

## Belle Shafir

Born in Germany.

1972 Emigrated to Israel.

1984-1988 Studied at the Avni Art College, Tel Aviv.

### Solo exhibitions:

- 2019 -"Legenda in MeMoriām", MuMo Museum Montanelli, Prague, Czech Republic.  
2018 -"Split Paths of Time", Trumpeldor Gallery-Art Center, Beer Sheva, Israel.  
2016 -"Ende.Neu", Delikatessenhaus. Neu Deli Gallery, Leipzig, Germany.  
-"Whisper of memory", Nha San Art Space, Hanoi, Vietnam.  
2015 -"SUBORTUS", The Kibbutz Gallery, Tel Aviv, Israel.  
2013 -" Nuchal Translucency" A.I.R. Gallery, Brooklyn, NY, U.S.A..  
-"Icastica", Glocal Women, 1st. International Art Exhibition of Arezzo Italy.  
-"Nuchal Translucency", Artist house, Tel Aviv, Israel.  
2011 -"Fertility and Vegetativeness", Museum Ein-Harod, Israel.  
2007 -"Eugenics", Municipality Gallery, Ra'anana, Israel.  
2006 -"Insitu", Artists' House, Tel Aviv, Israel.  
2005 -"Close-up", Artist's house, Herzliya, Israel.  
2003 -"Venus verspinnt", Gallery im b.i.b., Hannover, Germany.  
2002 -"Portraitscriptum", Sarah Erman Gallery, Tel Aviv, Israel.  
-"The Path between a Maze, Sexual lust and Altar", Seamgallery, Megadim, Israel.  
1998 -"Lapillus", Many H. Gallery, Tel Aviv, Israel.  
1997 -"Circle of consciousness", The Constant Sculpture Gallery, Ramat-Gan, Israel.  
1995 -"Naturalis", Artists' House, Jerusalem, Israel.  
1994 -Stadtmuseum Amberg, Amberg, Germany.  
-"For the tree of the Field is Man's Life", Contemporary Art Museum, Petach-Tikva, Israel.  
-Galerie Maya Wildewuur, Hochhalen, Holland.  
-Hatzerot Ha Ikarim Museum, Kfar Tabor, Israel.  
1992 -Sarah Erman Gallery, Tel Aviv, Israel.  
-Arkaden Gallery, Regensburg, Germany.  
-Museum Villa Stahmer, Georgsmarienhütte, Germany.

### Group exhibitions:

- 2020 -"Family business, Centrum Judaicum, Berlin, Germany.  
2019 -"Print Art Book", Hansen House, Jerusalem, Israel.  
-"Histories, Installation/Performance", Sarah Erman Gallery, Tel Aviv, Israel.  
-"Lines of Action", Azrieli Gallery, Jerusalem, Israel.  
2018 -"at-texo", Artspace, Tel Aviv, Israel.  
-"SALON", Galerie Ursula Walter, Dresden, Germany.  
-"Animal Affinity", The Artists' House, Tel Aviv, Israel.  
-" Festival izraelského filmu", Prague, Czech Republic.  
-"Disconnecting", Kibbutz Gallerie for israeli art, Tel Aviv, Israel.  
-"R-E-VOLUTION", Galerie Motorenhalle, Dresden, Germany.  
-"Mighty Minis", Melanie Carr Gallery, Essex, Connecticut, USA, (traveling exhibition).  
-"Avatar", Royal Beach Hotel, Tel Aviv, Israel.  
2017 -"EigenART", Gallery am Park, Vienna, Austria.  
-"7 minutes of fame", Art Space Gallery, Tel Aviv, Israel.  
-"Manofim, Mixed Memories", Contemporary Art Festival, Jerusalem, Israel.  
-"at-texo", Dom Museum, Hildesheim, Germany.  
-"Notes on the Beginning of the Short 20th Century: Recent European Art on WWI", Motorenhalle, contemporary art projects center, Dresden, Germany (traveling exhibition).  
-"Notes on the Beginning of the Short 20th Century: Recent European Art on WWI", National Center For contemporary Art (NCCA), Kaliningrad, Russia (traveling exhibition).  
-"AnonimX", Contemporary Art Museum, Haifa, Israel.  
-"Knot Theory", Beit Michal, Rehovot, Israel.  
-"Mimosa Time", Artist's House, Modi'in, Israel.  
-"Abject Art, Central Station Gallery, Tel Aviv, Israel.  
2016 -"Ende.Neu", Galerie Neu Deli, Leipzig, Germany.  
-"at-texo", Galerie Ursula Walter, Dresden, Germany.  
-"Video scenary", Contemporary Art Museum, Petach Tikva, Israel.  
-"AVI, festival art video international", Jerusalem, Israel.

- "World Thread Festival 2016", Ontario, Canada.
- 2015 - "Notes on the Beginning of the Short 20th Century: Recent European Art on WWI", quartier21, Museum Quarter, Vienna, Austria (traveling exhibition)
- "I Live In The East But My Heart Is In The West: Israel in München", Pasinger Fabrik, München, Germany
- 2014 - "Trapped?", Art Festival, Kibbutz Galuyot 45, Tel Aviv, Israel.
- "Along the lines of imagination", Tel Aviv Museum of Art, Israel.
- "Format", Artspace TLV, Tel Aviv, Israel.
- "Psalm woman", Office Gallery, Tel Aviv, Israel.
- "Pins and Needles", Housatonic Museum of Art, Bridgeport, CT, U.S.A.
- "Time Is Love 7", International video art program, Torrance Art Museum, CA, USA.
- "Time Is Love 7", International video art program, The Invisible Line Gallery, London, England, and touring around the world.
- "the 5th. Biennale for drawing in Israel", Agripas 12 Gallery, Jerusalem, Israel.
- "Visual scripts", the Wilfrid Israel Museum, Kibbutz Hazorea, Israel.
- 2013 - "Sitespecific 3, Tel Aviv, Israel.
- "Knitted Registry" CSP Gallery, Tel Aviv, Israel.
- 2012 - "Celebrating Kindred Spirits and Strange Bed Fellows", A.I.R. Gallery, Brooklyn, NY, U.S.A.
- "Cabinets of Wonder in Contemporary Art ", Museum of Contemporary Art, Herzliya, Israel.
- 2011 - "A women's work is never done" A.I.R. Gallery, Brooklyn, NY, U.S.A..
- "Middle Yeast", Palazzo Sant' Elia, Palermo, Italy.
- 2009 - "Not Necessarily Feminine (?)", Pyramida Gallery, Haifa, Israel.
- 2008 - "Memory of the Future", Cite internationale des arts, Paris, France.
- "Second Croatian Biennale of Illustration", Klovicevi dvori Gallery, Zagreb, Croatian.
- 2007 - "Simanashi", Artist's house, Herzliya, Israel.
- 2005 - "5th World Calligraphy Biennale of Jeollabuk-do", Korea.
- "Volumi in equilibrio", Centro Srotico di Teglio Omaggio a Pierre Restany, Italy.
- "Red", Municipality Gallery, Kfar-Saba, Israel.
- "Hues of colors", Gallery Kampus, Holon, Israel.
- 2004 - "Hues of colors", Seamgallery, Megadim, Israel.
- "Moz – Muse II", Gallery "526", Lodz, Poland.
- 2003 - "Displaced Self", Installations, Sakshi Gallery, Bombay, India.
- "Carrier Carrying Carriage", Design Gallery, Henkin College, Holon, Israel.
- 2002 - "imaginaire féminin", OPEN2002, Venice Lido, Italy.
- "Ambivalenzen", Frauen Museum, Bonn, Germany.
- " 2002 Flag Art Festival", Seoul, Korea.
- 2001 - "The Mudane Muse", Janco Dada Museum, Ein-Hod, Israel.
- "The Mudane Muse", Municipality Gallery, Rechovot, Israel.
- "Verfügungsgrün" Hochbunker, Köln, Germany.
- 2000 - "Storytime", Artist's House Gallery, Jerusalem, Israel.
- "Storytime", Center Gallery, Nazareth, Israel.
- "Zur Wand reden", Jüdisches Kulturmuseum, Veitshoechheim, Germany.
- "When you enter the Land", Shfela Museum, Kfar Menachem, Israel.
- "Weaving a Connection", Tel Aviv University Gallery, Israel.
- "Wir borgen uns ein Museum", Das verborgene Museum, Berlin, Germany.
- "The Mudane Muse", Arad Museum, Arad, Israel.
- 1999 - "Earth", Um el Fachem Gallery, Galilee, Israel.
- "Six Set Up a Table", Musrara 10 Gallery, Jerusalem, Israel.
- "Discourse", Static Gallery, Liverpool, England.
- "Talking to a Wall", Bad Kissingen, Germany.
- "A Harvest of Pomegranates", The Corine Maman Ashdod Museum, Israel.
- 1998 - "The Israeli Woman Portrait 1948-1998", Yad-Lebanim Museum, Ra'anana, Israel.
- "From Madona and Golda to Mother Theresa", City Hall, Haifa, Israel.
- "Artists meeting" The Studio Gallery, Ra'anana, Israel.
- "KunstFormMensch", Rathaus Gerlingen, Germany.
- "Save the peace", Giv'ataym theatre, Israel.
- "The Garden-A Metaphor", The University Botanical Gardens, Jerusalem, Israel.
- "50 Anos Israel", Galeria d'Art Zero, Barcelona, Spain.
- "Storytime", Candid Gallery, London, and Static Gallery, Liverpool, England.
- 1997 - "60 Years of the Blue Square", Eretz Israel Museum, Tel Aviv, Israel.
- "Miniartura", Centro Arti Visive, Perugia, Italia.
- 1996 - "Bitter, Sweet, Time, Putrifaction", Lymbus Gallery, Tel Aviv, Israel.
- "Healing The Breach II", Yadayim Artists' Gallery, Tel Aviv, Israel.
- "Local code", The Tower Gallery, Tel Aviv, Israel.
- 1995 - The Tower Gallery, Tel Aviv, Israel.

- 1993 -"Sculpture in the Little Forest", Ra'anana, Israel.
- 1992 -Yad-Lebanim Museum, Ra'anana, Israel.
- The Kibbutz Gallery, Tel Aviv, Israel.
- "Tables", Hakikar Gallery, Jaffa, Israel.

#### **Performances:**

- 2019 -"Full Moon 1", alternative space, Haifa, Israel.
- "Temporary Interface", Performance, S.Y.P. Art Space, Tokyo, Japan.
- "Memory Wall Inhabited", Performance, Nakanojo Biennale, Japan.
- "Moratorium", Performance, Orshina Art Center, Tel Aviv, Israel.
- "Freier Kopf", Nolobus Gallery, Tel Aviv, Israel.

#### **Projects:**

- 2019 -Line, Video Festival, Mexico City, Mexico.
- 2014 -"Time is Love 7", The invisible line Gallery, London, UK.
- 2009 -Installation "& Co", Sculpture park, Cipressa, Italy.
- 2004 -Art Lectures and workshop, University of Wollongong, Australia.
- 2003 -"Bildhauer-Symposium", Amberg, Germany.
- 2002 -"Temple del l'Amore", Site Specific Sculpture, Arte Sella, Borgo Vasulgana, Italy.
- 2001 -"Cyfuniad 2001", International Workshop with Residence, Liverpool and Plas Caerdeon, Wales, England.
- 1999 -"The place where Art and Ecology meet", Britanni Forest, Jerusalem, Israel.
- "Kescher" International Artists Symposium, Kibbutz Lochamei Hageettaot, Israel.
- "Naked Venus", Site Specific Sculpture: Akerby Skulpturpark, Sweden.
- International Artist Symposium, KHOJ, India.
- 1998 -"Altar", Women Festival, Haifa, Israel.
- 1997 -"Zimun", International Artists Symposium, Artist's house, Herzlyia, Israel.
- "Love Temple", International Artists Symposium, Wiesbaden, Germany.
- "Spiegele" Book, Frauenmuseum Bonn, XII. Kunstmesse Bonn, Germany.
- 1996 -International Sculpture Project, Görlitz, Germany.
- 1994 -"The Seer's Well", Site Specific Sculpture: The Grizedale Forest, Lake District, England.
- Site Specific Sculpture: The Kfar Tavor Gardens, Israel.

#### **Documentation & Videos:**

- 2019 -"Memory Wall Inhabited", YouTube, Performance, Nakanojo Biennale, Japan, (YouTube).
- "Limbus", Performance, Orshina Art Center, Tel Aviv, Israel.
- 2013 -Video documentation for "Nuchal Translucency " exhibition (YouTube).
- 2011 -Video Documentation for "Fertility and Vegetativeness" exhibition (YouTube).
- 2006 -Video Documentation for "Insitu" exhibition (YouTube).
- 2005 -Video documentation from "PvR videostudios", Kfar-Saba, Israel, film operator: Peretz (Frank) van Ralte, for the Gabriel Sherover Information Center for Israeli Art, video No. 446, The Israel Museum, Jerusalem, Israel.

#### **Publications:**

- 2017 -Article in News paper: "Illustrierte neue Welt 2017", Kunst, von Petra M. Springer, Wien, Austria.
- 2014 -Book: "Les femmes folles", women in art by Sally Brown Deskins, New York, USA.

#### **Awards and Prizes:**

- 2005 -Special price of the World Calligraphy Biennale of Jallabuk-do,5th., South Korea.

#### **Visiting Artist:**

- 2018 -Shiro Oni Studio, Gunma, Japan.
- 2017 -20th. Sommerakademie Risa Efau, Dresden, Germany.
- 2015 -quartier21, Museum Quarter, Vienna, Austria
- 2012 -15th. Sommerakademie Risa Efau, Dresden, Germany.
- 2010 - Fine Art Department, Guest James Monthford, Rhode Island College, Providence, USA.
- 2009 - Residence in the "Cite des Arts", Paris, France.
- 2004 - Visiting Artist, University of Wollongong, Australia.
- 2001 -"Cyfuniad 2001", international workshop with Residence, Plas Caerdeon, Wales, UK

#### **Selected Collections and Commissions:**

- 2019 - MuMo Museum Montanelli, Prague, Czech Republic.
- 2010 - Davis Museum, Barcelona, Spain.
- 2004 - Modern Art Museum of Portofino, Italy.
- Private Collections in Germany, Holland, India, Israel, Thailand, Korea, England, France etc.

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