

Ghada Jamal

Born in Beirut, Lebanon in 1955, Ghada Jamal started painting in the early 80s and continued her studies at Beirut University College, Lebanese American University (LAU) later, she immigrated to United States of America to pursue graduate studies. In 1990, she earned Master degree in Fine Arts in Drawing and Painting from California State University Long Beach (CSULB) and lived in California till her return to Lebanon in 2002, to reconnect with the subject of many of her art.

Over the years, Ghada has exhibited in United States, Europe and the Middle East. She performed fourteen solo shows in Beirut, Lebanon and internationally. She also participated in several group shows like "Contemporary Art" at City Center Dome, and "The Road To Peace" at Beirut Art Center. Her work is in many permanent collections, including the National Museum of Women in the Arts, in Washington, DC, Museum of Modern Art, in Qatar, National Gallery of Fine Arts, in Jordan.

For over 17 years, Ghada Jamal taught drawing and painting at American University of Beirut (AUB) and Notre Dame University (NDU), Louize. She is currently living and working in the United States of America, when she is not in her Studio, she works on public murals, mentors artists, and helps local art shows as a resident judge, to several art shows.

"As an artist, I'm humbled by profound constraints, that coexist with boundless limits. I'm grateful that early in my life I was captivated and captured by the beauty of my homeland, and was not detached from the tragedies and joys of those who share the same space. In this show, I remained faithful to the power of color as the enchanter and collaborator with imagination. The show represents the sum of three journeys that intermingles with our lives and emotions, before Color leaves us."

-Ghada JAMAL

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Solo exhibitions:

- 2025 From Heartland to Homeland, Art on 56th Gallery, Beirut, Lebanon
- 2022 Belonging for 1990-2022, Art on 56th Gallery, Beirut, Lebanon
- 2017 Notre Dame University Gallery, Beirut, Lebanon
- 2017 Cultural Club, Muscat, Oman
- 2015 APC Graphic Gallery, Torrance, CA USA
- 2011 Piece unique, Beirut, Lebanon
- 2009 Agial Gallery, Beirut, Lebanon
- 2006 Al Mada Cultural Center, Beirut, Lebanon
- 2006 French Cultural Center, Beirut, Lebanon
- 2005 Agial Gallery, Beirut, Lebanon
- 2003 Agial Gallery, Beirut, Lebanon
- 2001 Le Voyageur, Galerie Claude Lemand, Paris, France
- 1999 Agial Gallery, Beirut, Lebanon
- 1997 Agial Gallery, Beirut, Lebanon
- 1990 Lebanon-Cityscape, California State University, Long Beach, USA
Lebanese landscapes, California state university, long Beach, USA

Collective exhibitions:

- 2026 Nevertheless, Art on 56th Gallery, Beirut, Lebanon
- 2025 Curated Selection, Art on 56th Gallery, Beirut, Lebanon
- 2025 Landscape Conversations, Art on 56th Gallery, Beirut, Lebanon
- 2024 SUMMER 2024, Art on 56th Gallery, Beirut, Lebanon
- 2023 December 2023, Art on 56th Gallery, Beirut, Lebanon
- 2023 Menart fair, Palais d'Iéna, Art on 56th Gallery, Paris, France
- 2023 Art Cairo with Art on 56th Gallery, Egyptian Grand Museum, Cairo, Egypt
- 2023 SUMMER 2023, Art on 56th Gallery, Beirut, Lebanon
- 2022 Comeback Cairo, Egypt Int'l Art Fair, Cairo, Egypt
- 2022 Menart Fair, Cornette de Saint Cyr, Paris, France
- 2022 Summer 2022, Art on 56th Gallery, Beirut, Lebanon
- 2021 Comeback exhibition, Art on 56th Gallery, Beirut, Lebanon
- 2013 LAU Alumni Art Exhibition, The HOMECOMING, Beirut, Lebanon
- 2010 LEBANON, CONTEMPORARY ART, City Center Dome, Beirut, Lebanon
International Art Exhibition, Lebanese Diaspora, City Center Dome, Beirut, Lebanon
THE ROAD TO PEACE, Beirut Art Center, Lebanon

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Collective exhibitions:

- 2009 McMullen Museum of Arts, Boston College, USA
- 2008 The Unesco Place, Beirut, Lebanon
- 2006 Book as Art, 20th Anniversary Exhibition, National Museum of Women in Arts, Washington, USA
- 2003 Tawashujat, Jordan National Gallery of fine Arts, Amman, Jordan
- 2001 Art at the Madrona Marsh Nature Center, Torrance, CA, USA
- 1999 A GOOD READ; Euphrates Museum of Art, De Anza College, Cupertino, USA
- 1997 LAU Alumni Artists, Sheikh Zayed Gallery, Lebanese American University, Beirut, Lebanon
Book as Art, 10th Anniversary Exhibition, The National Museum of Women in the Art Library and Research Center, Washington, D.C, USA
New Collection, Darat Al Funun, Amman, Jordan
- 1995 Surroundings, Jamal and Minorus, Brand Gallery, Santa Ana, CA, USA
Restless Voices, Abstraction from Los Angeles, Schick Gallery, Skidmore College Saratoga Springs, NY, USA
- 1994-95 Forces of Change, Artists of the Arab World, National Museum of Women in the Arts, Washington, D.C. Exhibition traveled to Chicago Cultural Center, Chicago, Illinois; Wolfs on Gallery, Miami-Dade College, Miami, Florida; Nexus Contemporary Art Center and Guinnett Fine Arts Center, Atlanta, Georgia; Bedford Gallery, Walnut Creek Civic Art Center, Walnut Creek, CA, USA
- 1994 Ghada Jamal, Carolyn Buck Vosburgh, Janice M. Arnold, Sacred Grounds, San Pedro, CA, USA
- 1993 FOUR ARAB ARTISTS, from the United States, Abdul Hameed Shoman Foundation, Amman, Jordan
Shaken Realities, Ruth Eyrich, Ghada Jamal, Rhoda Weissman, Joslyn Fine Arts Gallery, Torrance, CA, USA
Art of the Small Paintings by Five Los Angeles Artists, Palladio Gallery, LA, CA, USA
Still Life in Lebanese Art, Sheikh Zayed Gallery, Lebanese American University Beirut, Lebanon
- 1992 LA Abstract Artists Works on Paper, Gallery X Exeter England 'World News,' Muckenthaler Cultural Center, Fullerton, CA, USA
- 1991 Angel's Gate Cultural Center Members Exhibition, San Pedro, CA, USA
World News, Beyond Baroque, Venice, CA and the Onyx, Los Angeles, CA, USA
- 1990 Long Beach Art Expedition, Print works Gallery, Long Beach, CA, USA
Group 390, California State University, Long Beach, May Stevens, juror, USA
WAM, Downey Museum of Art, Downey, CA, Scott Ward, juror, USA
- 1989 Group II 89, California State University, Long Beach, Mary Sullivan, juror, USA
- 1988 Alumni Exhibition, Beirut University College, Beirut, Lebanon
- 1985 Three Beirut University Graduates, Sheikh Zayed Gallery, Lebanese American University, Beirut, Lebanon