



## Atefeh Majidi Nezhad

### BORN

1983 Isfahan, Iran  
Lives and works in Dubai, UAE

### EDUCATION

2009 MA in Painting, University of Tehran, Tehran, Iran  
2006 BA in Painting, Art University of Isfahan, Isfahan, Iran  
2001 Graphic Arts Diploma, Fine Arts School of Isfahan, Iran

### SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2024 "Revision: Labyrinths", +2 Dastan Gallery, Tehran, Iran  
2021 "Revision: 2021", +2 Dastan Gallery, Tehran, Iran  
2018 "Revision: Zero-G", Dastan's Basement Gallery, Tehran, Iran  
2016 "Revision", Dastan's Basement Gallery, Tehran, Iran

### GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2025 Architectures of the In-Between, Aisha Alabbar Gallery, Dubai UAE.  
2025 Escondido Museum, California, USA  
  
2024 Laal Collection, Total Art Gallery, Dubai, UAE  
Soft Edge of Blade, Zaal Gallery, Toronto, Canada  
2023 The Unexpected, Monat Gallery, Madrid, Spain  
Arches of Agony, Guest House, Los Angeles, USA  
Academy of Fine Arts, Bologna, Italy  
2022 Khor Art Initiative Artists Exhibition, Sarai Gallery, Mahshahr, Iran  
2018 Selections: Cultural Narrative, Warehouse 61, Alserkal Avenue, Dubai, UAE  
2017 Mul[plicity Vol .1, V-Gallery, Dastan: Outside, Tehran, Iran  
Update 5.0, V-Gallery, Dastan: Outside, Tehran, Iran  
2015 Anonymous Drawing, Gallery Nord, Berlin, Germany  
Anonymous Drawing, Gallery ARTQ13, Rome, Italy  
Anonymous Drawing, Gallery GEYSO20, Braunschweig, Germany  
2013 The Young Collector Auction, Ayyam Gallery, Dubai, UAE

### ART FAIRS

2024 ArtDubai, Dubai, UAE  
2022 Paris Art Fair, Paris, France  
Discovery Art Fair, Koln, Germany  
2019 Art Dubai, Dubai, UAE  
2016 The Other Art Fair, London, UK

### AWARDS

2023 Lorenzo Il Magnifico" Second Prize, Florence Biennale, Italy  
2022 Winner Khor Art Initiative, Iran  
Federal Government Commissioner for Culture and the Media, Germany

### BIENNALE

2023 XIV Florence Biennale, Florence, Italy, 2023



## RESIDENCIES

2019      Ateljé Stundars, Vaasa, Finland  
2018.      Open Ateliers, Amsterdam, The Netherlands

## Biography

**Atefeh Majidi Nezhad** (b. 1983, Isfahan, Iran) is an Iranian artist based in Dubai whose work delves into the dynamic relationship between architecture and its impact on the observer. With a Bachelor of Arts in Painting from Isfahan University of Art (2006) and a Master's degree from the University of Tehran (2009), Majidi Nezhad has cultivated a career that bridges local roots with global reach. Her work has been featured in an array of prominent local and international exhibitions, including four solo shows and over twenty group exhibitions and art fairs. A career highlight includes winning the prestigious *Lorenzo Il Magnifico* second prize for her installation at the Florence Biennale XIV in 2023. In 2022, she was awarded first prize by the Khor-Art Initiative and the Culture and Media Grant in Germany, underscoring her influential presence in the art world.

Majidi Nezhad's works are also held in esteemed collections in Dubai, solidifying her international footprint. Her practice critically engages with themes of architecture, culture, and memory, inviting viewers into a reflective dialogue on how built environments shape personal and collective experiences.