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Education

2018 - **MFA Painting and Drawing**, University of Cincinnati, USA
(Full tuition scholarship and stipend) (outstanding student of the batch)

2016 - **Prior Degree Course**, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, USA

2014 - **B.Sc. in Visual Communication**, Loyola College, Madras university *(Gold Medalist)*

2020 - **Islamic History and Culture**, Tel Aviv University's Online certified course

2020 - **Ancient Egyptian Art and Archaeology**, HarvardX Online Certified course

Honors & Grants

2024- **Hampi Art Lab Residency by JSW Foundation**

2023 – Bombay Institute of Critical Analysis and Research (BICAR) writing fellowship for artists

2019 – UGC NTA NET Fellowship in Visual Arts *(99.96 percentile) (National level Rank)*

2018 - Outstanding MFA student award 2016-18, College of Design Architecture Art and Planning, University of Cincinnati, USA

2017 - 2nd Prize in Avon Duct Tape Festival, Ohio, USA

2017 - Wolfstein Fellowship, University of Cincinnati, USA
(Travelled to Italy to study Renaissance painting and sculpture)

2016 - University Grant Scholarship, University of Cincinnati, USA
(Full Scholarship with assistantship)

2016 - Graduate Assistant Scholarship, University of Cincinnati, USA

2016 - Support Grant, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, USA

2016 - Distinguished Merit Scholarship, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, USA

2014 - Fr. Inchakal graduate Medal, First rank in Dept. of Visual Communication, Loyola College

Selected Exhibitions

- 2026- India Art Fair, 2026, Delhi represented by Anupa Mehta Contemporary Art
- 2025- Art Mumbai 2025, Mumbai represented by Anupa Mehta Contemporary Art
- 2025- Comos II: Chasing Infinity Anupa Mehta Contemporary Art, Mumbai **(solo)**
- 2025- Dtale Archist VI, Dtale Archist, Bengaluru *(Curated by Bose Krishnamachari)*
- 2025- India Art Fair, Delhi represented by Anupa Mehta Contemporary Art
- 2025- Tableaux, Anupa Mehta Contemporary Art, Mumbai (Mumbai Gallery weekend 25)
- 2024- Painting places, Inko Centre, Chennai *(curated by Vaishnavi Ramanathan)*
- 2024 – Art Mumbai Sculpture Park *(curated by Veerangana Solanki)*
- 2024- Art Mumbai, represented by Anupa Mehta Contemporary Art
- 2024 – Cosmos, Anupa Mehta Contemporary Art, Mumbai **(solo)**
- 2024 – Chennai Biennale, Inko Centre, Chennai *(curated by Dr. Ashrafi Bhagat)*
- 2024 - India Art Fair, Delhi represented by Anupa Mehta Contemporary Art
- 2024 – All the light we cannot see, Anupa Mehta Contemporary Art, Mumbai
- 2023 – Perpetual Ode, Jeju National University, Jeju Islands, Korea
- 2023 – Busan International Art Fair, BEXCO, Busan, Korea
- 2023 – Blueprint for impossible Structures, Anupa Mehta Contemporary Art, Mumbai **(solo)**
- 2023 – On/off the grid, Online Viewing Room (OVR), Terrain Art, Delhi **(solo)**
- 2023 - Illusion on Home, Art and Charlie, Mumbai
- 2022 - Kal, Art and Charlie, Mumbai
- 2022 - Geometry and Art: An age long Parallel, Apparao Gallery, Chennai
- 2022 - GOONJ: An Abstract Continuum- SH Raza Centenary Show, CSMV, Mumbai
(Curated by Jesal Thacker)
- 2022 - Locus of control, BMW Infinity Centre, Mumbai
- 2021- Beyond Abstraction: Two Person show, Artery India, Quorum club, Gurugram

(Curated by Arvind Vijay Mohan)

2021- All that is life, Space 118, Mumbai

2020 - A6 Mural project, Artist project run by Dutch artist Lydia Wierenga, Netherlands

2019 - Making spaces, Sakshi Gallery, Mumbai

2019 - Poka-Yoke: Group show #2, Cholamandal Artist Village, Chennai

(Curated by Vasundhara Sellamuthu)

2019 - Drawing Index, Cholamandal Artist Village, Chennai

2018 - Reductive Non-Objective Project, Cincinnati Chapter, Cincinnati, Ohio

(Curated by Billy Gruner)

2018 - Time Warp- Juried show, Thunder-sky Inc Gallery, Cincinnati, USA

2018- Locus Pocus: Paintings by Peter Shear and Arvind Sundar, 840 Gallery, Cincinnati, USA

(Peter Shear is represented by Cheim & Read, NYC)

2018 - It's a Beautiful Mess, Carnegie Art Center, Covington, Kentucky, USA

2018 - Smile until the tears run into your mouth, MFA Thesis show, Contemporary Arts Centre Cincinnati, Ohio, USA

2017 - Field and Form: New Paintings, Solo show, 840 Gallery, University of Cincinnati, USA

(Curated by celebrated artist Emil Robinson)

2017 - Everything will work out: two-person show, Divisible Artist collaborative, Dayton, USA

(Curated by celebrated artist Jeffrey Cortland Jones)

2017 - One line over the other, Wavepool Gallery, Cincinnati, Ohio, USA

2017 - Pivot, Myers and Reed Gallery, Cincinnati, USA

(Curated by SSo-Rah-Kang)

2017 - Homage to Hassan Sharif, Art Dubai, Dubai, UAE

2017 - Mystic Writing- Solo painting show, 840 Gallery, University of Cincinnati, USA

2016 - Precious and Profane, two-person Painting and print show, 840 Gallery, University of Cincinnati

2016 - Mid-American College Arts Association (MACAA) Conference Show Modern Makers, Cincinnati, USA

2015 - Creature Comforts, School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, USA

Selected Articles

- 2025- [Interview about my show Chasing Infinity by Anindo Sen for Mint Lounge](#)
- 2024- [interview about my show cosmos at Anupa Mehta Contemporary Art by Lifestyle Asia](#)
- 2024 – [Article on my works exhibited at Anupa Mehta Contemporary Art by Sonal Motla](#)
- 2023 – [Article on my solo show at Anupa Mehta Contemporary Art by Svasa Life](#)
- 2023 – [Interview about my practice by Terrain Art](#)
- 2022 – [Article on Goonj : SH Raza Centenary show, CSMV by Art Tehelka](#)
- 2022 – [featured article on studio practice by Curatormag](#)
- 2021 – [Article on studio practice by Live Mint Lounge](#)
- 2019 – [Article on Drawing Index show at Cholamandal artist Village](#)
- 2019 - ["Art School", Published in Winter 2019](#)

Selected Collections

- Roshan Talera, Wellesley Hotel, Pune
- Hampi Art Lab Archives, JSW foundation
- Ms. Tarini Jindal Collection
- Lalbhai Museum, Ahmedabad
- Ms. Rajshree Pathy, Art collector, Director of India design Forum and Rajshree Industries, Delhi
- Ms. Swathi Gupta, Art Collector, Director of Swati and Sunaina Sarees, Calcutta
- Artery India, Delhi
- Apparao Gallery, Chennai
- Sentanyl Collection by Colin Fernandes, Art Collector, California
- Other Private Collections