



# SOLMAZ LIENHARD

ARTIST SCULPTOR

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## ABOUT ME

I am Solmaz Lienhard, an experienced independent sculptor with an international presence in solo and group exhibitions. Throughout my artistic journey spanning over twenty years, I have explored diverse materials and media to showcase my creativity. My research explores the interplay among human beings, society, and the environment. Through refined techniques and deep introspection, I aim to convey my spiritual encounters authentically.

## EDUCATION

### Swiss license for Therapy & Art

Atka Anthroposophical Academy  
for Therapy and Art  
since 2021

### Diploma of Drawing And Sculpture

Yerevan State Academy of Fine Arts  
Armenia-Yerevan  
2009 - 2010

### Diploma of Art

Mahe-Mehr Cultural&Art Institute-  
Tehran-Iran  
Teacher Parviz Tanavoli  
2006 - 2007

### Bachelor of Visual Art

Alzahra University - Tehran, Iran  
2002 - 2005

## LANGUAGE

Farsi              English  
Azeri              German

## WORK EXPERIENCE

2004 to present

Self-employed

### INDEPENDENT SCULPTOR

- Hand-modeled substances such as metal, clay, wood, etc. to form objects ranging from small sculptures to large installations.
- Innovated a new style in wall sculpturing by combining marquetry and woodcarving.
- Participated in many municipal art acquisition open calls and won many art installation project prizes.

06-2010 to 10-2014

Naghshineh Architecture Co. - Tehran, Iran

### Sculpture Designer and Executor

- Developed unique concept designs that drove company forward in industry. presented designs to project teams and incorporated changes based on feedback.
- Created schematics of design, components and assembly procedures.

05-2008 to 12-2009

Mohammadi's Sculpture Studio - Tehran, Iran

### ART ASSISTANT

- Assisted in magnifying small sculptures.
- Model Fiberglass mold sculptures.
- Casted bronze and made of bronze sculptures.

## EXHIBITIONS

- 2023 Exhibition at ART NORDIC, Copenhagen, Denmark.
- 2023 Exhibition at Art Fair Luzern, Switzerland
- 2023 Exhibition at Inselspitze, Heilbronn, Germany.
- 2022 Performance in HSLU, Luzern, Switzerland.
- 2022 Vigil for WLF movement victims, Theater Basel, Switzerland.
- 2022 Exhibition at ArtMuc, Munich, Germany.
- 2020-2021 Exhibition at Galerie Katapult, Basel, Switzerland.
- 2020 Exhibition at Ramstein Optik, Basel, Switzerland.
- 2018 Exhibition at Ariana Gallery, Tehran, Iran.
- 2014 2nd Exhibition at Sundial event, Tehran, Iran.
- 2013 Exhibition at EXPO, Tehran, Iran.
- 2011 Exhibition at the Association of Iranian Sculptors, Tehran, Iran.
- 2011 Wood and Stone Exhibition, Tehran, Iran.
- 2011 Group Exhibition in Recycled Sculptures, Tehran, Iran.
- 2010 Annual Exhibition at the Association of Iranian Sculptors, Tehran, Iran.
- 2010 City Biennale and Installation, Tehran, Iran.
- 2010 1st Exhibition of Sundial, Tehran, Iran.
- 2009 5&6th Exhibition of Small Sculptures, Tehran, Iran.

## SKILLS

- Organizing an art therapy workshop for young refugees
- Hand-craft art expert
- Freehand sketching.
- Mixed-media sculpting master
- Understanding of anatomy
- Extensive experience in working with different materials and techniques:
  - Metal
  - Clay
  - Wood
  - String/Thread
  - Drawing
  - Water color painting
  - Miniature
  - Calligraphy
  - Marquetry
  - Batik printing
  - Carpet weaving

## ACCOMPLISHMENTS

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- Winner of the city sculpture open call for Nowruz, Shiraz, Iran, 2016.
- Winner of the city sculpture open-call for a Nowruz, installed in Tabriz, Iran, 2015.
- Winner of Sundial festival of competition, Tehran, Iran, 2014.
- Winner of the city sculpture open-call for a statue the four seasons (Sculpture made of metal in a four-story complex) installed Tehran, Iran, 2013.
- Winner of the city sculpture open-call, Tabriz, Iran, March, 2012.
- Winner of the city sculpture for a statue in form of a dandelion installed in Tehran, Iran, February, 2012.
- Winner of the city sculpture open-call for an 18 meter statue, in memorial to the martyrs of the Iran-Iraq war, installed in Esfahan, Iran, 2011.
- Winner of snow sculpture competition, Kohrang, Shiraz, Iran, 2008.