FATMA BUCAK

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SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2022	<i>In prestissimo</i> , Galleria Peola Simondi, Torino, curated by Maria Teresa Roberto <i>While the Dust Quickly Falls</i> , Kunsthaus Dresden, curated by Kari Conte, Kerstin Flasche, Christiane Mennicke-Schwarz
2020	Acts of Erasure - Perceptions of heritage, indigeneity, and political identity, MOCA - Museum of Contemporary Art, Toronto
2018	So as to find the strength to see, GAM, Galleria d'Arte Moderna, Palermo, curated by Maria Centonze, Lisa Parola , Agata Polizzi. A World of Ten Thousand Things, Pi Artworks, Istanbul, curated by Övül Ö. Durmuşoğlu So as to find the strength to see, Fondazione Merz, Torino, curated by Maria Centonze, Lisa Parola
2017	Remains of what has not been said, Palazzo del Rettorato, Biblioteca Graf, Torino Sticks and Stones, Pi Artworks, London, curated by Nat Muller Detail of an aftermath – Damascus rose, Harpe 45, Lausanne, Switzerland
2016	And men turned their faces from there, David Winton Bell Gallery, Providence, Rhode Island Suggested place for you to see it - And then God blessed them, Pori Art Museum, Pori, Finlandia
2015	<i>Nothing is in its own place</i> , Galleria Alberto Peola, Torino <i>Over a line, darkly</i> , Artpace, San Antonio, Texas, curated by Ian Alden Russell
2014	<i>l must say a word about fear</i> , Castello di Rivoli, Torino, curated by Marianna Vecellio
2013	<i>Yet another story about the fall</i> , Arter-Space for Art, Istanbul, curated by Basak Doga Temur <i>Present Future</i> , Artissima, Torino, curated by Qinyi Lim
2011	<i>Figlia dell'uomo</i> , Galleria Alberto Peola, Torino, text by Martina Corgnati
2009	<i>Melancholia I</i> , The Zandra Rhodes Gallery, UCA, Rochester, UK, curated by Caroline Scott

GROUP EXHIBITIONS



2024	From Ukraine: Dare to Dream, Evento collaterale della 60° Esposizione Internazionale d'Arte – La Biennale di Venezia, Palazzo Contarini Polignac, Dorsoduro 874, curated by Oleksandra Pogrebnyak, Ksenia Malykh, Björn Geldhof I Feel You, PinchukArtCentre, Kyiv, curated by Oleksandra Pogrebnyak, Ksenia Malykh, Björn Geldhof Expodemic, Palazzo Esposizioni, Roma, curated by Lorenzo Benedetti, in collaboration with Francesca Campana
2022	Devenir Fleur, MAMAC, Nice, curated by Hélène Guenin, Rébecca François
2021	Le Déracinement. On Diasporic Imaginations, Z33 House for Contemporary Art, Design & Architecture, Hasselt (BE), curated by Silvia Franceschini, Jeanne Coppens
2020	Inside, Galleria Alberto Peola, Torino
2019	Somewhere in between, Borås Konstmuseum, Borås, SE Premio New York: Fatma Bucak e Antonio Fiorentino, Istituto Italiano di Cultura, New York, curated by Isin Önol GOOD! SPACE - Communities, or the Promise of Happiness, Villa Merkel, Esslingen am Neckar (D), curated by Andreas Baur, Anka Wenzel, Julia Hermann, Johannes Kaufmann
2017	Deposito d'Arte Italiana Presente, ARTISSIMA, Torino, curated by Ilaria Bonacossa, Vittoria Martini Wheredolendandyoubegin - On Secularity, GIBCA Göteborg International Biennial for Contemporary Art, Göteborg, SE, curated by Nav Haq Attention! Border, Galeria Labirynt & Galeria Arsenał elektrownia, Lublin & Białystok, curated by Monika Szewczyk, Waldemar Tatarczuk Passare il segno, Pinacoteca Albertina, Torino, curated by Franco Fanelli
2015	<i>Line</i> , Art Rooms Kyrenia, Cyprus, curated by Basak Senova <i>Staging the screen: Fatma Bucak and Ra di Martino</i> , The Ryder Project, London, curated by Pati Lara <i>Sights and Sounds: Turkey</i> , Jewish Museum, New York, curated by Emre Baykal
2014	Rainbow in the Dark, SALT Galata, Istanbul, curated by Galit Eliat, Sebastian Cichocki The Oxymoron of Normality Part II, DEPO Cultural Centre, Istanbul, curated by Monika Szewczyk Into the Country, SALT Ulus, Ankara, curated by Lukasz Ronduda, Museum of Modern Art Varsavia The Oxymoron of Normality - We are Europeans, but perhaps not in the Exact Meaning of the Word, Galeria Arsenal, Bialystok, PL, curated by Monika Szewczyk



2013	Bloomberg New Contemporeries 2013, ICA (Institute of Contemporary Arts), London
	<i>Transition</i> , Yapi Kredi Kultur Sanat, Istanbul, curated by Fatma Bucak, Basak Senova
	Bloomberg New Contemporeries 2013, Spike Island, Bristol The Birth of Cinema and Beyond, Rosenfeld Porcini Gallery, London Meet Again, Galleria Alberto Peola, Torino
	<i>Catlin Art Prize 2013</i> , London New Castle, London, curated by Justin Hammond <i>Italian Stories</i> , Arte Fiera 2013, Bologna, curated by Laura Cherubini, Lea Mattarella
	<i>Estrangement</i> , Cooper Gallery, DJCAD, Dundee, UK, curated by Sophia Yadong Hao
	Academy Now, Hanmi Gallery, London, curated by Laura Petrillo
2012	<i>Dress Code</i> , Contemporary Art Platform Gallery Space, Kuwait, curated by Martina Corgnati, Amel B.Makkawi
	Vennestraat – Hidden Places and Identities, Manifesta 9 Parallel Events, Gent, BE , curated by Francesca Berardi, Michela Sacchetto
	<i>Show RCA 2012</i> , Royal College of Art, Battersea, London, curated by Nigel Rolfe <i>Seeing for Others, pop-up show and book launch</i> , Work Gallery, London, curated by Rut Blees Luxemburg
	In Sede-Tempi Precari, Torino, curated by Francesco Poli, Elisa Lenhard
2011	<i>54° Biennale di Venezia</i> , Padiglione Accademie, Tese di San Cristoforo, Venezia <i>Premio Cairo</i> , La Permanente, Milano, curated by Luca Beatrice
	<i>Dress Code</i> , Art SAWA, Dubai, curated by Martina Corgnati, Amel B. Makkawi <i>Alt.</i> +1000-Photography in the Mountains, Rossinière, CH, curated by Nathali Herschdorfer
	In Sede-Tempi Precari, Torino, curated by Francesco Poli, Elisa Lenhard Construct, Folkestone Triennial Parallel Event, Folkestone, UK
2010	<i>Past Present Future-Highlights from the UniCredit Collection</i> , Yapi Kredi Kazim Taskent Art Gallery, Istanbul, curated by Walter Guadagnini <i>Nuovi Arrivi-Get Closer</i> , Accademia Albertina delle Belle Arti, Torino, curated by Maria Teresa Roberto
	Contemporary Artists Between Italy and Turkey, Yapi Kredi Kazim Taskent Art Gallery, Istanbul, curated by Martina Corgnati
2009	<i>Piattaforma 09</i> , Fondazione Cassa di Risparmio di Modena, Modena, curated by Filippo Maggia
	<i>Nuovi Arrivi/Proposte – St.art me up</i> , Accademia Albertina delle Belle Arti, Torino , curated by Maria Teresa Roberto
2008	4th Warsaw Festival of Art Photography, Young Contemporary Artists, Sztuki Mediòw ASP Gallery, Warsaw, curated by Magdalena Durda Dmitruk Giovani artist italiani, Istituto Italiano di Cultura, Warsaw
AWARDS	
2023	Italian Fellow - Rome Prize Winner, American Academy, Roma
2021	Premio Tosetti Value per la Fotografia, Artissima, Torino



- 2019 XVI ed. New York Prize, Istituto Italiano di Cultura, New York
- 2013 Premio Illy Present Future, Torino
- Damiani Award/Academy Now, London
- 2012 The Worshipful Company of Painter-Stainers Prize
- 2011 Arter-Koc Foundation Study Grant for 2010-2012, Istanbul
- 2010 Nuovi Arrivi-Unicredit Passport Project Grant, Torino

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