

# Amol K. Patil

Born in 1987 in Mumbai, India Now lives and works in Mumbai and Amsterdam

### Education

2008-2009	Post Diploma, Rachana Sansad Academy of Fine Arts and Crafts, Bombay, India
2005-2008	Diploma, Rachana Sansad Academy of Fine Arts and Crafts, Bombay, India

## Experience

2020 Guest Lecturer, School of Environment & Architecture, Bombay, India Workshop Facilitator, Kochi Student Biennale, Kochi, India

### **Solo Exhibitions**

2025	The Shadow of Lustre, Röda Sten Konsthall, Göteborg, Sweden
2024	Whispers of the Dust, De Pont Museum of Contemporary Art, Tilburg, Netherland
2023	Lines Between the City, TKG+ Projects, Taipei, Taiwan
	The Politics of Skin and Movement, Hayward Gallery, Heni Project Space, London, U.K.
	Black Masks on Roller Skates, Project 88 Gallery, Bombay, India
2018	Sweep-Walking, Metta Contemporary, Bombay, India
2017	Under Construction, ACC, Gwangju, South Korea
	Black Boys Look Blue, Twelve Gates Arts, Philadelphia, PA, U.S.
2014	Nature Morte, Delhi, India
2013	Social Theatre, Clark House Initiative, Bombay, India

# **Selected Group Exhibitions**

2025	Berlin Biennale, Berlin, Germany
2024	Mercosul Biennial, Rio, Brazil
	Gwangju Biennale, Gwangju, South Korea
2022	Kunstenfestivaldesarts, Brussels, Belgium
	Documenta Fifteen, Kassel, Germany
	Kochi-Muziris Biennale, Kochi, India
2020	Afterglow, curated by Raqs Media Collective, Yokohama Triennale, Yokohama, Japan



- How to love anything other than the possibility of ruin?, curated by Frida Robles and Lasse Mouritzen, USSR, Mexico City, Mexico
- 2019 Five Million Incidents (in collaboration with Raqs Media Collective), Goethe-Institut/Max Mueller Bhavan, New Delhi, India as it rises into the air: listening in practice, curated by Juana Awad and Zeenat Nagree, Goethe-Institut/Max Mueller Bhavan, New Delhi, India
- 2018 Soon Enough, curated by Maria Lind, Tensta Konsthall, Spånga, Sweden The Showroom, Reimagine India, curated by Emil Pethich, London, U.K.
- 2017 Habit-co Habit, curated by Zasha Colah and Luca Cerizza, Pune Biennale, Phule Museum, Pune, India
- 2016 *Historica Republican Aesthetics*, curated by Sumesh Sharma, Irish Museum of Modern Art, Dublin, Ireland
  - Revolt of the Monkeys Tardis, curated by Sumesh Sharma, New Galerie, Paris, France Dakar Biennale, Dakar, Senegal
  - Celebrating Freedom and Pluralism in Defence of Secularism, Mumbai Collective, Bombay, India
  - Nanjing International Arts Festival: Historicode, Baijiahu Museum, Nanjing, China
- 2015 Liberty Taken by Kamarado, curated by Zasha Colah, Clark House Initiative, Bombay, India Liberty Taken Apart, curated by Zasha Colah, Clark House Initiative, Bombay, India Common Ground #1, curated by Rebecca John, G. 159, Bangalore, India Kamarado, curated by Jelle Bouwhuis, Kerstin Winking, Stedelijk Museum Bureau Amsterdam, Amsterdam, Netherlands
  - Myymälä2, curated by Zasha Colah, Helsinki, Finland
  - When Esthel Met Parker, Clark House Initiative & Parasite, Bombay, India Kyoto Casual, curated by Zasha Colah, Japan Foundation, New Delhi, India
- 2014 Tales Between Borders, curated by Nikhil Raunak, Clark House Initiative, Bombay, India Below Another Sky, Aberdeen Art Gallery, Aberdeen, Scotland Eros, curated by Clark House Initiative, Bruna Celeste Gallery, Para Site, Hong Kong International Artist Initiated, David Dale Gallery & Studios, Glasgow, Scotland

Von "Fair and Lovely" und "Black Is Beautiful": Anti-Rassismus in zeitgenössischer in discher Kunst (Of "Fair and Lovely" and "Black Is Beautiful": Anti-Racism in Contemporary Indian Art), curated by Rebecca John, Referat für Gleichstellung AStA University of Konstanz, Konstanz, Germany

*Spaghetti Harvest*, Project 88, curated by Clark House Initiative, Bombay, India Art Dubai, Clark House Initiative, Dubai, UAE

And I Laid Traps for the Troubadours, Who Died Before They Reached Bombay, Kadist Art and Clark House Initiative, Bombay, India

INSERT, curated by Rags Media Collective, New Delhi, India

Continuum, Unbound Studio, Lagos Video Art Festival, curated by Aditi Kulkarni and Uma



- Ray, travelling show (2013-2014), Lagos, Nigeria
- 2013 Translucent, Video Art Festival, curated by Kanchi Mehta, travelling show, Bombay, India Irreverence to Your Speech, Clark House Initiative, Platform, Munich, Germany

A Silent Apartheid, Clark House Initiative, Manifesta Journal

Nine, Clark House Initiative, Bombay, India

Group Show, Galerie Mirchandani + Steinruecke, Bombay, India

Autobiographia, Gallery Art and Soul, curated by Clark House Initiative, Bombay, India Decolonising Imaginaries, Kadist Art Foundation, curated by AFRIKADAA and Clark

House Initia tive, Paris, France

We Have Arrived Nowhere, Transnational Pavilion, Venice Biennale, curated by Francesca Chiacchio and Clark House Initiative, Venice, Italy

L'exigence de la saudade, Kadist Art Foundation, Clark House Initiative, Paris, France

- 2012 'I C U JEST', Mandalay Hall, Kochi-Muziris Biennale, Clark House Initiative, Kochi, India Locating Out-Sourcing, curated by CCCP Program (Critical, Curatorial and Conceptual Practices in Architecture) at GSAPP (Columbia University), Studio X, Bombay, India Lotus Eaters, Open Eyed Gallery, Clark House Initiative, Kochi, India World Event Young Artists, Gallery Backlit, Nottingham, U.K.
  - A Non-Aligned Elephant Gulab, Shunya at Praha Zoo, curated by Sumesh Sharma, Prague, Czech Republic

Shunya, a group show, Clark House Initiative, Bombay, India

- 2011 India Art Festival, Garden Installation, curated by Sumesh Sharma, Bombay, India
- 2010 Sandarbh Residency, Silvassa Gallery, Vapi, Maharashtra, India Group Exhibition, NCPA, Piramal Art Gallery, Bombay, India
- 2009 Stop Making Sense, curated by Himanshu Shady, Kitab Mahal, Bombay, India

### **Collective Practice**

- 2021 Stitching Screen, FICA India and Samdani Art Foundation, Bangladesh
- 2020 Looking West, Looking North, Looking East, Looking South, RM Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand
- 2014 In the Third Person Can I Fly? Can I Fear More? (with Shunya), mural at Clark House Initiative, Bombay, India
- 2013 *My India, My Home* (with Shunya), public art project in collaboration with The Yellow Cab, Guwahati, Assam, India
- 2012 Shunya, collective show (with Shunya), Clark House Initiative, Bombay, India

  A Non-Aligned Elephant Gulab, Shunya at Praha Zoo (with Shunya), curated by Sumesh
  Sharma, Prague, Czech Republic
  - Visa Rejects, group show (with Shunya), curated by Sumesh Sharma and Zasha Colah,



New Zero Space, Yangon, Myanmar

A collaborative site-specific mural in memory of legendary freedom fighter Bhagat Singh, for Shaheed Yaadgaar Manch, Communist Party of India office, Bhupesh Gupta Bhavan, Bombay, India (with Shunya)

2009 Windows (with Poonam Jain), Kala Ghoda Art Festival, Bombay, India

### **Selected Grants**

- 2020 Stitching Screens, grant by FICA, India and Samdani Art Foundation, Bangladesh Generator Cooperative Art Production Fund, Experimenter Gallery, Kolkata, India Parramatta Artists Studio, Sydney, Australia
- 2019 Five Million Incidents, Goethe-Institut/Max Mueller Bhavan, New Delhi, India

#### **Selected Performances**

- 2019 Take the City, Indian Art Fair, curated by Sitara Chowfla, Delhi, India
- 2018 Take the City, curated by Amal Khalaf, Serpentine Gallery, London, U.K. Marking Your Territory, curated by V Divakar, Knots, Vadodara, India
- 2017 Here-and-Now, Centre Pompidou, Paris, France
- 2012 Visas Revisited, Clark House Initiative, Bombay, India
- 2009 Evening Walk, Prabhadevi to Parel, Bombay, India

#### **Selected Residencies**

- 2024 Rijksakademie van beeldende kunsten, Amsterdam, Netherlands
- 2015 Corso Aperto; XXI CSAV; Artists Research Laboratory, performance residency, Como, Italy
- 2014 Below Another Sky, An International Residency, curated by Alexia Holt, Highland Print Studio, Inverness, Scotland
- 2010 The Sandarbh, nature workshop and residency, Silvassa Gallery, Vapi, Maharashtra, India