary Typographic Culture, Museum of Modern and Contemporary Art Bolzano, Italy

2010. "In-Testo Con-Testo", International Invitational Exhibition of Artist' Book, Cartacanta Festival-Expo, Italy

2007. First Iran Art Festival, The Hague, Netherlands

2006. "Deeper Depression", Group Art Project, Tehran, Iran

2002. Orientament 1.0, Venice, Italy

#### **Art Fairs**

2023. Art Dubai, Represented by Dastan's Basement, Dubai, UAE

2023. Contemporary Istanbul, Represented by Dastan's Basement, Istanbul, Turkey

2022. "The Garden of Desolation". Frieze New York 2022. NY, USA

2020. Teer Art, Represented by 009821 Projects, Tehran, Iran

2018. Art Dubai, Represented by Ab Anbar Gallery, Dubai, UAE

### **Biennials**

1999. Participated in the 6<sup>th</sup> Biennial of Iranian Graphic Designers, Iran

### Group Graphic Design Exhibitions

2020. "Ame Laroc" Festival, Valinhos Electronic Music Festival, Sao Paulo, Brazil 2019. Audible-Visible", International Poster Exposition about Movie, Music, and Theatre, Lithuania Design Week, Vilnius, Lithuania 2019. "Balcon" Poster Exhibition, Kurdistan, Iran



2019. Contemporary Arabic Typographic Posters, Sharjah, UAE

2018. Golden Bee 13", International Poster Exhibition, Moscow, Russia

2018. "20x20: Poster for Peace", Mexico, USA

2018. "Typomania", 7<sup>th I</sup>nternational Typographic Festival, Moscow, Russia

2018. "26th Warsaw International Poster Biennale, Warsaw, Poland

2018. "The Hair's", Contemporary Typographic Based Posters from Iran, Istanbul, Turkey 2018. "AZAD", Posters from Azad Art Gallery Collaborative Design Project, Isfahan Museum of Contemporary Arts, Isfahan, Iran

2018. "The Hair's", Contemporary Typographic Based Posters from Iran, Istanbul, Turkey 2018. "The New Wind: Contemporary Iranian Design", San Meteo University, California, USA

2017. "China/Italy/Ecuador Poster DesignBiennale", 19<sup>th</sup> China Shanghai International Art Festival, Wuxi, China

2017. "SH\*T SHOW", Seattle-Havana-Tehran Poster Show, Endicott College, Boston, USA 2017. "20x20: Poster for Peace", Tehran, Iran And Oklahoma, USA

2017. "Flags of Peace", a Project by Trapped in Suburbia, Amsterdam, Netherlands

2017. "Golden Bee 12", International Poster Exhibition, Macerata, Italy

2017. "Golden Bee 12/100", International Poster Exhibition, Vilnius, Lithuania

2017. AZAD Collabrative Design Project in GDF; Graphic Design Festival Paris, France

2016. "Fairplay", International Poster Invitational Exhibition, Arak, Iran

2016. "AZAD", Posters from Azad Art Gallery Collaborative Design Project, Hinterland Galerie, Vienna, Austria

2016. "SH\*T SHOW", Seattle-Havana-Tehran Poster Show, Havana, Cuba

2016. "National Low-carbon Day", International Poster Invitational Exhibition, Zhongshan-China.

2016. "2015 Silk Road Sprit", The 1st West International Design Biennial, China

2016 "Authoritative Design", Azad Collaborative Design Project, Beirut, Lebanon

2016. Annual Baharestan Event, Tehran-Iran.

2015. "The Mustafa Prize", Science and Technology Award, Tehran, Iran

2015. "The Seattle-Havana-Tehran Show", Seattle, Group Poster Exhibition, Seattle, USA

2015. "Dalian", International Graphic Design Biennale, China

2015. "CO2", Global Poster Biennial, Colorado, USA

2015. "Chiran", the International Invitational Typography Poster Exhibition, China+Iran

2015. "The Evolving Silk Road", China-Italy International Design week, Florence, Italy 2015. "Post Past", 250<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the State Hermitage Museum, International Invitational Exhibition, Saint Petersburg, Russia

2014. "Recalling the Future": Post-Revolutionary Iranian Art, SOAS University, London, UK

2014. "IRAN - Unedited History", Fondazione Maxxi, Rome, Italy



2014. "Vitrine Book": A Selection of 35 Years of Contemporary Iranian Book Cover Designs (1978-2013), Tehran, Iran

2014. "Pres de Lointain le", Iranian Posters Exhibition, Tournai, Belgium

2014. "Graphic Design Week", Group Poster Exhibition, Rasht, Iran

2013. Italian Poster Biennial, 1<sup>st</sup> Italian Biennial of Poster, International Invitational Exhibition, Italy

2013. "100 Typographic Posters", International Invitational Exhibition, China

2013. International Invitational Poster Festival, Turkey

2012. "Right-to-Left"; Arabic and Iranian Visual Cultures Exhibition, Bethanien Art Center, Berlin, Germany

2012. Sarv Graphic Exhibition, Group Poster Exhibition, Tabriz, Iran

2012. "Sky City Posters", Group Poster Exhibition, Tehran, Iran

2012. "Image of the Year", Tassvir Magazine Poster Exhibition, Tehran, Iran

2012. "Persianissimo", An Iranian Contemporary Poster Exhibition, New Delhi, India

2011. "Deep Surface": Contemporary Ornament and Pattern, CAM Raleigh, Invitational Exhibition, North Carolina, USA

2011. "Persianissimo", Iranian Contemporary Posters Exhibition, Krakow, Poland

2011. "Persianissimo+10", an Iranian Contemporary Poster Exhibition, Toronto, Canada

2011. "The Individual Is Always the Exception" (In Memoriam of Morteza Momayez), Group Poster Exhibition, Tehran, Iran

2011. Gereh, Group Poster Exhibition, Yazd, Iran

2011. "Posters from Iran", Group Poster Exhibition, Copenhagen, Denmark

2011. "Dress up Me", Graphic Design for Hard Drive Cases, Tehran, Iran

2011. "Divar-koob", Group Poster Exhibition, Mashhad, Iran

2011. "Siwen U Gerek", Group Poster Exhibition, Sanandaj, Iran

2010. 100 Iranian Logotypes Exhibition, Novosibirsk, Russia

2010. "MUIP Biennial", 1st International Invitational Poster Biennial, Marmara University, Istanbul, Turkey

2010. "Standard Image", Group Poster Exhibition, Tehran, Iran

2010. "32 Years of Graphic Design in Iran", Cartacanta Festival-Expo, Italy

2010. "Letter to Form", Typography Exhibition, Zanjan, Iran

2010. "Persianissimo", Group Poster Exhibition, Free University of Bozen, Bolzano, Italy

2010. "Persianissimo", Group Poster Exhibition, Eastern Mediterranean University,

Famagusta, North Cyprus

2010. "Persianissimo", Group Poster Exhibition, Marmara University, Istanbul, Turkey

2010. "A Colorful Day", World Graphics Day Exhibition, Tehran, Iran

2010. "Divar-koob", Group Poster Exhibition, Tehran, Semnan, Shiraz, Isfahan and Mashhad, Iran

2010. Azad Art Gallery Group Graphic Design Project, Tehran, Iran



2009. Homa Delvaray on Vitrin Rooz, Virtual Exhibition of Homa Delvaray's Works 2009. "Voice in Freedom", International Invitational Biennial of Poster, Mexico, USA 2009. World Graphics Day exhibition, Group Poster Exhibition, Tehran, Iran 2009. "Persianissimo", Group Poster Exhibition, Fort Collins Museum of Contemporary Art, Colorado, USA 2009. "GEN V", Group Poster Exhibition, Cartacanta Festival-Expo, Italy 2008. "The Seattle-Tehran Poster Show", Group Poster Exhibition, Seattle, USA 2008. "Un Cri Persan 4" (Iranian Shout), Contemporary Iranian Posters, Geneva, Switzerland 2008. "Right-to-Left"; Arabic and Iranian Visual Cultures Exhibition, Berlin, Germany 2008. "Iranian Typography", Group Poster Exhibition, York University, Toronto, Canada 2008. "GEN X", Group Poster Exhibition by Iranian Young Graphic Designers, York University, Toronto, Canada 2008. "Carteles De Iran", Contemporary Iranian Posters, Barcelona, Spain 2008. Innovation and Progress in Urban Management Festival, Tehran, Iran 2008. "Shohreh Shahr" (In Memoriam of Hafiz, Iranian Poet), Street Posters Group Exhibition, Shiraz, Iran 2008. "27000 Millimeter", Group Poster Exhibition, Sari, Iran 2008. "Rokhsat", Group Poster Exhibition, Concerted with 19 Young Graphic Designers, Shiraz + Mashhad, Iran 2008. 1<sup>st</sup> Fadjr International Visual Arts Festival, Tehran, Iran 2008. "Shahnameh of Ferdowsi", 4<sup>th</sup> Iranian Typography Exhibition, Tehran, Iran 2007. "Rokhsat", Group Poster Exhibition, Concerted with 19 Young Graphic Designers, Tehran, Iran 2007. "Iranian Typography", Group Poster Exhibition, Basel, Switzerland 2007. 1st International Roaming Biennial of Tehran (Urban Jealousy), Berlin, Germany 2005. World Graphics Day exhibition, Group Art Project, Tehran, Iran

### Competitions

2016. "Golden Bee 12", Moscow Global Biennale of Graphic Design, Moscow, Russia

2015. 2015 Taipei International Design Award, Taiwan, China

2015. "IPT2015" the 11<sup>th</sup> International Poster Triennial, Toyama, Japan

2015. "BICeBe" Biennial of Poster Bolivia, La Paz, Bolivia

2012. "Golden Bee 10", Moscow Global Biennale of Graphic Design, Moscow, Russia

2010. 2<sup>nd</sup> Chicago International Poster Biennial, Chicago, USA

2010. Hong Kong International Poster Triennial, Hong Kong, China

2010. "Golden Bee 9", Moscow International Biennial of Graphic Design, Moscow, Russia

2010. System Group Logo Design Competition, Tehran, Iran

2009. Trnava Poster Triennial, Trnava, Slovakia

2009. 3rd International Islamic World Graphic Design Biennial, Tehran, Iran



2008. "Golden Bee 8", Moscow International Biennial of Graphic Design, Moscow, Russia

2008. The first Fadjr international visual arts festival, Tehran, Iran

2007. "Stone, Paper, Poster", 1st White Poster Design Festival, Tehran, Iran

2007. "Assma-ul-Husna", 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual of Typography Poster, Tehran, Iran

2007. 1st Art and Security Festival, Tehran, Iran

2007. 9<sup>th</sup> Contemporary Iranian Graphic Design Biennial, Tehran, Iran

2007. 9th Tehran International Poster Biennial, Tehran, Iran

2007. "Iranian Spring", 1<sup>st</sup> Scientific Seminar & Exhibition of Poetry & Visual Arts, Tehran, Iran

2007. 2<sup>nd</sup> International Poster Biennial of Islamic World, Tehran, Iran

2006. 1<sup>st</sup> National Visual Arts Festival of Resistance, Tehran, Iran

2005. Linotype 1<sup>st</sup> Arabic Type Design Contest, Germany

2005. 1<sup>st</sup> International Poster Biennial of Islamic World, Tehran, Iran

2005. "Democracy & Visual Arts", International Student Poster Competition, France

#### Awards

2016. The Honorable Iranian Woman Prize, Amordadgan Celebration, Tehran, Iran 2015. Distinction of Visual Communication Design, Taipei International Design Award, Taiwan, China

2011. First prize of Dress up Me, Graphic Design for hard Drive Cases, Tehran, Iran

2010. Second Prize of System Group Logo Design Competition, Tehran, Iran

2009. Jury prize of Trnava Poster Triennial, Trnava, Slovakia

2009. Honorable Mention of 3<sup>rd</sup> International Islamic World Graphic Design Biennial, Tehran, Iran

2007. Honors Diploma of 1<sup>st</sup> Art and Security Festival, Tehran, Iran

2007. Special Prize of the Society of Independent Designers, Assma-ul-Husna, 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual of Typography Poster, Tehran, Iran

2007. Third Prize & Honors Diploma of Assma-ul-Husna, 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual of Typography Poster, Tehran, Iran

2007. Special Prize of the Critics of Rang Magazine, the 9<sup>th</sup> Contemporary Iranian Graphic Design Biennial, Tehran, Iran

2007. Honorary Diploma of 2<sup>nd</sup> International Poster Biennial of Islamic World, Tehran, Iran 2006. Unique Prize & Honors Diploma of Statue of Resistance, Typography Section of 1<sup>st</sup> National Visual Arts Festival of Resistance, Tehran, Iran

2005. Honorable Mention & 4<sup>th</sup> Prize, Linotype's 1<sup>st</sup> Arabic Type Design Contest, Germany 2005.First prize, 9th Press Festival of Children & Young Adults, Iran

2005. First prize, Mexico International Poster Biennial, "Reve de Sable", Mexico, USA

2004. First prize and gold medal, 8<sup>th</sup> International Poster Biennial of Mexico, USA

2004. Silver prize, The 2<sup>nd</sup> International Poster Biennial of Korea

2004. First prize, The 1st International Biennial of the Islamic World Poster, Iran

2004. Special prize for "Motabar" poster, The 1<sup>st</sup> International Poster Annual of China

2003. Special prize, China International Poster Biennale, China

2002. Second prize, Chaumont Art and Design Annual, "Reve de Sable" poster, France



2001. IRIB Special Award, "A True Story" film poster, Tehran, Iran

2000. Honorable mention, "Honarpishe" film poster, Fajr International Film Festival, Tehran, Iran

1999 First Prize in Drawing of Academic Festivals, Kermanshah, Iran

1999. Special award, Iranian Graphic Designers Society, Tehran, Iran

1999. Special creativity award, IGDS, Tehran, Iran

1996. First prize, Best film poster of Fajr International Film Festival, Iran

1996. IRIB special award, The Best film poster, Iran

1994. First prize for best film poster of Fajr International Film Festival, Iran

1993. Won the 1<sup>st</sup> prize for best film poster of Fajr International Film Festival, Iran

#### Artist Talk and Workshops

2019. Artist Talk at "IDAW" Inverse Digital Arts Week, Tehran, Iran

2015. Artist Talk at ESA Saint-Luc, Liège, Belgium

2014. Artist Talk at LAU, Beirut, Lebanon

2012. "Two Lectures", Artist Talk at Zanjan University of Art, Zanjan, Iran

2011. "One Day at Art University", Artist Talk at Tehran University of Art, Tehran, Iran

2016. Annual Baharestan Event, Poster Workshop, Tehran, Iran

2015. "Re-think and Re-create" Poster Workshop, ESA Saint-Luc, Liège, Belgium

2014. "Beirut; through a typographic illustration" Poster Workshop, LAU, Beirut, Lebanon

2012. "Razavi visual Arts Festival" Poster Workshop, Shiraz, Iran

2011. "Gereh", Educational Workshop in Pattern Design, Yazd, Iran

### Member of Jury

2020. "Zero Waste", First International Poster Competition, Kütahya Dumlupınar University, Turkey

2020. At Scale of the Sagittarius, Isfahan, Iran

2020. Mashhad Urban Art Festival, Mashhad, Iran

2019. "7<sup>th</sup> Naghsh-e Tanpoush Festival", Tehran, Iran

2018. Golden Bee 13, Moscow Global Biennale of Graphic Design, Moscow, Russia

2018. "Nahal 15" Student Short Film Poster Festival, Tehran, Iran

2018. "Turn A Light On" (Escucha mi Voz), International Poster Contest, Guadalajara, Mexico, USA

2017. This is not a pipe, Theater Poster Competition, Tehran, Iran

2017. Posterrorism, International Poster Competition, Poland

2016. Ecuador Poster Biennial, Ecuador, South America

2016. The 6<sup>th</sup> Persian Gulf Poster Festival

2016. Annual Baharestan Event, Tehran Iran

2015. "Razavi visual Arts Festival", Shiraz, Iran

2014. Poster Competition of "Poster for tomorrow, Work Right!" Paris, France

2011. Poster Competition of "Poster for tomorrow, Right to Education", Paris, France

2010. "Rouzi Rouzegari" Book Cover Design Competition, Tehran, Iran



## Articles & Interviews

2020. "The Floating Magazine", An interview with Homa Delvaray by Ayushi Shah, India 2018. "A New Dimension in Poster Design", An interview with Homa Delvaray by Shira Inbar, AIGA Eye on Design magazine, the "Psych" Issue #2, USA

2018. "Zanane Emrooz" Magazine; Monthly journal on Women's Issues, An interview with Homa Delvaray by Aida Abasi, Tehran, Iran

2018. "Oxymorons Visual", An interview with Homa Delvaray by Charlotte Guibert," Etapes magazine; Issue 242, Paris, France

2017. "Homa Delvaray: Designer of Powerful Intricacies", Article by roshanak Keyghobadi, Neshan Magazine, Iran

2016. BG magazine; a fashion, design and culture publication, type, Ecuador, South America 2015. "Beauty": National Design Triennial" Cooper Hewitt, Smithsonian Design Museum, interview with Homa Delvaray by Suvi Saloniemi, New York, USA

2012. "Homa, the bird of fortune", article by Alireza Mostafazadeh, Neshan Magazine, Iran 2011. Arabesque 2, a book about Graphic Design from the Arab World and Persia, interview with Homa Delvaray by Die Gestalten, Berlin, Germany

2010. "Homa Delvaray: A Contemporary Iranian Graphic Designer and Her Mission", Article by Roshanak Keyghobadi, AIGA, USA

2010. "A lovely Hell", Creatie Magazine, An interview with Homa Delvaray by Anne Miltenburg, Amsterdam, Netherlands