

BIO-DATA

Dr. Meena Baya:

- Born in Udaipur, Rajasthan.

Qualification:

- M.A. (Drawing & Painting) in 1985 with Gold Medal from M.L.S. University, Udaipur, Rajasthan.
- PhD in 'Jain Temple Structure, Mewar' 1999 from M.L.S. University, Udaipur, Rajasthan.
- Senior Lecturer, Drawing and Painting, Government Girls College, Nathdwara, Rajasthan.

Solo Show:

- 2005 Built-More, Cupertino (CA), USA.
- 2004 Ocean Oasis, Los Angeles, USA.
- 2002 Triveni Gallery New Delhi.
- 2001 Juneja Art Gallery, Jaipur.
- 2001 Lucknow.
- 1996 St. David's Hall, Cardiff, U.K.
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- 1995 Nehru Centre, Mumbai.
- 1992 Udaipur.
- 1991 Zawar Mines, (Udaipur).
- 1989 Fine art Faculty, M.S. University, Baroda.

Group Show:

- 2008 'ART today in Rajasthan' organised by Dhoomimal Art Centre, New Delhi.
- 2008 'An Aristic Journey' Rajasthan and U.K. Organized by A.B.S., Jaipur and Chandigarh, R.L.K.A., Jaipur, L.K.A & British Council, New Delhi at Chandigarh.
- 2007 'An Artistic Journey' Rajasthan and U.K. organized by A.B.S., R.L.K.A., J.V.F., Jaipur and British Council, New Delhi at Jaipur.
- 2003 Rules of Engagement, Liantarnam Grange Art Centre, Cwmbran, U.K
- 2002 Print making from Rajasthan, St. David's Hall, Cardiff.
- 2001 Cross X Links India and New Zealand Artists, New Zealand and India.
- 2001 'Tradition to Modernity' Contemporary Indian Painting, Germany
- 2000 Graphic Expressions Print Show by Cymroza Art Gallery, Mumbai
- 2000 Shridharani Gallery, New Delhi.
- 1999 'The Desert And Beyond' by British Council, New Delhi.
- 1997 Liantarnam Grange Art Centre, Cwmbran, U.K.
- 1996 Artist in residency by Art Council of Wales, U.K.
- 1996 A.I.F.A.C.S., New Delhi.
- 1996 Liantarnam Grange Art Centre, Cwmbran, U.K.
- 1994 Centaur Hotel Air Port Mahalsa Art Gallery, Mumbai.
- 1991 Contemporary Art Gallery, Ahemdabad.

Awards & Scholarships:

- 2000-02 Junior fellowship for Graphics by Ministry of Culture, Govt. of

- India.
- 1996 Fellowship by Art Council of Wales, U.K.
- 1993-94 Research Grant for Graphic by N.L.K.A., New Delhi, India.
- 1988 Raj Kala Puraskar by R.L.K.A., Jaipur, India.
- 1985,88,92 Tulika Kalakar Parishad, Udaipur,
- 1989 'Creators', Ambala, India.

Participation:

- 2008 8th Bhaart Bhavan International Biennial of Print-Art, Bhopal.
- 2007 Shiplgram utsav by W.Z.C.C., Udaipur.
- 2007 Women Artist of Rajasthan by J.K.K., Jaipur.
- 2006 'Through The Looking Glass' The Women's Art Association, Wales, U.K.
- 2006 'Viginiti' The Women's Art Association, U.K.
- 2006 Women Artist of Rajasthan by J.K.K., Jaipur.
- 1997 The 19th International Independence Exhibition of Prints in Kanagawa, Japan.
- 1997 Women's art show to commemorate 50 yrs of Independence by art front at Mahalsa Art Gallery, Mumbai
- 1998 All India Drawing Exhibition by R.L.K.A., Jaipur.
- 1996 Art around 'The Bay', U.K.
- 1996 All India Art Biennial of Rajasthan.
- 1995 Rashtriya Kala Mela by L.K.A.Lucknow
- 1988,90,94 Rashtriya Kala Mela by L.K.A., New Delhi
- 1996 An Exhibition of Contemporary Art of Rajasthan by R.L.K.A. and G.S.L.K.A., Ahemdabad
- 1986,87,88 All India Art Exhibition by T.K.P.,
90, 92 Udaipur.
- 1994 - 97 State Art Exhibition by R.L.K.A., Jaipur.
- 1995 The Indian Academy of Fine Art, Amritsar.
- 1994 Exhibition of Art by U.N.D.C.P., New Delhi.
- 1992 6th All India Youth Art Contest, Nagpur.
- 1991, 98 All India Exhibition of Art by A.I.F.A.C.S., New Delhi.
- 1991, 96 All India Exhibition of Art by L.K.A., Lucknow.
- 1988, 90, 94 National Exhibition of Art by L.K.A., New Delhi.
- 1987 All India Print Exhibition by 'Takman-28', Udaipur.

Camps & Workshops:

- 2009 National Artist Camp by Kerala Lalitkala Academy.
- 2008 National Camp on Traditional & Folk Art at Diu by W.Z.C.C, Udaipur
- 2007 State Art Workshop, R.K.L.A., Jaipur.
- 2000 - 08 Artist camp at Shilpgram by W.Z.C.C., Udaipur
- 2005 Kala Kumbh, Bikaner.
- 2003 All India Graphic Workshop by W.Z.C.C., Udaipur.
- 1999 All India Women Artists at J.K.K., Jaipur.
- 1997 Contemporary Painters Workshop of Daman by W.Z.C.C., Udaipur.
- 1985 All India Art Camp by T.K.P., Udaipur.
- 1985, 86, 87, 90 All India Artist Camps of Painting, Printmaking and Terracotta organized by "Ajj" Society, Udaipur.

Collection:

- R.L.K. Academic, Jaipur, India.
- Jawahar Kala Kendra, Jaipur, India.
- Sahitya Kala Parishad, New Delhi, India.
- Mehta Offset Works, New Delhi, India.
- Anchor Electronics & Electrical Pvt. Ltd., Mumbai.
- Dabur and India Potash, New Delhi, India.
- SWASH (N.G.O.), Udaipur India.
- W.Z.C.C., Udaipur, India.
- Lalitkala Academy, kerala.
- Private Collection in India, U.K., U.S.A., Holland, Germany, France, New Zealand, Japan, Israel, Ireland Canada, Pakistan etc.

Others:

- Teaching paintings to prisoners in Central Jail, Udaipur since 2007.
- Illustration for Sahitya Varshiki, India Today 1996--2000 and Bhojpuri Patrika, 1996.
- Articles published in various local Newspapers, Magazines & Research Journals.
- She writes in Rajasthani also.
- Art talks broadcasted on radio.
- Articles on her written by art critics in various magazines and newspapers.

Permanent**Address & Studio:**

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