

Yuval Yairi

Born in Tel-Aviv, Israel, 1961. Lives and works in Jerusalem, Israel.

Education

- 1999-2004 Documentary and corporate film production, Photography
1989-1999 Art Director and Graphic Designer @ Arad-Yairi Studio, Jerusalem
1984-1988 Visual Arts studies, Wizo-Hadassah, Haifa

Solo Exhibitions

- 2023 *CloudMapping*, Fabienne Levy, Lausanne, CH
2019 *Cyphers & Cypresses*, Fabienne Levy, Lausanne, CH
2016 *Surveyor*, Epsten Gallery, Kansas City
Surveyor, Zemack Contemporary Art, Tel Aviv
2013 *LAND*, Zemack Contemporary Art, Tel-Aviv
2011 *WORK* (The Israel Museum's Renewal), Zemack Contemporary Art, Tel-Aviv
2008 *Palaces of Memory*, Andrea Meislin Gallery, New York
2007 *Palaces of Memory*, Alon Segev Gallery, Tel-Aviv
2005 *Forevermore*, Tel Aviv Museum of Art, Tel-Aviv
Forevermore, Andrea Meislin Gallery, New York

Selected Group Exhibitions

- 2026 *Odd or Even*, duo exhibition with Noa Arad Yairi, Hamiffal, Jerusalem, IL
2025 *Flora Abyssus*, duo exhibition with Zohar Elazar, Indie Gallery, Tel-Aviv, IL
2024 *eArth*, Trumpeldor Gallery, Ben Gurion University of the Negev, IL
This place – present continuous, Ramot Menashe art Gallery, IL
From Print to Presence, Fabienne Levy Gallery, Lausanne & Geneva, CH
Forsaken Zone, Hamiffal, Jerusalem, IL
Splinter from the storm, Bible Lands Museum, Jerusalem, IL
Transformative Boundaries, Fabienne Levy Gallery, Lausanne & Geneva, CH
2023 *Art for Freedom*, ARCO Madrid, ES
The twilight zone, Givat Haviva art Gallery, IL
2022 *Observation Point*, site specific installation, Jewish Culture Festival, Krakow, PL
Beyond The Gaze, Podbielski Contemporary, Milano, IT
Between the lines, Fabienne Levy Gallery, Lausanne, CH
The Institution, Ramat Gan Museum of Israeli Art, IL
2021 *Maisons*, Fondation La Ruche-Seydoux, Paris, FR
Métamorphoses, LA CHAMBRE D'EAU, Le Favril, FR
2020 *Feminine Difference*, Haifa Museum of Art, Haifa, IL
Up and Down the Mountain, New Gallery, Jerusalem, IL
Winners Exhibition. Ministry of culture awards, Ashdod Museum of Art, Ashdod, IL
2019 *Comix 3*, 59 Rivoli, Paris, FR
2018 *Tzurah – sguardi dentro Israele*, Jewish museum of Casale Monferrato, Monferrato, IT
Sambation, Jewish Culture Festival, Krakow, PL
We Are One World, Torrance Art Museum, Los Angeles, US
DocTurku <3 VAFT, Finland, FI
2017 *Dangerous Art*, Haifa Museum of Art, Haifa, IL
Undefined Spaces, Podbielski Contemporary, Berlin, DE
Slipped (my) memory, Binyamin Gallery, Tel Aviv, IL
Anonym-X: / Street View, Haifa Museum of Art, Haifa, IL
Meetings, Video and Performance Festival, DK
2016 *Quest*, Tel-Hai Museum of Photography, Kiryat Shmona, IL
Cologne Off, Torrance Art Museum, Los Angeles, US
Time is Love, Plateau gallery, Berlin, DE
2015 *Sanctuary*, Orlando Museum of Art, Orlando, US
The Tel-Aviv Transcripts, with Hadas Ophrat, The Lobby Art Space, Tel Aviv, IL

- 2014 *Now & After*, Video art Festival Moscow – guests program, Moscow, RU
Winter Stream (video art and short films), Epsten Gallery, Kansas City, US
The Benevolent Tree, The Umm el-Fahem Art Gallery, Umm al-Fahm, IL
Video art and experimental film festival, Tribeca Cinemas, New York, USA
 Festival of Migrant Films, Ljubljana, SL
 FOKUS 2014, video art festival, Copenhagen, DE
- 2013 *Collecting Dust*, Contemporary Israeli Art, The Israel Museum, Jerusalem, IL
- 2012 *Nomansland: Trilogy of Journeys*, Petach Tikva Museum of Art, Petch Tikva, IL
- 2011 *Roundabout - Face to Face*, Tel Aviv Museum of Art, Tel Aviv, IL
Life: A user's Manual, The Israel Museum, Jerusalem, IL
Kept in Memory, Dwek Gallery, Mishkenot Sha'ananim, Jerusalem, IL
New in Photography: Recent Acquisitions, The Israel Museum, Jerusalem, IL
Purity & Danger, Zemack Contemporary Art, Tel-Aviv, IL
The Four Seasons, The Israel Museum, Jerusalem, IL
- 2010 *Roundabout*, City Gallery Wellington, Wellington, NZ
Looking in, Looking out: The window in art, The Israel Museum, Jerusalem, IL
Now we are six, Andrea Meislin Gallery, New York, US
- 2008 *Israel is Real, Contemporary photography from Israel*, Epsten Gallery, Kansas, US
 @60.art.israel.world, Magnes Museum, Berkeley, California, US
The homes of Others, The Israel Museum, Jerusalem, IL
Inside Israel, Three Gorges Museum, Chongqing, CN
- 2007 *Jerusalem*, Surface Fractures, The Jerusalem Artist's House, Jerusalem, IL
Moods and Modes in Israeli Photography, Tel Aviv Museum of Art, Tel Aviv, IL
Contemporary Israeli Photography, San Diego Natural History Museum, San Diego, US
Art for Aid, Zuiderkerk, Amsterdam, NL
Current Visions part 2, Andrea Meislin Gallery, New York, US
- 2006 *Laterna Magica, Metaphysical Light in Israeli Photography*, Bat-Yam Museum of Art, Israel, IL
- 2004 "New Exposures" *Recent acquisitions in Photography*, The Israel Museum, Jerusalem, IL

Awards

- 2023 Recipient of Plumas Art Foundation artist grant
 2017 The Ministry of Culture Award for Visual Arts, Israel

Museum & Private Collections

The Israel Museum, Jerusalem, IL
 Tel Aviv Museum, Israel, IL
 Roundabout, IL
 Rothschild, FR
 Schusterman Center, MA, US
 Sabag, IL
 Lahat, IL
 Livnat, NL
 Kukoff, New York, US
 Berman and Bloch, Los Angeles, US
 Naggar, UK
 Constantiner, New York, US

Selected Bibliography

- E. Schwartz, "Yuval Yairi, Surveyor", Tel Aviv: Zemack Contemporary Art, 2016
 R. Bartos, "Land", Tel Aviv: Zemack Contemporary Art, 2013
 K. Alon, "Yuval Yairi: Work", Tel Aviv: Zemack Contemporary Art, 2011
 D. Burstein, "Yuval Yairi: Palaces of Memory", New York: Andrea Meislin Gallery, 2007
 E. Danieli, "Yuval Yairi: Forevermore", The Hansen Project, New York: Andrea Meislin Gallery, 2005