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## Education

**University of Houston**, Houston TX, USA, 2014-2017, MFA, Painting, Minors in Art History  
**National College of Arts**, Lahore, Pakistan, 2009-2013, BFA (With Distinction), Painting  
**Augustana University**, Sioux Falls, SD, USA, 2011-2012, Fulbright Exchange Scholar

## Residencies

**Vermont Studio Center, VSC Fellow, Community of the Artists Alliance Grantee**  
Johnson, Vermont, September 3<sup>rd</sup>-September 29<sup>th</sup>, 2017  
**Sam and Adele Golden Foundation, Painting Fellowship**, New Berlin, New York, June 21<sup>st</sup> – July 18, 2017

## Teaching

<b>Art League Houston</b> , Instructor <i>Image Construction: Understanding 2-D Media</i> <i>Painting Fundamentals</i>	<b>January – May 2018</b>
<b>Houston Center for Contemporary Craft</b> , Instructor <i>Masterclass: Figure Drawing</i>	<b>August 2017</b>
<b>University of Houston</b> , Teaching Fellow <i>Fundamentals of Painting, Drawing</i>	<b>2015 - 2017</b>
<b>University of Houston</b> , Teaching Assistant <i>Art and Society; Renaissance to Modern, Ways of Seeing Art</i>	<b>2014 - 2017</b>

## Two-Person Shows

**Owen Dreysdale and Rajab Ali Sayed: Swim**, Barbara Davis Gallery, Houston, TX, 2017  
**Dua Abbass and Rajab Ali Sayed: Melting into Us**, Unicorn Gallery, Karachi, Pakistan, 2013  
**Zahrah Ehsan and Rajab Ali Sayed: New Romantic**, Rohtas Gallery, Islamabad, Pakistan, 2013

## Select Group Shows

**30 Under 30**, Curated by Chrissie Iles, Virdian Artists, Chelsea, NYC, 2018  
**2018 Made in Paint Show**, Sam and Adele Golden Foundation, New Berlin, NY, 2018  
**International Exhibition at University of Texas at Tyler**, Curated by Michelle Smythe, Tyler, TX, 2018  
**Assistance League of Houston Celebrates Texas Art**, Williams Tower, Houston, TX, 2018, 2017  
**“Let’s Get Lost”**, Gensler Summer Exhibition 2017, Curated by Aaron Parazette and KAC, Gensler Houston, TX  
**The Big Show 2017, 2016**, Lawndale Art Center, Houston, TX  
**39<sup>th</sup> Annual MFA Thesis Show**, Blaffer Art Museum, Houston TX, MFA Candidate  
**Texas National**, Stephen F. Austin University, Nacogdoches, TX, 2017, 2016  
**Salon**, The Secondbedroom Gallery, Houston, TX, 2016  
**New Texas Talent XXIII (2016)**, Craighead Green Gallery, Dallas, TX  
**4411 Montrose**, Houston, TX, 2014, **Connect Five**, Group Show  
**Zahoor Ul-Akhlaq Gallery**, 2011, Lahore, Pakistan, **Pretty. Young. Things: BFA Thesis Show**

## Select Publications

[Friend of The Artist, Fall 2017](#)  
[Glasstire](#)  
[Glasstire](#)  
[ArtNow](#)  
[The Houston Chronicle](#)  
[Dallas News](#)